

# RSL WODEN VALLEY SUB-BRANCH ENEWS



February 2022

## Eddison House mosaic of Eddison sisters at Canberra Grammar School

*From Canberra Grammar School Facebook Page*



Eddison house recently unveiled a brand new mosaic mural, dedicated to the Eddison sisters Dianna, Pam and Marion, in conjunction with the 60th anniversary of the Eddison House.

The Eddison family have a rich history with Canberra Grammar School, and we are very pleased to be able to honour their story with this beautiful new artwork.



**COFFEE CATCH UP ACTIVE AGAIN FROM FRIDAY 25 FEBRUARY !!!**



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**JAN 22**

**Dear Members,**

**Welcome to the second newsletter for 2022 after what has been another hectic and difficult period as we all dealt with the tight COVID restrictions that the ACT Government imposed in early January.**

**The good news is that as most of the recent restrictions have now been eased to what might be the start of a *new normal*. From a Sub-Branch perspective, we have removed most of the measures we applied to meet the Government's requirements and to do our bit to keep us all safe. Thus, with immediate effect, members will be welcome to join us at Holder, much as we used to do. Coffee catch ups will start again on Fri, and the Board will continue the planning for the March OGM, the ANZAC Eve Dinner and the ANZAC Day service at Eddison Park.**

**While there is no formal requirement to log in to the QR Code at the GCCC, we ask all visitors to register their attendance for our statistical purposes. Masks are not required but may be worn to suit individual preferences. That noted, I hope we all continue to apply the good habits we have become used to regarding personal spaces, hand cleaning and the like.**

**Apart from that good news, I note that our volunteers and staff continue to serve our members and clients well as we all strive to meet the demands on our services. Anyone who has any spare time and energy will be welcome to find out what opportunities might be available for them to (re-)join a team. Even short term or limited availability will help.**

**I look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the OGM on 29 Mar as we have plenty of news to share in that forum and the Board wants your views on some of our *good ideas* that we hope will secure the future of our Sub-Branch.**

**Best wishes to you all for what I hope will continue to be a happy, healthy and safe 2022.**

**Jim Gilchrist  
President**

## **Ordinary General Meeting (OGM) and Cancellation of the ANZAC and Peace Ceremony**

**Dear members,**

### **OGM**

**An OGM will be held at 1400 hours on Tuesday 29 March 2022 in the Sub-Branch Office. Light refreshments will be provided following the OGM.**

### **ANZAC and Peace Ceremony**

**The Sub-Branch Board has also decided not to hold the annual ANZAC and Peace Ceremony in 2022. That decision is based on the current and likely COVID-19 health advice and restrictions, and the ACT Education Directorate's position. However, we will be conducting the ANZAC Essay Competition this year.**

**This decision is again unfortunate as the Sub-Branch has been conducting the Ceremony since 1993 and it follows the cancellation of the ceremonies in 2020 and 2021 because of COVID-19.**

**Regards,**

**Greg**



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# **Speech of Wendy Townley (daughter of Diana, the oldest Eddison daughter)**



**GOOD AFTERNOON EVERYONE IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE TO BE HERE THIS AFTERNOON AT THE UNVEILING OF THIS WONDERFUL MOSAIC DEPICTING THE EDDISON SISTERS RIGHT BESIDE THEIR BROTHERS. A GREAT HONOUR TO THE FAMILY,**

**DIANA, PAM AND MARION ALL STRONG DETERMINED WOMEN, WHO CAME FROM A VERY CLOSE KNIT AND HARD WORKING FAMILY**

**I THINK THE DEVASTATING LOSS OF THEIR 3 BROTHERS DEFINED THEIR LIVES IN A WAY. THEY HAD TO SUPPORT THEIR PARENTS AND EACH OTHER IN THAT TERRIBLE GREIF, WHICH THEY DID WITH COURAGE AND RESILIENCE AND DETERMINATION TO KEEP GOING AT ALL COSTS.**

**THEY CONTINUED TO LIVE THEIR LIVES WITH THIS POSITIVE ATTITUDE, WHICH STOOD THEM IN GOOD STEAD OVER THE YEARS.**

**OUR MOTHERS WERE ROLE MODELS FOR ALL THEIR CHILDREN, DI TO ANTHONY AND MYSELF, PAM TO SUE AND GEOFF AND MARION TO PENNY AND FIONNA. I THINK THEY INSTILLED INTO ALL OF US THEIR STRONG COMMITMENT AND LOYALTY TO FAMILY AND COMMUNITY. THEY LOVED US ALL UNCONDITIONALLY, HOWEVER, WERE NEVER BACKWARD IN ADMINISTERING A WHACK TO THE BACKSIDE IF WE GOT OUT OF LINE, WHICH IN OUR YOUNGER YEARS WAS A FAIRLY REGULAR EVENT.**

**THEY ALL ADORED THEIR GRANDCHILDREN WHO HAD THEM WRAPPED AROUND THEIR LITTLE FINGERS AND GOT AWAY WITH FAR MORE THAN ANY OF US DID WHEN WE WERE YOUNG**

**ALL THREE WERE VERY COMMUNITY MINDED AND WERE INVOLVED IN MANY DIFFERENT ORGANISATIONS, PRIMARILY BOTH THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS. THEY WERE ALL DELIGHTED WHEN EDDISON HOUSE WAS FORMED AND CONTINUED TO SUPPORT IT ALL THEIR LIVES. THEY TOLD MANY STORIES OF THEIR BROTHERS OVER THE YEARS WHEN THEY ATTENDED SPECIAL EDDISON HOUSE DINNERS AND INDUCTIONS OF NEW HOUSE CAPTAINS.**

**MY COUSIN SUE HAS CONTINUED WITH THIS CLOSE ASSOCIATION WHICH SHE REALLY ENJOYS**

**ALL THREE GIRLS SHARED A LOVE OF THE LAND, AND ALTHOUGH NONE OF THEM LIVED ON FARMS, THIS LOVE WAS EXPRESSED IN THE WONDERFUL GARDENS THEY ALL NURTURED. THEIR GARDENS WERE ALWAYS FULL OF PLANTS THEY HAD FROM FRIENDS AND FAMILY, WHICH ALWAYS BROUGHT MEMORIES AND STORIES OF ALL THOSE PEOPLE**

**I THINK YOU CAN SEE HOW THESE THREE INCREDIBLE WOMEN LIVED THEIR LIVES AND THEY HAVE PASSED DOWN ALL THOSE VALUES OF STRENGTH, COURAGE HUMOUR LOYALTY LOVE OF LAND AND FAMILY TO ALL OF THOSE FOLLOWING**

**ON BEHALF OF ALL MY FAMILY I WOULD LIKE TO THANK JOHN, BILL AND MAX FOR THEIR INPUT TO THIS PROJECT. TO TINA THANK YOU FOR YOUR HARD WORK ON THIS AWESOME MOSAIC TO THE MEMORY OF OUR MOTHERS**

## Just A Land Girl

Pamela Hamilton Eddison Yonge died on May 23 2019, aged 97. She was the last member of the greatest generation of the Eddison family who once grazed sheep in the heart of Canberra. Beloved mother, adored grandmother, cherished aunt and great aunt, local historian, champion golfer and smart bridge player, Pammie grew up on the family farm, Yamba, in the Woden Valley.

Despite extraordinary family tragedies, including the death in the Second World War of three older brothers she worshipped, Pammie was a glass half full person. She was the keeper of the family history and the family jokes. She spent much of the last fifty years telling Yamba stories to the family, to the students of Canberra Boy's Grammar School where Eddison House commemorates the brothers, Tom, Jack and Keith, and to anyone with a passing sense of humor or an interest in history.

Yamba was a soldier settler block, won in a lottery by Pammie's parents, Captain and Mrs. W.H. Eddison (Mrs. Eddy). Captain Eddison served at Gallipoli and in France in the First World War. Despite disastrous droughts, fires, plunging wool prices and the lost young men, Yamba supported the family from the 1920s through the war years to 1955. The farm's best lucerne paddock is now Eddison Park.

Life on Yamba was hard work, but Pammie's memories were of laughter. Childhood was a parade of animals with big personalities. Paddy lambs rejected by their mothers, were raised inside the house, two got so fat and spoiled that they required a chauffeur to get to the Yarralumla shearing shed; sick piglets took over the kitchen in winter, and there were always horses. Horses to plough the fields, horses to pull the sulky that Mrs. Eddy drove to Manuka for shopping, and ponies for the children to ride over Red Hill to the Grammar Schools. A family favorite pet was a currawong, Margaret, an excellent mimic who drove the sheepdogs crazy by whistling commands whenever she chose, and once remarked to a visiting reverend 'by Christ boy you had better hurry up.'

As she told it, Pammie was 'just a land girl'. To her disappointment, a bad thyroid kept her out of the Navy and as each of her brothers joined up, Pammie and her sisters, Diana and Marion, worked longer and longer hours on the farm. But Pammie chose to remember the dances and the tennis, the picnics and pictures, the neighbors who lent a hand and the handsome Duntroon cadets.

Life after the war was adventurous. Together with Robert Hancock, Pammie's first husband who joined the Department of Foreign Affairs after his war, she lived in New Zealand and New Caledonia; experimented with using her notoriously green thumb to cultivate fine daffodils in Victoria, and returned to globe-trotting with stints in both India and Bangladesh before returning home to the Canberra she loved. Together Bob and Pammie had two children, Sue and Geoff.

After Bob's death, Pammie married Paul Yonge, one of those handsome Duntroon Cadets, (also predeceased), and together they created a happy life in Mawson, where Pammie tended roses and grew vegetables, fed galahs, welcomed family, played a little golf, and watched over the Valley.

Pammie loved golf, and she played the way she lived - drama free and always an optimist. She played with terrific energy and skill, it was always luck when she did well, her fault when things went wrong. The people playing with her mattered most. Throughout her life conversation with family and friends and a good joke mattered more than winning. She had nothing to prove, but woe betide anyone who underestimated her.

She never dwelled on sad times, she believed in getting on with it. She believed you make your own luck in this world, but a good laugh with family certainly helps.

Lest we forget.

Pammie's parents, Walter and Marion, her three brothers Tom, Jack and Keith, two sisters Diana and Marion, her husbands Bob and Paul, and brothers-in-law Frank Prance and Smoky Douglas predeceased her. She is survived by her daughter Sue, son-in-law Othon, her son Geoff and daughter-in law Melissa, and grandchildren Isabella and Sasha, and three generations of loving nieces and nephews.



# AIR AND SPACE POWER CONFERENCE

22-23 March 2022

## Resilience and Innovation in Air and Space

In a dynamic and uncertain geostrategic environment it is imperative that small and middle powers build resilience in their ability to generate timely, effective and relevant air and space power. Credible air and space power that enables Australia to shape, deter and respond requires resilient support systems together with an organisational culture that embraces innovation. The **Air and Space Power Conference 2022** will explore resilient and innovative approaches to achieve national and regional advantage in air and space power.



The **ASPCon22** is focused on resilience and innovation in air and space power and will feature an **Innovation Expo** - a special event that connects cutting-edge research and innovation from Defence, research institutions, academia, start-ups and industry. The event will showcase and provide access to key innovators and stakeholders from across the air & space domain. Topics should be future focussed and have relevance to achieving operational advantage or building resilience in national air and space power capabilities.

### **Abstract submissions are now closed**

Abstract submissions close 01 Dec 2021 at 11:00 pm AEDST

If you have submitted an abstract you can track its progress via the [Abstract Submissions Portal](#), or by using the link you were sent when you finalised your submission.

Accepted Abstract will be requested to provide a conference paper and and relevant slides in Feb 2022.

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#### DATE & TIME

22 – 23 Mar 2022

9:00am – 5:00pm AEDT

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National Convention Centre Canberra  
31 Constitution Avenue  
Canberra ACT 2601

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**UNOFFICIAL**



**The Hon. Scott Morrison MP**  
Prime Minister

**The Hon. Andrew Gee MP**  
Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel

**JOINT MEDIA RELEASE**

Wednesday 16 February 2022

## **80<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE SINKING OF SS VYNER BROOKE AND THE BANGKA ISLAND MASSACRE**

Today we honour the service and sacrifice of the women of the Australian Army Nursing Service who served in Singapore, 80 years on from the sinking of the SS Vyner Brooke and the tragedy of the Bangka Island massacre.

Prime Minister Scott Morrison said the massacre represented one of the darkest chapters of World War II, but the tenacity and compassion of the victims and survivors lived on today.

"The memory and legacy of the victims and the survivors will never be forgotten," the Prime Minister said.

"On this day, we remember the one who survived, the 21 who fell, the 5,000 nurses who served in the Pacific, the Mediterranean, the Middle East and other theatres of the Second World War, as well as the many thousands of Australian nurses who have served in wartime over a century and more.

"We remember their devotion to their patients, to their country and to their duty."

Minister for Veterans' Affairs and Defence Personnel Andrew Gee said the attack on those evacuating Singapore and the brutal killings at Bangka Island stood out as one of the worst war-time atrocities against Australians.

"It is difficult to imagine the horrors faced by those who were attacked while trying to escape the conflict, including those Army nurses killed in the massacre on Bangka Island," Minister Gee said.

"Of the 65 nurses who embarked upon the SS Vyner Brooke, only 24 survived the war, all of whom spent years as prisoners of war, living through deprivation and disease."

In the days before the Fall of Singapore, the women of the Australian Army Nursing Service were evacuated on several ships, including the SS Vyner Brooke.

There were 65 Australian nurses among the 181, mostly women and children, who boarded the ship, unaware of the fate that lay ahead.

Two days out of Singapore, the Vyner Brooke was bombed and sunk by Japanese aircraft, and 12 of the Australian nurses on board were killed.

After spending between eight and 65 hours in the water, about 150 survivors made it ashore to Bangka Island, including one group that met up with survivors from other sunken ships at Radji Beach.

On 16 February 1942, Japanese troops arrived at the beach and separated the male survivors who were then shot and bayoneted.

The 22 Australian nurses and one British female civilian who remained were forced to wade into the ocean, where they were machine-gunned from behind.

Only one nurse, Sister Vivian Bullwinkel, and one British soldier, Private Cecil Kingsley, survived the Bangka Island massacre. Sister Bullwinkel was wounded and pretended to be dead until the Japanese left.

"Despite their wounds, Sister Bullwinkel and Private Kingsley bravely survived in the harsh jungle for 12 days, before finally giving themselves up," Minister Gee said.

"Private Kingsley died days later, but Sister Bullwinkel survived the war and, despite spending three and a half years in captivity, was able to return home to Australia.

"After leaving the Army in 1947, Sister Bullwinkel continued in a number of senior nursing roles and was awarded many honours, including the Florence Nightingale Medal. She was also made a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) and a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (MBE).

"On this 80th anniversary of the Bangka Island massacre, we remember the tragic story of the Vyner Brooke and pay our respects to all those who lost their lives.

"We remember all the courageous women of the Australian Army Nursing Service who served in Singapore, and all those who served in the Second World War."

To learn more about the sinking of the Vyner Brooke, the Bangka Island massacre and Sister Vivian Bullwinkel, visit the Department of Veterans' Affairs Anzac Portal.



## **The Hon Andrew Gee MP**

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel  
Federal Member for Calare

### **MEDIA RELEASE**

13 February 2022

### **PAYING TRIBUTE TO OUR 'NASHOS'**

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February marks National Servicemen's Day, when we honour the hundreds of thousands of young Australian men who served our nation through compulsory military service after the Second World War.

Minister for Veterans' Affairs and Defence Personnel Andrew Gee said it was important to recognise those who stood up when called upon to defend our country.

"Australia's 'Nashos', as they are affectionately nicknamed, made a significant contribution to our nation's defence forces and rightfully wear the title with pride," Minister Gee said.

"I encourage all Australians to take time to reflect on the service and sacrifice of these men and ensure they continue to be appropriately remembered.

"The idea of compulsory military service would seem foreign to many Australians, particularly younger generations, but between 1951 and 1959, and again between 1964 and 1972, it was a reality for many young Aussie men," Minister Gee said.

"Around 227,000 men completed the compulsory six months' recruit training during 1951-1959, but it was in the second period from 1964 when 'Nashos' were deployed in significant numbers.

"More than 804,000 men registered between 1964 and 1972, with more than 63,000 called up to serve.

"Of these, nearly 19,500 served in Borneo and Vietnam and the remainder in support units in Malaysia, Papua New Guinea and Australia.

"More than 15,000 served in the Vietnam War, where some 200 died and over 1,200 were wounded.

"It is a little-known fact that from 1966 Australian infantry battalions in Vietnam were typically comprised of an equal mix of regular soldiers and National Servicemen.

"At the time, most 20-year-old Australian men were required to register and were then selected for National Service through the infamous 'birthday ballot', in which they were randomly selected by their date of birth.

**Open Arms – Veterans & Families Counselling** provides 24/7 free confidential crisis support for current and ex-serving ADF personnel and their families on 1800 011 046 or [openarms.gov.au](http://openarms.gov.au). **Safe Zone Support** provides anonymous counselling on 1800 142 072. **Defence All-Hours Support Line** provides support for ADF personnel on 1800 628 036 or [defence.gov.au/health/healthportal](http://defence.gov.au/health/healthportal). **Defence Member and Family Helpline** provides support for Defence families on 1800 624 608.



"My uncle Geoff was a Nasho, who served his country at Nui Dat in 1967. My family and I are incredibly proud of his service, as all Australians should be very proud of our 'Nashos' who answered the call to serve their nation. They personify our Australian value of service above self."

Learn more about the National Service scheme of the Vietnam War era by visiting the Department of Veterans' Affairs Anzac Portal – <https://anzacportal.dva.gov.au/wars-and-missions/vietnam-war-1962-1975/events/conscription/birthday-ballot>

**ENDS**

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**An unidentified serviceman (sitting, third from left), C Company, 13th National Service Battalion, receiving tuition from Sergeant Eric Campbell Lawther (front).**

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## **The Hon Andrew Gee MP**

Minister for Veterans' Affairs  
Minister for Defence Personnel  
Federal Member for Calare

### **MEDIA RELEASE**

15 February 2022

### **80<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE FALL OF SINGAPORE**

Today we commemorate the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Fall of Singapore, one of the most significant military defeats in British and Commonwealth history.

More than 20,000 Australians served in the Malayan Campaign and the Battle for Singapore during the Second World War, with more than 1,700 killed and another 1,300 wounded.

Some 15,000 Australians were among the 130,000 Allied personnel taken as prisoners of war, with more than 7,000 perishing in captivity by the time the war was over.

Minister for Veterans' Affairs and Defence Personnel Andrew Gee said the Fall of Singapore sent shockwaves through Australia and the Commonwealth.

"After the Japanese forces crossed the Straits of Johore and landed on the north-western part of Singapore on 8 February 1942, it was just eight days before British and Commonwealth troops were forced to surrender," Minister Gee said.

"Though there was some fierce fighting, the Allied defence was disorganised and the Japanese forces took many of Singapore's key facilities, including the island's water reservoirs and all but one airfield.

"With water running out, dwindling stocks of ammunition and fuel, and many civilian casualties, British commander General Arthur Percival unconditionally surrendered.

"But there was confusion among the Australian troops on the island, with some believing the Japanese had retreated, only to soon find it was the Allies who had surrendered and they were now prisoners of war.

"None of us can truly imagine the horrors faced by those taken prisoner, and as we remember the Fall of Singapore today, their suffering should be front of mind.

"The sinking of the SS *Vyner Brooke* and the terrible slaughter of civilians, soldiers and nurses who were evacuating Singapore, also stands out as one of the darkest chapters of the campaign.

"The fall of Singapore left Australia vulnerable, and just four days later, Japanese forces brought the war to the Australian mainland with the bombing of Darwin.

"Today we remember and honour all those who fought in the defence of Singapore, in the face of great adversity.

"We pay tribute to the immense sacrifice of those who lost their lives, and their families, and to those who endured harsh conditions and deprivations as prisoners of war during 1942-1945."

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### **Background:**

Allied forces were ordered to lay down their arms at 8:30pm on 15 February 1942, which came as a shock to many. Gunner Ronald Houlahan from the 2/15<sup>th</sup> Field Regiment described his confusion when he learned of the capitulation:

*'At 1530 hours we get cease fire orders [and] believe that peace negotiations are going on. Just after dark we are moving, we are told, into a smaller perimeter near Tanglin Barracks. A lot of ammo is left behind. Along the road we hear lots of rumours that the Japs have retired and we are going forward. The CO's driver told me the peace terms have been signed between Britain & Japan. But soon we learn the truth. We have to line all the guns & trucks up at the gardens. All called together by our T C [Troop Commander] and were told we were prisoners of war.'*

*[Houlahan diary, 15 February 1942, AWM PR88/052]*

Gunner Houlahan's impressions of that day are typical of the confusion felt by many on the island.

While many Australians and other Commonwealth troops were now prisoners of war, there had been evacuations from Singapore since late January 1942, including civilians, military nurses, and wounded, injured and sick troops.

Some managed to make it back to Australia, while others were not so fortunate.

SS *Vyner Brooke* set sail with evacuees on 12 February 1942, but was attacked a few days later and sunk. Some who survived the sinking managed to reach the shores of the Japanese occupied Bangka Island, which lies off Sumatra, Indonesia. They joined those who had reached the island from other sunken ships. Many surrendered to the Japanese and became prisoners.

Those who came ashore on Radji Beach however met a very different fate. There a large group of civilians and military personnel sought to surrender, but the Japanese separated the men, who were taken behind a headland and killed, before ordering twenty-two nurses from *Vyner Brooke* to wade into the ocean and machine gunning them.

These events became known as the Bangka Island massacre. Sister Lt Vivian Bullwinkel and a British soldier, both wounded, were the only survivors. After several days in hiding they gave themselves up. While the soldier died shortly after surrendering, Sister Bullwinkel was taken into captivity and endured three years as a prisoner of war.

Those who surrendered on Singapore were held captive, firstly at Changi and, as the war continued, in locations across South East and East Asia, including Japan.

More than 8,000 Australians captured by the Japanese on Singapore and in other parts of the Pacific theatre died in captivity over the next three and half years.

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AIF gunners with a two pounder anti-tank gun overlooking the Johor causeway.

# Accessible information on COVID-19 for the ACT community

COVID-19 can be complicated and with information changing it can be hard to keep up.

The ACT Government has easy read resources about COVID-19 which can be useful for many people in our community.

You can find the easy read resources here: [https://  
www.covid19.act.gov.au/services-and-support/easy-read-  
resources](https://www.covid19.act.gov.au/services-and-support/easy-read-resources)

The information can be:

[viewed on the website](#)

downloaded and printed as separate factsheets

downloaded and printed as a booklet.

The information covered in the easy read resources includes:

What is COVID-19?

How to stop the spread of COVID-19

[How and when to get a COVID-19 test](#)

How to prepare in case you get COVID-19

What to do if you were near someone with COVID-19

What to do if you test positive for COVID-19

What to do if you are sick with COVID-19



# CANBERRA THEATRE CENTRE

**25–26 February**

It's been 50 years since thousands of young American women served their country in Vietnam, and their stories have remained largely untold... until now.

Based on the true accounts of five extraordinary women, *In Their Footsteps* explores the experiences of women working in war zones, their struggles to be recognised heroes, their loss of faith and the friendships they forged in the face of trauma.

This deeply moving, time traveling piece brings us a better understanding of the Vietnam experience from a uniquely female perspective. It tells us of jobs that have been long overlooked, particularly of civilian jobs in the war that receive, not only no fanfare, but no recognition of service either. It reminds us of the long-term pain, horrors and specifically health implications of serving your country during the Vietnam War.

## **IN THEIR FOOTSTEPS**

The Courtyard Studio  
25 - 26 February 2022  
Theatre

### **TICKET PRICES:**

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**\$30.00–\$40.00\***

\* a \$5.95 fee applies per transaction

<https://canberratheatrecentre.com.au/show/in-their-footsteps/>

Coffee Catch Up



**COFFEE CATCH UP  
ACTIVE AGAIN FROM FRIDAY  
25 FEBRUARY 2022!!!**

**Our Coffee Catch Up is open  
again from 10-12 every Friday in  
The Corey Room, Level 2A, of the  
Grant Cameron Community Cen-  
tre, 27 Mulley Street, Holder.**

**Please note that the Eddison Day Club is currently meeting on  
only a very casual basis for lunch at midday Fridays.**



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