

Seniors' Guide

A guide to services for Seniors in Flinders





With compliments from

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Federal Member for Flinders

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Congratulatory messages can be arranged for special anniversaries, e.g. 50 or 60 years of marriage, 90th or 100th birthdays. Messages from the Queen can be arranged for 60 years of marriage and 100th birthdays.

Please write to me with details at least three weeks before the anniversary. Where a message is to be sent from the Queen at least five weeks prior notice is required.

Where possible, a copy of the birth or marriage certificate should be supplied, otherwise a Statutory Declaration is to be provided.











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Federal Member for **Flinders**

I am pleased to provide you with the Flinders Seniors' Guide.

Our local community depends on the wisdom and experience that seniors positively contribute each and every day. The guidance provided to current and future generations is vital to the continued development of our communities. Stories of hard work and sacrifice remind us that we must equally work hard to build upon the foundations set by older generations to continue to help make Australia a great, prosperous nation.

It is vital that our nation gives back to our Seniors through the provision of health care, respite and rehabilitation facilities, aged support and employment services; together with advice and assistance for self-funded retirees.

I am proud to represent you and your interests in Federal Parliament.

I hope the Flinders Seniors' Guide is of assistance in providing important details on available services in our local community and their contact information.

If you require any additional information or any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Greg Hunt MP

Federal Member for **Flinders**

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EmergencyContacts Police / Ambulance / Fire Brigade

Emergency 000

www.triplezero.gov.au Australia's primary emergency call service number.

SES State Emergency Service 132 500

www.ses.vic.gov.au For emergency help in floods and storms.

Poison Service 13 11 26

www.austin.org.au/poisons
For information on poisons and treatments.

If a situation is not time critical but requires the attention of an emergency services organisation:

Police

Police - Cowes 5952 2037

92 Chapel Street, Cowes

Police - Dromana 5987 2023

321 Point Nepean Road, Dromana

Police - Frankston 9784 5555

15 Fletcher Road, Frankston

Police - Hastings 5970 7800

137 High Street, Hastings

Police - Koo Wee Rup 5997 1404

Icke Road, Koo Wee Rup

Police - Lang Lang 5997 5444

11 Westernport Road, Lang Lang

Police - Loch 5659 4267

1 Victoria Street, Loch

Police - Mornington 5970 4900

8 Main Street, Mornington

Police – Rosebud 5986 0444

95 Boneo Road, Rosebud

Police - Rye 5985 2582

2 Dundas Street, Rye

Police - San Remo 5678 5500

Phillip Island Road, San Remo

Police - Sorrento 5984 2000

8 - 10 Hotam Road, Sorrento

Fire Brigade

Fire Brigade - Balnarring 5983 5379

3015 Frankston-Flinders Road, Balnarring

Fire Brigade - Boneo 5988 6308

432 Boneo Road, Boneo

Fire Brigade - Crib Pt 5983 8288

137 Disney Street

Fire Brigade - Dromana 5987 2648

97 - 99 Point Nepean Road, Dromana

Fire Brigade - Flinders 5989 0444

45 Barker Street, Flinders

Fire Brigade - Hastings 5979 4080

149 High Street, Hastings

Fire Brigade - Koo Wee Rup 5997 1383

Moody Street, Koo Wee Rup

Fire Brigade - Main Ridge 5989 6280

431 Main Creek Road, Main Ridge

Fire Brigade - Moorooduc 5987 8303

775 Derril Road, Moorooduc

Fire Brigade - Mornington

5975 2203

859 Nepean Highway, Mornington

Fire Brigade - Mt Martha 5974 3658

6 La Trobe Drive, Mr Martha

Fire Brigade - Pearcedale 5978 6878

26 Baxter-Tooradin Road, Pearcedale

Fire Brigade - Phillip Island 5952 3913

117 Settlement Road, Cowes

Fire Brigade - Red Hill 5989 2029

23 Mechanics Road, Red Hill

Fire Brigade - Rosebud 5986 1358

99 Boneo Road, Rosebud

Fire Brigade - Rye 5985 3033

23 Collingwood Street, Rye

Fire Brigade - Somers 5983 5404

Cnr Camphill Rd & Florida Ave, Somers

Fire Brigade - Somerville 5977 5359

57-59 Eramosa Road West, Somerville

Fire Brigade - Sorrento 5984 1355

52 Kerford Avenue, Sorrento

Fire Brigade - Tooradin 5998 3547

Evans Street, Tooradin

Health Contacts

Bays Hospital – Mornington 5975 2009

Vale Street, Mornington

Beleura Private Hospital 5976 0888

925 Nepean Highway, Mornington

Frankston Hospital 9784 7777

2 Hastings Road, Frankston

Peninsula Private Hospital 9788 3466

525 McClelland Drive, Frankston

Rosebud Community Rehabilitation Centre 5986 3344

288 Eastbourne Road, Rosebud

Rosebud Hospital 5986 0666

1527 Point Nepean Road, Rosebud

St John of God Frankston Rehabilitation Centre 9788 3333

255-265 Cranbourne Road, Frankston

Commonwealth Respite & Carelink Centre 1800 052 222 (B/H)

1800 059 059 (A/H)

Concessions Information Line 1800 658 521

Consumer Affairs Helpline 1300 558 181

Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000

Legal Aid 1300 792 387

Legal Help 1800 700 600

www.era.asn.au

Men's Referral Service 1300 766 491 NURSE-ON-CALL 1300 606 024

Peninsula Community Legal 9783 3600

Peninsula Family Violence 5971 9454

Public Transport Victoria 1800 800 007

Psychiatric Crisis Assessment Team 1300 792 977

Salvation Army Peninsula Youth & Family Services 9783 5000

Senior Rights Victoria 1300 368 821

Suicide Helpline 1300 651 251

Taxi Services Commission 1800 638 802

Veteran Affairs Network Offices 1300 551 918

Victims of Crime Helpline 1800 819 817

Victorian Bushfire Information Line 1800 226 226

Victorian Ombudsman 1800 806 314

Victorian Seniors Card 1300 797 210

WAYYS Emergency Refuge Accommodation – Family Violence Outreach 9781 4658

Wonthaggi Hospital 5671 3333

Support for Older Australians

Centrelink - Older Australians Languages other than English 132 300 131 202

Mornington Centrelink

332 Main Street, Mornington Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Rosebud Centrelink

3 Jetty Road, Rosebud Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Wonthaggi Centrelink

Shop T3/T4 Wonthaggi Plaza 2 Biggs Drive, Wongthaggi Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Hastings Centrelink

125 High Street, Hastings Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Frankston Centrelink

Cnr Davey and Young Street, Frankston Mon-Fri 8:30am-4:30pm

Australian Government Department of Human Services

Age Pension

The Age Pension helps support older Australians in retirement. If you meet the age and residence requirements, the amount of Age Pension you will receive depends on your income, assets and other factors.

If you receive the Age Pension you will automatically receive a Pensioner Concession Card, entitling you to reduced cost medicines under the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme and various other concessions.

Commonwealth Seniors Health Card

If you have reached Age Pension age but do not qualify for a pension, you may qualify for a Commonwealth Seniors Health Card, entitling you to a range of concessions and discounts, including discounts on Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme prescription medicines.

Working past Age Pension age

If you choose to work whilst receiving the Age Pension, the Work Bonus will allow you to increase the amount you can earn before your pension is reduced. If you receive eligible income from employment the Work Bonus will automatically be applied.

Pension Loans Scheme

The Pension Loans Scheme can help eligible part-rate age pensioners use capital tied up in real estate to provide an income top-up in the form of a loan, up to the maximum rate of the age pension. This can either apply for a short time or an indefinite period.

Further information about support available to older Australians from the Australian Government is available by calling 132 300 or online at www.humanservices.gov.au.

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The Department of

Human Services 132 300

Languages other than English

131 202

The Department of Human Services has a range of self service options online or by phone.

Visit humanservices.gov.au or call 132 300.

myGov 132 307

To access government services online you can create a myGov account. myGov is a secure account that lets you link a range of Australian Government online services with one username and password.

To create a myGov account visit my.gov.au

Medicare 132 011

Provides payments and services that can help you, or someone you provide care for, use health services or buy medicines.

humanservices.gov.au/medicare

Department of Veterans' Affairs 133 254

Provides benefits and pensions to current and former serving members of the Australian Defence Force, their family and Carers.

www.dva.gov.au

Healthdirect Australia 1800 022 222

A 24-hour health helpline providing convenient, non-urgent health advice and information.

www.healthdirect.gov.au

Department of Social Services

1300 653 227

Supports seniors through programs and services, and through grants for organisations providing services.

www.dss.gov.au





Department of Health 1800 020 103

Supports access to medical, pharmaceutical and hospital services.

www.health.gov.au

Translating and Interpreting Service 131 450

An interpreting service provided by the Department of Immigration and Border Protection.

www.tisnational.gov.au

Department of Immigration and Border Protection 131 881

Manages the visa system for migrants and refugees.

www.border.gov.au

My Aged Care 1800 200 422

My Aged Care can help you find information about aged care services and what you need to do to receive them.

www.myagedcare.gov.au

Department of Family & Community Services 1300 650 172

Provides home-based support, respite, community transport, nursing and allied health services.

www.health.vic.gov.au

Housing 13 74 68

Provides information on access to housing and homelessness assistance.

www.housing.vic.gov.au

Australian Red Cross Telecross

1300 885 698

Provides the elderly and housebound with a reassuring daily phone call to ensure that they are safe and well.

www.redcross.org.au

Lifeline 13 11 14

Provides access to crisis support, suicide prevention and mental health support services.

www.lifeline.org.au

Scamwatch 1300 795 995

Scamwatch is run by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC). It provides information to consumers and small businesses about how to recognise, avoid and report scams.

www.scamwatch.gov.au

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Our Local Community



Community Centres & Organisations

Western Port 5979 2762

185 High Street, Hastings

Mornington 5975 1644

320 Main Street, Mornington

Southern Peninsula 5986 1285

878 Point Nepean Road, Rosebud

Southern Peninsula Veterans Centre 5986 3087

127 Eastbourne Road, Rosebud

Rosebud Police Senior Citizens

Register 5986 0400

95 Boneo Road, Rosebud

Hastings Police Senior Citizens

Register 5979 2137

137 High Street, Hastings

Mornington Police Senior Citizens

Register 5973 6533

6-8 Main Street, Mornington

Aged Services

My Aged Care 1800 200 422

Mt Eliza Aged Care Assessment

Service 9788 1276

Mt Eliza Centre, Jacksons Road, Mt Eliza

The Mornington Centre 5976 9000

Cnr Tyalla Grove & Separation Street, Mornington

Mornington Peninsula Shire 5950 1000 Aged Care and Seniors 1300 850 600

Seniors Community Care and

Manor Meals 5977 6966

49 Eramosa Road West, Somerville

Seniors Activities

Gentle Fitness Dromana 5982 2994

Catholic Church, 1 Foote Street, Dromana

Gentle Fitness Rosebud 5982 2994

Anglican Church, Point Nepean Road, Rosebud

Pelican Park Recreation Centre 1300 850 197

2 Marine Parade, Hastings

Happy Hour Singers 5983 5336

47 Kennedy Road, Hastings

University of the Third Age -

Phillip Island 5952 6461

56 -58 Church Street, Grantville

University of the Third Age -

Southern Peninsula 5981 8777

359A Point Nepean Road, Dromana

Southern Peninsula 50+ Club 5988 3445

121 Ninth Avenue, Rosebud

YMCA Somerville 5977 7711

55 Grant Road, Somerville

Senior Citizen Centres

Corinella & District Senior Citizens'

Club 5678 0716

16 Beach Street, Corinella

Dromana Senior Citizens' Club 5987 1109

43 Pier Street. Dromana

Greek Senior Citizens' of Bass Coast 5952 6610

231 Settlement Road, Cowes

Phillip Island Senior Citizens' Club 5952 1521

Watchorn Road, Cowes

Rye and Peninsula Greek Senior

Citizens' Club 5985 6428

Civic Hall, Napier Street, Rye

Senior Citizens' Club - Hellenic

Association Rye & District 5981 8203

3 Carmichael Street, Tootgarook

Senior Citizens' Club - Italian

& Ethnic 0419 881 567

Rye Civic Hall, Napier Street, Rye

Senior Citizens' Club Inc. Mornington 5975 3688

Flinders Drive, Mornington

Senior Citizen's Club Inc. Mt Martha 5973 5004

Mt Martha House, Cnr Dominion Rd & The Esplanade,

Mt Martha

Senior Citizens' Club Inc. Rosebud 5986 1923

121-123 Ninth Avenue, Rosebud

Senior Citizens' Club Inc.

Sorrento/Portsea 5984 1425

Cnr Queen and Melbourne Road, Sorrento

Senior Citizens' Club Inc. Tootgarook 5985 4992

2 Barry Street, Tootgarook

Wonthaggi Senior Citizens' Club 5672 1301

46-50 Murray Street, Wonthaggi

Probus Clubs

Balcombe 5975 4143

Mt Martha House, Cnr Dominion Road and The Esplanade,

Mt Martha

Corinella 0421 012 519

George Bass Hotel, 5 Hade Ave, Bass

Cowes 5956 8173

The Nobbies, 1320 Ventnor Road, Summerlands

Dromana Bay 5986 8973

Dromana Community Hall, Hodgkinson Street, Dromana

Hastings 5983 0123

The Hastings Club, 155 Marine Parade, Hastings

Phillip Island 5956 8220

Phillip Island RSL, 225 Thompson Ave, Cowes

San Remo 5956 8220

Newhaven Hall, 23 Cleeland Street, Newhaven

Wonthaggi & District 5672 2835

Wonthaggi Golf Club, McKenzie Street, Wonthaggi



Bowls Clubs

Balnarring Bowls & Social Club 8 Bruce Street, Balnarring	5983 1	1655
Corinella Bowling Club 24 Balcombe Street, Corinella	5678 (0497
Dromana Bowls Club 1 Stawell Street, Dromana	5987 2	2564
Flinders Bowls Club Bass Street, Flinders	5983 (6715
Hastings Bowling Club 40 Marine Parade, Hastings	5979 1	1723
Koo Wee Rup Bowling Club 245 Rossiter Road, Koo Wee Rup	5997 1	1559
Lang Lang Bowling Club 2 Nellie Street, Lang Lang	5997 !	5361
Loch Bowling Club 24 Smith Street, Loch	5659	4359
Main Ridge Bowling Club 455 Main Creek Road, Main Ridge	5989 (6173
Mt Martha Bowls & Social Club 45 Watson Road, Mt Martha	5974 2	2894
Phillip Island Bowling Club Inc 40-44 Dunsmore Road, Cowes	5952 2	2337
Rosebud Bowls Club Inc Point Nepean Road Foreshore, Rosebud	5986	8892
San Remo Bowls Club Wynne Road, San Remo	5678 (0000
Somerville Bowls Club 259 Jones Road, Somerville	5977 5	5476
Sorrento Bowls Club	5984	2831

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Hotham Road, Sorrento



GREG HUNT MP COMMUNITY SURVEY



Your views are important to me...

The issues	About politics	
Please number the four issues that concern you most.	Please select one of the following options: (optional)	
Building a strong 21st Century economy	I ALWAYS support the following party	
Tackling crime and the scourge of drugs	Liberal Labor Greens	
Securing Australia's borders	Independent/Other	
Supporting seniors and Aged Care	OR I USUALLY support the following party	
Reducing cost of living pressures	Liberal Labor Greens	
Creating jobs for the future	Independent/Other	
Improving health care	OR I don't support any political party	
Giving students a world-class education	Vous dataile	
Building better local roads	Your details Please complete the following details so that I can stay in touch and keep you informed.	
Investing in public transport		
Backing Small Business and enterprise	Title	
A sustainable environment	Name	
Investing in innovation and science	Name	
In Parliament If you could raise one issue in the Federal Parliament, what would it be?	Address	
	Home ph	
	Mobile ph	
	Email	
	How do you prefer to be contacted? Mail SMS Email	
	Your work	
Our Community	Please select the option which best reflects your current situation:	
If you could fix one problem in our local area, what would it be?	Full-time Part-time Self-employed	
	At home parent Unemployed Student	
	Age pensioner Disability pensioner Self-funded retire	
	Your Occupation	
	Thank you for completing this survey.	
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