

## Presidential Ponderings – May Mutterings

Welcome again to my presidential ponderings.

May has arrived. The 1<sup>st</sup> May in Europe is always marked as Labour Day, and who can forget the overt demonstrations of power manifested by the Communist Bloc and their Red Parades.

In Australia it is the month in which we celebrate motherhood. For those of you who are mothers, I hope your families appreciate you and for those who still have mothers with us – treat her well.

This May is also the date of our Federal Election – May 18<sup>th</sup>. Whatever your political leaning or preference, do not forget to vote and reflect that your decision will affect our lives for at least the next three years.

U3A has some new offerings in courses and classes ahead. Please have a look at the website or ask at Reception. I will be doing a talk on the life of Virginia Hall – a WW2 heroine – almost forgotten but a fascinating person.

If you need to declutter then the talk from Jo Kidder is just for you. Please enrol and enjoy.

Regarding our move. Frankston City Council has proved to be a fairweather friend and is of no help at all. Dennis and the Change Team have now visited over 30 properties and frustration is setting in. We are doing our best and I am optimistic something good will come along. Watch this space.

Enjoy the month, stay safe and warm

Andrea McCall

President