

'I REMEMBER WHEN ...' WRITING WORKSHOPS WITH JUNE ALEXANDER

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Down Memory Lane in Yarram



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Come along and preserve **your** story!

If you are aged 60 or over, come along to the free "I Remember When ..." Writing Workshops at Yarram and Gormandale, starting January 24 and 25, and ensure your memories are preserved for future generations.

- * Everybody has a story to tell and this includes YOU.
- * Each workshop has a maximum of 12 participants. The first 12 people to enrol will get the places.
- * Each participant will create 2000 words on 'I Remember When ...'. These memory gems will be compiled into a book and become a treasure and keepsake for family, friends and community.
- * It is proposed the workshops will start on January 24 at Yarram and January 25 at Gormandale. Start time: 10am for 10.30am. A 90-minute session, with a short lunch break, will be followed by another 90-minute

session, concluding at 2pm.

- * Each workshop will comprise three sessions (four to six weeks apart), plus individual tutoring, editing and mentoring during the workshop course.
- * All you need to bring along is yourself to get started! You don't need to have written anything before or know how to use a computer. You will be amazed at what you achieve in this friendly and supportive environment.
- * Your story will be included in a social history book titled "I Remember When" Look forward to receiving a copy at a special event to be organised via **Wellington Shire**.