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STOP SCAMMERS NOW!

Tips and tactics for dealing with scammers will be discussed with Mr. Gary Jennings, Regional Officer, Consumer Affairs Victoria, in Portarlington on Tuesday June 18, 2.30 - 4pm.

The meeting is organised by the positive ageing advocacy group, Staying-in-Portarlington (SIP) and is open to all people, regardless of age, interested in becoming more savvy in protecting their banking details, security and identity from scammers.

SIP President, Jenny Wills, says whilst scamming can and does effect anyone, older people can be more trusting and therefore more vulnerable to persistent scammers on line, on the telephone of doorknocking in their neighbourhood and SIP therefore considers this an important issue to bring to the whole community.

The meeting provides the opportunity for residents from Portarlington and nearby townships to raise any issues or concerns and to feel more confident in the future identifying avoiding and reporting scammers.

No need to book for the meeting - just come along to the Bayview Room, rear of Parks Hall, Portarlington, browse and buy at SIP's bargain pop-up book stall and enjoy afternoon tea follow the speaker's presentation.

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