Christmas @ IRAMOO

CREATE ♥ CONNECT ♥ CELEBRATE

Air Dry Clay Christmas Decorations



Join us to create beautiful Christmas decorations using air-dry clay, festive designs & a range of fun painting techniques.

- Thursday 26 November
- 10.30am – 12.00pm
- $10.00 per person

Christmas Wall Hanging



Create your own unique Christmas wall hanging using reclaimed wood, festive scrapbooking papers & colourful buttons.

- Thursday 3 December
- 10.30am – 12.00pm
- $10.00 per person

Christmas Candle Making



Create your very own Christmas candles, using a selection of beautiful festive scents to fill your home with the magic of Christmas.

- Thursday 10 December
- 10.30am – 12.00pm
- $30.00 per person

Christmas Cooking Workshop



Join Therese & Michael as they teach you how to make delicious shortbread just in time for Christmas.

- Thursday 17 December
- 11.00am – 1.00pm
- $25.00 per person

Christmas Lunch



Join us as we come together to celebrate Christmas at our annual Christmas BBQ!

Enjoy good food, great company and plenty of festive cheer. You'll also have the chance to create your own personalised Christmas decoration, complete with your own special message, to hang proudly on our Community Christmas Tree.

Merry Christmas

Monday 30 November | 12.00pm – 1.00pm | $5.00 per person

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BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL ON 8742 3688

Different Flavours • New Friends
A Brighter Community ♡

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Newsletter

NOVEMBER 2026

A BLOOMING GREAT DAY OUT AT THE TESSELAAR TULIP FESTIVAL



On Thursday 8 October, Iramoo Community Centre members enjoyed a wonderful day out to the Tesselaar Tulip Festival in Silvan as part of the Victorian Seniors Festival.

With a lovely 22-degree day and beautiful spring weather, approximately 30 of our members joined Emily for a memorable outing filled with colour, laughter and plenty of opportunities to connect with friends.

The festival provided the perfect setting to enjoy the stunning displays of tulips in bloom, explore the grounds and soak up the atmosphere of this much-loved spring event. The trip was also a wonderful opportunity for members to get out into the community, enjoy a change of scenery and spend quality time together.

The fun began before we even arrived, with a game of Bus Bingo keeping everyone entertained along the way. There was plenty of excitement as numbers were called, and prizes were awarded to our lucky winners!

A special thank you goes to Chris, who generously assisted throughout the day to help ensure everything ran smoothly and, most importantly, that everyone was accounted for and no one was left behind. Your support was greatly appreciated!

We would also like to extend our sincere thanks to Wyndham City Council for providing the grant funding that enabled us to subsidise the cost of this event. Your support helps make meaningful social outings more accessible to our senior community, creating opportunities for connection, participation and wellbeing.

It was a fantastic day filled with friendship, beautiful flowers and happy memories.

We look forward to organising more opportunities for our members to get out and about, explore new places and enjoy everything our wonderful community has to offer.

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Stay connected

SOCIAL & SUPPORT

MORNING MELODIES FOR SENIORS
3rd Monday of each month, from 10.30am - 11.30am.

$10 per person, includes a light morning tea.

Bookings essential on 8742 3688.

CHRONIC PAIN & DEPRESSION SUPPORT
Fortnightly on Wednesdays, 10.00am - 12.00pm.

Build friendships and supports. New members welcome.

Enquiries: Contact the centre on 8742 3688.

WYNDHAM VALE MEN'S SHED
Monday & Thursday, 9.00am - 12.00pm.

Located at Iramoo Community Centre.

Enquiries: Greg 0438 962 252.

WERRIBEE MODEL AIRCRAFT CLUB
Would you like to have a go at flying planes? Then this group is for you! Fly remote control planes of all sizes.

Enquiries: www.wmaa.org.au or email info@wmaa.org.au

WYNDHAM WEIGHT LOSS SUPPORT
Friday from 10.00am - 12.00pm

Enquiries: 8742 3688

WYNDHAM PROBUS CLUB INC.
2nd Tuesday of each month, from 1.00pm.

Probus provides an exciting opportunity to meet retirees in your local community. If you're retired or semi-retired, you can join a Probus Club.

Enquiries: Kaye 0407 551 694.

ODYSSEY VICTORIA
Wednesdays, 11.30am - 1.30pm (during school terms)

Are you a mum in recovery, showing up every day with courage and strength? For mum's and children aged 0-6years

Enquiries: 8742 3688

ACTIVE OPTIONS

RHAPSODY SCHOOL OF BALLET
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, 4pm - 8.30pm.

For students aged from 4 years. Adult Ballet, Stretch & Jazz Classes!

Enquiries: Cristelle on 0433 872 263 or email rhapsodyschoolofballet@gmail.com

TUESDAY WALKERS
Join our friendly walking group each Tuesday for a morning stroll followed by a cuppa & a chat.

Setting off at 9.30am from the Centre.

Enquiries: 8742 3688.

YOGA MOVES WEST
Wednesdays 7.30pm - 8.30pm.

Come and join us as we move, stretch, work, sweat, breathe and be still.

Enquiries: Catherine 0416 009 024

BINGO MOVES
Wednesdays from 10am, bookings 8742 3688.

A fun, interactive BinGo game that combines the excitement of Bingo with music and simple movement exercises.

COMMUNITY GARDEN PROJECT
Wednesdays from 10.30am, enquiries 8742 3688.

This project invites volunteers to give back to the local community by helping us grow and distribute fresh fruits and vegetables to individuals and families in need.



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Our community. Our stories. Our calendar.

2027 FUNDRAISING CALENDAR

PRE-ORDERS NOW OPEN!



Our 2027 calendar will showcase the people, places and spirit of our community.

All money raised will go towards the programs and activities we run at Iramoo – supporting our amazing community.

$20 PER CALENDAR

SUPPORTS LOCAL PROGRAMS

BUILDS A STRONGER COMMUNITY

CELEBRATES OUR COMMUNITY

A GREAT GIFT IDEA!

PRE-ORDER YOURS TODAY!

Calendars will be available soon at Iramoo Community Centre.
$20 per calendar – all proceeds support the programs and activities we run for our amazing community.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES & EARLY YEARS PROGRAMS YEARS

IRAMOO PLAYGROUP
Monday & Tuesdays, 9.30am - 11.30am.

$60 for the first child and $20 per sibling, per term.

Bookings Essential, phone 8742 3688.

VICSEG BURMESE PLAYGROUP
Wednesdays, 10.00am - 12.00pm, each school term.

Enquiries: Karen at VICSEG on 8754 0512.

SPIRITUAL & CULTURAL

AUSTRALIAN YOUTH COMMUNITY CENTRE
Fridays, 1.00pm - 2.00pm.

Enquiries: Nasser on 0425 544 600.

IGLESIA NI CRISTO
Mondays, 7.00pm - 10.00pm.

Enquiries: Romeo on 0402 338 411.



WRITE THEIR FUTURE – A COMMUNITY SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

Iramoo Community Centre is proud to launch Write Their Future, a community school supply drive running from 1 November to 18 December 2026, to support local students and families who may be experiencing financial hardship.

Every child deserves the opportunity to learn, grow and succeed, but the cost of essential school supplies can place additional pressure on families.

Through this campaign, we hope to ease some of that burden by collecting much-needed stationery and school essentials for students across Wyndham.

We are calling on our wonderful community to get involved by donating items such as backpacks, exercise books, pencil cases, pens, pencils, art supplies, rulers, lunch boxes and other school essentials.

Every donation, big or small, can make a meaningful difference to a child's education and help ensure they have the tools they need to participate fully in the classroom.

All donated items will be distributed to students throughout Wyndham, helping local families prepare for school with greater confidence and less financial stress.



How can you help?
Donations can be dropped off at Iramoo Community Centre, located at 84 Honour Avenue, Wyndham Vale.

For more information
Contact 8742 3688, email admin@iramoocc.org.au, or visit www.iramoocc.org.au.

Together, we can Write Their Futures!





ARTS & CRAFTS

NURTURING MINDS THROUGH CREATIVITY
Tuesdays, 10.00am - 12.00pm. (adult program)

Looking to participate in a facilitated art class that offers support, guidance and materials? Nurturing Minds features a different art and craft activity each week so you can learn new skills, develop existing ones or just have a chat and a laugh with like-minded people.

Cost: $10 per person, bookings essential on 8742 3688.

ARTIZZONS ART CLASSES FOR CHILDREN
Saturday mornings for children from 6 years and up.

Classes focus on developing children's artistic skills and creativity.

Enquiries: Cathy Mackay on 0413 527 102 or email artizzon@gmail.com

IRAMOO QUILTERS
4th Saturday of each month, 12.30pm - 4.00pm.

Enquiries: Iramoo Community Centre on 8742 3688.

SEWJO'S
Mondays, 10.00am - 2.00pm.

Looking for a group of local friendly inclusive ladies who love to sew, crochet and knit?

Enquiries: Iramoo Community Centre on 8742 3688.

COOKING CLASSES

COOK AROUND THE WORLD WITH JEFF
Every second Wednesday from 9.30am

Join Jeff as he takes your tastebuds on a trip around the world cooking different meals from different places each fortnight.

Cost: $10 per person, bookings essential on 8742 3688.





Shakshuka with Chorizo



Ingredients

- 2 tbsp olive oil
- 1 small red onion , peeled, halved and sliced
- 1 garlic clove , minced
- 50g chorizo, diced
- 1 small red capsicum, sliced into 1/4" strips
- 400 g can crushed tomatoes
- 1 tbsp tomato paste
- 1/2 cup chicken or vegetable stock (or water)
- 1 tsp EACH smoked paprika and cumin
- A big pinch of salt & black pepper
- A pinch of cayenne or chilli powder, optional
- 4 eggs eggs
- 2 tbsp fresh parsley or coriander, roughly chopped
- Pita or crusty bread, to serve

Variations

This recipe lends itself to a great many variations. Try substituting the capsicum with other vegetables such as zucchini, eggplants. For a baked beans-ish spin, try adding white beans. Try adding olives, or other antipasto-ey things (artichokes, sun dried tomatoes). For a Mexican spin, use corn and black beans!

Method

1. Preheat oven to 180C (if intending to bake them).
2. Heat oil in a medium size cast iron skillet over medium high heat. Add garlic onion and chorizo, cook for 2 minutes until onion is translucent.
3. Add capsicum, cook for 1 minute.
4. Add canned tomatoes, tomato paste, stock, paprika, cumin, salt and pepper. Mix to combine well.
5. Lower stove to medium low and simmer for 5 minutes until just thickened enough to make indentations (don't want dry sludge, needs to still be saucy).
6. Make indentations in the mixture and carefully crack the eggs in. Leave to cook for 1 minute until edges of whites are set
7. Transfer to oven and bake for 7 to 12 minutes until whites are just set but yolks are still runny (or to your taste). OR cover with lid and steam on stove for 3 minutes (runny yolks), or just simmer them without a lid.
8. Remove from oven/stove and serve immediately, scattered with the coriander or parsley. Serve with crusty bread, or pita bread.

