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learning co-operative for
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Term Four Newsletter

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

The Annual General Meeting of U3A Melton Campus Inc. was held on Monday 21st August with 14 members in attendance.

Trish Hull from the Department of Consumer Affairs Victoria (CAV) gave a power point presentation on "*Shopping Your Rights*". Some of the points from the talk:-

- Important to read the terms and conditions;
- Manufactures must provide spare parts & repairs;
- Lay Buys must give;
 - a copy of the agreement;
 - the terms and conditions; and
 - the cancellation policy.

The Law does not protect you when you change your mind. No refund signs are illegal.

Australian Consumer Law protects consumers.

CAV has a smart phone app.

Help-line for CAV 1300 55 8181

www.consumer.vic.gov.au

President John Bermingham reported on the past year's activities – a copy of the report is on the tea room noticeboard. The audited accounts were presented. U3A has a slight surplus this year of \$648.

Membership and classes fees to remain at \$40per year and \$ 2 each class attended.

Joan Thomas took the chair to conduct the election for the 2017 – 2018 Committee.

The Following Officers were elected:

President:	John Bermingham
Vice President:	Ann French
Secretary/Public Officer:	Jane Sultana
Treasurer:	Jenny Keim
Ordinary Members:	Thelma Fear Vivian Evans Valimai Meinzer

Chair Exercises at the Melton Library

As part of the City of Melton Aging Well Programme, Vivian Evans and four members of U3A Gentle Exercise Group gave a demonstration of chair exercises at the Melton Library and Learning Hub on Friday 1st September.

The audience appeared very interested in the program so we may possibly get some new members for the group. Thanks to all the ladies involved who provided U3A with some very positive publicity.



Scrabble

On the subject of publicity, a photographer from the *Star Weekly* visited U3A on the last Wednesday of Term 3 to take a photograph of the Scrabble Group which hopefully will appear in the paper the week of the 9th October – *Senior's Week*.



Christmas is coming, the goose is getting fat!!

Save the date: Friday 1st December will be the day of the
U3A Christmas Lunch
Watch the notice board for details.

Whatever is good to know is difficult to learn.
Greek Proverb