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Proud Dunolly and District Citizens of the Year, Jean Bradshaw and Vicky Frizzell.

Both Jean and Vicky are familiar faces around town. They have been working as volunteers at the Dunolly Neighbourhood Centre for many years and the Golden Triangle Craft Shop since it began 10 years ago. Jean also helps run the Dunolly Lions Club Book Shop and Vicky has volunteered for many years at the Welcome Record office and been a regular contributor to the paper.

A very well-deserved award for both Jean and Vicky. Congratulations!

Australia Day 2017

Thursday 26 January 2017 presented itself beautifully with sunshine and a light breeze. It wasn't too hot and it was quite pleasant sitting in the upgraded Rene Fox Gardens waiting for the celebrations to begin. The gardens are a delight with pretty plantings of roses and the interesting rustic barrier at the back depicting a prospector panning for gold.

Mainly Australiana songs were provided by Natalie Conlin and Darryl. Thank you for providing some pleasant music while the mouth-watering smell of bacon and eggs and sausages wafted from the SES kiosk. The food was provided free, with only a minor charge of \$2 for soft drinks. Thanks SES. You always do a great job.

The official ceremonies got under way after the national anthem with our Councillor Bob Henderson making a short speech and introducing Australia Day Ambassador, Tony Murphy, Deputy Commissioner EMV (Emergency Management Victoria). Tony spoke about what it is to be an Australian and cited many prominent Australians and Australian inventions that have become noted throughout the world.

Cr Bob Henderson then announced the Australian of the Year for Dunolly and District. There were two equal winners – Jean Bradshaw and Vicky Frizzell. Both ladies are well-known in the district for their tireless contributions to the community within various organisations. Vicky Frizzell is a particular favourite at *The Welcome Record* with all her wonderful contributions that showcase our district. Well-done and congratulations ladies.

Susan Anderson

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The Welcome Record aims to present the diversity of viewpoints which reflect the concerns and interests of our community. It will not print contributions which are defamatory or being used as an alternative to a personal approach in dealing with a personal issue. The opinions expressed by contributors are not necessarily those of *The Welcome Record*.



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Rosie's Ramble

Congratulations to Vicki and Jean, the recipients of the O.D. (Order of Dunolly) on Australia Day.

About Australia Day – surely it is never right to burn the flag, no matter how important the cause seems at the time.

I have been drinking some very different cuppas since Christmas. My daughter sent a box of assorted tea-bags containing twelve little boxes of bags – some of which are a bit exotic, and some are just tea. There are eight in each little box – that is 96 cups of tea to be drunk. The nicest one so far I think was lemongrass, ginger and citrus – but I have yet to try super berries. I also had Earl Grey that many people are rude about – it is ok.

Why do some people – usually those too young to have used it, or so old they can't let go – insist on converting the old currency into decimal. A metre will always be 39 inches, but sixpence is NOT five cents as currency value is fluid. How's that for a bee in a bonnet?

A betting ad. on the telly just before the Magic Millions horse race featured many galloping hooves and was voiced over – “pounding hooves and palpating hearts.” Palping?? I looked it up in my excellent 1975 dictionary – no such word. Nearest is palpable meaning that which may be touched or felt. That would be different to try on a couple of tonnes of charging horses. I don't have the luxury of being able to check it with that smart-alec Mr. Google.

Footgolf, which I think I mentioned with disbelief some time ago is real! I saw it on the TV. It is played the way it sounds – soccer ball, kicking, great big hole to land said ball in and on smooth grass. It is becoming quite popular – look out MCG.

I have a couple of those notes that drive me mad – you know the ones. You get a great idea for something or add an item to the shopping list very quickly and in such horrible writing that you NEVER work out what it was.

Rosie

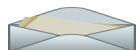
There is nothing better than a friend --- unless it is a friend with chocolate.

Linda Grayson



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LETTERS

Thank you

A big thank you to our wonderful Railway Hotel for giving our town a place to congregate once more and have a bite to eat, a cold glass of what takes your fancy and always someone to have a good chat to; either at the bar or behind it. Once more they have spoilt us with delicious homemade Chinese food. Yes there were a few teething problems as is expected with a totally new concept, but the food was well worth the wait. Absolutely delicious, generous and full of good flavour and fresh ingredients. The staff are to be highly commended for their attention to all customers and service with a smile even at the end of a very long night after having to deal with all sorts. One very happy customer.

Jan Brock

Santa Show

The Dunolly Santa Show Committee would like to thank everyone who made the 2016 Santa Show a success. We hope that everybody will continue to support us through 2017. Also a big thank you to Annabel and Oscar Gloury who made and sold reindeer food and donated the proceeds to the Dunolly Santa Show.

Cheryl Renfrew



Loose cannon fires up town

Have you heard about the Tarnagulla cannon? A memorial situated in the little town 184km northwest of Melbourne. Once the cannon was part of the impressive armaments of Her Majesty's Victorian ship 'Nelson'. The ship was scrapped in 1898 and its cannons were sent all over Victoria. Tarnagulla's cannon was carried by rail from the Williamstown naval dockyard, and the locals couldn't wait to give it a go. On May 23, 1900 the townsfolk held a monster picnic to celebrate the Relief of Mafeking, South Africa, and decided to fire the cannon in salute. It was loaded with 16 pounds of blasting powder and was tamped with mud and bags and primed. The local MP fired the charge and cannon hurtled backwards in a cloud of black smoke and dust. An old woman was blown by the blast into a nearby swimming pool dam, where the cannon came to rest beside her. But not before it had knocked over the town's pride, the Fighting Gladiator statue, while the smouldering wadding from the cannon's mouth started a bushfire. There was another overenthusiastic firing of the gun when Federation occurred in 1901 - with another thunderous explosion that rocked the town.

Yvette Saint

The red section

I have a bad habit of being locked into, or losing my car in car parks. I'm now worried that I may have passed this bad practice on to my son and grandchildren.

Recently we went to Melbourne to watch a night match at the tennis. We decided to go by car and park at the Centre, thinking it would be quicker than getting a tram into the city and the train home.

After my son parked the car he said we should all take note of where the car was parked, so we could quickly find it after the game. We all agreed that the section was red and the car was parked between two pillars marked H and I. We made our way to the lift and down to the Tennis Centre entrance.

On our way through a type of lounge area I noticed that a young man dressed in tennis clothes and wearing a lanyard round his neck, giving us a rather quizzical look. The older of my two grandsons said he didn't think we should be walking through there, so we quickly made our way to the nearest door and into the Centre.

After the tennis finished we headed back towards the car park, but the door to the section we walked through earlier was now securely locked. We headed along the street to another entrance and up the stairs to find the lift. Confronted by three buttons in the lift for the different levels, we all looked at one another blankly as no one had taken notice of which level we needed. We chose the top one first, of course, and walked around there for a while, which involved more stairs and ramps, but no section red. So back to the lift and down a level: more stairs, more ramps and much exasperated grumbling from all parties. Finally back on the first level for the third time we passed a couple of security people and asked them if they could tell us how to find the red section. They both looked very puzzled telling us that there was only a green, a blue and a yellow section, no red. By this time I was starting to think that I was in the middle of a nightmare and hoping I would wake soon.

Luckily the older grandson, who had bounded off by himself, not wanting to be any part of asking for help, suddenly reappeared saying he could see the car on the next level ... a few more stairs, another ramp then there was the car. The other good news was that getting out of the car park was very quick, as most people had already left. Driving home we wondered why the security people didn't know about section red? Had we parked in a reserved players' section? None of us had noticed any signs. In the end we decided that it didn't matter what the problem was, because next time we would go by train.

Coral Christensen

Dunolly FNC \$1000 fund raiser

Sunday 12 February

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Kindergarten Funding

This week, more than 75,000 Victorian kids will have their first day at kindergarten in Victoria, including many in the Central Goldfields Shire.

Over the course of the year, early childhood teachers and educators will use their expertise and knowledge to build those children's social, emotional, literacy and numeracy skills, their critical and creative thinking, their perseverance, sociability and self-esteem. These children will directly benefit from the Universal Access funding agreement, which sees 15 hours of kindergarten per week provided at low cost to families for children in the year before school. Research clearly links kindergarten participation with better school performance, improved job prospects and higher wages on entering the workforce.

It represents a shared commitment across Australian governments to investment in early education, and to the social and economic benefits that follow. We don't want the class of 2017 to be the last year that has access to this vital early education.

Under the *National Partnership Agreement on Universal Access to Early Childhood Education*, Victoria pays for more than two-thirds of government funding of 15 hours of kindergarten in the year before school, with the Federal Government contributing the rest. The current agreement is set to run out at the end of 2017. In 2017, every single one of Victoria's 2300 funded kindergartens will be providing children with 15 hours of quality, teacher-led pre-school education in the vital year before school, showing how in demand this additional support is.

The Andrews Labor Government this week has launched a petition for the 15 hours campaign asking Malcolm Turnbull to commit once and for all to ongoing funding for 15 hours of kindergarten for children in the year before school. **Welcome Record readers can sign the petition at www.thismatters.org.au/kindercuts**

Victorian children deserve certainty and I urge your readers to sign this petition.

Jaala Pulford MP.
Member for Western Victoria.

From the Railway Hotel....

We thank you for your overwhelming support for our Asian night last Sunday night and we apologise for the delay in service; however we will get better as we have ironed a few problems with our first attempt. We can only improve.

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NOTES FROM OUR COUNCILLOR

I would like to congratulate Jean Bradshaw and Vicky Frizzell for being awarded Dunolly's Citizens of the Year for their voluntary work in the community. There were no junior nominations this year.

I would also like to congratulate all involved in the Santa Day in December, especially Rick Young. This event is held every year for the children in the district, and is the result of 12 months planning for those involved in organising this occasion. It was very rewarding to be involved and to see the excitement on the children's faces when they received their presents.

During the past weeks the Shire has been active in doing some maintenance around Dunolly. The Tennis Shed, which had white ants in it has been repaired and also the BBQ area in Gordon Gardens required attention.

Regarding the Library, I have received only verbal communication with Sharon Fraser regarding this. My understanding is that the temporary Library will be located at the St John's Anglican Church Hall. There will have to be some work done but negotiations are continuing. We will not know about funding until 1 February. It will be interesting to see what happens.

The footpaths for Thompson and Maude Streets are still on the drawing board.

The Mayor, Geoff Lovett would like to hear from residents about what they love about living in the Shire, about priorities over the next four years and things they would like to see changed. There will be a Public Meeting for our area in Dunolly on Thursday 16 February regarding this. Time and venue to be notified.

Bob Henderson



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James Flett Exhibition

The Dunolly museum is currently holding an exhibition of James Flett books. James Flett is well known for his goldfield books but did publish other, lesser known, works. The exhibition also includes copies of some of James Flett's paintings and photos as well as a biography. Collectors of his works may be interested to see these lesser-known titles.

The Dunolly museum has also been fortunate to obtain and offer some of these books for sale. Titles for sale include; 'Old Pubs', 2nd edition, published 1981. This is a new copy but has some shop damage. And 'Dunolly' 4th edition, published 1988. this copy is still in the printer's box.

Susan Censi



Library Agencies Opening

Seven new Library Agencies are opening in the Loddon Shire and northern areas of the City of Greater Bendigo. These, along with Pyramid Hill, make eight library agencies across the region. Agencies are located at Wedderburn, Boort, Inglewood, Pyramid Hill, Dingee, Axedale, Elmore and Tarnagulla.

The Tarnagulla library will open on Thursday 9 February from 1-4pm.

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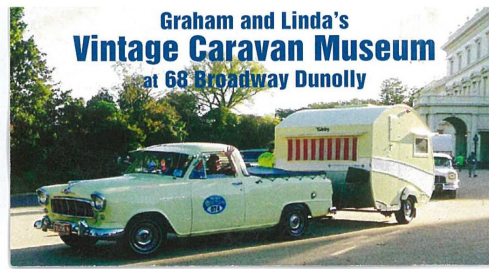
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Acapella Singing

The D'Sharps are back on Monday the 6th of February meeting for practice at the centre at 3-45pm.

Acapella is singing without accompaniment. Shelly D'Biase the

musical director has vast experience in developing harmonies for the various songs they sing.

If you love to sing, and anyone can; the D'Sharps meet for practice every Monday at the centre.



Old Time Dancing

Is back in action too! Every Monday at St John's Hall, Barkly St at 7.30pm.

Music, dancing, supper what more could you want? \$2 gets you in the door.



Garden Club

Garden Club planning day at Barbara Floods lovely garden has been postponed till Monday 27 February.

Meeting at the centre at 11.30am.

Dunolly Sewing Circle With Kimberley Barnham



This Sew & Chat Group starts on Sunday the 26 February at the Art Hub Thompson St. and will be ongoing on the 4th Sunday of every month from 10am till 2pm.

Bring your own project to work on which could be cushions, toys, clothes or costumes and your own equipment such as sewing machine, needles and threads.

Beginners and intermediate sewers are welcome.

Bringing lunch would be a good idea too.

The cost is just \$3 per session.

Want more information on the above?

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Dunolly & District Lions Club

The Dunolly & District Lions Club would like to congratulate member Jean Bradshaw, and the Welcome Record's Vicki Frizzell on being awarded Citizens of the Year in the Australia Day Awards. Both are very worthy recipients for the volunteer hours they put into the local community.

So what do our volunteers mean to a small community like ours? The majority of sporting and recreational groups rely on volunteers for fundraising and keeping clubs running. Our emergency services organisations such as the CFA and SES rely on volunteers to keep our community members safe and help out in times of need. Clubs such as the Lions Club are run by volunteers to offer assistance to community groups and individuals, and also, of course, to keep our bookshop open. The Primary School and Kindergarten rely on parent volunteers to be on their committees to help with tasks such as fundraising and event organisation, which allows the teachers to spend more time focusing on educating the children. Just a few examples of the importance of volunteers in small country towns.

I would urge anyone with even just as little as an hour per week to spare to think about volunteering with one of the many groups around town. There's something out there to suit every interest and skill level. From spending time volunteering in a shop, to selling raffle tickets, doing some admin work or managing a website, there is something that everyone can do to help. Not to mention the new people you will meet, and sense of pride you can take in being part of the community. Have a think about what you may be able to do to support your local community. Remember, that without local support our community groups will fail to survive.

Susan Marney
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Use fumigants correctly

Using fumigants correctly is critical in protecting this year's bumper grains harvest.

Agriculture Victoria Statewide Specialist Chemicals, Steven Field said there are a variety of fumigants on the market, including nitrogen and carbon dioxide, but the bulk of stored grain is treated with phosphine generated from products containing aluminium phosphide.

"In Victoria anyone using aluminium phosphide products must hold appropriate authorisation such as an Agricultural Chemical Users Permit issued by DEDJTR.

"All fumigants must be used in gas tight, sealable storages, the most common of which are silos.

"Many silos on farm may not actually be gas tight, including some that have only recently been purchased," he said.

Mr Field said all silos used for fumigation should meet the Australian Standard AS2628 and be subjected to a pressure test prior to fumigant use.

"Using fumigants in non-gas tight storages is well known to increase resistance as eggs, pupae and larvae may survive and will carry genes promoting phosphine resistance onto subsequent generations," he said.

"Despite the committed efforts of some in the grains industry, dealing with this issue over successive years has proven to be difficult.

"The increased resistance to phosphine, in insect populations, highlights the need for everyone involved to take this matter seriously. Failure to do so will lead to phosphine becoming ineffective, leading to increased costs for farmers and potential difficulties in gaining access to export markets."

The Grains Research and Development Corporation (GRDC) has funded a Grains Storage Extension Project through to 2018 which has delivered high quality resources and educational material for farmers to use.

Farmers are encouraged to visit <http://storedgrain.com.au/> or ring 1800 weevil (1800 933 845) to access these resources.

For more information on chemical use in Victoria visit <http://agriculture.vic.gov.au/agriculture/farm-management/chemical-use> or call Agriculture Victoria on 136 186.

The First Tuesday Painters

is a newly-formed art group meeting in Bealiba. We have the good fortune to continue Mal Gilmour's Oil Painting class that was started last year in Dunolly at the Neighbourhood house.

Mal offers his time and expertise to tutor the group in landscape painting in the medium of oil, he is a celebrated Australian landscape painter with a long successful exhibiting career. His paintings depict his passion for the bush, working with the classical imagery of gnarled gum-trees, bush shacks and the endless sky and light we are all familiar with. Students learn the management of oil painting on specially prepared board, how to use perspective and a distinctive Australian colour pallet. Mal shares his secrets of creating landscape with the use of an oil "glazing" technique he has developed over years of painting. Everyone is encouraged to extend themselves by exploring the medium while developing their own style and a critical eye.

We meet on the first Tuesday of the month at St David's church hall in Davies St. Bealiba, 9.30am till 1pm. Many of us bring our lunch and stay on to work on our paintings. The class is only \$5 with most of this going to the church for the use of the hall. If you want to know more check us out on face book at **The First Tuesday Painters** or drop in to the class and talk to Mal and Wendy.

Judy Meldrum



Dunolly Facebook

For those local residents who are 'on the web' you may or may not be aware that there are several Dunolly organisations that now have Facebook pages.

Friending or Following these pages is an easy way to stay up to date with local events and news.

The Welcome Record is aware of the following Facebook pages :-

The Welcome Record

Dunolly FNC

Dunolly & District History & News

Dunolly Art Group

Dunolly Gilbert and Sullivan Festival

Dunolly Primary School

Dunolly & District Lions Club

Dunolly & District Neighbourhood Centre

Dunolly Community Market Inc

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If there are any we have missed please let us know via our Facebook page!

Just a reminder to all organisations around Dunolly to please let the Welcome Record know of any events and news so we can publish your information in the paper.

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Church News

Dunolly Christian Churches

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Anglican Church Services:

St John's Dunolly Anglican Parish Service

Thursday 2 February, 10am Eucharist Father Malcolm

St David's Bealiba Anglican Services

1st and 3rd Sundays monthly at 8am

Emu Anglican Services

2nd and 4th Sundays monthly at 11.30am

Catholic Church Services:

Dunolly There will be Assembly at St. Mary's at 8.30am

Bealiba St. Patrick's 5th Sunday, Mass at 8.30am

Tarnagulla St. Francis Xavier's

Saturday 18 February 11am

Uniting Church Services:

Dunolly Uniting Church

Church Service at 9.30am, led by Pastor Joan

Bealiba Uniting Church

2nd and 4th Sundays at 11am

Laanecoorie Uniting Church

No Service

St John's Church News

Father Malcolm will be celebrating Candlemas (Presentation of Christ in the Temple) on Thursday 2 February. Mothers Union will be joining us for the service.

Trina Kay

SCRIPTURE VERSE FOR THE WEEK

*What does the Lord require of you but to do justice,
and to love kindness,
and to walk humbly with your God?.*

Micah 6:8

Uniting Church News

Pastor Joan will again lead worship on Sunday at 9.30am and the UCAFD will meet on Thursday in the Church. Our next car boot sale will be on February 11 and the Blokes Night Out on February 17.

Jim McKenzie

Catholic Church St Mary's Muse

The St. Augustine's bulletin is available on the internet.

Google Ballarat Diocese or go to -

www.ballarat.catholic.org.au

Dunolly congregation is host for the World Day of Prayer on Friday 3 March. This is only a month away.

There will be Assembly at St. Mary's Dunolly at 8.30am on Sunday 5 February.

R. Mecedry

*It is easy to say, "In God we trust,"
When life is radiant and fair,
But the test of faith is only found
when there are burdens to bear.*

Helen Steiner Rice

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Ten new trains for Maryborough

The Andrews Labor Government has introduced 10 new train services every week for Maryborough as part of a new V/Line timetable that delivers 80 extra services each week across regional Victoria.

The Parliamentary Secretary to the Premier, Colin Brooks MP, rode the first of the new services into Maryborough this morning.

The new services have been created by extending an existing Ballarat service to Maryborough in the morning and evening. Every weekday, the 9:17am train from Southern Cross to Ballarat service will run all the way to Maryborough, arriving at 11:38am. In the afternoon, a new service will depart Maryborough at 2:59pm and get to Southern Cross at 5:14pm. They are the first new Maryborough services since the former Labor Government reopened the line in 2010 after it was closed by the Liberal Party.

"Labor re-opened the line after the Liberals and Nationals closed it, and now we're adding the extra services the former Government failed to do," Mr Brooks said.

"It's part of our record investment in public transport, so people spend less time stuck on platforms, and more time with family and friends," he said.

The Member for Western Victoria, Jaala Pulford, said she had lobbied for the additional service and was pleased it had come to fruition.

"These new services will make a real difference for passengers in Maryborough, Creswick, Clunes and Talbot, giving them more choice about when and where they travel, and getting them home safer and sooner," Ms Pulford said.

The new timetable also introduces 10 additional services between Ballarat and Melbourne every week. The new services were funded in this year's State Budget, which also provided \$280 million for new regional carriages and \$198 million to rebuild V/Line after savage cuts by the former Liberal and National Government.

For more information and to plan your journey, visit ptv.vic.gov.au.

Another timetable change is scheduled for later this year, which will introduce even more regional services.

Media Release

The Rheola Hall Is Turning 100



We welcome you all to join us for an afternoon tea to help celebrate this monumental milestone in local history.

The day will be celebrated with the presentation of the official 100 years plaque and certificates to the current committee members, in acknowledgement of their contribution to the local community.

We will be celebrating this day on:

Sunday 26 February

starting at **2pm** for the official ceremony followed by afternoon tea.

Everyone is welcome to attend.

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Along Dunolly Road

Some fleeing shadows follow
As the sun goes down to rest
With shades in every hollow
Red skies light up the West
Across the gold hip valley
For a fleeting moment showed
The clumps of stunted Mallee
Along Dunolly's road

The clouds of dust are swirling
Lifted by the evening breeze
As we stroll the leaves are curling
Above the Kurrajong trees
The moon's rising in its splendour
In the dry creek's sandy bars
We hesitate in awesome wonder
At the glorious million stars

Then we sat beneath the Kurrajongs
As cold white stars look down
To listen to the night time songs
In old Dunolly town
Then out across the miner's flat
We see the dawn is lifting
A newness came over where we sat
The house fire's smoke came drifting

The sleeping town is now waking
And traffic moves about
Our sleepy heads are shaking
And morning sounds now shout
The Kurrajong leaves are now sighing
Falling like as if it snowed
Carpeting on grasses dying
Along Dunolly road
'Finis'

Ken Peake –

Cookery Corner

Microwave lemon chicken and parsley risotto

Ingredients

1 litre chicken stock
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 small brown onion, finely chopped
2 garlic cloves, crushed
2 cups Arborio rice
1 cup boiling water
1 ½ cups shredded cooked chicken
2 x 170g jars marinated artichoke quarters, drained
1 tablespoon finely grated lemon rind
½ cup roughly chopped fresh flat-leaf parsley leaves

Method

1. Place chicken stock in a heatproof, microwave-safe jug. Microwave on HIGH (100%) for 2 minutes or until hot. Cover to keep warm.
2. Combine oil, onion and garlic in a 2 litre-capacity, heat-proof, microwave-safe dish (with lid). Microwave on HIGH (100%) for 2 minutes or until the onion has softened.
3. Add rice. Stir to combine. Microwave on HIGH (100%) for 1 minute. Add 3 cups of stock. Stir to combine. Microwave, covered, on HIGH (100%) for 10 minutes or until liquid is almost all absorbed.
4. Add boiling water and the remaining stock. Stir to combine. Microwave, covered on **medium** (50%), for 5 minutes. Stir in the chicken. Microwave, covered on **medium** (50%) for 3 to 5 minutes or until almost all liquid has absorbed.
5. Stir in artichokes, lemon juice and half the lemon rind. Stand, covered, for 5 minutes or until liquid has completely absorbed. Stir in parsley. Top with remaining rind. Serve. Serves 4, Preparation 10 minutes, cook 25 minutes (plus 5 minutes standing time).

From the Super Food Ideas Magazine

Australia Day In Eddington

About 70 people joined us for our Australia Day celebration, where we raised the flag, sang the anthem (both verses) and listened to our Ambassador, Dominic Barbuto who told us of his involvement with charities over the years. He runs a lunch every month to raise funds to

provide relief arising from hardship or illness amongst the entertainment industry. Dominic is an Art director and has worked on many big productions, being on speaking terms with lots of big overseas stars.

He also spoke about how lucky we were to be free to celebrate this day however we wish.

We then presented an award to our Eddington Citizen of the year, Simon Morrison for his involvement with the hot shots junior tennis among other things.

Little Morgan Deverell from Playfair Street, was our "New Citizen" this year, and was presented with an engraved money box. We then all enjoyed a barbecue breakfast while we caught up with our neighbours.

Thank you to our shire representative, Geoff Curnow, and hall president Roy Pickering for their part in the day.

Val Morrison





MAYORAL COLUMN

Free positive parenting program for rural families

Living in Loddon Shire rewards many families with the development of close community ties, but accessing expert advice when it is most needed can sometimes prove difficult.

A new positive parenting telephone service designed to support rural families has been established to help bridge the gap.

While the new service is expected to be ongoing, it couldn't have been launched at a better time, with school holidays sometimes fraying the patience of parents, grandparents and other carers, despite their best intentions. Parenting is a set of skills that are learnt on the job and they can always be improved, so I would encourage families who are experiencing a few bumps along the way to consider taking advantage of the program which is delivered via telephone or online over a six to ten week period.

The program is designed to help families with children between the ages of 2 and 10 years, build better relationships, encourage the behaviours you want to see more of, teach children new skills to solve problems for themselves and explore ideas around setting realistic family rules.

The positive parenting telephone service is delivered by qualified parent support workers, from your home, at a time that suits you.

It is currently available free of charge to all grandparents caring for grandchildren, parents and rural families across Victoria.

You can contact the positive parenting telephone service by phoning 1800 880 660.

You can help prevent bushfires this summer

Deliberately and recklessly lit bushfires and grass fires can destroy communities, infrastructure, livestock and human life.

No matter whether it's deliberately or recklessly lit, the consequences of a bushfire can be devastating. Starting a bushfire, whether recklessly or deliberately, is a crime.

It's up to everyone to prevent bushfires and keep Victoria safe this bushfire season.

Be mindful of your activities during fire danger periods – it could be your actions that result in loss of life or property damage.

Reckless conduct can be failing to properly extinguish a campfire, using cutting, grinding or welding equipment that emits a spark, or lighting a fire on a total fire ban day. It's up to you to know the rules during fire danger periods and in fire prone areas.

If you see something or know something, say something. If you see behaviour that could lead to a bushfire, it's up to you to report it, including descriptions of anyone involved, including those who might have entered or left the scene of a fire, descriptions of any suspicious vehicles, and the time and location that the fire started.

Your information could be the key to helping the police prevent a bushfire.

Report suspicious behaviour confidentially by calling Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or report online at www.crimestoppersvic.com.au/report-a-crime/.

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Cr Neil Beattie



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IMPORTANT DATES

Bealiba CWA

Meetings 1pm Bealiba Hall, 3rd Thursday of month

Bealiba Playgroup meets every Friday from 10am to 11am in the Primary School during school terms

Bealiba Progress Association meeting,

2nd Monday each month 7.30pm Bealiba Hall

Bealiba Bingo 1.30pm in the Bealiba Hall

2nd Monday each month

Community Bus – every Friday to Maryborough and back. RTC 5468 1205

Dunolly Art Group Tuesdays at 10am at the Art Hub

Dunolly Community Garden at Pre-school:

Wednesdays 2pm AEST/5.00pm Summer

Dunolly CWA meetings 1.30pm SES rooms

1st Wednesday each month

Dunolly Day Support Tuesday and Thursdays

10.30am to 2.30pm Phone 5468 2907

Dunolly District Auxiliary

1st Monday each month at 10am Hospital Day Room

Dunolly Community Market

2nd Sunday each month 8am to 1pm- Broadway

Dunolly Field and Game meeting

1st Wednesday each month 7.30pm at 147 Broadway

Dunolly Fire Brigade meeting

3rd Monday each month 7.30pm Fire Station

Dunolly Karate Club -Pee Wee/Junior/Senior (7+ years)

Mondays 5.30-6.30pm and 6.30-7.30pm Dunolly RSL hall

Dunolly Ninjas Program - (4 to 6 years old)

Mondays from 5pm Dunolly RSL hall

Dunolly & District Lions Club meeting

2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month 6.30pm

Dunolly Neighbourhood Watch meeting

3rd Wednesday each month 10.30am Bakery

Dunolly Supported Playgroup meets Wednesday

9.30am to 11.30am Dunolly Preschool

Dunolly & District Probus Club meeting

3 Thursday each month 10am Senior Citizens Hall

Dunolly Museum meeting

3rd Monday each month 2pm 75 Broadway

Dunolly St George Lodge

4th Saturday each month

Dunolly Social Cyclists

Meet fortnightly. Call Neville for info: 5468 7295

Dunolly Historic Precinct Committee

4th Monday each month 1pm Town Hall

Dunolly Unit Vic SES meeting 6.30pm

3rd Tuesday each month.

Training every other Tuesday

Dunolly Uniting Church Messy Church

4th Wednesday each month 4.30pm to 6pm

Golden Triangle Archers

4th Sunday each month 10am behind Deledio Reserve

Ladies Only General Exercise Class Thursdays

5.15pm Dunolly RSL hall.

Ladies only Self Defense Class Thursday 6pm

Dunolly RSL hall.

Maryborough Lions Club Tourist Market

1st Sunday of every month - 8.am - 2pm

At the Maryborough Harness Racing Complex.

Mother Goose Program - every Friday during

school term at Dunolly Primary School - 9.30-10.30am

Newbridge CWA meeting Newbridge Hall

3rd Tuesday each month 1.30pm

Old Time Dancing 7.30pm Mondays

Anglican Hall Barkly Street Dunolly

Red Hat Society - Gorgeous Goldfields Gals

2nd Thursday Ripples On The Res 11.30am

RSL meeting 7pm RSL Hall Dunolly

2nd Tuesday each month - 7pm

Senior Citizens meeting

1st Monday each month 10am

Senior Citizens Carpet Bowls each Monday 1.30pm

Senior Citizens Luncheon

3rd Wednesday/month 12.30pm

Senior Citizens Card Playing

Each Tuesday at 1.30pm

Talbot Farmers Market

3rd Sunday /month 9am to 1pm

Tarnagulla Playgroup Thursday 10.30am-12 noon – behind the hall

Tarnagulla Action Group - Community Centre

3rd Monday each month 7.30pm - (*note new time*)

Tarnagulla Senior Citizens - Victoria Hall

1st and 3rd Monday of the month - 11.30am-3.30pm

Welcome Record Committee

2nd Monday each month - 2pm in the office

February

Saturday 11	Uniting Church Car Boot Sale
Sunday 12	Dunolly FNC \$1000 fundraiser Deledio reserve 12-2pm
Wednesday 15	Neighbourhood Watch AGM at Bowls Club 10.30am
Thursday 16	CG SC Public meeting Dunolly Town Hall 5.30pm
Friday 17	Blokes Night Out Dunolly Uniting Church 6.30pm

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Grants to honour the service of Western Victoria's veterans

The Andrews Labor Government is giving communities all over Western Victoria new opportunities to honour and commemorate the service of our veterans.

The Member for Western Victoria, Jaala Pulford, today opened new series of grants designed to give locals a chance to reflect on their connections with Australia's wartime history.

The Restoring Community War Memorials and Avenues of Honour Grants Program helps communities all over Victoria update tired honour rolls and avenues of honour that commemorate the service of local veterans. Grants of up to \$20,000 are available. Ms Pulford said there are more than 1200 war memorials across Victoria, and many more honour rolls.

"Of the 325 Avenues of Honour planted since World War I, approximately 50 remain but many are either overgrown or in need of repair," Ms Pulford said.

"So many Victorians have a connection with World War I and we're helping deliver the projects or activities that commemorate the war that helped shape our history, and the many wars and peacekeeping conflicts since," she said.

"We have a proud wartime history in Western Victoria and it's our duty to preserve that legacy," Ms Pulford said.

"This is a great opportunity for local organisations to complete the projects or initiatives that give our veterans the fitting commemoration they deserve," she said.

The Anzac Centenary Community Grants Program is administered by the Victorian Veterans Council and is designed to leave a lasting legacy for future generations to cherish. Grant applications can be made at www.veterans.vic.gov.au/grants before February 14th.

Jaala Pulford Press Release



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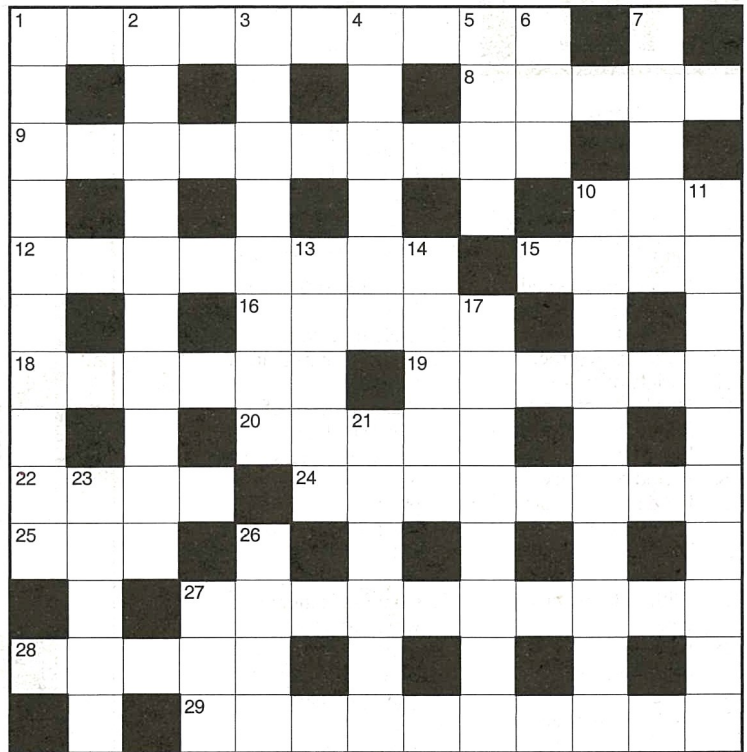
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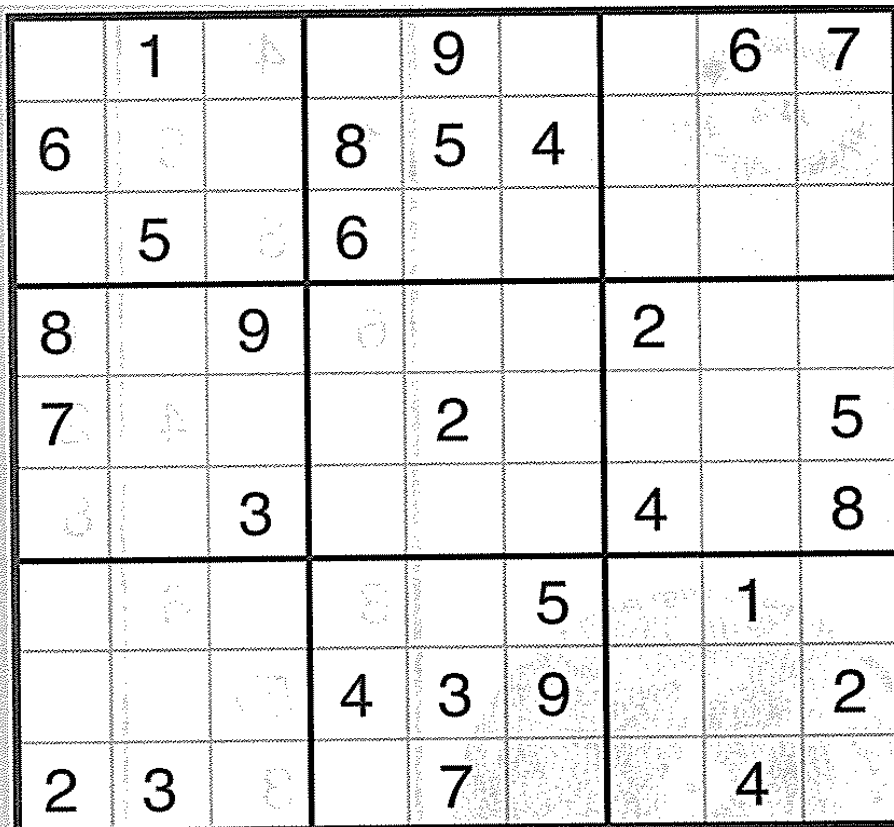
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8. Self-composure
9. Rich, crisp biscuit with high butter content
10. Membrane resembling bag
12. Of greater than usual significance
15. Soft drink flavoured with tropical seed
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18. Keen, ___ to go
19. Solidified carbon dioxide (3,3)
20. Scoop out
22. Delightfully pretty

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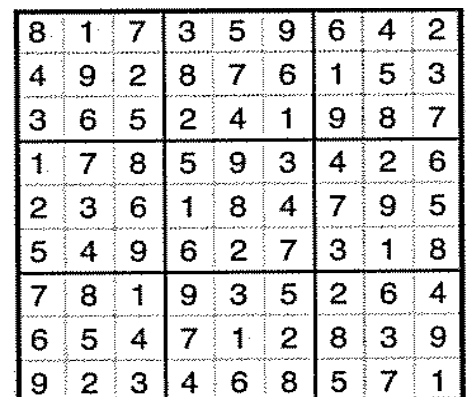
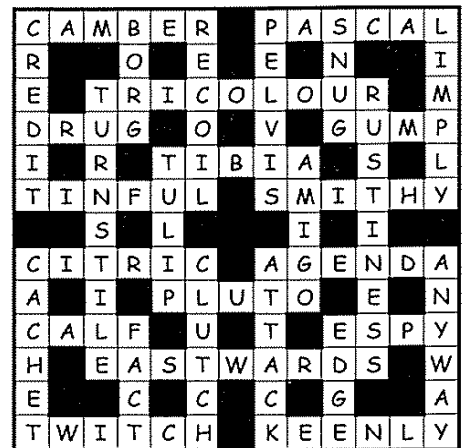
1. Branch of medicine in which a midwife is skilled
2. Wealth
3. Tempting
4. Story in ongoing instalments
5. Gem found at Coober Pedy
6. A gesture meaning 'yes'
7. Conventional
10. Concerned and considerate
11. Recklessly
13. Moulded piece of silver, eg.
14. Rock ridge below sea surface
17. Stored riches
21. Suave
23. Aristocracy, ___ class
26. Part of compound word meaning 'small'
27. Coped effectively with (as in 'we ___ all the challenges')



SUDOKU NO 38



Solutions: Crossword 143 and Sudoku 37



Classifieds and Public Notices



The Annual General Meeting of Neighbourhood Watch will be held on Wednesday 15 February 2017 at 10.30am at the Bowls Club. Everyone is welcome to attend.
R Mcreedy, Secretary

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Minelab 5000 Metal Detector complete with book and extra coil. Hardly ever used. \$3,800.
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Uniting Church Car Boot Sale

The next car boot sale will be on 11 February. The hosts for the car boot sale will be the Dunolly Golf Club with the cake and produce stall and sausage sizzle, stalls \$2.00. The Op-shop will be open with the usual bargains.

Blokes night out

You are invited to a "Blokes Night Out" on Friday 17 February at the Dunolly Uniting Church, commencing at 6.30pm.

This is a Dunolly Uniting Church initiative to enable local blokes to get together for an informal barbeque followed by a topical and informative speaker. The format will be the same, a barbeque commencing at 6.30 followed by a guest speaker. The guest speaker will be John Shay who will speak on his lifetime of digging graves in Central Victoria. This is an open night so if you have a friend or know someone who would like to come, do not hesitate to invite them. To assist with catering could you please reply by Tuesday 14 February to Jim McKenzie on 54687246 or the Op-shop.

Jim McKenzie



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Special Meetings of Council

Councillor Code of Conduct

Notice is hereby given that a Special Meeting of Council will be held at the Community Hub, 48 Burns Street Maryborough on Tuesday 14 February, 2017 at 6.00pm to adopt the Councillor Code of Conduct 2017.

Proposed Developments

Notice is hereby given that an In-Committee Special Meeting of Council will be held at the Community Hub, 48 Burns Street Maryborough on Tuesday 14 February, 2017 at 6.15pm to consider Proposed Developments (Section 89 (e) Local Government Act 1989).

Public Holiday

Melbourne Cup Day

Central Goldfields Shire Council confirms that Melbourne Cup Day, Tuesday 7 November, 2017, is a declared Public Holiday for the shire.

For further information regarding business operating hours and entitlements on Public Holidays, contact the Victorian Government Contact Centre on 1300 366 356 or www.vic.gov.au.

We want to hear from you

Developing the new Council Plan

Residents of Central Goldfields Shire are urged to have their say on a plan that will guide the Council's priorities for the next four years.

Each new council must develop a new Council Plan that reflects its vision and strategic directions that will guide the term of office.

Mayor Geoff Lovett said "Community views are vitally important to help understand community aspirations. Extensive consultation will be conducted over upcoming months; please have your say.

"Council wants to hear from residents about what they love about living in the Shire; about priorities over the next four years; and things they would like to see changed", said the Mayor.

"Council will be conducting community consultations in each of Carisbrook, Dunolly, Maryborough and Talbot and there will be plenty of opportunity to provide feedback via Council's website and Facebook page and, you can still simply write to us".

Details of community consultations session are as follows:

Talbot Town Hall – Wednesday, 15 February 2017
5:30pm

Dunolly Town Hall – Thursday, 16 February 2017
5:30pm

Maryborough Community Hub – Monday, 20 February 2017 5:30pm

Carisbrook Senior Citizen's Hall – Thursday, 23 February 2017 5:30pm

To view the current Council Plan (2013-2017) to gain an appreciation of a Plan's content, please visit Council's website.

Funding opportunity for sports clubs

A VicHealth initiative

VicHealth is offering a community sporting club grant for *Access to Drinking Water in Community Sport*. This is to increase the supply of free drinking water through the purchase of a water drinking fountain with a water bottle refill tap.

Community clubs that are successful in their application will receive funds to purchase a drinking water fountain with a water bottle refill tap. Clubs can receive up to \$5,000 to purchase a fountain with a refill tap, including delivery costs. Within this \$5,000, clubs may request a maximum of \$500 for marketing, promotional, or other publicity activities to help promote the water station to the community.

Grant applications close 28 April 2017.

For further information see the VicHealth website.

2017 program unveiled

Central Goldfields Art Gallery

The Central Goldfields Art Gallery is excited to unveil the 2017 exhibition program. This year's calendar features diverse content from both local artists and artist from further afield, tackling historic and contemporary ideas.

The *Golden Textures* Contemporary Art Quilt Exhibition returns in February 2017. Again curated by international award-winning textile artist Jenny Bacon, the exhibition will feature 22 of the best quilters from across Australia. The gallery's 2015 *Golden Textures* exhibition travelled to the United Kingdom and France, so this is a must see.

A major travelling exhibition from the Shrine of Remembrance will be on exhibition in the gallery over the Anzac Day period. This moving and educative exhibition features photographs from the First World War along with interactive displays and local historic artefacts. Supplementing the exhibition, a lecture will be held by award winning author and historian Joan Beaumont.

During June, the gallery is turned over to the youth of the Central Goldfields Shire to exhibit painted biographical portraits. The exhibition will give young people in our region a voice to acknowledge significant people in their lives, while showcasing their fresh and exciting artistic talent.

In conjunction with the launch of our 2017 program, the gallery is excited to unveil a new oversized reproduction of Noel Tunks' local landscape painting in the gallery window. The former Maryborough art teachers' eye-catching painting is a key work in the Central Goldfields Art Gallery collection. It is also indicative of our district's landscape, plus celebrating a local artistic icon.

Drop into the gallery and pick up your free 2017 Program.

Central Goldfields Art Gallery, located in the Old Fire Station, Neill Street, Maryborough is open from Thursday to Sunday, 10am to 4pm. Entry is free.



Mid-Week Pennant Teams Tuesday 7 February 2017

Dunolly Blue plays Talbot at home

L Parker	H Freemantle	H Davies
F Nielsen	P Shay	H Weir
B Cann	A Raven	T Galofaro
G Dobbin	J Smith	N Stevens

Manager: Heather Freemantle

Set-up: Loretta Parker

Dunolly Gold plays Avoca at Avoca

E Murphy	S Chaplin	L Whiley
M Mortlock	H Cooper	N Pike
M Shay	K Stephens	J Haig
A Larpent	W Stephens	D Spiteri

Manager: Lesley Whiley

Cars; N Pike, L. Whiley

Leave Dunolly at 8.45am

Emergencies: Frank D'Unieville, Don Coe

O'Halloran pairs to be played on Thursday 16 February. Names required for 100up. Please put your names on the board.

Results January 31

Dunolly Blue lost to Highland Tartan 65 to 79

Dunolly Gold lost to Carisbrook 69 to 75

Dunolly Bowling Club Pennant Teams Saturday 4 February 2017

Division A1 Round 1

Dunolly Blue at Talbot Gold

G Dobbin	T Galofaro	B Cann
W Curson	G McHugh	C Williams
G Davies	A Weir	R Chandler
J Smith	S Rogers	A Larpent

Manager: Chris Williams

Cars Skips leaving at 12.30

Division A2 Round 1

Dunolly Gold at Dunolly V Maldon

B Lanfranchie	Roy Pickering	T Long
A Britten	J McHugh	P Freemantle
I Flett	E Weir	J Haig
K Elliott	S Howard	P Waters

Manager: Roy Pickering

Division 2 Round 12

Dunolly Green at Dunolly V Golf Gold

K McKenzie	K Nielsen	A Deason
H Freemantle	M Davies	B Henderson
G Cain	W Stephens	D Mortlock
S Shay	J Lacey	N Stevens

Dunolly Red at Dunolly V MHS Black

D Price	S Chaplin	P Shay
D Coe	N Pike	H Weir
K Stephens	R Cain	R Weir
F D'Unieville	D Conlan	D Spiteri

Manager: Sandra Chaplin

Emergency: Elaine Murphy, Heather Cooper, Alice Raven, Mavis Shay

Saturday Pennant Results Round 11

Dunolly Blue 64 defeated MHS Tartan 62

Dunolly Gold 80 defeated Avoca Red 74

Dunolly Green 81 defeated Avoca Gold 66

Dunolly Red 55 lost to Talbot White 83

The annual Phelan's Funeral Service, Australia Day Combined Fours event was held on Thursday and was won by the team skipped by Loretta Parker.

All players are reminded that if they have entered the club games, please ensure that your games are played promptly so that other games are not delayed.

Alan Larpent



DNFC NEWS

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Thanks to everyone in the town who has come out and supported the Club, demonstrating the big heartedness that exists in Dunolly.

The \$1000 Draw is on 12 February from 12pm to 2pm. Tickets at \$25 are available to anyone over 18 years of age and are available from Dunolly Quality Meats or Dunolly Bakery. There will be a free BBQ and drinks. A Family Day will be held on 15 March and everyone is invited to attend. There will be a jumping castle; races for the children and perhaps the adults also. An Auskick activity will be held prior to the free BBQ lunch. A raffle will be held for a sports pack. Please contact Billie Goodwin at Dunolly Quality Meats if you require further information.

Pre-season training has commenced for both netball and football. The Club is looking for netballers and footballers both adults and children to join the Club. Please contact Team Manager, Jen Mitchell on 0447 219 420 or Senior Coach, Darren Smith on 0419 382 371

Marion Da Costa
Secretary



Bobcat of Bendigo

Junior Football

The first Dunolly FNC junior training for 2017 will be on Thursday 2 February from 5.00 until 6.00, all junior age groups come along, Girls are welcome in both age groups! We'll work out what teams we have, and what age groups you're in along the way. Please be a part of you're local footy club guys, no year is more important than another, but if you've ever wanted to play football, or your wondering if you should keep playing... YOU DEFINITELY SHOULD... Dunolly needs its junior teams more than ever.

Emma Jago

Young Farmers Scholarship

Dunolly farmer, Daniel Mullins, has been successful in furthering his farming capabilities, receiving a scholarship for agricultural training and study.

At 34 years of age he has been running the family farm since his father passed away six years ago and his main goal is to make the farm more productive and to gain more knowledge which will help him make better decisions.

The scholarship was advertised in the newspaper in July last year and Mr Mullins thought he fitted the criteria and might as well give it a go.

"I was surprised when I got it and very grateful."

Before he went back to farming, he did a motor mechanics traineeship and had other odd jobs related to farming including being a roustabout working with sheep.

The course he has chosen is Lifetime Ewe Management and runs for two years, although the group needs five other farmers to be able to run and he is currently looking for other farmers who might be interested.

Mr Mullins farms sheep, lucerne and has a small amount of cropping.

The farm has been in the family for 100 years and he is the fourth generation to manage it.

"I encourage all young farmers to apply for these scholarships, its well worth it."

To find out more about the course contact Rural Industries Skills Training in Hamilton. Ph. 557340943

Story by Kathryn Duxbury,
Courtesy Carisbrook Mercury



Daniel Mullins from Eddington
Central Goldfield's recipient of a Young Farmer
scholarship



DFNC Netball Coaching team for 2017

The club is very excited to announce the DFNC netball coaching panel for 2017.

Katie Lovel will take the helm as A and B Grade coach, while we welcome back the experience of Sarah Reeves as C Grade coach. The 17 & under and 15 & under teams will be under the guidance of David Clausen and Billie Goodwin will guide our young 13 & under team. All coaches come with vast experience and have clear goals for our teams and a strong vision for our netball club. Training for seniors is Wednesday at 6.30pm. Juniors will begin training with an information session for everyone coming soon.

from Dunolly FNC Facebook page