



# Launceston School for Seniors Inc.

## Course Booklet Term 2, 2023

### Registration Days:

Friday June 9<sup>th</sup> online from 11.00 onwards

Tuesday June 13<sup>th</sup> 9.30 – 12.00 school help  
*(for those with limited computer skills)*



**Term Start:** Monday June 19th, 2023

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**Parking** - We are fortunate to have some off-street parking available on our premises at High Street. Nevertheless, these spaces can be filled quite quickly. **There are also some free parking spaces on High Street, York Street all around City Park (Brisbane, Cimitiere, Lawrence St.) with a 3 hour limit. Please refer to diagram below.**



**Please drive carefully** and park only in designated parking bays. Take care when entering and leaving the High Street premises, particularly at those times when some classes have finished, and the next classes are about to begin. **Pedestrians - for your own safety, please use the pedestrian gate.**



# LAUNCESTON SCHOOL FOR SENIORS Inc.

## Community Commitment

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### Introduction

The aim of the Launceston School for Seniors Inc. is to provide and conduct programs which are educationally, vocationally, or socially beneficial for members.

### Purpose

To promote a shared understanding of the Community Commitment between all members, including tutors and committee, in their interactions with each other during all Launceston School for Seniors Inc. activities.

### Policy

All members can participate in opportunities offered by the Launceston School for Seniors Inc. that are within their physical ability, knowledge, or experience (where applicable) and class place availability.

All members can expect and should ensure, that the school has an environment that is safe, respectful, and free from harassment, discrimination and bullying.

All members should foster and maintain positive relationships and act with honesty and integrity towards the school and community.

All members can expect, and should ensure, that other members' personal information is maintained in accordance with Launceston School for Seniors Inc. Privacy Policy.

All members should wear their current ID badge supplied by the school at all times when attending any Launceston School for Seniors activity.

All members should maintain the good reputation of Launceston School for Seniors, contribute to its ability to serve the community's interests and refrain from using membership to promote personal interests or financial gain.

All members can expect, and should ensure, that car park rules are followed and any damage to vehicles, school property or members' possessions are reported to the school office or class tutors.

All members should keep up to date with Launceston School for Seniors policies and notices by reading information posted in the organisation's newsletter, website or notice board.

# REGISTRATION

Registration Day will have 2 parts.

**Online registration** will take place on **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June**. The registration system will be opened at 11.00am onwards for online registrations. If you are marked as wait listed it does not necessarily mean you are not in the class, once both registration days are finished your tutor will let you know if you have got in or not. Online registrations can be paid at the same time via PayPal - credit card or in the office 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> June 9.00am till 12.30pm. Members cannot participate in classes until they are financial. Anyone not financial by classes starting will be replaced in the class by the next wait listed member.

On **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June**, between 9.30am and 12.00pm, we will conduct a school help day at 8 High Street for members who have no computer or limited computer skills. We trust that members who can register online will take that option as we will need to keep the traffic flow of members to a minimum on the registration day. We will accept cash, cheque, or EFTPOS.

A reminder to current members prior to registration day. The Course Booklet will be available on the school website, and your guide to online registration is on page 4 and on the website.

***If you enrol for a course and after 1 lesson decide it is not what you expected, please let the tutor know so that the next wait listed member can take your spot in the class.***

## Online Log-in Procedure

You will not be able to select courses until 11.00am on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June. If you complete the procedure prior to choosing courses, you can be sure that you can have access on registration day.

In your browser, enter [www.lss.org.au](http://www.lss.org.au)

(Can also be done on tablet or phone)

Membership

Members Log in

Log in (existing and renewing members)

Member number is on your name badge

Password

Submit



Read details carefully, make necessary changes, then click on Save at bottom of page.

Click on **Courses** inside bar

(Phones need to click on 3 bar icon to see side bar).

Click on your preferred **Course**

Details of the course will drop down

Click **Add to Cart** at bottom of dropdown to enrol

Repeat for other courses if any

Click on **cart** in task bar

Check cart and if correct click **checkout**

View Invoice.

Click PayPal if paying by PayPal or Credit Card.

Click **Enrolments** in task bar to see all your enrolments.

**\$50 per term covers as many courses as you like.**

# Monday

Venue	Start	Finish	Course
8 High Street	10.00		Walking for Health
	9.30	12.00	Painting or Drawing
	9.30	11.00	Appreciating Classical Music
	9.00	11.00	Better Digital Photography
	9.30	12.00	Photography: Digital SLR
	9.00	10.15	Computers–PC Tablets & phone
	10.45	12.00	Computers–PC Tablets & phone
	11.30	1.00	Comedy Hour – The Goons
	12.30	2.30	Painting with Acrylics
	1.00	3.00	Photoshop Elements
	1.00	3.00	Intro. to Photoshop Elements
NTCC	10.00	11.30	Croquet
NTCC	1.00	2.30	Social Croquet

## Course 73 – Walking for Health

*For the 1<sup>st</sup> week a Tutor will meet participants at 10am @ 8 High Street carpark. Meeting points for the following weeks will be discussed at the end of each walk.*

For those who like to walk in company, our short, tutor-led walks around the Launceston area are of **50-90 minutes' duration** at moderate pace. The walks are graded according to amount of climb and terrain covered so that participants can choose which walks to join.

### Prompt departure.

Klaus Decker | Warren Groves  
Norma Purton

## Course 50 – Painting or Drawing – Limit 12

9.30am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Join a friendly group of people interested in painting or drawing, in watercolour, pastel, acrylic, pencils or oils (water based only). There is no tutor, but many class members are happy to offer support, ideas, encouragement, and guidance.

Joan Morley

# Monday

## **Course 30 – Appreciating Classical Music**

9.30am – 11.00am | 8 High Street | Room 1

Presenting and listening to Classical Music.

Rob Mitchelson | Michael Manhire

## **Course 29 – Better Digital Photography**

9.00am – 11.00am | 8 High Street | Room 2

Over three terms, this class will help you get the best from your Digital Camera. Starting at the beginning and progressing through the three terms, we will build up your knowledge and confidence.

Peter Ralph | John Elliott

## **Course 51 – Photography: Getting More out of Your Digital SLR**

9.30am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Continuing with our journey into ISO, apertures, shutter speeds, depth of field, composition, editing and much more. There will be outings so you can put your new skills to the test. **Participants must own an SLR or similar camera on which lenses can be changed. Before joining this class, you must have done at least 1 term with class 29 (Better Digital Photography).**

John Elliott | Terence Bracken OAM

# Monday

## **Course 25 – Computers – PCs Tablets & Phones**

9.00am – 10.15am | 8 High Street | Room 3 **Limit 6**

Classes will cover all aspects of computing, (Windows, and Apple).  
Downloading photos from phones and tablets. Internet browsing and email.

This class will help you understand the use of iPads, tablets (all types) and smart phones. If our tutors don't know all the answers, we will find out. (**Beginners welcome**)

Trevor Curtis-Flynn

## **Course 18 – Computers – PCs Tablets & Phones**

10.45am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3 **Limit 6**

Classes will cover all aspects of computing, (Windows and Apple).  
Downloading photos from phones and tablets. Internet browsing and email.

This class will help you understand the use of iPads, tablets (all types) and smart phones. If our tutors don't know all the answers, we will find out. (**Beginners welcome**)

Trevor Curtis-Flynn

## **Course 5 – Painting with Acrylics – Limit 12**

12.30pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

This course is for learners and the more experienced painters using acrylic paint.

We usually all paint the same subject on a small canvas, the coordinator will provide a photo and inspiration for you as needed. The coordinators are experienced painters and are very happy and willing to offer support, suggestions, and guidance for those who need it. We offer a fun relaxed, informal experience, while learning and improving our skills with acrylic paint.

Kate Frankcombe | Christine Walker



# Monday

## **Course 16 – Comedy Hour – The Goons**

11.30am – 1.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

How many of us remember THE GOON SHOW

Perhaps the finest comedy programme ever.

We will select some of their best and listen to one – or maybe two each week, plus a few other short comic pieces.

Michael Manhire

## **Course 56 – Photoshop Elements**

1.00pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

Leaner but cheaper than Photoshop CS5, but still a powerful photo editing program. Learn to work on your images in the RAW converter and then go into Photoshop to make them even better. Participants must bring a laptop computer with Photoshop Elements to every class.

Terence Bracken OAM | John Elliott

## **Course 53 – Introduction to Photoshop Elements**

1.00pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Participants who have not used Photoshop Elements before will learn to organise their photos and improve them with some simple but powerful techniques. When they are ready, they can move on to more advanced techniques in class 56.

Participants must bring their own laptop with a recent version of Photoshop Elements.

John Elliott | Terence Bracken OAM

# Monday

## Course 34 – Croquet

10.00am – 11.30am | Northern Tasmanian Croquet Centre  
St Leonards Sports Centre, St Leonards Road, St Leonards

Croquet is an easy to learn mallet sport, popular in all clubs throughout Australia. Passive exercise and very social, equipment is provided. Flat soled shoes must be worn. \$8.00 green fee.

Lee Turner | Chris Hurford

## Course 62 – Social Croquet

1.00pm – 2.30pm | Northern Tasmanian Croquet Centre  
St Leonards Sports Centre, St Leonards Road, St Leonards

A variety of mallet sports offered. It is easy to learn and an excellent passive exercise. Equipment is provided. Flat soled shoes must be worn.

\$8.00 green fee.

Lee Turner | Chris Hurford



Be sure to check out our **Book Nook** which is located in the main entry foyer.

Borrow a book, bring a book or read a book anytime the doors are open during school hours.

# Tuesday

Venue	Start	Finish	Course
8 High Street	9.00	12.00	Drawing - Multimedia
	9.30	10.30	Italian Level 3
	9.00	10.15	Logic and Laughter
	9.30	10.30	Electricity/Electronics in the home
	9.30	10.45	German
	10.45	12.00	Scrabble
	11.00	12.00	Science
	11.00	12.00	Mathematics of Finance
	12.30	2.30	Drawing & Sketching B
	12.45	2.30	Sing & Play Ukulele Group B
	12.30	2.30	1st Tuesday Book Discussion
	12.30	2.00	Third Tuesday Book Discussion
	1.00	3.00	One Stitch at a Time
	1.00	2.30	Knitting

## **Course 31 – Drawing – Multimedia - Limit 12**

9.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Drawing – All media, pastels, colour pencils, ink, watercolour.  
Beginners and advanced.  
Peer supported – Tutor supported class.

Jammuna Bond | Abhay Nique

## **Course 24 – Italian Level 3**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 1

For more advanced students.

Rosanna Iezzi

# Tuesday

## **Course 46 – Logic and Laughter – Limit 20**

9.00am – 10.15am | 8 High Street | Room 2

Laughter has been proven to improve our health and longevity. Using a variety of resources, this group will learn, laugh, listen and use logic skills to link together a lush lotto of puzzles, materials and loads of loopy jokes for a lively class.

*What type of L are you?*

Marijke Lockwood | Tina Pinkard

## **Course 12 – Electricity/Electronics in the home**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 3

Demystifying electricity in the home. How to read your electricity bill, electrical safety. Circuit breakers vs fuses PIR. Colour TV. AM vs FM radio. Digital vs analog. Mobile/cell phones. AC vs DC. Basslink. Video, tape, DVD/CD. Remote controls. Cords/connectors/plugs.

Russell Parker

## **Course 39 – German**

9.30am – 10.45am | 8 High Street | Room 4

The aim is to improve comprehension and communication skills by presenting reports and dialogues, reading book excerpts and anecdotes, practising German syntax as required and enjoying cultural snippets and some German songs. Beginners won't be turned away but may find the lessons challenging. Native speakers are most welcome.

Trevor Higgin | Doris Geier

# Tuesday

## **Course 58 – Science**

11.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

A novel approach to the subject with interaction with class members, guest speakers from outside and within the school. Experiments not part of the curriculum.

Coordinator – Liza Snow

## **Course 60 – Scrabble**

10.45am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

A fun word game for all to enjoy.

Gaylene Gilham | Jennifer Williams

## **Course 49 - Mathematics of Finance**

11.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

This short course emphasises a property of money – that it has a time value; \$100 is worth more today than \$100 in a year's time. We define terminology used in this study then calculate simple and compound interest and explain compounding and discounting. The notions of present value and future value of a single sum are introduced, followed by a study of the value of multiple and dated money flows, amortisation and sinking funds, ordinary annuities, and annuities due. Evaluate of seemingly different financial deals, e.g., lease or buy, hire purchase compared to cash payments, equivalent interest rates, effective interest rates. There are no mathematical prerequisites apart from familiarity with elementary algebra. The course will begin with a very brief review of some algebra topics. Participants should have a basic scientific calculator, essentially one which has a 'raise to the power' function and available for around \$30.

Brian East

# Tuesday

## **Course 20 – Drawing and Sketching B – Limit 14**

12.30pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Join a friendly group of people interested in drawing and sketching, using your own materials – pencil, charcoal, coloured pencil, pastel pencil and watercolour pencils or paints. Enjoy working in a friendly social environment. No tuition but help and guidance if needed.

Elizabeth Dubois | Adrian Elmer

## **Course 76 – Sing and Play Ukulele Group B**

12.45pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

Enjoy making music as you sing and play your favourite songs. Songs will include a range of easy-to-play and some more challenging.

***Class limit applies so please join the wait list.***

Beverley Marshall | Rodney Walker

## **Course 17 – First Tuesday Book Discussion Group**

12.30pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 3 - **Limit 10**

During term breaks we meet in members' homes.

Monthly meetings on 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month continue throughout the year. We select the books for discussion, which are supplied monthly by Book Groups Tasmania and are now FREE.

*Sorry, no new members this term.*

Glenda Mahler | Merry Bastick

# Tuesday

## **Course 8 – Third Tuesday Book Discussion Group**

12.30pm – 2.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

We hold a meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month, except January.  
We select books mostly from the Tasmanian Library's Book Groups  
Tasmania, which is a free service.

Their catalogue can be viewed on the library website.  
*Sorry, no new members this term, wait list only.*

Andrew Young | Mary Loder

## **Course 11 – One Stitch at a Time**

1.00pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

A lovely social environment for those interested in all forms of  
Embroidery. Bring along any unfinished projects or contact Judy for  
ideas. The only rule we have is you must do one stitch each lesson.

Judy Husband

## **Course 45 – Knitting Circle**

1.00pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Knitting for pleasure and for charities or bring your own ideas.

Jilian Sievers | Jennifer Williams

# Wednesday

Venue	Start	Finish	Course
Various	8.00	5.00	Bushwalking (Weekly)
8 High Street	9.00	10.30	Popular Music of the Twentieth Century
	9.15	12.15	Wednesday Multimedia
	9.30	12.00	Creative Writing Circle
	9.30	12.00	Chess for All
	11.00	12.15	Glass Craft
	11.00	12.30	The Old Testament Opened Up
	12.45	3.00	Classic Movies
ROAB Hall	11.15	12.30	Line Dancing A for Beginners
ROAB Hall	12.45	2.00	Line Dancing B
	12.30	1.30	Spanish for Beginners
	1.00	3.00	Portrait & Still Life
	1.00	2.30	Wednesday Afternoon Music
ELCC	10.00	11.30	Social Croquet

## Course 10 – Bushwalking - Weekly

8.00am – 5.00pm | Various locations

Bushwalking various destinations up to 2 hours drive from Launceston. Usually 8.am – 5.pm but may start earlier for more distant destinations.

**Program for term is available Registration Day.**

David Waters | Cathy Hurst  
Rod How | Anne Wilson

## Course 54 – Popular Music of the Twentieth Century

9.00am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Art Room

Join us for a social side of school and humour while enjoying coffee or tea. Listen to popular recordings from the Twentieth Century that you can select, as well as enjoy an artist biography that you may also take a turn in presenting or suggesting.

Finish the term with a varied selection of music from You Tube.

Ian Kershaw | Dirk Sleurink



**Course 75 – Wednesday Multimedia – Limit 10**

9.15am – 12.15pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

Painting and Drawing - Beginners to Advanced.

Jammuna Bond | Janice Devine

**Course 28 – Creative Writing Circle**

9.30am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

Creative writing of short stories to share.

Patricia Pettett | Hilary Fraser

**Course 15 – Chess for All**

9.30am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

When it comes to tabletop games Chess is a classic, maybe THE classic. It has been around for centuries but remains just as hugely popular and fascinating today as the recent blockbuster movies,

Queens Gambit

Queen of Katwe

Many people have learnt how to play Chess as children.

Many would like to learn. Here is your opportunity.

Join the class and see if you can say:

“CHECK MATE”

James Westwater | Ann McMillan

**Course 4 – Glass Craft – Limit 8**

11.00am – 12.15pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

This class is an introduction to lead lighting and copper foiling. Participants will make a light catcher and/or a small panel. Materials will be provided. Ideal for beginners.

Annie McCall | Liza Snow

# Wednesday

## **Course 43 – The Old Testament Opened Up**

11.00am – 12.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Much of the original meaning of the Hebrew text in the Old Testament has been lost in English translations and led to erroneous explanations. Examine the text and gain new insights.

A real eye-opener!  
“We will continue with Genesis”.

George Goldsteen

## **Course 7 – Portrait & Still Life – Limit 10**

1.00pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Using your own materials enjoy portrait and still life painting in a friendly environment, working from live models for portraits. No tuition but help and guidance from other members of the class. All mediums other than oils are welcome. Still life only if model unavailable. Models needed.

Diana Diffey | Bruce Irwin

## **Course 74 – Wednesday Afternoon Music**

1.00pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

Listen to a wide range of music. Some not readily available in Tas. Classical, opera, crossover musicals, orchestral, vocal etc. Learn a bit about some of the composers, artists & musicians. No heavy metal. Using USB and DVDs (concerts)

Rob Mitchelson | John Elliott

## **Course 68 – Spanish for Beginners**

12.30pm – 1.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

A basic introduction to spoken and written Spanish focusing on the Latin American version of the language. There are no set texts, but students will be referred to various hand-outs, tapes and illustrations to assist with their learning. No prior knowledge is required but those with some previous exposure to Spanish would be welcome.

Diana Murrell

# Wednesday Classic Movies

Our Classic Movie sessions will continue each Wednesday during Term 2, 2023 in Room 4 at 12.45pm.

Name badges must be worn, and numbers are limited to seating capacity. Planned movies for Term 2 are:

<b>Jun 21st</b>	<b>Letters To Juliet - (2010 – Romantic Comedy 101 min)</b> <i>Amanda Seyfried, Vanessa Redgrave</i>
<b>Jun 28th</b>	<b>The Railway Man - (2014 – Drama 117 min)</b> <i>Colin Firth, Nicole Kidman.</i>
<b>Jul 5th</b>	<b>Ma &amp; Pa Kettle Go To Town – (1950 – Comedy. 80 min)</b> <i>Marjorie Main, Percy Kilbride, Richard Long.</i>
<b>Jul 12th</b>	<b>The Boy In The Striped Pyjamas- (2008 - Drama 91 min)</b> <i>Vera Farminga, David Thewlis, Rupert Friend.</i>
<b>Jul 19th</b>	<b>The Never-EndingStory – (1984 – Fantasy 90 min)</b> <i>Noah Hathaway, Barrett Oliver, Tami Stronach.</i>
<b>Jul 26th</b>	<b>Von Ryan’s Express - (1965 – Drama 112 min)</b> <i>Frank Sinatra, Trevor Howard.</i>
<b>Aug 2nd</b>	<b>Seriously Red- (2022 – Musical Comedy 94 min)</b> <i>Krew Boylan, Daniel Webber, Celeste Barber, Jean Kittson.</i>
<b>Aug 9th</b>	<b>A Night To Remember - (1958 – Drama 118 min)</b> <i>Kenneth More, Honor Blackman, David McCallum.</i>
<b>Aug 16th</b>	<b>The Way We Were – (1999 - Romance Drama 108 min)</b> <i>Barbra Streisand, Robert Redford.</i>
<b>Aug 23rd</b>	<b>Newsfront – (1978 – Drama 110 min)</b> <i>Bill Hunter, Wendy Hughes, Gerard Kennedy, John Ewart.</i>

# Wednesday

## **Course 80 – Classic Movies**

12.45pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Movies selected are on previous page.

Ian Kershaw | Trevor Curtis-Flynn

## **Course 2 – Line Dancing A for absolute Beginners**

11.15am – 12.30 | ROAB Hall, Birch Avenue Newstead – Limit 20

Life is for living, laughing, and Line Dancing. No partners required to enjoy this fun way of maintaining/improving physical and mental wellbeing. This class is for beginners and seniors. We will start slowly and build up our repertoire as the semester progresses.

## **Course 9 – Line Dancing B**

12.45pm – 2.00 | ROAB Hall, Birch Avenue Newstead – Limit 20

This class is moving forward slightly from the beginner's class. If you are new to Line Dancing, please attend the earlier class.

Marijke Lockwood | Colleen Wegman

## **Course 40 – Social Croquet**

10.00am – 11.30am | East Launceston Croquet Club  
Corner Adelaide and High Street, Launceston

Easy to learn mallet sport. Excellent passive exercise at your own pace. Equipment provided. Flat soled shoes must be worn.  
\$5.00 green fee.

Lee Turner | Jim Checker

# Thursday

Venue	Start	Finish	Course
8 High Street	9.00	12.00	Model Making A
	9.30	10.30	Cryptic Crosswords A
	9.30	10.45	Book Lovers Circle
	9.30	10.30	Cryptic Crosswords B
	11.00	12.15	Square Dancing for Beginners
	11.00	2.00	Scrapbooking and Papercraft
	11.15	12.15	Spirituality in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century
	11.30	12.30	French Transition A
	12.00	3.00	Model Making B
	12.45	2.00	Sing and Play Ukulele Group A
	1.00	2.00	French Transition B
	Glenara	9.15	10.30
Glenara	11.00	12.00	Scottish Country Dancing
NTCC	10.00	11.30	Social Croquet
NTCC	1.00	2.30	Social Croquet

## Course 55 – Model Making A – Limit 14

9.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Model making of any type or medium.  
Basic model making experience is required.

George Loughborough | John Stevenson  
Ian Green

## Course 27 – Cryptic Crosswords A

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 1

A class for the more experienced cryptic crossworder who enjoys the more difficult puzzles. Anagrams and double meanings? No worries!

Michael Clarke | Aileen Pike

# Thursday

## **Course 13 – Cryptic Crosswords B**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 2

Each week we will work together to solve a moderately difficult cryptic crossword. We will work slowly, making sure that everyone understands how the setter uses anagrams and double meanings, etc.

Ronda Mason | Aileen Pike

## **Course 3 – Book Lovers Circle**

9.30am – 10.45am | 8 High Street | Room 4

Our aim is to enjoy different genres of books and to share our enjoyment with others in the class. We work with themes chosen by the students. The themes may include historical fiction, thrillers, travel, favourite non-fiction, etc.

**There are no set books.**

Bring a notebook to jot down titles of books discussed in class.

Glenda Mahler

## **Course 33 - Square Dancing for Beginners**

11.00am – 12.15pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

“Did you do square dancing when you were young? Now is the time to enjoy it again! If you didn’t, come along and enjoy some physical and mental exercise.

We will start slowly, walk it through and talk it through. You don’t need a partner!”

Dianne Ashton

# Thursday

## **Course 83 – French Transition A**

11.30am – 12.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

A transition course between French Beginners and French Intermediate.

Rod Howell

## **Course 71 – Scrapbooking & Papercraft**

11.00am – 2.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

Do you want to preserve precious family photographs or make your own album or journal or perhaps make your own birthday or Christmas cards?

Then join us for some fun and friendship.

No creativity necessary, no right or wrong way with projects as easy or as complex as you want.

Bring your own lunch.

Wendy Fleet

## **Course 61 – Spirituality in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Discussion Group**

11.15am – 12.15pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

This class seeks to discuss a broad range of spiritual topics and looks at connections between various religious and spiritual viewpoints.

Come with an open mind.

Dave Cooper

# Thursday

## **Course 64 – Model Making B – Limit 14**

12.00pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room

Model making of any type or medium.  
Basic model making experience is required.

George Loughborough | Kevin McInerney  
Ian Green

## **Course 69 – Sing and Play Ukulele Group A**

12.45pm – 2.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

Enjoy a social time playing and singing.  
***Class Limit applies so join the wait list.***  
***Beginners class opens in 2024.***

Beverley Marshall

## **Course 22 – French Transition B**

1.00pm – 2.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

A transition course between French Beginners and French Intermediate.

Rod Howell

## **Course 63 – Singing for Pleasure**

9.15am – 10.30am | Glenara Lakes - Youngtown

The Ladies and Gents of the Launceston Senior School meet weekly to sing traditional, classic, and modern songs (with gusto!)

We welcome experienced and non-experienced singers in a friendly, social atmosphere. Unison and harmony singing, followed by a cup of tea or coffee.

Ray Ironside  
Co-ordinator - Betty Laverty OAM



# Thursday

## **Course 59 – Scottish Country Dancing**

11.00am – 12.00pm | Glenara Lakes, Youngtown

Participants must be able to walk at a reasonable pace and need to wear flat shoes (not joggers). Easy dances taught at a walking pace. Good for health, memory and keeping active.

Betty Laverty OAM

## **Course 79 – Social Croquet**

10.00am – 11.30am | Northern Tasmanian Croquet Centre  
St. Leonards

Croquet – easy to learn mallet sport, popular in all clubs throughout Australia. Passive exercise and very social. Equipment provided. Flat soled shoes must be worn.

\$8.00 Green Fee

Lee Turner | Terry Jucket

## **Course 41 – Social Croquet**

1.00pm – 2.30pm | Northern Tasmanian Croquet Centre  
St. Leonards

Croquet – easy to learn mallet sport, popular in all clubs throughout Australia. Passive exercise and very social. Equipment provided. Flat soled shoes must be worn.

\$8.00 Green Fee

Lee Turner | Terry Jucket

# Friday

Venue	Start	Finish	Course
8 High Street	9.30	12.00	Multimedia Paint/Sketch A
	9.30	10.30	Italian – Level 2
	9.30	10.30	The Armchair Traveller
	9.30	10.30	Italian – Level 1
	9.30	10.30	French Beginners
	11.00	2.30	Mah Jong
	11.00	12.00	Garden Inspirations
	11.00	12.00	Appreciating Poetry
	11.00	12.00	French Intermediate
	12.15	1.45	Spirit of Philosophy
	12.30	3.00	Multimedia Paint/Sketch B
	12.30	2.00	The Writers
	12.30	2.30	Creative Writing Co-op
	LRTC	9.30	12.00

## **Course 42 – Multimedia - Painting and Sketching A** 9.30am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room - **Limit 12**

We invite participants to bring their own supplies and work in whichever medium they choose.

All levels of experience are catered for with members experienced in water colours, acrylics, coloured pastels and pencils willing to share that experience and support each other. This class provides a space for members to work autonomously and enjoy the energy and creative atmosphere provided.

Joan Morley | Jenny Jones

## **Course 57 – Italian - Level 2**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 1

After some basic Italian – Learn to listen, understand, and converse.

Estelle Ross | Henrietta Houghton

# Friday

## **Course 67 – The Armchair Traveller**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 2 – Limit 24

Travel with us back to your favourite place or somewhere new; bring photos/postcards, stories to share.

Alex Clayton

## **Course 14 – Italian – Level 1**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 3

Basic Italian required.

Rosanna Iezzi

## **Course 32 – French - Beginners**

9.30am – 10.30am | 8 High Street | Room 4

French for Beginners.

Kathy Dunning

## **Course 48 – Mah Jong - Limit 16**

11.00am – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 1

Mah Jong is gaining popularity. It is an ancient Chinese game, played with tiles and requiring concentration. Most people find it is easy to learn and a fun way to mix with other people.

Some studies suggest playing the game can improve overall brain health in senior citizens.

We have a break for lunch and then resume playing.

Jennie Smith

# Friday

## **Course 37 – Garden Inspirations**

11.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2 – Limit 24

Sharing knowledge to common and complex garden themes. Talks from invited guests on special subjects.

Judy Husband | John Husband

## **Course 1 – Appreciating Poetry – Limit 12**

11.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

Class discusses and enjoys poetry.

Patience Stewart | Anne Brelsford

## **Course 35 – French Intermediate**

11.00am – 12.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

French for people with more than basic French.

Kathy Dunning

## **Course 38 – Multimedia - Painting and Sketching B**

12.30pm – 3.00pm | 8 High Street | Art Room – **Limit 14**

We invite participants to bring their own supplies and work in whichever medium they choose. Members may come for just an hour, or longer. All levels of experience are catered for with members experienced in water colours, oils (water based only), acrylics, coloured pastels and pencils, and willing to share that experience and support each other. This class provides a space for members to work autonomously and enjoy the energy and creative atmosphere provided.

Diana Diffey | Bruce Irwin

# Friday

## **Course 52 – The Writers**

12.30pm – 2.00pm | 8 High Street | Room 2

A writing workshop for people who love to write, discuss, and get some feedback on their work.

Patience Stewart

## **Course 19 – Creative Writing Co-op – Limit 12**

12.30pm – 2.30pm | 8 High Street | Room 3

If you have not been part of a writers' group before then the Creative Writers Co-op might be just what you need to take the next steps with your writing.

We share ideas, writing techniques tips and advice to facilitate the development of writers who wish to upgrade their skills.

All within a happy social environment.

Ross Graham

## **Course 65 – Spirit of Philosophy**

12.15pm – 1.45pm | 8 High Street | Room 4

Philosophy of mind course.

David Macleod

## Friday

### **Course 66 – Tennis**

9.30am – 12.00pm | Launceston Regional Tennis Centre,  
57 Racecourse Crescent, Launceston (near Kmart)

Play is dependent upon weather as venue is outdoors. Join us for a social hit at tennis, even if you haven't played for years. Our ages range from 50 to 86.

Have a chat over coffee at 12.00, we look forward to seeing you.  
\$5 to cover court hire and tennis balls each Friday.

Lessons can be arranged at other times if desired.  
Contact Jack

Jack Hummerstone | Sue Westbrook

## *Tutor's Meeting*

*These meetings are held each term on the Thursday following the School Help Day to provide the opportunity for tutors to receive their class lists and discuss any matters of concern in an informal and relaxed manner.*

*The meeting for Term 2, 2023 will be held on:*

**Thursday June 15, 2023**  
**At 11.00am in Room 2**

*Thank you for all your efforts, on behalf of the School.*

# LSS Committee Members

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### New Courses

Wed. 12.30pm – 1.30pm	Room 3	Spanish for Beginners
Fri. 9.30am – 10.30am	Room 2	The Armchair Traveller

**Registration Days:** Online Friday June 9<sup>th</sup> 11am onwards  
School Help Tuesday June 13<sup>th</sup> 9.30am-12pm

**Term 2, 2023** Start: Monday June 19<sup>th</sup>.  
Term Ends: Friday August 25<sup>th</sup>

**Registration Days:** Online Friday September 15<sup>th</sup> 11am onwards  
School Help Tuesday September 19<sup>th</sup> 9.30am-12pm

**Term 3, 2023** Start: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September.  
Term Ends: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December