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Queen Victoria and Heather Cooper

The Dunolly Street Band



Queen Victoria and John Richards



Enjoying the entertainment



BEALIBA RAILWAY STATION'S 140TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Despite threatening skies, we were favoured with mostly fine weather for this historic community event last Sunday. After many months of preparation by Heather and Robert Cooper and their dedicated team, the comprehensive program, which catered for all tastes, ran like clockwork, providing hours of interest and entertainment for the many visitors. The many refreshment options, both at the Station and at the Hall were very much in demand and the music, provided by the St Arnaud Pipe Band and the Dunolly Street Band was a great favourite. Of course, Queen Victoria's presence complemented the atmosphere of the day and, despite her occasional stern demeanour, lent a sense of frivolity to the occasion!

Article and photographs by Jenny Scott.

Congratulations to Heather and Robert Cooper and family along with John Richards and the Bealiba Historical Society for organising a wonderful afternoon for the 140th anniversary of the Bealiba Railway Station. It was such a special day and a credit to everyone involved.

Rachel Buckley

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ROSIE'S RAMBLE

Not a lot to ramble about this week –stuff has been a bit hard to come by.

Saw an original mini minor on Broadway during the week, the same as my first car. This one had a number plate that said" Mr Bean". Really made me laugh out loud. Surely Serena Williams should be big enough to admit she was wrong at the tennis last week. After all she is a champion. If I hear her blame being a Mom for her woes once again, I may scream. Many women have returned to sport after having a child, but I don't recall any of them blaming their motherhood for failure .

Went to the market with Sister Ramble and our niece on Sunday and enjoyed the stroll along the street. I bought an item that is going to give lots of pleasure and puzzlement for ages. It is a twist of aluminium wire with two crystal-cut coloured balls in it, one above the other. When one twists it, the wire spins giving the impression that the balls are running up and down inside the twist. It is hypnotic to watch and wonderfully fascinating. This is a poor description of such a beautiful piece of art.

I also bought a wind-chime made up of small Tibetan type bells to add to my small wind-chime collection.

Read an article the other week about the flash new police cars, which I think are BMWs.

A policeperson is quoted as saying the new models will run rings around the older ones, especially in their breaking (sic) and handling .Should I think that these cars are easier to wreck than their predecessors ?

Rosie



HOW NOT TO RELAX—
To make sure you don't miss any visitors, install a siren and flashing lights instead of a doorbell .
Kaz Cooke

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LETTERS TO EDITOR

Dear Editor

Coverup

Former Central Goldfields CEO Mark Johnston has pleaded guilty to a number of charges. This has now put Chief Administrator Noel Harvey in an awkward position. Noel Harvey has maintained that there is no missing money.

The previous administrator, Vince Haining, was quoted in the Bendigo Advertiser of 28th November 2017 as saying "the mismanagement of grants was not being contested" and "[we] will ensure that the mismanagement in the past isn't replicated."

The Local Government Inspectorate has laid charges regarding missing money. How could they do that if there wasn't any missing money?

I think Noel Harvey should apologise to the ratepayers and release the figures on the missing money or accept that his position is no longer tenable.

I believe the State Government should also enquire into why one of their departments employed Noel Harvey when he has links to the former CEO.

John Tully, Carisbrook



Cookery Corner

BRAISED PORK CHOPS WITH PRUNES AND APRICOTS

Ingredients



4 trimmed meaty pork chops
salt and freshly ground black pepper
1/4 cup flour
1/4 cup oil
2-3 cloves garlic, crushed (1 teaspoon)
2 large onions, sliced
4 cups chicken or beef stock
2 cups red wine
12 (approx.) pitted prunes
12 (approx.) dried apricots
Season pork with salt and pepper.

Method

1. Place flour on a plate or in a shallow dish and season with salt and more pepper.
2. Coat the pork in the flour, shaking off the excess. Heat oil in a heavy oven-proof pan, add pork and cook a few minutes on each side to brown.
3. Remove pork and drain off oil leaving approximately 2 tablespoons.
4. Add garlic and onions and sauté for 3-4 minutes until golden. Return chops to the pan. Add stock, wine and dried fruit.
5. Place in the oven at 180°C for approximately 45 minutes or simmer until pork is tender.
6. Remove pork to serving dish. Bring the remaining liquid to the boil, reducing if necessary, until thickened and 'sauce like'. Check seasoning and pour sauce evenly over pork chops. Serves 4.

Pearls from
Jo Seagers' kitchen

Last Chance to Vote for Dunolly Project

Anybody in Victoria can vote for Pick My Project projects, A new arrival to Dunolly, Deborah Halpern, has teamed up with Anna and Philip Ashton's Ministry of Fun and Judy Meldrum, to submit an exciting application for 'Pick my Project' for our region, 'Dunolly's Festival of Fun and Creativity'.

The idea is to be able to fund tutors to run a wide variety of visual and performing arts workshops catering for all ages and abilities. Workshops will be delivered through the year as tasters (1/2 day), one-day and two-day masterclasses, by experienced professional artists. These will be organised by renowned sculptor and artist Deborah Halpern and the Dunolly Ministry of Fun. Cost for most would be free, to allow the widest possible uptake. The finale would be a festival celebration, showcasing work created through the workshop program, mini-workshops, a market and video projection of the experiences.

People can vote for this project and two others, within a 50 K radius, even if they are not actually resident here. So friends and contacts elsewhere in Victoria are also able to vote. Voting closes 5 PM this Monday (September 17), it's the last chance to help this happen and bring skills and visitors to our town in 2018.

The website is <https://pickmyproject.vic.gov.au/>

Philip Ashton



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ARTS and ENTERTAINMENT

Dominic Rado.

Dominic has been playing the violin since the age of four. The Rado family moved to Hungary in 1997, where Dominic took music lessons for eight years and after was accepted into the Egressy Beni Conservatorium of Music in Budapest. After 12 years of classical training, in his last two years at the Conservatorium he decided to study jazz. Dominic's enthusiasm for jazz and improvising started there at the age of 16.

After finishing school, Dominic left Hungary at age 19 and returned to Australia, where he travelled the countryside for a short time before he settled on the North Coast of NSW in Byron Bay.

With a strong aim to strip the violin of all its perceived stereotypes and place the instrument in a more popular spotlight, Dominic's improvisation technique allows him to easily adapt to almost any musical environment.

Dominic is also part of a trio called Hunter & Smoke as a personal project. They write and perform original compositions.

Rachel Buckley



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Travels with Cynthia



Union Jack Club London

Here I am still in the Union Jack Club at Waterloo in London, Liz has just flown home and I have two days to fill in before Mike arrives. I decided to take in a stage show and found an interesting sounding play at the Adelphi, not far from the club, just one station away on the Underground. As I walked

through the tunnel at Waterloo on my way home to the club it was already dark. London winter days get dark at 3 o'clock. Other commuters gradually disappeared down different exits until I suddenly found myself alone except for one pair of footsteps behind me. Then a voice called out "Excuse me lady, can you stop a minute please." Looking behind me I saw a shabby-looking old hobo hurrying to catch up. I panicked and took to my heels as fast as I could. Yes, me the intrepid traveller who had hitchhiked alone in my youth across Scandinavia, running like a scared rabbit from a probably harmless old man.

As it turned out he was harmless because when I panted into the Club and told the man at the desk, he said "Oh that's old Jake. He's a regular round here, scrounging money for booze." And how was I to know, but I felt foolish!

The next day proved me even more ridiculous. When travelling in Europe years before, I had kept up by mail with a Welsh girl whom we girls met and travelled with for a week or so.

When Niamh heard I was going to be in the UK again she invited me to visit her in Wales so I decided to do this whilst waiting for Mike.

On the evening after my scare in the tunnel, I had decided to stay in, so I asked for change at desk to ring my friend, but could not get the phone to work, so asked the desk man for help. He couldn't leave the desk so gave me directions. Twice I lost my money and even now I can't believe how feeble I was but I just gave up trying. That is why I never went to Wales.

After dinner I ordered coffee in the lounge and noticed a man of about my age on the couch opposite with a huge pint glass of beer. To make conversation I commented on the size of beer glasses in England and how the beer must get warm before the glass was empty. He looked startled that I had spoken to him, mumbled something and looked in the opposite direction. In no time he picked up his glass and moved away to another spot, obviously to get away as far as possible from this Aussie woman who he probably thought was trying to pick him up. The cheek; I didn't fancy him at all. The next day Mike was to arrive so I took the train to Heathrow, only to find there were multiple terminals, some on different levels and the information desk had a queue a mile long.

After a frantic search and accosting people for directions I finally found the correct section. Being a prankster, Mike had donned a false beard, dark glasses and a funny tweed hat so that I wouldn't recognise him, but it fell flat because just as he was about to go through Customs he remembered that his birthplace on his passport was Belfast and as his passport photo was hardly like his present look, it could be a mistake so removed the disguise. It was nice to meet up again as I had been travelling for about five weeks, but now we were off to hire a car and continue on through Scotland and Ireland, lands of both our ancestors.

Cynthia



MAYORAL COLUMN

Report illegal rubbish dumping

In a previous column I mentioned the conclusion of Council's "fee" free waste trial. A report regarding the trial will now be prepared for Council's consideration.

As also mentioned, residents are still able to dispose of up to four cubic metres of metals and up to one cubic metre of recyclables (glass, cardboard, plastics) for free at Council's waste facilities year-round. Additionally, Council holds hard rubbish days once a year in townships across the Shire around the week after Clean Up Australia Day.

Therefore, it is a shame to hear of the occurrence of illegal rubbish dumping in our Shire, including on roadsides and in our beautiful natural bushland.

According to the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) Victoria, illegal dumping can range from a single bag of household rubbish to large items such as TVs, appliances and electronic waste, furniture, mattresses, industrial wastes, construction and demolition materials, garden waste, packaging, tyres, old cars and soil.

Illegal rubbish dumping not only spoils the natural amenity of our environment, but also carries with it consequences for those caught.

The EPA states that illegal dumping of contaminated fill material, tyres, manufacturing, construction and demolition waste is an indictable offence. This can attract a maximum court penalty of \$610,700 or seven years imprisonment for an individual, and more than \$1.2 million for a corporation.

If you come across rubbish that has been dumped in bushland, please call Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (DELWP) on 131 186.

For rubbish dumped on Council roadsides and reserves, contact our Local Laws Officers on 5494 1200. Please provide as many details as possible to help staff investigate the incident.

When will my bin be collected?

To help ensure your bin is being collected, Council would like to remind residents to place bins out the night before your collection day. Your waste bin will be collected weekly, and your recycling bin will be collected fortnightly. Hours for collection service are between 6am and 5 pm on your nominated day for collection.

Any material left beside your bin in plastic bags (or other containers) will not be collected, and please make sure you do not contaminate bins with the wrong waste materials – such as nappies in the recycling bin. Your bin should also be placed facing the road (with wheels and handles away from the road).

If your bin has not been emptied on its scheduled day, please contact Council's customer service team on 5494 1200 and they will contact the Council's waste contractor.

To find out more, including the bin collection timetable go to www.loddon.vic.gov.au/Live/Your-home/Garbage-and-recycling.

I also encourage you to download the free Loddon Mallee Waste and Resource Recovery Group waste information App.

The App provides you with a personalised bin collection calendar (with optional reminders), information on materials and their correct bin, and hints and tips.

It will also provide waste and recycling services and facilities information (including contact details, opening times and maps), and lets you report a problem directly to Council.

The App is available through the App Store or Google Play. Just search for "Loddon Mallee Waste" and download on your device.

Bins are the property of Loddon Shire Council and must remain at the property if you leave or sell your property.

Voting for Pick My Project closes soon

A reminder that voting for projects submitted for the Pick My Project initiative closes on Monday 17 September at 5pm.

You can help make your favourite project ideas a reality by voting for the top three eligible projects in your local community.

To vote, visit www.pickmyproject.vic.gov.au and register for a Pick My Project account (or log in if you already have an account). Select your local community by entering your suburb or address and then browse the projects in your area. Pick your three favourite project ideas from your shortlist, verify your mobile number, after which you'll be able to submit your votes.

Cr Sheryl McKinnon



PATTERSONS DIGGINGS

One of the earliest local gold finds was Pattersons Diggings. It is in the Harvest Home Forest 6 km north of Dunolly. These diggings were discovered in early 1853. The actual date is not recorded but it was probably in March. Just prior to this George Henry Patterson found gold in Jones Creek. It was not payable so he moved on. He was probably heading for Mt Moliagul as gold had been found there a few months earlier and supplies were available. On the way he came across a quartz reef sticking out of the ground and soon found gold in it. This he called Pattersons Reef, one of the first gold-bearing reefs discovered in the district. Then he dug in the gully below the reef, found gold and named it Pattersons Gully. In the previous three months gold had been found at Moliagul, Sandy Creek (Tarnagulla), Dunolly (Goldsborough) and Burnt Creek (Bromley). All these finds were in either Burnt Creek or Sandy Creek. Pattersons Diggings were the first local discovery not associated with a major creek.

Pattersons Diggings was not a rich goldfield but a small settlement grew up there that lasted into the 1860s.

George Henry Paterson or Patterson was born in Tasmania about 1807. After his gold discovery he and his family mined and lived at Pattersons Reef. In 1860 the family moved to the Dunolly Moliagul Rd where they ran a store. The store was on the Dunolly side of Lummis Lane. George Henry Patterson died there in May 1866 aged 59 and was buried with his wife Jane in the Dunolly Historic Cemetery.

John Tully

GOLDFIELDS SUSTAINABILITY GROUP

Goldfields Sustainability Group to visit an Owner-Builder Sustainable house.

On Saturday the 15th of September, between 2pm -4pm, Goldfields Sustainability Group will have the opportunity to visit an owner-builder house project located beyond the town reticulated water and sewage services. The home is off-grid as well. This house project has been ongoing for 6 1/2 years and is now at lock up stage.

This is a wonderful chance for people who have always wondered how it would be to build their own sustainable home outside of the reach of town services. You can visit, view, discuss and learn about how this can be achieved.

Those wishing to attend can meet at the Central Goldfields Shire Office carpark, Nolan St, Maryborough, to leave by 1.45 pm. The house project is approximately 10 minutes away and carpooling will be available.

For any other details, contact Barry Parsons on 54605388 or Margaret Parsons on 0419508787

Barry Parsons



Church News

Dunolly Christian Churches

Invites you to worship God
and welcomes you to their services:

Anglican Church Services:

St John's Dunolly

10am Thursday 13th September

Morning Prayer Trina Kay

Emu

11.30am, 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month

Bealiba St. David's

8am, 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month

Catholic Church Services:

Dunolly, St. Mary's

8.30am Mass, 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month

8.30am Assembly, 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month

Bealiba, St. Patrick's

8.30am Mass, 5th Sunday of the month

Uniting Church Services:

Dunolly

9.30am Sunday service

St John's Church News

Thursday 13th September

10am Morning Prayer Trina Kay

Bystander Intervention Workshop

Dr Ree Bodde facilitates the Workshop offering strategies to prevent sexual violence, sexual assault and sexual harassment. Time-10am to 3pm Saturday 13th October in The Foyer at Christ the King, Maryborough.

For more information and registration phone Esther Waters 0407952572

Trina Kay

SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE WEEK

*So speak and so act as those who
are to be judged by the law of liberty.*

James 2: 13

Uniting Church News

Pastor Joan Hall will lead us in our service on Sunday 16th September. Come in to our welcoming Church. We would love to see you.



Our Op-Shop will be open Tuesday 9.00 am to 2.00 pm, Thursday and Friday 10 am to 4 pm.

Have you ever been into our Op-Shop? If not, you will be surprised by how big it is. We have everything you can hope for e.g. clothes in all sizes, much bric-a-brac and a cuppa, if you would so like to partake.

Hope to see you there one day.

Jean Richardson



Catholic Church St. Mary's Muse

Our thoughts are with Margaret Robbins at this sad time for her.

Donations can still be made to the fund for retired and unwell priests of the parish.

The Joy Spreading event for young adults is at the Lake View Hotel in Ballarat on Friday 14th September from 6.30pm to 9pm. The speaker is Stacey Atkins.

Assembly will be at St. Mary's Church, Dunolly at 8.30pm on Sunday 15th September.

R Mecedry

*Today seek ways to encourage the elderly,
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Helen Steiner Rice



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We have textile group gathering at the Hub on Mondays now; the hum of spinning wheels can be heard; there are ladies at all levels of spinning attending, so if you just want to come and check it out pop over to the Hub after 1pm and meet the ladies. You are welcome to come and sew, knit, crochet or weave, in the company of like souls. All Welcome

Mosaics on Monday – all levels welcome, 10am - 12pm.

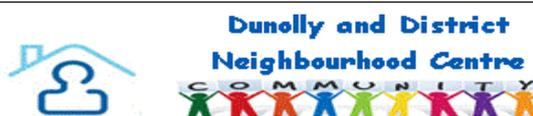
Tai Chi is on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10am, and Fridays at 6pm.

Town Wide Garage Sale is on Saturday 13th October, where there are garage sales all around town. To get your kit and be included on the map, please go to the neighbourhood house and pay your \$10 fee. There are balloons to pop on your bin and signs to put up in the kit and some tips for the day. The Rummage Sale at the Arts Hub is for donated goods; you donate your bits and pieces to us and we will sell them to fund workshops and equipment. At last year's we made enough to put up some ceiling fans. Please donate clean, working items; no electrical items, beds, mattresses or clothes. You can drop items off on the Thursday 11th and Friday 12th October or give me a ring on 0418875453 and I will come pick items up with my ute. The Boot Sale is a spot outside in the grounds, fee \$10 per site; be there by 7 am to set up and sell whatever you want. There will be a CFA BBQ Trailer on site to feed the hungry and sell refreshments. We have the Little Green Wagon coming. The Little Green Wagon is an innovative solution delivering exciting and relevant educational activities to rural and regional schools and communities across the Grampians Central West region. It includes resources that support the delivery of sustainability education across all areas of Victoria. It is a Grampians Central West Waste and Resource Recovery Group initiative.

Maps will be at the Hub and strategic spots around town and as always, they will be free.

The Annual Art Show is coming up on 3rd and 4th November. This year there are several exciting changes and some pretty special entries planned. So get on with your art and start creating.

Lynda Vater



TOWN WIDE GARAGE SALE

Don't forget to pick up your kit if you are registered to hold a garage sale!

D'SHARPS



Acapella is singing without accompaniment And that is just what the D'Sharps do!

They meet for practice every Monday at 3.45

pm in the Neighbourhood Centre.

They sing all types of songs from Ballads to country to jazz with even a bit of rock thrown in. So if you love to sing you would be very welcome to join the group. Singing is very therapeutic and makes you feel happy. Shelley is their musical director and she knows her stuff! The D'Sharps take bookings and will sing for your group, meeting, event? For free!

Ring the centre if you need more information.

ART SHOW



Our annual Art Show is coming up fast!

It will be held on the weekend of the 3rd and 4th of November at the Arts Hub so get your entries ready. There will be more details on categories etc. later or check out the Arts Hub and Neighbourhood Centre's Face

Book pages or read all about it in this paper!

If you would like more information on any of the above or you have an idea or a program you would like to run we are always ready to listen! please ring 54681511

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Council understands that this printing error may cause inconvenience to some ratepayers, and we apologise.

More information about how your rates and valuations are calculated, what your rates are used for and the various payment options available is provided with your rate notice and are also available at www.centralgoldfields.com.au

SEPTEMBER COUNCIL MEETING

An Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Tuesday 25th September at 6pm in the Community Hub, 48 Burns Street, Maryborough.

The public is welcome to attend and the agenda will be available to access on Friday 21st September at www.centralgoldfields.com.au

COUNCIL MEETING WRAP UP

Interested to know the outcomes of the August Council Meeting?

Chief Administrator Noel Harvey has recorded a video summary of the August Council Meeting which is available to view on the Central Goldfields Shire Council Facebook page.

COMMUNITY SAFETY FORUM

Thank you to all community members who attended the ON THE UPSIDE Community Safety Forum on Wednesday night. If you missed it, video coverage of the Forum is available to watch on the Central Goldfields Shire Council's Facebook page.

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Double Celebration



Five generations of Margaret Tappe's family

Recently Margaret Tappe turned 86 on the same day she met her great-great granddaughter Evie-Mae Margaret. This was the first day the five generations (all girls) had been together.

Margaret has had a very full life. Her mother passed away when she was only fifteen years old and she stayed on the family farm to help her father and raise her

younger brother. Her first job was as a journalist for the Maryborough Advertiser when there was an office in Dunolly. She married and by the age of twenty-nine she had given birth to five daughters and one son.

Raising her family and taking up most of the farm duties, Margaret had little time to enjoy her interest in travel but still had time to enjoy her garden and thirst for reading.

Today she still lives on the farm, still reads every day and loves her garden.

Her family has increased to eleven grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren and one great-great grand child.

Visits from family and regular phone calls, she is never far away with her support, advice and love say her family. "We are all looking forward to her next birthday".

Helen McLean



DUNOLLY CWA UPDATE

Our monthly meeting was on Wednesday 5th September. We started the day at the Ministry of Fun, trying our hand at painting tiles for the Sense of Place mural. Several of us showed varying degrees of artistic ability, but on the whole they looked pretty good. We'll be looking for them on the finished art work.

We then went to the SES for our lunch and the meeting. We had a plant swap, and once again everyone collected new bits and pieces for their garden or pots. The main business of the day was the allocation of funds to our fulfil objectives — association and local.

Joyce gave a comprehensive report on our country of Study — Peru.

Jan gave us a report on the August conference, and also gave us the important dates etc, for the rest of the year.

The AGM will be on Wednesday, 7th November at 1pm.

The 2019 February conference will be in Harcourt on a date to be arranged.

The competitions will be four pieces of uncooked slice and a potted succulent up to 25cms. wide and high.

Harcourt will be holding a concert on Wednesday 4th October at 1.30 pm.

Newbridge is holding an OpShop fashion parade on Tuesday 30th October at 11.00 am. Entry \$10

Maryborough Branch will be hosting a Kay's fashion parade on Thursday 25th October at 1.30pm. Entry \$6.

Subscriptions of \$79 are due at the October meeting. Please put them in an envelope with your name on it and give it to Leanne.

We are going on an outing to Maldon on the October meeting day. Meet at the SES at 10.00am on Wednesday 3rd October for car pooling.

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Last week Jason Stewart was contacted by FBI Texas via Facebook, that he had won US \$800,000 and an iPhone in Samsung Lottery. To claim his prize, he had to travel to US to claim the money or get the package to be sent to him by post. We asked to see some proof and the "FBI agent" by the name of Bella Smith showed us the winning ticket and a photo of the iPhone.

Everything looked legitimate until we asked how much was the postage and she said \$1900, or we could pay by two instalments, \$950 now and the balance when we received the goods. It's not going to cost \$1900 to ship an iPhone and a cheque; plus we never enter any lottery competition, so we contacted Samsung head office and was told it was a scam. We went back to the "FBI agent" and told her that this was a scam and she asked us not to insult her by calling her a scammer as she was only doing her job. We told her not to contact us again and she said we would be disqualified from the prize money. We blocked her messages after that.

This week, Jason was again contacted by the same "FBI agent" Bella Smith about the same thing! We just marked her as spam.

The FBI trick is an old scam; looks like its doing the rounds again, so please be careful.

Susie Oh

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Around school this week

There has been a lot of discussion generated from the segment on 60 minutes last Sunday regarding screen addiction in children. We understand many parents feel 'powerless' when it comes to technology usage in homes. A wonderful website with many tips and information is the <https://www.esafety.gov.au/education-resources/iparent>.

SCREEN TIME:

Fact: On average, outside of school, 10 to 14 year olds spend 23 hours online per week. That's a whole day out of their lives.

1. Try to encourage positive screen time, like content that you can view and enjoy together.

Discourage anything that is overly aggressive or disrespectful.

2. Negotiate key rules together, such as when screens can be on and when they need to be turned off. Young teens are likely to respond better to rules that they've contributed to and see as being fair and consistent.

3. Agree ahead of time on the rules and strategies to get your child to switch off from the screen. With gaming, think about a timer that signals that game time is nearly over and be clear about the consequences for not switching off.

Be consistent with rules and consequences. If you back down on these, your child won't be developing self regulation nor will they see there are consequences for all of our actions in life. If technology time is your child's 'currency' – the activity they respond to – use it to your advantage eg. Rule is when reading/homework is completed, jobs done – then they get half an hour of screen time. Will there be pushback from your child? **ABSOLUTELY !!** Don't give in to tantrums. While uncomfortable at the time, they do pass.



STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep/1 – Kimberlie Holliday

Year 1/2 – Lexi Holliday

Year 3 – Hannah Freemantle

Year 4/5 – Cooper Polinelli, Bryce Thomson & Hunter Scholes

Year 5/6 – Billy Heywood & Dean Ricardo

Principal's – Chloe Goodwin, Lily Malcolm & Ella Patten



Thank you to all of the students who purchased "Smile Biscuits" at the Father's Day Stall! We raised \$30.00 that has been passed on to Cancer Council Victoria. Special thank you to Ashlee Jago for coming up with the idea and to Will Smith, Dustin O'Dell, and Bryce Thomson for your assistance decorating the biscuits.



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Bealiba CWA	Bealiba Hall	3rd Thursday each month 1pm
Bealiba Playgroup	Primary School—school terms	Every Friday from 10am to 11am
Bealiba Progress Association	Bealiba Hall	2nd Monday each month 7.30pm
Bealiba Indoor Carpet Bowls	Bealiba Hall	Every Thursday night 7.30pm
Community Bus to Maryborough	RTC on side street	Friday 10am - be there 15 minutes before departure. For return trip call 5468 1205
Dunolly and District Probus Club	Senior Citizens Hall	3rd Thursday each month 10am
Dunolly Community Garden	Pre-school Maude Street	Mondays 5pm-7pm daylight saving. Mondays 2pm-4pm Autumn/Winter
Dunolly Community Market	Broadway (Main Street)	2nd Sunday each month 8am to 1pm
Dunolly CWA	SES rooms	1st Wednesday each month 1.30pm
Dunolly District Hospital Auxiliary	PAG Room	1st Monday each month at 10am
Dunolly Field and Game	SES shed	1st Wednesday each month 7.30pm
Dunolly Fire Brigade	Fire Station	3rd Monday each month 7.30pm
Dunolly Historic Precinct Committee	Town Hall	4th Monday each month 1pm
Dunolly Karate Club	Dunolly RSL Hall Pee Wee/Junior/Senior (7+ years)	Mondays 5.30-6.30pm and 6.30-7.30pm
Dunolly Masonic Lodge	Masonic Lodge Havelock Street	3rd Monday each month at 7.30pm
Dunolly Museum	75 Broadway	3rd Monday each month 2pm. For website Google: Dunolly Museum Site
Dunolly Neighbourhood Watch	CFA rooms	3rd Wednesday each month 10am
Dunolly Ninjas Program	Dunolly RSL Hall (4 to 6 years old)	Mondays from 5pm
Dunolly Planned Activities Group	Call 5468 2907	Tuesday and Thursdays 10.30am to 2.30pm
Dunolly RSL	RSL Hall Dunolly	2nd Tuesday each month - 7pm
Dunolly Senior Citizens Meeting	Senior Citizens Hall	1 st Monday each month 10am
DSC Card Playing	Senior Citizens Hall	Each Tuesday at 1.30pm
DSC Carpet Bowls	Senior Citizens Hall	Each Monday 1.30pm
DSC Luncheon	Senior Citizens Hall	3rd Wednesday each month 12.30pm
Dunolly Social Cyclists	Call Neville for info: 5468 7295	Meet fortnightly
Dunolly Supported Playgroup	Dunolly Preschool	Wednesday 9.30am to 11.30am
Dunolly Unit Vic SES	SES rooms	3rd Tuesday each month 6.30pm.
Golden Triangle Archers	Behind Deledio Reserve	4th Sunday each month 10am
Maryborough Lions Club	Alma and Nolan Streets	1st Sunday each month 8am - 1pm
Tourist Market	Maryborough	
Mother Goose Program	Dunolly Primary School	Every Friday during school term 9.30-10.30am
Newbridge CWA	Newbridge Hall	3rd Tuesday each month 1.30pm
Old Time Dancing	Anglican Hall, Barkly St Dunolly	7.30pm Mondays
PMAV	Maryborough Highland Club	3rd Tuesday each month, 7.30pm
Red Hat Society	Ripples On The Res	2nd Thursday of the month, 11.30am
Tai Chi	Dunolly Arts Hub	Tuesdays at 10am, Thursdays at 10am and Fridays at 6pm
Talbot Farmers Market	Talbot streets	3rd Sunday each month 9am to 1pm
Tarnagulla Action Group	Community Centre	3rd Monday each month 7.30pm
Tarnagulla Playgroup	Behind the Tarnagulla Hall	Thursday 10.30am-12 noon
Tarnagulla Senior Citizens	Victoria Hall	1st and 3rd Monday each month 11am-12.30pm
The Welcome Record Committee	TWR office	2nd Monday bi-monthly, 1pm

Upcoming Events

September

Every Wednesday	Sense of Place Workshops The Ministry of Fun -10am to 12.30pm ~~~~~
Saturday 15th	Goldfields Sustainability Group meeting details on page 6
Monday 17th	Historical tour of McIntyres and Orville
Monday 17th	Future Wool Growing Event- Maryborough Highland Society 6pm. Dinner provided Bookings required details on page 18 for Monday 17th events
Saturday 22nd and Sunday 23rd	Goldfields Rally - Old Dunolly Racecourse
Sunday 23rd	Bart Stenhouse Group - Dunolly Golf Club
Sunday 30th	Dunolly and District Field and Game Club Archery -75 targets - 11am start

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President's Report 2018 - AGM 2018

This year has seen some minor changes behind the scenes making for a more streamlined production of The Welcome Record. The editors have honed their skills in computer literacy, along with some administrative changes and things are progressing smoothly.

Staff changes have occurred with the departure of Bronnie McCulloch in the typist position. Monika Thumerer took over that role along with her Office Manager duties. Monika has been extremely efficient as Office Manager ensuring that all our printing supplies are up-to-date, purchasing office equipment and stationery as required and generally keeping everything in line. Thank you Monika, your efforts are much appreciated.

Faye Arnold has resigned as Co-editor and Committee Secretary to pursue other interests. We thank Faye for all her work with the paper and wish her well in her endeavours. Faye will still be part of the committee and help out in an emergency if required.

For a long time we were in need of a person who was computer literate and prepared to take on the role of editor. Marilyn Goldie has filled that position very well. She has good computer skills and is familiar with our Publisher programme, and has worked with a community newspaper before. She has even taught me some shortcuts and new tricks to make our production easier.

Marilyn is very dedicated to the role of Sub-editor and has also taken the position of Committee Secretary. Jan Brock has advised she will be stepping down as Treasurer after many years in that role. Jan has been teaching Monika the ropes and will depart after our AGM. We thank her for dedication and are very sorry to see her go and wish her all the best.

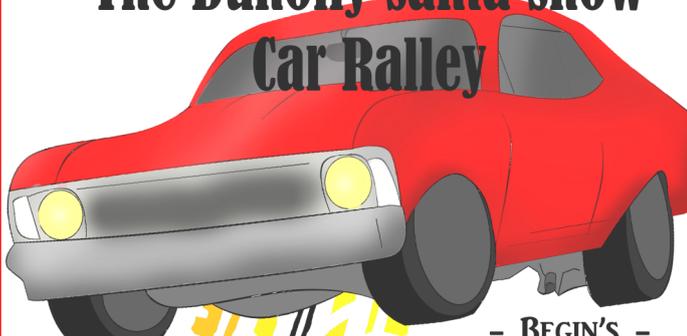
Again we have implemented the Grants Scheme and have disbursed monies to many organisations within the community. We intend to continue this practice each year to assist our community.

Just recently we celebrated 40 years of production of The Welcome Record and issued a special edition on yellow paper as for many years the paper was known as the Yellow Book. It was a mammoth task to sift through hundreds of editions to select items of interest and reports of important issues through the years. Our staff devoted extra time to this task and I wish to thank everyone for their dedication and commitment.

In closing I would like to say that I am proud, yet humbled, to be part of this paper. It is a connection to the community I have adopted and I take pride in preparing it. Yet I am humbled that the wonderful and dedicated staff gives so willingly of their time and effort. We are a little community of our own.

Susan Anderson
President, The Welcome Record.

The Dunolly Santa Show Car Rally

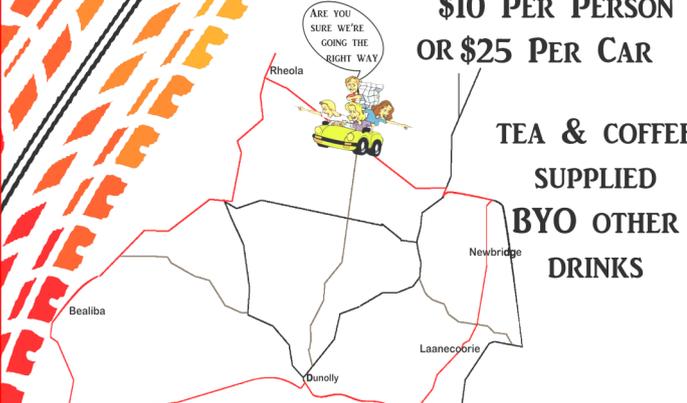


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The belated Father's Day Raffle was drawn today, and the winners were:

1st prize – Suzie Oh

A Jack Daniels gift pack donated by the Caravan Park and a \$50.00 voucher donated by The Railway Hotel.

2nd Prize – Denise Bradley

A Sherrin Football donated by Darren and Melissa Freemantle and a \$50.00 voucher donated by The Railway Hotel.

A **BIG THANK YOU** to those very generous contributors.

This Market BBQ was hosted by the CFA and SES Committees, raising much needed funds for their organisations.

As the weather is on the improve, the Market Committee has decided to return to normal times from the next Market on the 14th October.

The times will be from 8am till 1.00pm, for stallholders, 7am set up. For Bookings please call 0474008121 & speak to a committee member.

Peter McFadden



DFNC NEWS

The A grade netball team played a good game last Saturday but were unable to overcome Carisbrook. Congratulations to both teams.

On behalf of the Club I would like to thank all committee members, parents, supporters, players and volunteers for their hard work this year. Thank you to our sponsors who give the Club such wonderful support.

A special thank you to Greg Crumpton, Junior Development Coordinator and Melissa Freemantle, Junior Administrator for their development and organisation of the junior teams. A big thank you to the junior coaches, Grant Raven and Hayden Wellard who, as senior players, have given back to the Club in spades. I also would like to acknowledge and thank Reserve and Senior coaches and all netball coaches for their time, effort and commitment.

Marion Da Costa
Secretary



DUNOLLY GOLF CLUB

Beautiful warm conditions greeted players for a Stableford event on Saturday. Numbers were light due to Soccer presentations in Maryborough, after their Grand Finals. One of our number, Josh Hunt, won a final with his team, so well done Josh and team mates.

Some golfers require more motivation than others, and so it was with Rod "Snake Eyes" Stuart on Saturday.



Having putted his drive into the scrub on the second, Rod found himself eye-to-eye with a two metre brown snake, which stood up straight to investigate the intrusion of a small white ball on its privacy and to closely examine the perpetrator.

Kenny Brereton suggested that Rod catch the snake and slice it up for sausage rolls. But Rod decided that discretion was the better part of valour and took a preferred lie (no penalty).

Rod then proceeded to accumulate 30 points in an excellent display, in which the centre of every fairway was his main target. Kenny was runner up with 37 points. Ladies winner was Cheryl Lovel with 32 points.

So be warned - the snakes are out and about and are already active, as Rod can attest!

Ian Arnold

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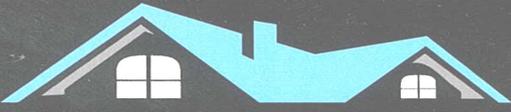
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1. Aircraft with floats not wheels
7. Not quite shut (of window, eg.)
11. Enjoy two benefits of the same situation, have one's ___ and eat it too
12. Tending to wear away (earth's surface)
13. Relating to the ear
14. Piece of jazz music generally written for the piano
15. Lose one's foothold
16. Thick-billed American songbird
17. Exceed in achievement
19. Small flaw detracting from enjoyment, ___ in the ointment
21. Exercise system involving stretching, breathing and controlled movements
23. To hurdle

25. Gaming cubes
27. To level out after period of activity (of sales, eg.)
28. Soft item placed in clothing to improve its shape, shoulder ___
30. Cruel
33. Nevertheless
36. Act of leaving
37. A blend
38. Monetary unit of Turkey and formerly Italy
39. Stated without proof
40. Baking device
41. Hoofed mammal
42. Towards Adelaide, from Sydney, eg.

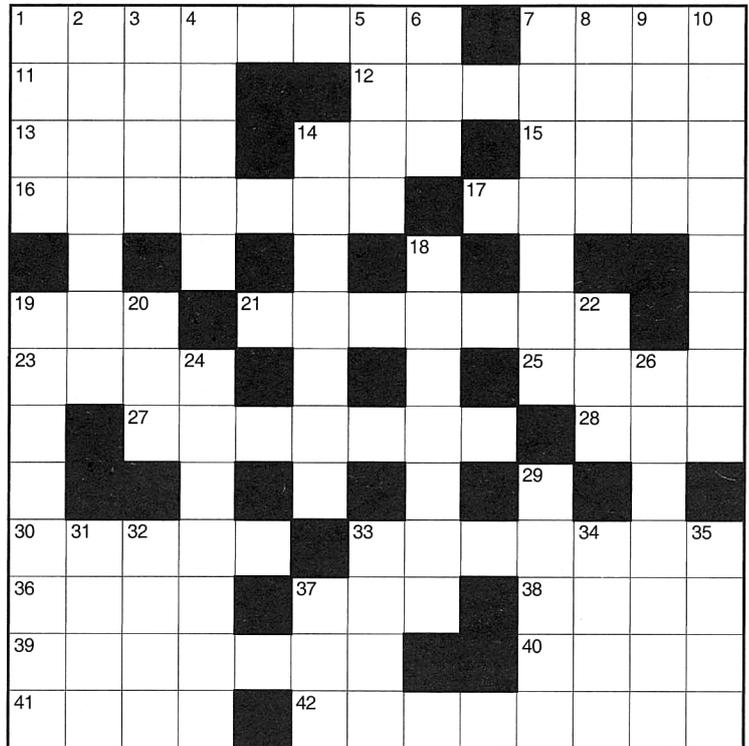
Down

1. Native of U.K. country
2. Suitable for consumption
3. Similar, anagram of 'kina'
4. Hickory nut
5. Draw close to
6. Unit of energy or work
7. Guaranteed
8. To reject (lover) suddenly
9. Very keen
10. Complained to authorities about
14. A renaissance
18. Statement which seems to contradict itself, but which may be true

19. Tropical marine food fish
20. Shriill bark
22. Small amount drunk
24. Paste used to coat walls

26. One who provides food and service
29. Situated beneath
31. Pin on which wheels rotate
32. Enrage

33. Children's game, ___-and-seek
34. Long live
35. 100 South African cents
37. High cry of cat



Solution No.33



Questions for: 12th September 2018

1. Who changed the name of his ship from The Pelican to The Golden Hind?
2. Name the actor who died in 1984, and who also starred in the film titled 1984?
3. Which Scot founded the Presbyterian Church?
4. When did the French Revolution end?
5. Which ocean surrounds the Maldives?
6. What is the name of Europe's most northern town?

Answers on page 19



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VALE ROXY

Our beautiful little girl passed away on Friday the 7th of September. She gave us 11 years of unconditional love and laughter which was reciprocated tenfold! We miss you sweet girl. Our love goes with you!

Sharon Hiley



The passing of a much loved doggy friend - Roxy

It was with sadness that we learnt of the death of Sharon's companion Roxy. Roxy had been ill for a while, however her passing was sudden. She was always a friendly dog, enjoying walks with Sharon and Michael.

A highlight was when Roxy won the Best Animal Story Competition run by *The Welcome Record* in 2016. Condolences to Sharon and Michael from your friends at The Welcome Record. Monika Thumerer



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Notice of AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the Dunolly Football Netball Club Inc will be held on Monday, 1 October 2018 at the Deledio Reserve pavilion at 7pm. Please contact the Secretary on 0438 168 634 for nomination forms and further information.

Notice of AGM

The Annual General Meeting of the Dunolly Hospital Auxiliary will be held on Monday 1st October in the PAG room of the hospital at 10am. All who would like to attend will be made welcome. R Mecredy (Secretary)

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| 2. Richard Burton | 5. Indian Ocean |
| 3. John Knox | 6. Hammerfest, Norway |

My martial arts journey - Part two

Around 2005-2006, we moved on to another Wushu and Tai Chi School and trained under another World Wushu Champion. This was a different sort of training, with lots of performances, especially in the Crown Casino every Chinese New Year. We were teaching for this school and had our own school in Forest Hill as well until 2010 when we moved to Dunolly.

I had great fun doing Wushu and Tai Chi, and of course I competed in many tournaments and won many medals and trophies.

My greatest achievement was to win a gold medal in Wushu at the Oceania Championship in 2005.

When we moved to Dunolly, we tried searching for Kung Fu schools but there were none, only Karate and Tae Kwon Do. Those styles didn't interest us much at that time, as they are not Chinese styles. Five to six years later, there was a Women's Self Defence class and Ladies Only exercise Group in Dunolly, so I signed up just for fun.

After a few lessons in Women's Self-Defence, the instructor, Peter Jackson, who was also the instructor for Kokoro Kai Karate Dunolly and Maryborough, told me that I would find karate much more challenging than women's self-defence, but I still didn't have any intention to join karate. Then, in 2016 at one of the Kokoro Kai lunch functions, my partner, Jason Stewart, said he wanted to compete in sparring at the upcoming karate competition in Maryborough. He had never done any karate before, but because of his martial arts

background and a few lessons with Troy Hoban, he managed to win 3rd place at the competition. I was the Table Official at that competition, just watching all the competitors doing their kata (forms) and kumite (sparring). I said to myself, "I could do this too." So in August 2016, I joined Karate. It has been a fantastic journey since.

I competed two months later at the Ballarat competition and won 2nd place in Kata. The following year in 2017, I told my instructor, Shihan Peter that I wanted to try out for the State Championship, but he told me I wasn't ready as I only had just started in karate. He asked me to wait another year, but for me every step and move that I made was a learning experience and I wanted to get more mat experience so that I knew what to expect the following year. So I competed at the State Championship and won a Bronze medal and got onto the State Squad. It was a great shock to everyone.

The next step was to get onto the State Team and I did and competed at the Nationals in NSW. I didn't win the National but I came 7th. That year I also competed in every competition which was held in Victoria and amazingly I won in all of them. I surprised myself too!

In another successful year again this year, I won in many competitions, but my greatest achievement was to win 2nd place in the Japan Championship in Yokohama in May.

I was very proud of myself when my instructor told me I was the first student in Kokoro Kai to compete at international level and the first one to win a podium place. I also got onto the State Team and recently competed in Queensland, winning the 1st round in kata but losing in the 2nd round. Overall I think I finished about 8th or 9th.

I think I will slow down a bit now due to my hip injury, I need time to heal.

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Editor's note: Thank you Susie for sharing this fabulous journey with us all.

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