

# IEEE R3 Melbourne Section Report for October 17, 2022 R3 EXCOM Mtg

- **Issues requiring action by the Region 3 Committee or ExCom**
  - No new issues
  
- **Success/Opportunities for Engaging the Member, Volunteer, Non-Member, Public**
  - Our Section Newsletter, the IEEE Melbourne Section Space Coast Signal, will be sent out at the beginning of November in preparation for our Section Meeting on Nov. 16, 2022
  
  - Our Section meetings are currently scheduled for odd months, on the third Wednesday of the month. The section's meeting venue is currently flexible due to the permanent closing of our previous venue
  
  - Our Life Members Group held their Life/Senior Member Luncheon on September 24<sup>th</sup>. A great meal was enjoyed by 20 member and guests along with entertainment by a local Magician
  
  - The Melbourne Section has been prioritizing their participation in Area 3 Section presentations as well as other national sections. Our membership is pleased to have such a plentiful and varied selection of topics to attend, learn and participate in. The section's meeting count has increased dramatically with double the events reported in most recent years
  
  - The sections final event for the year will be our Awards Banquet on December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022 and is currently in the planning stages
  
- **Notable section activities (Positive and Negative)**
  - As we receive notice of availability of funds from different IEEE resources, we not only have the latitude in funds to plan more functions but we can also include our area sister sections to hold joint activities

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