



## MACEY'S NOOK

Finbar's coffee servery is OPEN for all house users. Run by our Volunteers come along and enjoy a coffee in the garden or on the deck.

All your favourites are on the menu.

Community Composters pickup a coffee when your empty your buckets.

**COST** \$4 - Specialty Milks 50c extra  
**PAYMENT** Cash or card

<b>MON</b> 10.30 - 3pm	<b>WED</b> 10 - 12.30pm
Coffee & Cake Mondays: 11-12noon \$7	<b>THU</b> 9.30 - 12noon
<b>TUE</b> 10.30 - 12.30pm	<b>FRI</b> 10.30 - 12noon

Macey's Nook is a new activity for the house in 2022 and all proceeds go back into the house to assist in providing additional classes, sustainability projects and improvements to the premises.

Buy a coffee and know you are supporting a community service in your local area.



## COMMUNITY GARDEN PROJECT



Kath Jones is our Garden Coordinator and loves being able to share her knowledge and skills with the local community. Finbar wishes to develop outdoor 'spaces' that adhere to our vision and identified community needs.

A collaborative approach utilising Kath's skills, the community and a commitment from Finbar will ultimately define our objectives to attain our sustainability success.

### FOOD IS FREE PROJECT

Grow what you can, where you can and share. Simply setting up a table and shelving at the front of Finbar and stocking it with organic produce with an implied invitation to take, has evolved into community members sharing by bringing their excess harvest from fruit trees and veggie patches around Richmond. Community health is improved by providing organic produce and reducing food waste because you can take what you require.

### SEED SHARE

Protecting seed diversity, enabling and inspiring people to start a garden. Small tubs and seed packets relevant to the season are made available to the community. All fruit and vegetables with some ornamentals for beauty and garden benefits have been grown and saved by Kath without chemicals or genetic modification.

### COMPOST BUCKET EXCHANGE

Community members are encouraged to continue the 'Do it Yourself' system but buckets will be available to:

- Drop off a full bucket of kitchen scraps
- Grab an empty bucket
- Swap & Go
- Return your bucket full
- Collect a new bucket

Buckets are available for collection/drop off 7 days a week at any time of the day.

House Membership would be appreciated to help keep the compost station open.

## FINBAR'S RECYCLING DEPOT

We strive to encourage environmentally friendly practises both at our House and in the community. Our compost exchange program is well utilized by members of the community and we have now set up a 'Recycling Depot' at the front of the house for all those items that could be recycled into new items or reused by others.

Access is available 24/7 for you to drop off your items. All items that require special disposal will be collected by a City of Yarra Representative and taken the Clifton Hill Depot. Other items will be used in house, for kids garden workshops and playgroup craft activities.

#### Items we are accepting:

- ✓ Clean washed pasta jars with lids only (Other jars can go into your **PURPLE BIN**)
- ✓ Used Batteries - NOT car batteries
- ✓ Newspapers
- ✓ Light globes
- ✓ E-waste eg. cords, cables, modems



#### Items we are NOT accepting:

- ✗ Coffee Cups - Take to Seven Eleven
- ✗ Plastic Milk Bottle Tops - no longer required
- ✗ Tin Cans of any description
- ✗ Wine Bottles or anything similar
- ✗ Large computer items eg. screens - take to Clifton Hill Recycling Station
- ✗ Egg Cartons
- ✗ Toasters and other electrical equipment



We also have a 'Book & DVD exchange' on our veranda for you to borrow, read, watch and return. Donations of books/DVD's would be appreciated. We are only after novels/story books. No self help or school books please.

## ABOUT FINBAR NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

Finbar Neighbourhood House is situated at 143 Kent Street, Richmond and is set within the grounds of Yarra Primary School. The property is owned by the Department of Education and we thank them for allowing us to use the house. Finbar is a not-for-profit organisation offering a wide range of activities to residents of Richmond and the surrounding communities. Finbar is a 'Wheelchair' friendly environment offering an electric opening/closing front door and ramps to the gardens and portable classroom.

### HOUSE MEMBERSHIP

While we receive financial support from City of Yarra and Department of Health and Human Services your membership to the house is very important. Membership shows our funding bodies that we are a valuable asset to the community.

### SUPPORT SERVICES

Finbar is able to provide help and support for community members to access government agencies.

- Creating and using 'MY GOV' account
- Completing a 'Working with Children Check' (WWCC)
- Completing a 'Police Check'
- Scanning Documents
- Uploading Documents
- Welfare Support Locations

### VOLUNTEERING AT FINBAR

Want to meet people in your community, learn a new skill - become a Volunteer at Finbar.

- Join the Board of Governance
- Become a volunteer Tutor
- Got a skill to share— we can create a class for you
- Help out in our garden
- Join one of our Working Bees
- Volunteer at one of our events

## HOUSE HIRE

Finbar is an excellent location for both children's parties, family gatherings and meetings. The main house has a fully equipped kitchen with large fridge, oven, cutlery and plates, serving equipment, wine glasses – everything you require to have a party. The main toilet has a nappy change table. (Dishwasher not for use).

Our 'Party Room' is set in the gardens and is located behind the main house with access via main house and side gate. The party room also has a small kitchen area with tea/coffee facilities, large fridge, air con/ heating, tables/chairs. The party room opens up onto a large decking area which is covered by a veranda. Cafe blinds provide protection from wind and rain.

Our playground is fully secured with a large toy shed full of toys to keep the kids amused. The playground has shade sails, a cubby house, slide and sandpit.

Our BBQ's are available to use, but you do need to bring your own gas bottle & cleaning equipment. **Bookings in advance are recommended.**

Once a booking is made you don't have to think about it – we will give you a call one week prior to your booking to arrange a time for you to come and collect the keys and pay your hire fee by card or cash only.

Hirers are required to provide an attendance list showing their guests are double vaccinated.

#### FEES

Saturday and Sundays	
9-1pm or 2-6pm	\$100
All day hire (9-6pm)	\$160

Bookings during school holidays incur a \$20 surcharge.

Photos available through our website under the 'Services' tab at [www.finbar.org.au](http://www.finbar.org.au)

Give us a call if you would like to have a look around.



## FINBAR NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

# PROGRAMS - AND - ACTIVITIES

### TERM 2 (9 WEEKS) 26 APRIL – 24 JUNE 2022

Open Monday - Friday 9-4pm  
House Hire available Saturday/Sunday

143 Kent Street, Richmond. Ph 03 9428 7668  
Email [coordinator@finbar.org.au](mailto:coordinator@finbar.org.au)



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## MONDAYS

### MACEY'S NOOK

Serving time: 10.30-12:30pm  
Coffee & Cake Mondays 11-12noon \$7



On site at Finbar 9-5pm  
**Bookings essential**  
No walk ins  
Phone: 1300 080 856

### Playtime in the Playground

Closed 13 June  
Commencing: 2 May  
Concluding: 20 June  
Time: 10-3pm  
Cost: Annual House Membership

### Greek for Pre Schoolers

8 classes  
No class 13 June  
Commencing: 2 May  
Concluding: 20 June  
**Contact:** Mary on 0425 857 466 for bookings and more info.

### Garden Group

No group 13 June  
Commencing: 2 May  
Concluding: 20 June  
Time: 11.30-1.30pm  
Help harvest produce, learn new skills, swap and share seeds, produce, cuttings & more. RSVP if attending each week

### Yoga Class One

6 classes  
No class 13 June, 25 & 30 May  
Commencing: 2 May  
Concluding: 20 June  
Time: 12.30-1.30pm  
Cost: \$60 per term  
BYO mat or borrow one from us. Please arrive 10mins prior to class. Bookings essential

### Yoga Class Two - Beginners

6 classes  
No class 13 June, 25 & 30 May  
Commencing: 2 May  
Concluding: 20 June  
Time: 1.40-2.40pm  
Cost: \$60 per term  
BYO mat or borrow one from us. Please arrive 10mins prior to class. Bookings essential

### Book Club - monthly meetings

Facilitators: Tess & Lynne  
Time: 1.45-3.45pm  
Dates: 2 May & 6 June  
Cost: Annual House Membership

## TUESDAYS

### MACEY'S NOOK

Serving time: 10.30-12.30pm



On site at Finbar 9-5pm  
**Bookings essential**  
No walk ins  
Phone: 1300 080 856

### Walking Group - all year round

Time: 9-10.30am  
Cost: Annual House Membership  
Group departs from front veranda at 9am sharp! There is a coffee stop along the way. Flat walk—no hills. Dogs on leads are welcome.

### Guide Dogs Support Group

26 April, 31 May, 28 June  
Monthly support groups - Last Tuesday of the month.  
**Contact:** Sarah Watts, Events Manager on 1800 436 364.

### Playgroup with Vesna

Commencing: 26 April  
Concluding: 21 June  
Time: 10.30-12.30pm  
Cost: \$3 per family per visit plus Annual House Membership. Our playgroups are very relaxed - the kids play and parents/carers get to socialise.

### Community Lunches

17 May & 21 June  
Time: 12.30pm  
Cost: \$5 per person  
BYO a treat to have with coffee. Bookings essential— please email Lyn to confirm reservation coordinator@finbar.org.au

### Mah-jong for Beginners

9 classes  
Commencing: 26 April  
Concluding: 21 June  
Time: 1.30-4pm  
Cost: Gold Coin Donation plus Annual House Membership. Participants will need to purchase 'The Mah-jong Players Companion' Book can be purchased from Dymocks Victoria Gardens.  
Bookings required

### Private Men's Support Group

Time: 7-9pm  
Email: sa.melb.intergroup@gmail.com

## WEDNESDAYS

### MACEY'S NOOK

Serving time: 10.00-12.30pm

### Yoga Class

8 Classes  
No Class 25 May  
Commencing: 27 April  
Concluding: 22 June  
Time: 9.15-10.30am  
Cost: \$80 per term  
BYO mat or borrow one from us. Please arrive 10mins prior to class. Bookings essential.

### Playgroup with Vesna

Commencing: 27 April  
Concluding: 22 June  
Time: 10.30-12.30pm  
Cost: \$3 per family per visit plus Annual House Membership. Play groupers are welcome to stay after playgroup and use the Playground.

### Ukulele Lessons - all levels

9 classes  
Commencing: 27 April  
Concluding: 22 June  
Time: 10.45-12noon  
Cost: \$5 per week plus Annual House Membership. No experience needed. No need to read music. Full instrument kit available for purchase for \$163 which includes Ukulele & cover, Music Stand, Pick, Tuner and Shoulder strap. Weekly payment plan available.

Practise Ukuleles available for use until your kit arrives.

### NEW FOR TERM 2 Computer Class:

Digital Skills Level 1  
Wednesdays 1-3.30pm  
Course Length: 8 weeks  
Start: 4th May  
Ends: 22nd June  
Host: Richmond Community Learning Centre RCLC  
Location of course: Finbar  
Contact: Oren — Community Programs Officer on 94289901.

### Scrabble Group

9 classes  
Commencing: 27 April  
Concluding: 22 June  
Time: 1.30-3.30pm  
Cost: House Membership

### Art Class

9 weeks  
Commencing: 27 April  
Concluding: 22 June  
Time: 7-9pm  
Cost: \$90 per term (Full term fees payable on first day of term. NO CASUAL FEES). These classes involve drawing and painting, using various materials and subjects. You do not need to bring anything on the first night, we have supplies to get you going. No refunds for missed classes. **Bookings essential**

## THURSDAYS

### MACEY'S NOOK

Serving time: 9.30-12.30pm



On site at Finbar 9-5pm  
**Bookings essential**  
No walk ins  
Phone: 1300 080 856

### Walking Group - all year round

Time: 9-11am  
Cost: House Membership Group departs from front veranda at 9am sharp! There is a coffee stop along the way. Dogs on leads are welcome.

### Art Class

9 weeks  
Commencing: 28 April  
Concluding: 23 June  
Time: 9.30-11.30am  
Cost: \$90 per term

### Playgroup with Vesna

Commencing: 28 April  
Concluding: 23 June  
Time: 10.30-12.30pm  
Cost: \$3 per family per visit plus Annual House Membership. Play groupers are welcome to stay after playgroup and use the Playground.

### U3A Play reading Group

1st Thursday of the month  
Dates: 5 May & 2 June  
Contact: U3A Richmond on 94163443 for more information and bookings.

### Card Games—500

This group meets all year round even during holiday time.  
Time: 1.30-3pm  
Cost: Annual House Membership

### Yogabean—Yoga for kids

9 Classes  
Commencing: 28 April  
Concluding: 23 June  
Time: 3.30-4.45pm  
Cost: \$180  
Contact: Alex for more info and bookings on 0402 640 867.

### Country Women's Association

Richmond Branch at Finbar  
Meeting dates: 28 April, 26 May, 30 June  
Time: 7.15pm  
Interested ladies are welcome to come along to see what we do and hopefully join us. Meeting takes place in portable classroom behind main house. Entry is covered by sensor lights.

## FRIDAYS

### MACEY'S NOOK

Serving time: 10.30-12noon

### The Crafty Social Group

Commencing: 29 April  
Concluding: 24 June  
Time: 10-12noon  
Cost: Annual House Membership. BYO projects to work on. This is not a teaching class but plenty of advice and help will be offered. Have a cuppa and a chat.

### NEW DAY NEW TIME Ancestry Class

9 weeks  
Commencing: 29 April  
Concluding: 24 June  
Time: 10.30-12noon  
Cost: \$5 per week plus House Membership

If you have been thinking about your forebears and your heritage, come along and let's go on the discovery journey together. If you have limited computer skills, don't worry, come along and we will learn together. BYO laptop or use one of ours.

### Playtime in the Playground

Commencing: 29 April  
Concluding: 24 June  
Time: 10-3pm  
Cost: Annual House Membership

### Seniors—Gentlemen's Discussion Group

Facilitator: Grant Guppy  
Meetings Last Friday of the month  
Dates: 29 April, 27 May, 24 June  
Time: 2-4pm

### Volunteers needed!

### Finbar's Broadband for Seniors Kiosk



Computer help for the over 50's. We are in need of Volunteers for our kiosk. You must be over 55 and you can choose your own times to volunteer but we would appreciate it if it could be a regular day of the week. Sessions are booked for 1hr. Our seniors just need a bit of help sometimes with phones or their laptops. Basic help & a bit of patience is all that's required. If you would like to volunteer at our kiosk please give Lyn a call.



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### PRO COLOUR

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Payment options: Cash or cheque  
Full term fee payments are required on the first day of class.

- Health & Well-being Classes
- Community Lunch
- Children's Activities
- Free Garden Workshops
- Social Groups
- Trace your Family History
- Learn Something New
- IT Help & Assistance

