

**Media Release**  
**9<sup>th</sup> July 2023**



**LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO OVER THE NEXT FEW WEEKS,  
WHY NOT COME TO PEARL BEACH**

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Pearl Beach has spectacular scenic qualities nestling between Brisbane Water National Park and Broken Bay. As an environmental village offers a natural and cultural variety of recreational activities to experience and enjoy from the beach, to exploring pathways and experiencing the natural bush land of the Crommelin Native Arboretum.

Come and explore this unique and special place and appreciate the significance of our village and its environmental features.

As a not-for-profit community organisation the Pearl Beach Progress Association is proud of our heritage and continues to present a variety of artistic, cultural, musical events and activities for the community and visitors to enjoy.

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 2.00pm in the Pearl Beach Memorial Hall we are delighted to present the **Oyster Farmer** a 2004 Australian romantic comedy and drama film about a 24 year old man who runs away to the beautiful Hawkesbury River and finds a job with eighth generation oyster farmers. Written and directed by Anna Reeves, produced by Anthony Buckley and Piers Tempest and stars Alex O'Laughlin and Diana Glenn.

Producer, Anthony Buckley AM will present the film and engage in conversation. Regarded as one of the leaders of the Australian film industry, he began his career with the Sydney newsreel company Cinesound. His first foray into feature films he edited Michael Powell's *Age of Consent*, Ted Kotcheff's *Wake in Fright* and Rudolf Nureyev's *Don Quixote*. His first production as a feature film producer was *Caddie* in 1975, a winner of 14 awards. **Bookings essential \$20** includes a glass of Bubbles and tasty nibbles, **phone 4344 2319**

On a monthly basis, on the second Sunday of the month there is a 'Community BBQ Breakfast' featuring a local produce market, with fruit and vegetables, eggs, pastries, breads, jams and pickles. The Pearl Beach Memorial Hall 8.30am – 1030am.

Coming up in August, Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm – 9.30pm at the Memorial Hall, come and enjoy "**The Bathtub Gin Orchestra**" a two parts 1920's stomp, one part early 1930's swing, and just a dash of Gypsy Jazz. Pour contents into an iron bathtub and stir with a broom handle until heady like a flapper on the good vibes of the party music of the early 20<sup>th</sup> Century. **Bookings: <https://www.trybooking.com/cjgxx>**

If you are looking to have some fun **The Pearl Beach Singers** present "**The 70's and Beyond Singalong Variety Concert**". Building on a splendid tradition of over 50 years the 2023 programme will surprise and delight with a great variety of local talent performed by enthusiastic musicians – young and old, amateur and professional. Proceeds from the concerts maintain the upkeep and renovations for the Pearl Beach Memorial Hall.

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm and Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> August at 2.30pm.

**Bookings: [pearlbeachsingers@gmail.com](mailto:pearlbeachsingers@gmail.com)**

Additional information on Pearl Beach Coming Events & Activities go to - **[www.pearlbeachprogress.org.com](http://www.pearlbeachprogress.org.com)**, or refer to attached listing

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