

Invitation to join the Robertson Village Choir

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm at the CTC@Robertson (during school terms). The choir conductor is Cathie Owen.

Next meeting is Wednesday March 17th, 2010.

\$3.00 donation to CTC per meeting plus annual contribution to sheet music (around \$20)

All Welcome

Contact Jenny Kena - 4885 1568 or jennykena@robertsonctc.org.au

Robertson Community Cinema Sunday Afternoon Series

APRIL 18th—AN AFTERNOON WITH PETER SELLERS

THE PARTY

Tony Williams looks at the genius that is Peter Sellers including excerpts from his sound sketches, excerpts from early film work including the experimental Running Jumping Standing Still film, Pink Panther followed by the main feature THE PARTY one of the funniest films ever made.

MAY 30th—THE ART OF HITCHCOCK

Tony Williams examines virtuoso single shot scenes used by various directors that have been inspired by Alfred Hitchcock. Including Orson Wells, Martin Scorsese, Antonioni and Robert Altman. This talk with film excerpts will be followed by the movie VERTIGO

CAFÉ OPENS AT 1.30 PM

Adults \$10 children \$5 (CTC fund raiser).
Light refreshments available. BYO beer/wine.
BOOKINGS RECOMMENDED

If you have enjoyed the film program from the CTC this year you might be interested in volunteering to help keep this lively series going in 2010. We need help with flyer distribution and the café on screening nights.



Opening hours

Wednesday - Saturday 10 am — 4 pm

Thursday and Friday 4pm — 6pm
(during school terms)

Music Night 1st Thursday of the month
7-9pm

Community Choir meets 1st and 3rd
Wednesday of the month 7-9pm



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News Update

March 2010

Make your own food

A community learning exchange project

The CTC@Robertson will be holding a series of workshops covering different aspects of making food. This project was made possible through assistance from a CDSE grant from Mittagong RSL and Moss Vale Services Club.

The first workshop will include a site visit to see a couple of small gardens in the near vicinity.

The second workshops will cover many different ways of composting materials to provide nutrition for your plants.

Sunday March 21 Planning and starting a vegetable garden.

Sunday March 28 Composting



The presenter of these workshops is Jane Maxwell. The first workshop will focus on starting a garden from scratch, including: choosing a site, using a green manure crop,



Sunday April 11th Raising Poultry

David Sampson, who has been raising poultry for many years will present this workshop. He will cover topics such as suitability of different breeds, housing and feeding. Keep your chooks happy and laying!

Recycle your old mobile phones, CD's and DVD's Just drop them in to the CTC collection box.

NLIS Data Reader available for hire. \$5.00 for hire of unit or \$30.00 per hour for onsite help.

Printing Facilities at CTC For all your printing needs contact us for a quote. We do great desktop publishing work and small print runs are our speciality,

Would you like to Volunteer? We are looking for volunteers. Particularly for customer service during opening hours or garden maintenance.. Other positions also available and a great way to meet people!

Interested in volunteering at CTC@Robertson? Contact us at 4885 2665!

**Sunday May 2
Selection, Care and Pruning of
Fruit Trees**

Jill Keft (Associate Dip. Horticulture) from Robertson Village Nursery has 30 year experience in the horticulture industry, 25 of those in Wingecarribee Shire.

This is a hands on workshop on various pruning techniques for deciduous fruit trees. Jill will also discuss good varieties of tree for the Robertson area as well as pest control and a demonstration of spraying technique.

**Sunday May 16
Introduction to Cheesemaking**



Mark Williams will demonstrate and allow hands on opportunity how to make soft cheeses like ricotta and cottage. Mark and Leslie have been making cheese at Small Cow Farm since 2005. Small Cow Farm Cheese have won silver medals for their fetta and in 2009 received a gold medal for StAminay at the Sydney Royal Fine Food Show.

Cost per work shop:
\$15.00 per person
\$10.00 concession
\$25.00 per household (for 2)
All workshops from 2pm—4pm. Bookings Essential.

More workshops to follow in June and July. These include preserves and bread making. Register your interest to receive updates.

Pizza Oven Building—there are a few places left in this workshop, phone to register your interest.



Computer Training

Need help with your Computer skills? We can assist for \$20 for up to 2 hours help on Friday afternoons. Bookings are essential.

One on one Training Our training rates are the best around. We can provide training to suit your needs. \$50.00 per hour.

NSW Seniors WEEK

21-28 March 2010
www.nswseniorsweek.com.au

Live Life!

Stay in touch with a range of computer classes, seminars and workshops during Seniors Week 2010. Join in the fun at your local CTC and learn new skills ranging from an introduction to computers and the internet, to social networking and Facebook. Bookings essential.

Pictures on Your Computer with Stephen Fearnley on Wed 24th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Social Networking with Cate Hutchinson on Thu 25th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Basic Computers with Sheila McInnes and Monica Engel on Fri 26th March 1.30pm – 3.30pm

Arts & entertainment

The CTC Open Mic and Jam Session is still on the first Thursday of each Month. Our next session on **Thursday April 1** is a special event for youth. We'll open at 6.30pm and will be especially asking all our young performers to come along. If you would like to book a performance spot for your act let us know (contact details on page 4).

So if you play an instrument, sing, have a band or would just like to be part of the audience come along. Entry is just \$3.00.



Robertson Village Water and Energy Saving Showcase

As mentioned in our last News Update the CTC@ Robertson was successful in obtaining a \$40,000 grant from the NSW Climate Change Fund's Public Facilities Program (Community Savers stream). David Cooper has been managing this project for us and we have now replaced all computer monitors with LCD monitors, lighting has been converted to fluorescent globes, and soon we will be installing the climate-friendly solar hot water system. There is more to come. The project is estimated to save 37,000 litres of water a year, 4.9 megawatt hours of electricity and more than five tonnes of carbon pollution a year. We invite you to see the progress so far.

Supported by the NSW Government's Climate Change Fund.