

Payment in full is required one week prior to class start to secure your place. If you have difficulty paying, please speak to staff. We want everyone to be able to participate.

Fees may be refunded in some cases with the manager's approval, or 1 week's notice prior to class start, less 20 % admin fee. Programs may be cancelled if minimum enrolments are not reached.

Fee & Concession Policy

Span Community House offers some fee concessions. Subsidies apply for people who:

- are ACFE-eligible, i.e., with no post-school qualifications who are doing the course for job-seeking and related purposes or further study; OR
- are HACC clients or HACC eligible; OR
- have a Health care card; OR
- are aged 65 +

How to Enrol

- Fill in our Enrolment form member, before the class, assistance are provided
- Pay cash, cheque or internet transfer:
Account: Span Community House
BSB: 013 375
Acc: 1089 688 57

NB. All programs now have a code number. It is essential these are used, in particular for internet transfers.

If posting a cheque, please enclose a note with your full name, address and contact details and the course code, name for you are enrolling in.

Public Access Computers

Span has two computers for public access, Priority to health care card holders.
\$2 / \$1 con per hr.
Printing: black & white 20c per page;
color : by prior arrangement
Download limits apply.



Community Groups:

Darebin Writers Group

1st THURS monthly Feb - Nov
7:30pm - 9:30pm \$4 per session

Join writers of all ages to experience and explore work and issues around writing in this established community group. RSVP essential 94841722 or lady.of.stories@gmail.com

Songworks

1st WED monthly Feb - Nov
7:30pm - 9:30pm \$4 per session

A small group for songwriters of all skill levels. Develop your original material, gain feedback and network in a supportive environment. RSVP essential; peter@bodinstewart.com

U3A courses

Span supports the Darebin branch of University of the Third Age (U3A), which provides courses for older and retired people at Span. Call U3A: 9610 2102.

Volunteer at Span

A great way to get involved in your community, meet new people and gain experience. Facilitate a group, or get involved in gardening; experience producing newsletters would also be very useful.

Some of our volunteer opportunities include:

- Publicity**
- Gardening Service**
- Facilitation**
- Board of Director**

About Span

Span was launched in 1978 and is one of the oldest neighborhoods houses in Victoria. We are an incorporated association and a member of the Darebin Neighborhood House Network. We welcome suggestions for activities and courses, and request for use of our space as a meeting venue for community and advocacy groups.

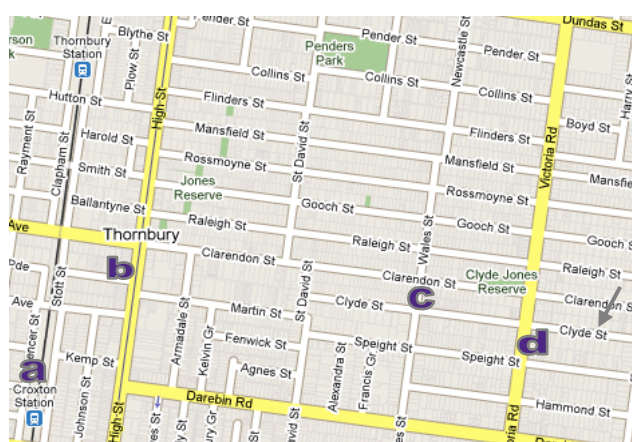
Check our website or call into Span or ring the office for updated information about our courses, activities and new initiatives. We are closed on public holiday.

getting here:

Public Transport to SPAN

We are just off Victoria Rd,
3 blocks north of Darebin Rd.

Tram 86 (stop 38) to High & Clarendon Sts OR
Bus 510 to corner Wales and Clyde Sts OR
Bus 552 or 251 to corner Clyde and Victoria Rd.



<http://maps.google.com.au/maps>



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Room Hire

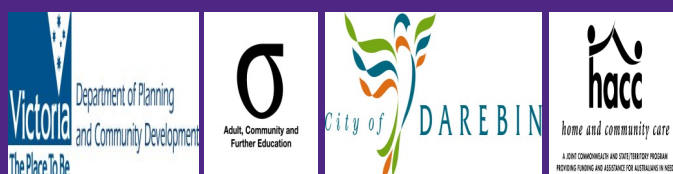
Our newly renovated flexible rooms filled with natural light are available for hire at very reasonable rates – see www.spanhouse.org; or ring or email for our room hire brochure.

Available are:

- computer training room with up to 10 desks
- 2 activity spaces with movable walls which can be made into one large space; these open onto fenced outside space
- 1 large kitchen with curved bench suitable for demonstrations
- 1 small internal room suitable for meetings or counseling

The Clyde St community hall can be hired from Darebin City Council: 8470 8888.

Proudly Supported by



Many thanks to the funding bodies : Darebin City Council, Department of Health, Department of Planning and Community Development and Adult, Community and Further Education.

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computers

Tm 3: 26 July - 17 Sept; Tm 4:11 Oct - 3 Dec
50+Computer Club:

Small friendly classes, day & evening, in our new computer room; basics of keyboard & mouse, Word, internet, email. Suit people looking for work, want to learn new skills, or to keep up with the grandchildren. Morning / afternoon tea provided.

ACFE-eligible \$50; concession \$65; full fee \$95
TUES 12:30pm - 3:00

Tm 3 starts on the 3 Aug code: [10.t3.pc.a](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 12 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.a](#)

WED 10am - 12:30

Tm 3 starts on the 28 July code: [10.t3.pc.b](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 13 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.b](#)

WED PM 1pm - 3:30

Tm 3 starts on the 28 July code: [10.t3.pc.c](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 13 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.c](#)

New! Introduction to Computers for People Under 50

MON 10am - 12.30

Tm 3 starts on the 2 Aug code: [10.t3.pcin1](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 11 Oct code: [10.t4.pcin1](#)

OR TUES 7pm - 9.30

Tm 3 starts on the 27 July code: [10.t3.pcin2](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 12 Oct code: [10.t4.pcin2](#)

The following courses require basic pc skills:

Fees & Term dates apply to all 3 courses—

ACFE-eligible \$50; \$95 concession; \$170 full

Tm 3: 26 July -17 Sept; Tm 4:11 Oct - 3 Dec

Microsoft Office

MON 7:30pm - 9:30pm

Tm 3 starts on the 2 Aug code: [10.t3.pc.f](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 11 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.f](#)

Reach the next level with Microsoft Office 2007 & 2003 Word, Excel and other Office applications. Kick-start your career or refresh your knowledge. Work with spreadsheets in Excel and advanced document skills in Word. Learn the new layout and features of Microsoft Office 2007.

Digital Images & Cameras

WED 7:30pm - 9:30pm

Tm 3 starts on the 28 July code: [10.t3.pc.g](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 13 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.g](#)

Proud owner of a digital camera? Get the best out of your images—learn how to re-touch and improve them. You'll be amazed!

Web Design

THURS 7:30pm - 9:30pm

Tm 3 starts on the 29 July code: [10.t3.pc.h](#)

Tm 4 starts on the 14 Oct code: [10.t4.pc.h](#)

Developing a website from scratch or seeking to improve your existing site? Build professional looking web pages using industry-standard software.

Indigenous Films

RSVP essential Mon prior. Gold coin donation. Tea, coffee provided.

"Ten Canoes" 29 July 7.30 pm

Awarding—winning film directed by Rolf De Heer, a delightful re-telling of an indigenous myth set in the north.

"Samson and Delilah" 12 Nov 7.30 pm

Directed by Warwick Thornton. Tragic powerful story of 2 young people trying to make a life together today.

"Bastardy" 16 Sept 7.30 pm

The story of Melbourne identity and local elder Uncle Jack Charles, actor and one-time inmate.

job skills



Building Bridges to Work or Further Education

For people wanting to improve their job opportunities, or to prepare for training or further education.

Our programs build skills in:

- reading and writing,
- computer use
- job-seeking
- customer service
- office technology
- optional; cooking or gardening groups

Fulltime or part time programs, July to November; small group learning, skilled experienced tutors.

ACFE-eligible \$50; health card concession & full fee varies with program length, tba.

Contact program coordinator for Pathways brochures, or for assessment interview on: 9480 1364.

Job Search Skills

Resume, Interview, Networking.

Tues, 7pm—9pm Aug 10, 17, 24

Held in computer room, people without computer skills are welcome. Gain the benefit of a skilled and experienced tutor, currently working as executive assistant to a CEO.

RSVP week prior, or book for all 3 workshops. Numbers very limited. \$15 per workshop

How to Write a Letter

Tues 7pm to 8.30 July 20

Need to write some formal letters but it's been a while? Want to learn the lay-out and language for business letters? Held in our computer room, but hand-writers also welcome. \$15. RSVP July 16.

health



Yoga

MON 7pm—8.30 starts July 19

Tm 3 full \$90 / con \$70 code: [10.t3.y](#)

Tm 4 full \$90 / con \$70 code: [10.t4.y](#)

Satyananda yoga, for beginners & those already practising; includes postures, breathing, deep relaxation; you will gain core strength & improved breathing. Warm carpeted room. Mats provided.

Gentle Exercise for 50+

TUES 9:30am - 10:30

Tm 3: full \$44/con \$33 code: [10.t3.ex](#)

Tm 4: full \$44/con \$33 code: [10.t4.ex](#)

Casual: full \$6 / con \$4 per class
Pay term in advance & save.

Low-impact class for people who want a bit more of a challenge. Work on strengthening your body while improving fitness and co-ordination. Weights & aerobic style.

creative

These run 19 July-17 Sept, & Oct 4 -Dec 3

Writing for Publication

WED 9:30am - 12:00

Pay for term & save: full \$70 / con \$60

Pay weekly: full \$10 / con \$9

Tm 3: code: [10.t3.wr](#) Tm 4: code: [10.t4.wr](#)

An ongoing group, new participants very welcome. Helps you explore your writing skills in a supportive environment, and share work for publication in annual Span booklet.

Drawing and Watercolour

MON 9:30am - 11:30am

Full \$25 / con \$20

Tm 3 code: [10.t3.dr](#) Tm 4 code: [10.t4.dr](#)

Bring your own materials

Explore your artistic side in a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. Suitable for beginners and those wishing to 'brush up' their skills. Led by volunteer tutor.



Knitting Bee starts June 22

4th Tues monthly 6.30 pm —8 pm

Led by local volunteer & passionate knitter Allison. BYO something for supper. RSVPs essential. Work through projects, starting with a scarf, or bring your own knitting; parents and children welcome. BYO needles & wool. Call Allison about where to buy materials—0418 567 099. \$4 per class.

Art for Teenagers— 2 classes now

contact Tutor to enrol and pay

Mon & Wed 4:30pm - 6:30pm

Tm 3 starts July 12 \$150/ \$30 casual

Tm 4 starts Oct 4 \$150/ \$30 casual

Great opportunity for artistic young people aged 12 - 17 to extend their skills. Learn how to paint and draw using a variety of mediums. Contact Jenny 0408 956 027.

Life Drawing

Contact Tutor to enrol and pay

Thurs 12.30-3.00 pm

Tm 3 starts July 22 Tm 4 starts Oct 14

Experiential approach to improve practice, all skill levels welcome. Bookings, enquiries 94864110.

activities



Community Lunch !

2nd Wed monthly

starts July 14 in our lovely big kitchen

Wanted—people who like cooking & have easy healthy recipes to share. We will pay for ingredients. We would love to hear from you. Gold coin donation; RSVP essential.



Span Gardening Group

Span has set up a gardening group to work on the extended space around Span Community House. Every one is welcome to come and join the healthy and relaxed team.