

From the General Manager

Many thanks for your feedback via our client survey over the past couple of months. It is always great to hear your views on what we are doing well and where we can improve, and there are some great ideas coming though on how we can make Easylink even better.

One of the things we did hear loud and clear in the survey was how appreciative you are of the wonderful volunteers that make our service what it is. At Easylink we are supported by 45 amazing volunteers who donate their time to help others. Over the 20th to the 26th of May we celebrated this contribution through national volunteers week celebrations. Thank you to all of our volunteers for the amazing work you do and the difference you make for our community.

On a less pleasant note, we have received a few calls from concerned Easylink users about a text message they have received that is claiming to be from Easylink and asking for payment of an invoice. Please be cautious of these as they are a scam. At Easylink we do not send communications via text message. If you are ever in doubt about a communication you receive that is claiming to be from us, please call us to check. It is better to be safe than sorry.

And finally, please note that we will be changing the prices of some of our services from the 1st of August. You should have received a letter about this with the new prices. If you did want to know more or would like an updated quote for your transport, please call us on 02 9919 0700 and we can work this through together.

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Some lovely photos from our outings and also celebrating our beautiful volunteers for National Volunteer Week.



Book now to secure your spot
02 9919 0700



AUGUST SOCIAL OUTINGS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION -

- Prices listed include transport to and from your home.
- Once you have made a booking, a fee of **\$10** per person will be charged for each **cancellation**.
- Prices listed are for those subsidised through the Commonwealth Home Support Program (CHSP) or Community Transport Program (CTP)
- For NDIS, private customers and those on a Home Care Packages (HCP), an additional \$20 per outing applies. Transportation costs can be claimed through your NDIS and HCP provider - food, tickets, and miscellaneous fees are payable separately. We can advise you of costs upon booking. Please call us on 02 9919 0700 for more information.



MYSTERY MORNING TEA



NORTH BUS
Tuesday 6th August

Come along for morning tea at a mystery location.
Enjoy a tea or coffee with fellow Easylink customers.
Morning tea will be at your own expense.

\$20 per person
\$30 per couple

Easy access

SOUTH BUS
Tuesday 20th August

CONCORDIA CLUB - LUNCH

A favourite with the locals, the Concordia Club is located in Marrickville. They specialise in delicious German-style food and a great atmosphere, where you will find traditional favourites like Wiener Schnitzel.

Lunch at your own expense.

Friday 2nd August

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

PAGEWOOD HOTEL - LUNCH

Enjoy a relaxed trip to Maroubra, where you will enjoy lunch at the Pagewood Hotel - colloquially known as The Rex. The family-owned Hotel has provided food, drinks and entertainment to East Sydney locals for years.

We have made a group booking.
Lunch will be at your own expense.

Thursday 8th August

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

SATURDAY LUNCH

TERREY HILLS TAVEN

The huge Lounge Bar and Bistro area is perfect for enjoying a meal or a cold drink. The Taven offers pub classics like succulent steaks, fish & chips, chicken schnitzel, fresh seafood, hearty salads, and share plates.

Lunch at your own expense.

Saturday 17th August

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

MYSTERY MOVIES



We are headed to United Cinemas at Warriewood for a great day of socialising and entertainment. Let us transport you from your home to the cinema, where you can sit back and enjoy the movie of the month.

\$35 per person
\$60 per couple

Tuesday 13th August

Easy access



CHERRY BLOSSOM FESTIVAL

Wander through the magnificent Cherry Blossom Festival at Auburn Botanic Gardens. The festival offers an abundance of florals and Japanese culture. BYO lunch or choose from the many food trucks on offer.

TICKET COST NON REFUNDABLE ONCE BOOKED



Thursday 22nd August

\$40 per person
\$70 per couple

Easy access but a lot of walking, excellent mobility needed

ECO HOUSE - KIMBRIKI

Sponsored by Pittwater RSL. The Eco House and Garden workshop at Kimbriki Tip, will focus on promoting sustainable practices in the community.

Enjoy lunch at Pittwater RSL afterwards.



Tuesday 27th August

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Need good mobility

ASHFIELD RSL - LUNCH

Buffet 88 is located inside Ashfield RSL. At Buffet 88, diners can indulge in a wide variety of Asian and Chinese. The establishment boasts a great selection of seafood, meats, soups, vegetables, and desserts.

Lunch at your own expense.

Friday 30th August

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

SEPTEMBER SOCIAL OUTINGS

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- Prices listed include transport to and from your home.
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CAMELLIA GARDENS & LUNCH

We are heading to Caringbah to visit the Camellia Gardens, recognised by the International Camellia Society as a Camillia Gardens of Excellence.

Explore the gardens at your own leisure.
We have a lunch booking at Taren Point Hotel afterwards.
Lunch at your own expense.



This will be a big day out!

Wednesday 4th September

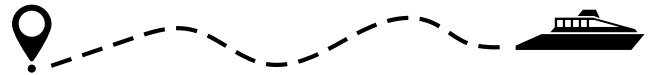
\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

**Uneven grounds
and lots of walking**

FANTASEA CRUISE & LUNCH

A day on the sea, cruise includes a 45min round trip visiting Bennett's, Bonnie Doon, The Basin, Currawong and Mackerel Beach

Two course meal at Club Palm Beach included in ticket price.



Thursday 19th September

\$50 per person
\$90 per couple

Good mobility required



MYSTERY MORNING TEA



NORTH BUS
Tuesday 10th September

Come along for morning tea at a mystery location.
Enjoy a tea or coffee with fellow Easylink customers.
Morning tea will be at your own expense.

\$20 per person
\$30 per couple

Easy access

SOUTH BUS
Tuesday 24th September

MYSTERY MOVIES



We are headed to United Cinemas at Warriewood for a great day of socialising and entertainment. Let us transport you from your home to the cinema, where you can sit back and enjoy the movie of the month.

\$35 per person
\$60 per couple

Tuesday 17th September

Easy access



GOSFORD RSL - LUNCH

The Gardens at Gosford RSL is the perfect destination to relax and enjoy a meal.

After a scenic trip to Gosford, immerse yourself in the dining precinct of 'The Gardens' where they offer many delicious dining styles.

Lunch at your own expense.

Friday 13th September

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

SATURDAY LUNCH

THE SANDS

A popular local destination, just metres from the beautiful Narrabeen Beach.

Enjoy lunch at The Sands, Narrabeen.

Lunch at your own expense.

Saturday 21st September

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

WATERSIDE BISTRO - LUNCH

Located within the impressive yet welcoming Empire Marina Bobbin Head in the pristine Ku-ring-gai Chase National Park

Enjoy an idyllic lunch menu by the water.

Lunch at your own expense.

NO CASH. CARD ONLY

Friday 27th September

\$25 per person
\$40 per couple

Easy access

2024 Easylink Mystery Drives

Easylink's Mystery Drives run every fortnight and start from **\$20** for a half day and **\$25** for a full day outing. Visit surprise destinations and explore Sydney with other people in your neighbourhood.

Please see below for Mystery Drives with spaces available that are picking up from your suburb.

For more information on specific dates, suburbs, or to book, please call 02 9919 0700.

DAY	SUBURBS
Tuesday -	FULL DAY Collaroy, Elanora, Narrabeen, Warriewood (MD1)
Wednesday	FULL DAY Dee Why Gardens (MD6)
Friday -	FULL DAY Avalon, Mona Vale, Palm Beach (MD2)

We take the security of your information very seriously.

Unfortunately, there's no way to eliminate scammers from sending you text messages, or even calling you on your phone, so it's important to be alert to the signs.

We **do not** send communication via SMS, if you receive a message claiming to be from Easylink, it is not genuine, do not engage with it.



Please delete message and if unsure please call the office on 9919 0700.



2024 Easylink Shopping Shuttles

Shopping shuttles run every fortnight and start from **\$20** return. You may bring up to four large zip-up bags onto the bus and we will carry your bags to the front door for you.

Day	Suburbs	Location
Tuesday (Every Second Week)	Cromer, Dee Why, Narrabeena, Beacon Hill, Manly, Fairlight Manly Vale, Balgowlah, Queenscliff, Freshwater, Collaroy, Narrabeena, Allambie, Allambie Heights	Warringah Mall

UNFORTUNATELY THE WARRIEWOOD BUS IS FULL, FEEL FREE TO BOOK OUR INDEPENDENT TRANSPORT FOR YOUR SHOPPING NEEDS.

Book now to secure your spot

02 9919 0700

