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45 years as a collector — Collecting souvenir teaspoons

Several of my collections may be able to vie for the position of first in a long line of diverse acquisitions; this is one I started in the mid 1960s. I recall that my soon-to -be mother-in-law gave me a spoon featuring Sydney Harbour Bridge. She worked in the cafeteria and souvenir shop at Taronga Zoo at the time, so it was an appropriate gift. Of course, on my honeymoon which was to follow soon afterwards, I made a point of collecting a spoon from every available shop, much to my new husband's displeasure. He was one who did not like to make stops and always wished to proceed directly to his destination. Little did he know what was to come! As family and friends brought me more spoons back from their travels, the collection grew and it wasn't too long before it filled two boards, taking pride of place in the dining room. Different variations were acquired, including butter knives, sugar and jam spoons.

By the time the marriage ended, 20 years later, I was no longer actively collecting spoons, as I had by then diversified into many other areas. It wasn't too long afterwards, however, that I opened some tourism businesses with my second husband and we started commissioning spoons of our own and I started collecting again. During that time, I met the man who claimed to have the largest souvenir spoon collection in the world, with his own spoon to commemorate that milestone; of course I had to have one of those as well! From that time on, I have mostly targeted my collection to cover those made for special events, or which have a special connection. I donated many of the others to op shops, but as many of us are aware, they have even been hard to sell there, as their popularity declined. There is now a little light at the end of the tunnel however, as it is becoming popular amongst some younger generations, to use them to accompany pretty tea cups at afternoon tea parties.

How long that fad will last, who knows? Upcycling of course is also an option! So, at this stage, my collection still amounts to around 40 spoons, but after photographing some for this article, they will again go back, still unpolished, into the depths of a cupboard until the next time.

Jenny Scott







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Here we go again! We must hope that it doesn't come here. I realise that I along with a lot of others, are very lucky. I don't have to worry about rent, a mortgage, home schooling or hanging on to a job to support a family. People who have these worries are in danger of having mental health problems. If they also have to isolate from COVID, that could be very damaging.

I have always known that cats are very fast on their feet, but since C. K. Ramble has come to live with me (or the other way around), I have seen it for myself. She has a thing about flies — she chases them, bats them down, whacks them again, then eats them! I tell myself that they are only protein after all.

I was sitting on the back verandah yesterday, busy watching the clouds high up in the sky. I noticed that the really high clouds are travelling very quickly, and changing shape from horses to dragons to anything you could imagine. There must have been a big wind up there as the low clouds were completely still.

The birds are starting to nest judging by the ones that are visiting me. I don't have spider webs on my verandah ceiling — I am providing nest lining for birds.

Rosie

THE LINT FAIRY



Although concepts of ownership and wealth are usually of little relevance to fairies, lint is known to have considerable value amongst certain members of the fairy kingdom: Lint Fairies. These fairies are always looking for somewhere to stash their mysteriously acquired stash. They like to wedge it securely in the lining of clothes pockets. Here,

their cherished treasure is very safe, unless discovered by the wearer, who casually throws it away.

Tobhy Riddle

TWISTED PROVERB

Show me a man with both feet on the ground, and I'll show you a man who can't put his pants on.

Joe E. Lewis

Defibrillators available at -

SES, CFA, DFNC, Dunolly Bowls Club, Doctor's Office and Dunolly Town Hall.

In case of emergency, the defibrillators can be accessed at the above venues when they are open. The unit at the Town Hall is located in the breezeway outside and can be accessed at any time.

Important telephone numbers

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Living in the country

One could start with tales of gloom as that seems to be the order of the day at the moment, but I am sure there are brighter things all around us.

You pick up your newspaper, turn on the radio, or view the television and you are given numbers repeatedly. (There's an old saying — "like a broken record". Didn't we enjoy our old gramophones? I still have a good number of records stacked away in a cupboard.) And so the days go, and the broken record keeps playing.

We are so fortunate to be living in the country. Now with the rain, paddocks are wet and just waiting for you to get bogged. Now I will reminisce (can't help myself) back to the days at Rheola, my sister Barbara and I riding the ponies up in the forest below the Melville Caves, the ponies up to their knees in the mud. It was treacherous country, and over the years people getting bogged in their cars and coming down for help.

From where I live here in Emu, such a wonderful sight to see all the dams full. To think we now have the back-up of the piped Wimmera Mallee water at our front fence.

Plenty of feed for the sheep and lambs, and as for the crops, too wet. Barely goes yellow, so interesting to see how that affects their yield.

Weeds, especially Cape Weed in our lawns, the birdlife enjoying the conditions. Wrens, magpies, white cockatoos, galahs, sparrows always find a place, and swallows (they have just rebuilt their nest under the porch — you haven't got the heart to knock it down.) At Donald and Sharyn's home they have 12 water hens — been there for at least four weeks, very unusual, but they have plenty of cover and green lawns.

With two plovers, one nesting by the road (I trust the babies survive) magpies, sparrows, galahs and rogue cockatoos who chew all the green pinecones off the pine trees, I have plenty of entertainment. The joy of living in the country, and to make us happy the Avoca River is running half full!

Now let's hope that soon the numbers will go down. Probably have to wait until everyone has their jab. In the meantime, I think all of us in the country feel very lucky to live where we do — so free.

Joyce Chivers



Give COVID a scare!

I have been waiting for inspiration, now with the arrival of Spring (though a little early), and listening to the ABC Saturday radio, I have found it! "Scarecrows!"

The city folk are suffering lockdown over extended periods and for some therapy have decided to put scarecrows in their suburban gardens. Giving the kids something outdoors to do and the passers-by out walking

some amusement, and hopefully COVID a scare! The variety is amazing: from crickets, high "Vis", tuxedo and evening dress — anything will go. So instead of binning those old clothes, get those imaginations working and create your own Scarecrow. I don't want to actually scare any bird from my garden so mine will be in relax mode lounging in a chair under a tree enjoying the blossom and flowers, watching Spring go by. Maybe we could have a "Best scarecrow in town!"

So get working; competition will be fierce!

Helen Jesser



Nuisance phone calls

If we could do a survey on those constant nuisance calls, which everyone seems to receive, it would be interesting to find out if anyone actually listens and takes it further.

As soon as I hear that particular off shore accent asking me how am I today I either admonish

them and hang up, or on a good day commiserate with the caller for their unfortunate job and then hang up.

Do many or any of these callers get past first base, and as for Nicole from "Broadband" and the Amazon lady warning of the money you owe, how can they possibly keep sending those recorded messages time and time again when everyone knows they are a scam.

I would really like to know if anyone listens long enough to have an actual discussion with these callers.

Cynthia Lindsay



Solar boost for Central Goldfields Shire volunteer groups

Volunteer community groups in the Central Goldfields Shire will soon be saving thousands of dollars on energy costs by installing solar PV systems, thanks to the Andrews Labor Government.

Labor Member for Western Victoria, Jaala Pulford, announced the latest beneficiaries of the \$9.2 million Solar on Public Buildings program which helps put solar systems on community buildings across the state.

The program is reducing carbon emissions and operating costs and making selected sites more sustainable into the future so they can continue to be used by local communities.

The program is being rolled out across the state over the next two years, providing a boost to the economy.

Some of the first locations in Central Goldfields Shire receiving solar panel and battery installations include:

- Bealiba Hall & Recreation Reserve.
- Bowenvale Hall.
- Dunolly Recreation and Reserves Committee of Management.
- Moliagul Reserves Committee Of Management.
- Talbot Recreation Reserve Incorporated.

Nearly 200 energy audits — the first step in the design of a solar system — have been carried out on selected sites around the state.

The program was first trialled in Gippsland from 2017 to 2019 and led to solar systems being installed on 69 public buildings on public land.

public buildings on public land. "This is a great example of how we're delivering real action on climate change in Central Goldfields Shire by investing in local projects that will help our communities build thriving and sustainable futures. This is a terrific outcome for the community, the environment and our hardworking volunteer committees who are the backbone of small communities across Victoria," Ms Pulford said.

"Our strong investment in renewable energy and solar panels is creating local jobs, reducing power bills and helping us achieve our ambitious emissions reduction targets," she said.

Latest State Government update on COVID-19

The Victorian Government announced that regional Victoria would enter lockdown from 1pm Saturday 21st August 2021.

All metropolitan Melbourne restrictions – excluding the curfew – will be implemented across regional Victoria until 11.59pm Thursday, 2nd September.

This is due to the ongoing level of community transmission, the large number of mystery cases and a surge of new cases and exposures sites outside of metropolitan Melbourne.

For regional Victoria, this means:

- There are only five reasons to leave home: to get the food and the supplies you need, to exercise for up to two hours (no more than 5km from your home), for care or caregiving, authorised work or education if you can't do it from home, or to get vaccinated at the nearest possible location.
- Face masks will still be mandatory outdoors and indoors (not at home) unless an exception applies this includes all workplaces.
- To give industry time to adjust, workforce permits will be required to leave the house for authorised work from 11.59pm Monday 23 August.
- Workforce limits apply to the construction industry, however industry will be engaged about safely reducing staff numbers as they secure sites.
- Playgrounds, basketball hoops, skate parks and outdoor exercise equipment will be closed.
- Masks will also not be able to be removed to drink alcoholic beverages.
- Exercise will be limited to just one other person, plus dependants if they can't be left at home.
- People cannot have visitors to the home.
- Closure of childcare and attendance permit system.
- Childcare centres across Victoria will be closed except to children whose parents are authorised workers and cannot be supervised at home. A permit system will apply, and further details will be provided. Vulnerable children will be permitted to attend.
- Mask recommendation for primary school aged children.
- Victoria's public health team is also strongly recommending that primary school aged children, when they are not at home, also wear a mask as an extra precaution against this virus.

For a detailed overview of the restrictions, see the Table of Restrictions or visit: coronavirus.vic.gov.au.

State Government Media Release



Stories from Cynthia

Technology is moving so fast that it is becoming harder and harder for people in my age bracket to keep up. Just when I have mastered one new gadget, a more updated and more complicated model arrives and then I have to start again, but never daunted I persevere.

Now a new gadget has entered my life and has become a member of the household. Her name is Josephine and she is a robotic vacuum cleaner and has a strong and forthright personality and regularly speaks sternly to me. When I first switched her on, she obligingly announced that she was ready and off she went, weaving her way around the room. I left her to it and then I heard her calling out, "Help me, I'm stuck". I rushed in and found the silly thing had caught herself around the coffee table leg. Unfortunately she didn't thank me when I released her so I will need to teach Josephine better manners. After she set off again, constantly revisiting the same spots goodness knows why - she started popping under chairs and tables and exploring every corner. Suddenly she stopped and announced that she was tired and said, "I cannot clean any more. I need charging". I thought of pouring her a stiff brandy but saw that she had turned around and was heading for her bed, which she eventually found after a few twists and turns. I decided it was time to take Josephine to the toilet and that accomplished, returned her to her bed, but I had trouble tucking in her cover and she started complaining, "Please put my dustbin back", over and over again, a very demanding young lady. I was worried about hurting her but plucked up courage and pressed harder and there she was, all ready for sleep.

When I brought Josephine home I was a bit worried about Maddie, as she doesn't like loud noises and any moving creature needs to be chased; however Josephine is very discreet and emits only a low hum. At first Maddie was fascinated with Josephine, and a little startled, and quickly moved off when she saw her coming, but when Josephine approached her and then turned away, Maddie decided to make friends and now she wags her tail when she sees Josephine coming, our new and most welcome resident. We are now a happy little family of three.

Cynthia Lindsay





Beyond the town limits



Flood mitigation works in the bush behind Dunolly hospital. Photo by Em Goldy

Still waters on a calm day Early morning sun shines on dew-tipped grass A creek enhanced by man To save the town from flood Gives an added aspect to Dunolly Not quite hidden in the scrub.

This walk along pebbled roads Strewn with fallen gum leaves and dried tree limbs Highlighted by a yellow hue From wattle trees blooming amongst the tall gums Still, cool, defying a hot summer looming.

An easy walk from any home Allows time to reflect and admire Man's engineering handiwork Which fulfils our innate desire To be safe from nature's vagaries A naive view of our abilities to control all.

Yet, we labour on with dams, flood-drains, fire-breaks and more. For these efforts the town folk are grateful However, with nature, There is no even score. Enjoy the beauty of bush and green field Conserve what is there, That is the power we wield.

Em Goldy, August 2021

Ten miles of gold

Gather around folks hear my story unfold, about a place that I know of that's covered with gold. No I'm not crazy it's a sight to behold, just out of Dunolly there's 10 miles of gold.

O'er a century has gone since the miners poured in, with their picks and their shovels, a fortune to win. In Nuggetty Gully, on Gooseberry Hill too, at the Old Lead and Moliagul, to name just a few.

Deason and Oates found quite a big lump, they dug the Welcome Stranger from the roots of a stump. Possum Jack up at Orville struck it rich on a hill, at Harvest Home 'mongst the tailings worked Puddler Bill.

So where is this gold I've been talking about? It's something I'll tell you, but I'm not going to shout. You won't need a shovel, you'll not need a dish, listen to me now and you'll get all you wish.

For there's 10 miles of gold, it's out Jones's Creek way, Some of you'll get the fever when you hear what I say. You must see its beauty, and smell the perfume, For there's ten miles of gold when the wattle's in bloom.

Ivan Bowman, Kangaroo Flat

It's the right time of the year to expose another of my old songs which, like my previous offering, has references from the book "DUNOLLY" by James Flett.



Internet photo - Wattle trees



Fallen log formation along the track. Photo by Em Goldy

Central Goldfields Ratepayers and Residents Association Inc. update and news

Hi all. Lockdown seven. We do hope our community is strong enough to ride this one out.

We feel more understanding is needed from all sides and regardless if you agree with COVID or the Vaccine, a sensible approach should be used and the guidelines which have been laid down for us should be followed.

We do not want it here and it is basically down to us to take the precautions to make sure it does not come to our district. We hope we all do the right thing and look after others.

With the recent Council Ordinary meeting there appear to be more and more committees and policies being appointed, yet the aspect of Industry, Employment, Tourism (not just shifting the Information Centre) and Youth Initiatives are not mentioned.

It is all very well to shift the Tourism Information Centre to an area where the figures will increase, but what is being done to give the tourism industry and employment a forward direction? Fine — put another committee on and make a few more policies, but what about actually doing something?

Our heritage buildings all need attention. Yes — well done for obtaining fantastic grants for the relocated Information Centre, but the station is not a community owned asset. It is a very important part of our tourism and we acknowledge that. But many times our councillors claim how they are supporting and gaining grants for our assets, and here a huge amount of money is going into a building we don't even own. We acknowledge grants given by the state government for Worsley Cottage, Art Gallery and the Maryborough pool. It is concerning that the Maryborough and Carisbrook town halls are both in extremely poor condition, yet we are not using funds on our own assets.

On poor quality, our Mobile and NBN is back in the firing line. Looking at previous discussions we had with NBN and Telstra justifiably so. We obtained information from NBN that our area has a maximum NBN of 10 Ping, 12.1 Mbps download and 4.6Mbps upload. Twelve months ago our range was 35 Ping, 36Mbps download and 19Mbps upload. Yet the promise was 100 Ping. 100 speed (Ping) was never going to happen with our infrastructure. They knew it.



Yet many are still paying for a much higher service in our area.

We would recommend those experiencing very poor speed contact your server and renegotiate your contract to one which suits the speed we are now receiving.

In February we had one of our councillors state they are our representative for communication, mobile reception and stated they are advocating for better services. We invite that councillor to provide the result of that effort, and inform our community of the outcome. With the fire season nearing and also the times flooding is possible, our communication should be at the best it can be. This is going to affect each and every one of us to constantly keep in contact. Again this comes down to our communication and ability to work together.

At the first council meeting the Airport issue was voted as a priority project. Now here we are nine months on and a committee has been formed. Is this the "urgent" nature of our council's "essential" work?

Carisbrook is still vulnerable, the funds have been provided by the federal government but where is the work? Plans are completed and have been for months, council has touted public consultation into the last stage, yet where is this urgent action? Our CEO has stated it may take several years to have the levee completed. Is this a repeat of previous attempts. Several times before we have had the funding and the levee has not been built — is this another case? It appears the continual practice of promise, then forget it until it is raised again or funds spent.

Could we have a complete breakdown of the funding provided by Dr Anne Webster and a plan of the direction forward so we don't have to keep asking these questions? Too much procrastination, deflecting and secrets being hidden.

Our next meeting in September is looking very much like being postponed to October. We will keep you updated on this. Too much current uncertainty around COVID, and possibly over the next few months. We believe the uncertainty of the state regarding COVID may not settle quickly.

CGR&RAI asks you all keep in contact, assist everyone and work together. We are the answer out of this. Thank you and stay safe.

Wayne McKail, President

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Maryborough Major Sport and Recreation Reserves Master Planning project

A Master Planning process for the Princes Park Precinct, Jack Pascoe Reserve and J. H. Hedges Memorial Park in Maryborough is about to begin. The Master Plans are important to guide planning, development, maintenance, management and community use at each of the three reserves. They will also help to identify priority projects and make funding submissions.

In the 2021/22 Budget, Council allocated \$60,000 for the Master Plans to be carried out, as part of the implementation of the Active Central Goldfields – Recreation and Open Space Strategy 2020-2029. Council has appointed Otium Planning Group to lead the master plan process. Over the coming weeks, Otium will invite input from reserve user groups, the community and other key stakeholders into this process. Keep an eye on Council's *Facebook* page at: <u>www.facebook.com/centralgoldfields</u> and our Weekly Update from this week for opportunities on how you can be involved.

Connecting Victoria — have your say

Where are you having a problem with mobile coverage or internet access? The Victorian Government is inviting feedback on where better mobile and broadband connectivity is needed.

It's quick and easy to provide feedback — simply add a marker and a comment to the map (found by visiting the link below) to show where you are experiencing poor mobile or broadband access. Feedback is open now until Monday 20th September, 2021.

To provide feedback, visit: <u>https://engage.vic.gov.au/</u> connecting-victoria

Winter Warmer Walks

Winter Warmer Walks are an opportunity for residents to get out in the air and reconnect with their town and each other. Each 90 minute walk will start and finish at local neighbourhood centres and community houses and will run under COVID Safe practices. The walks are a great opportunity for residents to get out in the air and reconnect with their town and each other.



Upcoming walks include:

Wednesday 25th August at 1pm, meeting at Dunolly Neighbourhood Centre, 18 Havelock Street, Dunolly. Join Dunolly Historic Precinct committee secretary/ treasurer Kath Ryan on an easy walk to hear the stories around some of Dunolly's most interesting and unique buildings. For more information, visit:

www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/winter warmerwalks2

Winter Warmer Walks is an initiative between the Victorian Government, Council, Maryborough Community House, Mill House Neighbourhood House and Dunolly & District Neighbourhood Centre.

MASH info session

Want to know more about solar panels and the MASH — More Australian Solar Homes — Community solar bulkbuy initiative? The MASH team is hosting a free 90minute information session on Wednesday 1st September from 6pm to 7.30pm at the Maryborough Resource Centre, corner of Alma and Nolan streets. You can book your attendance at: <u>https://marsh.org.au</u>

Let's chat Carisbrook

Did you know that \$6 million will be invested in infrastructure projects in the Carisbrook and district community in the coming 12 months?

Join Tullaroop Ward Councillor Anna De Villiers and Council's Manager Community Engagement Kylie Long to have your say on a range of important projects.

Carisbrook Conversation Two

During conversation two, we will discuss the progress of the Tullaroop Creek Management Plan.

Details are:

Wednesday 1st September, 6.30pm - 8.30pm.

Maryborough Harness Racing Club, 106 Chaplins Rd, Carisbrook. The Draft Plan sets guidelines for the longterm management of Tullaroop Creek including:

- Protection and enhancement of the aquatic environments.
- Flood mitigation strategies.
- Improvement of the riverside reserves for the community.

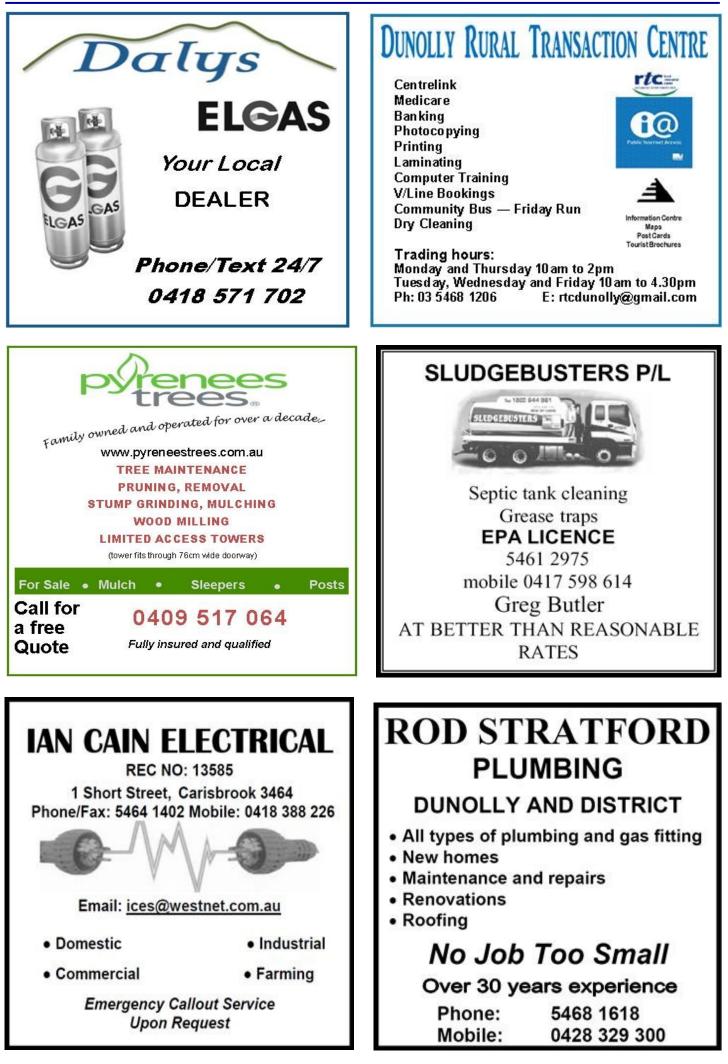
Funds have been set aside to start the work once the plan has been finalised and approved by Council.

You must register due to COVID safe requirements. Register with Council's Communications Officer Lachlan Steed on 0409 478 074 or online at:

www.engage.cgoldshire.vic.gov.au/communityconversations CGSC News



or leave a message on 5468 1212





BEALIBA CWA UPDATE

Once again members were disappointed when a number of events we planned to attend were cancelled. However, I dare say our disappointment is nothing compared to the disappointment and frustration of those who had organised events such as the CWA State Craft Exhibition at Ararat and Dunolly's own Arts Hub Craft Exhibition. I can well imagine all the thought, effort and energy that went into planning these events and then, to have them cancelled at the 11th hour (no pun intended), must have been a bitter blow; sincere and genuine commiserations from all at Bealiba CWA.

On a happier note – congratulations to our members, Jan Murphy (two firsts/two seconds) and Alice Pike (a second), on their success in the CWA State Craft Exhibition. Any place getting at this level is a worthy achievement and we are all very proud of you both.

Whilst one hesitates to make any arrangements nowadays, the branch is planning to celebrate its birthday with a lunch at a local venue later in September. So, providing we are able to meet, and the hall is available (it is currently undergoing renovations), we will gather at 10.30am for the meeting which will be followed (hopefully) by the birthday lunch.

In August, our competition was a bear. It seems everyone has a bear and there were bears of all descriptions; a Pooh Bear looking very striking with his yellow body and red nose, a cute black Alaskan bear, an embroidered bear, a dressed bear intact with bloomers, plus too many others to mention. A very difficult job for the judge who awarded a point to everyone.

August Competitions

| Single Bloc | om | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|--------|----------------|--|
| Firs | t Betty Lovel | Second | Heather Davis | |
| Multiple Blo | oom | | | |
| Firs | t Heather Davis | Second | Shirley Coburn | |
| September Competition | | | | |
| Something green | | | | |
| 5 | 0 | | Heather Davis | |

Craft exhibition cancelled at last minute

Hello fellow lock-downers!

Well the Dunolly Arts Hub Craft Show that last week I was encouraging you all to participate and attend, didn't really go as planned. All the beautiful crafted works were delivered and it was a fantastic turn out, so I set about curating it, and if I do say so myself, it looked great. I went home and rested, but there were rumours of a lockdown. Darn; maybe we might get a day of exhibition delivered, fingers crossed. Next day I put all the signs out, lit the fire, picked a vase of flowers for the table, Faye and Carol came with their scones and sandwiches ready for the afternoon tea. I thought I will video my walkthrough of the exhibition while it's quiet. Thank goodness I did, as an hour later we heard about the lockdown. I then thought I will put the whole thing online on the Facebook page. The next hour was spent photographing every entry on my phone. Then folk started coming to pick up their craft before the 1pm lockdown deadline. What a scurry flurry! I think I was in shock that something I had so looked forward to was done and dusted, just like that.

However, I have licked my wounds and regrouped my enthusiasm, and made two albums of photographs of all the exhibits and together with the video of the walkthrough of the exhibition published them to the Dunolly Arts Hub *Facebook* page.

There are two albums — parts 1 and 2. Please browse through and "Like" your favourite exhibit photo to vote in the People's Choice award. There are three prizes this year and we will be counting the votes after seven days.

You will also find the video walkthrough of the exhibition. Hopefully it will give everyone a boost while we are locked down.

See you all soon and stay safe.

Lynda Vater

Editor's Note: There is a selection of photos on the back page to give you a taste of what's on offer. Don't forget to vote for People's Choice Awards via Dunolly Arts Hub *Facebook* page.



Catholic Church

There will not be any Mass or Assembly until the end of lockdown.

R. Mecredy

"Everything is by comparison, Both the bitter and the sweet, And it takes a bit of both of them To make our lives complete."

Helen Steiner Rice

Uniting Church

Services cancelled until further notice due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Linda Pickering

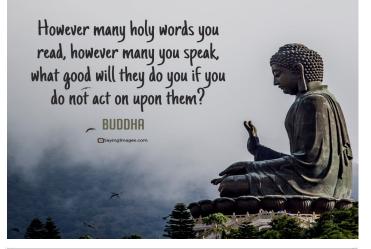
St John's Anglican Church

Rev Canon Heather Blackman Parish Office, 6 Nightingale Street, Maryborough. Phone 5460 5964

Services have been cancelled until further notice.

Jesus said, 'It is the spirit that gives life; the flesh is useless. The words that I have spoken to you are spirit and life.'

John 6.63 Esmé Flett





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Don't let this task slide to the bottom of your to-do list! The ACSC encourages you to regularly back up the important data on your devices — such as photos, financial records, or customer data.

Why is it important?

Backing up is a precautionary measure. If your data is ever compromised in a cyber attack or lost to hardware failure, theft or disaster, having a backup will help you to restore your files. In these situations, data recovery can be expensive or even impossible without a backup.

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This month we want to let you know about the current PayPal, Microsoft and Bank scams currently doing the rounds:

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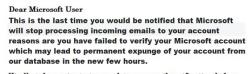
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Getting inspired by National Science Week

Last week was National Science Week and it was a brilliant opportunity to celebrate Victoria's incredible scientific community.

Our health and medical research experts have not only been integral to Victoria becoming a globally recognised hub for medical research, but they have been at the centre of our response to the coronavirus pandemic.

The entire sector has pivoted to be involved in our response to COVID-19. It is wonderful to see such collaboration and willingness to contribute to the effort.

In fact, Victoria's Infectious Disease Reference Laboratory, based at Doherty Institute, was the first laboratory in the world to isolate the COVID-19 virus outside of China, and the first to share this discovery with the world.

Since the start of the pandemic, the Andrews Labor Government has invested more than \$30 million to support critical COVID-19 research initiatives.

This investment is helping us to better understand transmission, immunity and the long-term impacts of COVD-19, leading to better and earlier treatment.

But, more broadly Science Week was an opportunity for Victorians to learn, engage and celebrate Victorian scientists.

As part of National Science Week, I highlighted the work of some of our incredible researchers in Victoria.

Scientists like Michelle McIntosh, a pharmaceutical researcher at Monash University who is leading the project to help prevent postpartum haemorrhages with an inhalable product that could save the lives of tens of thousands of new mothers around the world.

Or Professor Kay Crossley from La Trobe University, who was awarded the Victoria Prize for Science and Innovation in 2020.

Professor Crossley's research has helped develop interventions for young people with early onset osteoarthritis.

Or Dr McMahon, a proud Yorta Yorta woman who grew up in a family of nine in rural Victoria. As Co-ordinator of Aboriginal Research Accord project at VACCHO, Dr McMahon and her team is outlining ethical medical and health research which impacts Victorian Aboriginal communities. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples have used scientific methods to develop knowledge, data collection and observation for tens of thousands of years.

Our science community makes a significant difference to the quality of life for Victorians and indeed people all around the world.

As Minister for Innovation and Medical Research, I feel privileged to work with the sector and am thrilled to be able to continue to support and champion their fabulous work.

Although Science Week has ended, you can still be inspired and get involved at:

https://inspiringvictoria.org.au.

Jaala Pulford MP From "In Your Words" Courtesy *The Maryborough Advertiser*

New series to feature in Terry Floyd's disappearance

After 46 years since Terry Floyd's disappearance from the side of the road on his way to a football match, the case is in the spotlight again on the new series *Homicide with Ron Iddles* which is set to air on Channel 7 on Sunday 26th September.

Terry was only 12 years old when he went missing on 28th June 1975. He was last seen on the Pyrenees Highway between Avoca and Maryborough and is believed to have been abducted and murdered and his body possibly hidden at the bottom of a mine shaft. Although diligent searches and investigations were carried out at the time, Terry's body was never found.

Ron Iddles reopened the case in 1999 and Victoria Police offered a \$1million reward for any information since 2014. Now with Ron Iddles being so well-known and the popularity of the series, there is hope from Sheryle Cain and Daryl Floyd (Terry's older siblings) that some information may come to light.

"At the end of the day, someone is responsible for this and it's a known fact people always tell someone," Sheryle said. "I'm really hoping someone who hasn't come forward before will do so now. The \$1 million is still up for grabs and it may jolt someone's memory."

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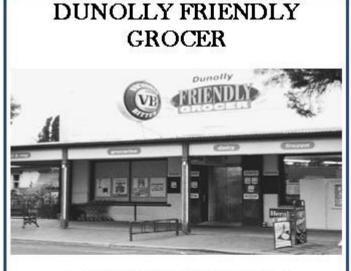


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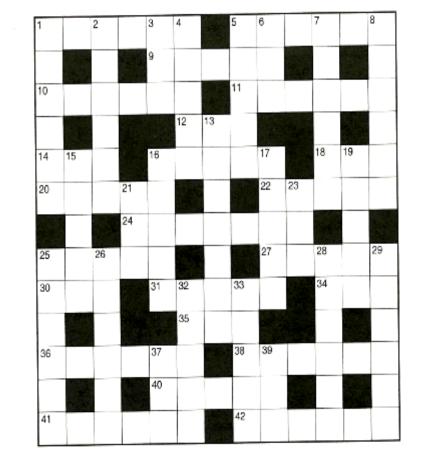


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- 1. Type of acid found in fruit
- 5. Morally pure
- Place for concealing provisions
- 10. One making great sacrifices for a cause
- 11. Disconnect (from power point, eg.)
- 12. Pole used by sculler
- 14. Feeling of great respect tinged with fear
- 16. Close and reopen eyes
- 18. Wrestler's floor pad
- 20. Noosed rope
- Cry of horse
- 24. Depict using words
- 25. Tourist city of Nevada, Las
- 27. Large instrument in violin family
- 30. Unspecified quantity of

- 31. Pinch abruptly 34. Japan's standard
 - currency unit
 - 35. A folded cloth edge
 - 36. Inner part of shoe 38. Process of growing older
 - 40. Remove data
 - (computing)
 - 41. Harm done
 - 42. One laying roofing
 - tiles as occupation
 - Down
 - 1. Percussion instrument
 - Struggling with effort
 - with, in the _____ of
 - 3. Very cold
 - 4. Yuletide song
 - Large milk container
 - 6. Female fowl
 - Seasoned sausage
 - 8. Anniversary on which bronze or pottery is traditionally given
 - 13. Liverpool suburb, site of Grand National
 - 16. That which helps or
 - something with ease
 - 19. Nimble

- 28. One who plays ancient Greek musical instrument
- 29. Wild ass
- 32. At what place
- 33. Accrue (riches, eg.)
- 37. A lot of money, an arm and a
- 39. Substance with jellylike texture



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Dunolly Community Garden Club AGM

Spring has sprung, with buds bursting, birds romancing, chooks laying and the garden growing well in response to the warmer weather. We meet every week at 3.30pm Thursday when restrictions allow. Both lettuces and snow peas were planted last week, and at our next meeting we will be selecting our Summer crops. The **Dunolly Community Garden's AGM will be on Thursday, 2nd September at 3.30pm** and if lockdown restrictions prevent us from meeting outdoors it will be via *Zoom.* Please call Lisa on 0458 681 784 if you wish to attend remotely. Ken Duell

DDI AGM

The Dunolly and District Inc. (DDI) will hold its Annual General Meeting in the Dunolly Town Hall at 5pm on Wednesday 8th September 2021. All welcome. COVID regulations will apply. Brian Phillips, President

Cancelled Meeting

Moliagul Reserve Committee of Management meeting which was scheduled for 30th August is cancelled due to COVID restrictions. Lyn Gayle



QuickBooks expert needed

Is there anyone in Dunolly or close proximity who can assist with instruction in QuickBooks for *The Welcome Record?*

While we know the basics, it would be helpful to have a more in-depth knowledge.

As we are all volunteers, we would ask for someone with a good heart who could give their services freely. However, we do always have coffee and biscuits on hand.

Please call 5468 1054 during our standard operating hours — Tuesday and Wednesday between 9.30am-3.30pm. Thank you. TWR Team



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Wednesday 18th August

Dunolly hosted the Winter Jackpot Pairs. Winners on the day were Marlene and Cort from the Golf Bowling Club. Being Dunolly's last Winter Jackpot Pairs for the season the Jackpot had to be won, the lucky number was seven (7). Four teams (eight bowlers), each won \$61.

Due to COVID lockdown, once again it is an organiser's nightmare.

Wednesday 25th August

Avoca was supposedly hosting the Winter Jackpot Pairs. 1st and 8th September are also being played at Avoca, (Winter Jackpot Pairs). Should the restrictions be eased before 1st September, Ian and Barry will notify all participating bowlers.

Thank you lan Proctor from Avoca and Barry Cann from Dunolly for organising this seasons Winters Jackpot Pairs.

Providing COVID restrictions have been eased, the following events are happening for the month of September.

Sunday 12th September

Open Day. Roll up 13.00hrs (1pm). If intending to play, please place your name on the sheet which will be on the outside notice board or in the club rooms.

Wednesday 15th September

Dunolly will host their first Monthly Triples. Please let Barry know if intending to participate.

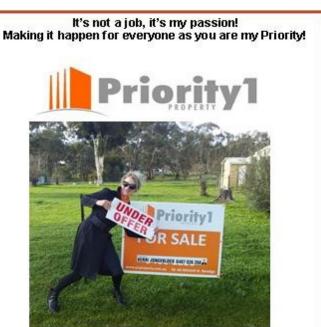
Saturday 18th September

Dunolly is hosting a practice match against Avoca, roll up at 13.00hrs (1pm). Dunolly will supply light refreshments for afternoon tea.

Please note: COVID Rules are followed for all the catering. Please remember to always sign in using either the QR code or manually — pen and paper are on the bar

code or manually — pen and paper are on the bar. Barry Cann is taking orders for uniforms, Please let Barry know ASAP if you require a new shirt or jacket.

Hannah Delconte



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Dunolly Bowling Club History Part 10

2009-2011

Mr Roy Pickering was elected Club President for the seasons 2009-2011.

Mr Michael Dennis was Club Secretary (2006-2016).

Mrs Josie Long was elected Club Treasurer (2008-2011). 16th October 2009 Congratulations to Dunolly Associate

Ladies 60th Anniversary. **2009** — It was suggested if this summer was another hot summer, consideration be given that the starting times for mid-week to be at 9.30am for the months of January and February. In 2008 the possibility of new bench tops for the kitchen was discussed. Mrs Josie Long was to follow up quotes. Mr Peter Shay's quote was accepted at \$10,937. A new kitchen stove was also being discussed. The "B" Green was suffering from stress early in the season; the "A" Green took a long time to recover due to the depth of sand that was applied during the laser levelling in December. Thanks were given to Mr Laurie Thomas and Mr. Graeme Raven for their efforts of carting water.

Victoria Ladies Bowls Association State Zone Winners Group 1 Season 2009-2010 were Mrs Marg Davies and Mrs Loretta Parker.

Midlands Division Ladies Bowls Association Midweek Premiers were Dunolly Blue for season 2009-2010, winning this again for the season 2010-2011.

2010 — It was discussed that in an emergency the Dunolly Pre-school children and teachers have access to the bowling club as a safe haven. Also for all citizens of Dunolly during an emergency. Oops! someone is not flushing after using the toilets. It was suggested that a "Please Flush after use" sign to be put on the toilet doors. A new green sprayer has been ordered to the club's specifications — a longer boom and a spot sprayer for \$2200 (battery operated), to give an even coverage. Mr Keith Mottram donated a noticeboard, which Mr Sid Webb constructed. It was discussed that two split-system air conditioners be purchased, also to investigate a cool room and bar alterations, the social committee reported that Melbourne Cup day was poorly attended. Profit for the day was \$30. Was it worth continuing with the event?

Winner of Goldfields Champion of Champions for the season 2010-2011 was Mrs Jenny McHugh. Jenny also won the Ladies Club Championship Midlands Division. Ladies Bowls Association State Pairs Champions for season 2010-2011 were Mrs Loretta Parker and Mrs Marg Davies. Dunolly's three men's teams made it to the finals; the premiership eluded all of them. There is a saying, good things come to those who wait! Mr H. "Scotty" Taylor was acknowledged who is retiring from the committee after serving for 16 years, Mr Bob Henderson, Mr Graeme and Mrs Alice Raven were also acknowledged for their many years of volunteering work with the club. The club had a reasonable successful year financially.

2011 — Mr Keith Mottram was elected Club President for season 2011-2013.

Mr Michael Dennis is still Club Secretary.

Mr G Ray was elected Club Treasurer for seasons 2011-2013.

Mrs Heather Freemantle was elected Ladies Associate President for seasons 2011-2013.

Mrs Jill Morse was elected Ladies Associate Secretary for seasons 2011-2016.

Mrs. Josie Long was elected Ladies Associate Treasurer for seasons 2011-2013.

A quote from Mr Andy Brumby was accepted to replace approximately 12 metres of concrete at the main entrance, at a cost of \$7150.

Discussions were had regarding colour and patterns, it was decided to forgo a pattern and the colour grey was chosen.

In 2010, discussions were held regarding investing in a cool room. It was decided that a cool room was not warranted, instead it was moved that a second-hand fridge be purchased. A very important discussion was held; the committee decided that maybe, just maybe, the price of beer could increase around August.

Although the wet weather gave concerns to our green keepers, all visitors expressed their gratitude at being able to play in such good conditions, the greens committee received many compliments regarding the excellent condition of the greens. A new Ladies honour board was needed. The Secretary to obtain quotes. The outdoor seating needed painting. This was organised by Mr Keith Mottram and Mr Terry Long. A new honour board was purchased and stained to match the existing boards. A new lawn mower was needed, permission was given to purchase one to the value of \$400. Clubhouse painting had commenced, however it was decided to defer painting until next season.

It was moved by Mr Terry Long and seconded by Mrs Jill Morse pending information from Bowls Victoria, that Men's Saturday Pennant be selected from men available, and women only if needed. The club was going to approach Bendigo Bank for a grant. Secretary to follow up. This year the Melbourne Cup day was a success, comparison to last year's event. The damaged chairs are still being replaced at 10 per year. A new edging machine was purchased. After much "should we, shouldn't we," finally a cool room was constructed; the secondhand fridge was transported to the greenkeeper's shed to keep the hard working greenkeepers hydrated during the long hot summer months. It was moved by Mr Peter Freemantle and seconded by Mrs Jill Morse that a minute of appreciation be recorded to Mr Sid and Mrs Marian Webb for their efforts during construction of the cool room, also to Sid for repairing the computer, plus donating a new notice board. Bottled soft drinks prices to increase to \$2, however, increasing the beer prices is still being considered.

Dunolly Green were Premiers in Division 2 for the season 2011-2012.

Goldfields Bowls Association Mid-week Premiers were Dunolly Blue for season 2011-2012.

Runners Up of the Goldfields Division State 4's Regional for season 2011-2012 were Dunolly's Mrs Loretta Parker, Mrs Val Mortlock, Mrs Jenny McHugh and Mrs Marg Davies.

One should also acknowledge the volunteers who cater for most of the events held at the Club; so much work is done behind the scenes that sometimes goes unnoticed.

This segment was taken from the minutes, meetings and information written on the photos that adorn the club room walls.

It has been brought to my attention that one name was omitted. I posted a photo in *The Welcome Record* on 28th July 2021, Volume 36.

MDLBA Pennant Fours Premiers were Mrs M. Shay, Mrs M. Davies, Mrs M. Shay and Mrs V. Flett.

I was able to locate the names of the Lady bowlers who celebrated the Ladies 50th Anniversary, 16th October 1999. The ladies were, L. Boyd, H. Stanford, N. Whitehead, T. Milne, M. Shay, S. Deason, N. Peters, P. Lacey, P. Dunner, H. Weir, Marj Shay, J. Watts, L. Parker, T. Nicholls, L. Arnold, D. Proctor, I. Flett, M. Davies, S. Edwards, C. Raven, M. Heenan and A. Stevenson.

Mrs S. Deason, Mrs M. Shay, Mrs H. Weir, Mrs L. Parker and Mrs M. Davies are still active club members 22 years later.

Hannah Delconte



Dunolly Arts Hub Exhibition moved online Special thanks to Lynda Vater for her flexibility this week. Due to our snap lockdown, the Arts Hub Craft Exhibition has moved online. Countless hours of work have gone into each entry, so please pour yourself a cuppa and go to the Dunolly Arts Hub page, where you can view all entries in comfort and cast your vote! We hope to see you all in person again soon.

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