

Invitation to "Voices at the Well"

Tuesday, 28 May

6.30 – 9.15pm

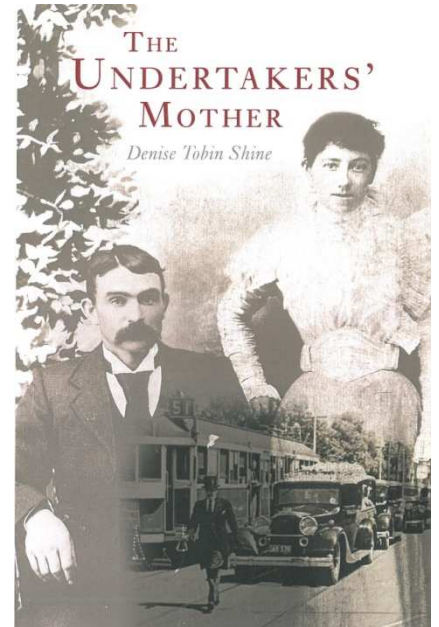
Kildara Centre

Suggested donation: \$20

A chance to join other like minded people for a meal, listening to an inspiring speaker, and enjoying some good conversation.

This time our speaker is a recently published author

Denise Tobin Shine



Denise's book: *The Undertakers' Mother* is the culmination of several years of writing and research about the matriarch of a well-known family and business. She tells the story through the eyes of her late grandmother whose sons founded family-run funeral homes in Melbourne and Ballarat, familiar to us as *Tobin Brothers*



Now in retirement, Denise is a former student of Kildara College and a former primary school teacher and for many years owned and operated caravan parks with her husband. She always enjoyed writing as a child and over the years, while attending creative writing courses, has written several short stories many of which have an historical theme.

With the original concept being a small booklet to accompany a family reunion, *The Undertakers' Mother* is the result of four years of intensive writing and six years research of scraping the roots of family trees, searching for hidden morsels of interest.

Denise lives in Brighton with Frank, her husband of 41 years. With four children and eight grandchildren under nine, for relaxation they love to escape to their holiday house and boat on the Gippsland Lakes at Paynesville.

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

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By Friday, 24 May