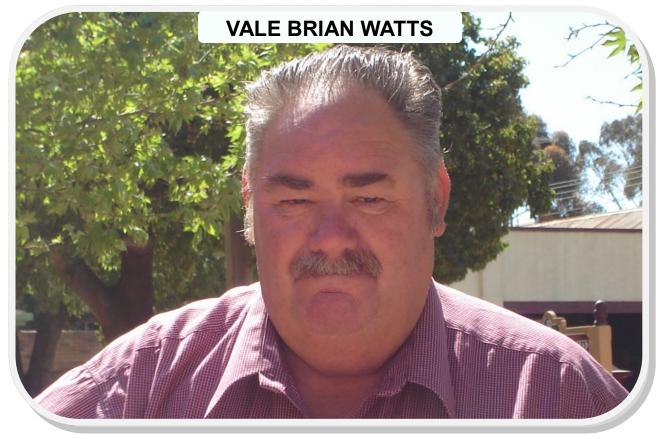
# The Welcome Record

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Brian was born in Dunolly on 10th December, 1944 to David and Elsie Watts of South Dunolly. He was the youngest of fourteen children. Brian joined his brothers and sisters at school in Bromley and later went to Maryborough Tech. Shortly after the death of his father he began an apprenticeship at P&N.

Brian was a keen sportsman, playing golf. He was a member of the Dunolly Golf and Eddington Golf Clubs. He was well-known for helping newcomers improve their game, running many mini-clinics. In later years he became a very active member of the Dunolly Bowls Club daily spending hours helping the group of green keepers prepare the greens. He played pennant bowls and was well known throughout the district.

Brian was a very keen bird watcher and spent many hours wandering the bush counting various species. He was always willing to take interested people out with him showing wild orchids and birds. He volunteered at Gluepot Sanctuary, South Australia, a couple of times acting as the ranger.

Brian could regularly be seen at BBQs. For years he and Keith McKenzie cooked for the market at the Uniting Church and for the men's teas. Until recently he also cooked for the Field and Game Shoot. He was very proud of his efforts cooking BBQ.

Brian will be remembered by many in the community for his active participation, willingness to help others, his friendly personality, and very dry sense of humour.

During the last few weeks he was frequently asked by medical staff, "How are you?" he would answer, "I'm alright!" I kept waiting for the rest of his saying, "But the rest of the world isn't!".

Brian will be missed by his remaining three brothers and three sisters and numerous nieces and nephews.

Jan and Fred Watts

#### **THANK YOU**

On behalf of the Watts family, I would like to sincerely thank the many members of the Bowling Club for taking the time to visit Brian as he moved around from hospital to hospital. A special thank you to those who volunteered to pick him up when we were unable to travel to Melbourne. A huge thank you to the many persons and organisations who helped him out during his life and more recent illness.

Words can't express our gratitude to the wonderful nurses at the Dunolly and Maryborough Hospitals for the care and love they displayed in caring for him during his quite Thank you to Dr Rauf Soomro for lengthy stays. overseeing his medical care.

Our thanks to Leanne for organising all Brian's appointments and transport. A special thanks for using your days off to make sure that he got to the various medical personnel for treatment.

We are very grateful for all the care, love and support we have received during these sad times.

Jan and Fred Watts

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#### ROSIE'S RAMBLE

I decided to make pancakes for tea the other night and for once got out the recipe book to do it "properly". Don't know why, as I have made them hundreds of times out of my head. The recipe tried to tell me that you could make a batter out of a cup of flour and nine tablespoons of milk and an egg. You can't, but you can make a large dumpling - not a success as a meal.

We have heard about the Beast from the East in Europe huge weather event that has covered many countries, from Russia to Ireland, with snow. There was one amusing story from England. A snail race had been organised to raise money for a charity. When the snails were lined up, they took one look at the weather, said "Blow this for a joke", pulled their head and body into their shells and went into hibernation. The race was called off. Went to church a bit early last Sunday so I could give the resident spiders something to do during the week by removing their webs from the pews. I could hardly believe my ears when a train whistle sounded as I approached the crossing on Broadway and the red lights started flashing. It is years since I have had to stop there for a train. There was not another car in sight - I could see all the way through the town and behind me as well. The train came slowly from the Dunolly station, pulling about 30 trucks behind it. I had plenty of time to admire the graffiti on the side of the trucks; some of it is even artistic. Someone called Emily starred in many texts. I think she and her mates Terry and Avah were just plain vandals. One text even said, "Graffiti is a crime Emily". Either a message to Emily or from her, as punctuation is not a strong point for graffitists.

This "No bonking" law seems to have reduced parliamentarians to the level of primary school-kid giggling behind the shelter-shed. For heaven's sake, someone make sure that Mickie takes the tablets before going in to senate meetings.

Rosie



#### **HOW NOT TO RELAX --**

Wear unnatural fabrics and roll wildly around on nylon carpet.

Kaz Cooke

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#### **LETTERS TO EDITOR**

Dear Editor

#### **ERF and Direct action review 2017**

Our future well-being is put at risk and local farming opportunities may be missed if important reviews of government climate policy are released only to be ignored.

On the last day of the 2017 Federal parliament, December. Thursday 7th our parliamentary representatives wished one another well and left to enjoy the Christmas season. The following Monday, the 2017 government review of the Abbott "Direct Action" policy, the Emissions Reduction Fund (ERF) was released. Eight days later on 19th December, a review of Climate Change Policies was also released. Of course, these reviews, published at this time of the year did not make the news, despite their importance in ensuring government policies minimise the climate change risk of our carbon emissions.

Several concerns arise from the ERF review. One is that a significant part of the "Direct Action" plan, put before the electorate in 2011, has not eventuated.

The 2010 "Direct Action" policy document claimed that a major plank of the strategy was to sequester large amounts of carbon in soils.

"This is a once in a century replenishment of our soil carbon." and, "Farmers will be entitled to tender for all verified new additions in soil carbon beyond the commencement of the fund" (pg.17 The Coalition's Direct Action Plan 2010) The National Farmers' Federation submission to the ERF review explains that for most farmers the policy has not resulted in ERF payments.

The overhead costs of implementing any approved farming methods and the financial risks (such as reduced productivity), particularly in replenishment of soil carbon, have meant that farmers have not participated. (p. 14 ERF review).

Other concerns that are listed in the 120 page ERF review relate to complex ideas the policy includes. Examples of these are, the idea of permanence, the safeguard mechanism, and problems with abatement such as how "tax payers could, in effect, pay twice for the same abatement" (p. 43) as well as unintended consequences of the policy such as, "ERF vegetation projects could also lead to an increased fire risk" (p.44). It is important then, that our local Federal MP both brings these reviews to our attention and explains how the government will respond to minimise climate change risk. He might also try to explain how our local farmers can in future benefit by participating in the "once in a century "soil carbon replenishment that was promised in 2011.

#### Documents referred to above:

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Dear Editor

#### Carisbrook Town Hall

At question time at the February meeting of the Central Goldfields Shire, an Administrator admitted that they had no idea how much money had been spent on the Carisbrook Town Hall since the flood. The explanation was that it would take three days for one staff member to compile a file and they were not prepared to do that. This is the greatest admission so far that the shire's books are not in order.

Previously, an Administrator stated that there is no missing flood money as the money is all accounted for. Doesn't this contradict the above paragraph?

At this very same meeting, a report was tabled outlining a \$1.35M cost for repairing and renovating the Carisbrook Town Hall. The Administrators said they expected the Carisbrook community to help pay for this. Surely if you want the confidence of the community you must first be open and honest about the past.

John Tully, Carisbrook

### Travels with Cynthia

A few people who have been reading my travel articles have commented on the narrow escapes we had in difficult situations, usually involving scary men. Those were isolated incidents, but although we had our fair share of drama, there were far more occasions when we were carried away by the novel and exciting events and places we encountered.

One which I will never forget is Grace Kelly's wedding



and no, we were not invited guests, but we might as well have been because the Rinaldis encouraged all the residents of Monaco to participate and that had to include the tourists.

Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier were

married in a little church in the middle of the city, so we were all able to gather around and in front of the steps as the newly-married couple emerged. We had also been able to see Grace arrive with her bridal party. She looked so radiant with her statuesque carriage and such calm and beautiful features.

Afterwards the gates of the famous Pink Palace were opened to the public so everyone could see all the famous guests arrive. I remember seeing Cary Grant and Ava Gardner and many more well-known stars of the day. Later that evening we girls went down to the Casino to see more glamour, and of course we did.

The news of Grace Kelly's tragic death in a car accident totally shocked me. I had loved all her films and followed her life's story. Such a sad ending.

Cynthia Lindsay

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#### Pet registration renewals due 10 April

If you're a dog or cat owner in the Loddon Shire, you will shortly receive a notice regarding registration renewals for your pet/s. Registration renewals are due by Tuesday 10th April 2018.

Every dog and cat over the age of three months must be registered. If you are registering your dog or cat for the first time, you must provide Council with evidence that your pet has a microchip. You will also be provided with a lifelong registration tag for your pet.

Registering a cat or dog helps improve the chances of your pet being returned should it become lost. Microchipping dogs and cats also helps Council reunite you with your pet if it happens to lose its registration tag and becomes lost. The microchip allows Council officers to scan your pet and obtain your contact details.

It's also important to make sure you keep your pet's microchip details up to date. Microchip details can be updated online through the Central Animal Register at www.car.com.au

Dogs registered with Council as farm working dogs do not require a microchip nor have to wear a registration tag while they are working. For a definition of a farm working dog visit <a href="http://agriculture.vic.gov.au/pets/puppy-farm-legislation">http://agriculture.vic.gov.au/pets/puppy-farm-legislation</a>.

If your dog or cat is no longer with you, please let Council know so they can update their records and ensure you no longer receive registration renewals for that pet.

For more information on registering your pet, visit www.loddon.vic.gov.au or phone Council's Local Laws staff on 5494 1200.

#### Autumn firewood collection season open

The Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning (DELWP) has announced that the Autumn Firewood Collection Season for 2018 is now open until Saturday 30th June. The season, which started on Thursday 1st March, means it will be legal to collect

firewood from designated collection areas in state forests or parks (where collection is allowed).

Interactive maps showing designated collection areas are available at <a href="www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood">www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood</a> or call 136 186 to find out more.

People are reminded to ensure they stay within collection limits – a maximum of two cubic metres per person per day and a maximum of 16 cubic metres per household per financial year. The felling of any trees for firewood is strictly prohibited.

DELWP and Parks Victoria staff will be patrolling parks, forests and reserves to make sure people are doing the right thing while collecting their firewood. Infringement notices, fines or even imprisonment can apply to those who don't obey firewood collection regulations.

It's also important to check whether a firewood collection area is part of the autumn planned burning program, which may require affected firewood collection areas to be closed at short notice. Go to <a href="https://www.ffm.vicvic.gov.au/plannedburn">www.ffm.vicvic.gov.au/plannedburn</a>, download the VicEmergency app or call 1800 226 226.

For more information and updates visit <a href="https://www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood">www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood</a>, or call 136 186. You can also call this number to report any information to DELWP about illegal removal of firewood for sale.

#### Long weekend events

With the Labour Day long weekend coming up, it's a great time to be part of events in the Loddon Shire, or just get out and about and enjoy the autumn weather. Get your long weekend started at Wedderburn's annual wine tasting event WEDD'RWINEFEST on Friday 9th March from 7pm to 10pm at the Senior Citizens Hall. On Saturday 10th and Sunday 11<sup>th</sup>, the 2018 Wedderburn Jamboree will take place at Hard Hill Tourist Reserve. \$35 for one day. Non-participants are free.

Finally, if you've never had a chance to visit one of the markets in our Shire, do so at your earliest opportunity.

For more information on any of the events this weekend, visit www.loddon.vic.gov.au,

Visitor Information Centre on 5494 3489.

**Christine Coombes** 



Being CreateAble with Heather

#### **Card Making Classes in Laanecoorie**

14<sup>th</sup> March 10.30am and 7.30pm create 4 unique cards for only \$15 Contact Heather on 54357374 or 0402739343 to book your place

Check out the cards and other classes at <a href="https://www.mccarrthyheather.blogspot.com.au">www.mccarrthyheather.blogspot.com.au</a>

Come and check out the Picture to Page PaperCraft show in Kangaroo Flat on 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> March.

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# Staff join forces to raise money for Cancer Council

A team of Central Goldfields Shire Depot staff have joined forces to raise money for the World's Greatest Shave. Glenn Olsson, Mario Spiteri, Fred

McKenzie, Chante Olsson, Aaron Purcell, Craig McClure, Glenn Deaker, Ralph Williams, Trevor Young and Charlie Camilleri have all put their hand up to participate.

Vic Hvala will also have his 30 year old beard shaved if \$1,000 is raised. The shave will take place at the Station Domain on Wednesday, 14 March.

The World's Greatest Shave is one of Australia's biggest fundraising events and is celebrating its 20<sup>th</sup> year.

Blood cancer is the third most common cause of cancer death in Australia, claiming more lives than breast cancer or melanoma. Every day another 35 people will be diagnosed.

When you make a donation to the World's Greatest Shave you are giving families facing blood cancer the emotional and practical support they need.

You are also funding vital research that will help more people survive blood cancers like lymphoma, leukaemia and myeloma, while improving their quality of life.

Donations can be made at the following links:

To sponsor Vic Hvala visit:

http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/vichvala

To sponsor the Depot Crew visit:

http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/cgscdepotcrew

# Open invitation for residents to have their say

Residents will have the chance to share their thoughts and ideas for the future of the Central Goldfields Shire community, as part of a new community consultation program adopted at an Ordinary Meeting of Council on Tuesday 27th February. The feedback will inform a refresh of the Council Plan and other future strategic planning work.

The Council Plan already includes a diverse range of strategic objectives that were formulated as a result of a robust consultation program held early last year. The refresh will build further on this.

Residents will be asked to tell us: what they love about the Shire; what they imagine for the future of the Shire and what specific results they would like to see.

A postcard will be made available at all townships across the Shire with feedback boxes for residents to return their postcards to us.

Central Goldfields Shire Chief Administrator Noel Harvey said the Have Your Say campaign was an open invitation for the community to join the discussion and share their ideas with us.

"The campaign provides residents of all ages with a quick and easy platform to provide feedback, no matter what their age or location.

"Your thoughts and ideas will help us build a road map that will guide this Council as we update the Council Plan and develop an extensive amount of strategic planning work over the next three years.

"I encourage all residents to join the discussion by taking a few minutes to complete a postcard and returning it to us."

The "Have Your Say" campaign will run for four weeks during April. Feedback will be made available to the community in May/June.

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# Dunolly Arts News

A lot is happening in the lead up to the Tiny Towns Arts Trail at the end of April.

'Red Dog on Broadway' begins with weekly Saturday workshops in the Tennis pavilion this Saturday.... FREE! All materials are supplied. Celebrate the dogs in our lives... paint a picture, make a model, paint a banner... bring your ideas along!

Deborah Halpern will be installing her exhibition in the Courthouse during the last week in March, with it opening at Easter...and she is also leading a workshop to make a mosaic panel at the Ministry of Fun over the Easter weekend. It's an opportunity to work with one of Australia's most celebrated sculptors, and experience her wealth of knowledge.

Later in April, we will be hosting David Archer, a sculptor from South Australia to give us more workshops...making moving mechanical sculptures... Automata. Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April will be for 11-14 year olds, making Wacky Wire Critterbugs; insect-inspired moving sculptures. Then we have a 5-day workshop for adults - no experience is necessary. Check out the Ministry of Fun's newly updated website for more details about these and more! www.ministryoffundunolly.com.au

And don't forget the fabulous Re:create Re:cycle Runway recycled clothing event, with a workshop at the Arts Hub on 31st March! Details from Lynda Vater – 0418 875 453. There is no shortage of arts activities.

Anna Ashton



#### FEEDING YOUR GARDEN TO GROW BUMPER CROPS

Come to a Soil Workshop by gardening and farming expert Helen Lovel from NEUTROG.

The company produces a range of fertilizers and soil crop additives for commercial crops and home gardens. There will be product giveaways available for all attendees.

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94 Maude Street Dunolly Monday 19<sup>th</sup> March - 5.30pm to 7.00 pm



Workshop will be followed by pizzas.







#### Help our volunteers update town websites

Local businesses, organisations and people that run events in the Shire are being

encouraged to help update information on locally-run town websites.

A meeting on 13th February in Serpentine brought together tourism groups and progress associations to discuss their town's websites, including Tarnagulla, Wedderburn, Inglewood, Pyramid Hill and Boort.

A common theme identified at the committee website meeting was the lack of updated information provided to volunteers to keep town websites current.

Loddon Shire Council's Tourism and Marketing Officer Robyn Vella said the need to bring together members running town websites was identified as an action from a Loddon Valley Collaboration Workshop held last December.

"While the tourism group or progress association pays for the hosting of a town's website, keeping the information up-to-date is completely voluntary," Mrs Vella said.

"These volunteers do a magnificent job helping encourage visitation and new residents to the area. But they can't do it on their own - they really need that information from businesses, events and organisations to ensure these websites continue to showcase our towns in the Shire."

Contact details of tourism groups and progress associations responsible for town websites are listed on the Loddon Shire website at www.loddon.vic.gov.au. Search for "Community Directory", and then select "Development, progress and tourism groups" from the dropdown Category box on the Community Directory page.

A number of tourism associations are also listed on the Council website as Section 86 Committees. To find the contact details of these tourism associations, search for "Section 86 committees" on Council's website and choose the "Council committees (Section 86)" page from the search results.

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"We're really urging the community to be proactive. If you have a business, run an organisation or an event please provide the correct and updated details," Mrs Vella added. "This is all about working in partnership to promote our towns by presenting the most current information possible."

**Christine Coombes** 



#### All Day on Broadway

When you go past All Day on Broadway, colloquially known as Dunolly Fish and Chip Shop, you can't help noticing the brightly painted tables and chairs which really stand out. Karmilla, who runs the business, has given the place a facelift and extended the menu to offer a comprehensive breakfast menu plus a variety of lunch and dinner items in addition to the regular fish, chips, hamburgers etc. There are salads, a seafood platter, pancakes, pizzas and many more. All items are available to eat in or take away. Of course Karmilla offers espresso coffee, cold drinks, milk shakes and ice creams. The Café opens from Wednesday to Sunday and four friendly, helpful staff are there to serve you and take care of all your needs. Cynthia Lindsay



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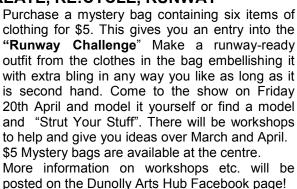


#### ADIRONDACK CHAIR WORKSHOPS

Adirondack chairs are very popular and look great around the fire pit, on your verandah or in the garden, but they can be very expensive. So why not make your own? A weekly (until finished, could be six

weeks?) course on making an Adirondack chair will start on Saturday 14th April from 10am till 2pm and will cost \$40 all inclusive. Registrations are essential (register as early as possible) as there are limited spaces and payment must be made by Thursday 22nd March.

#### RE:CREATE, RE:CYCLE, RUNWAY



https://www.facebook.com/artshubdunolly/

The Neighbourhood Centre is about community. inclusion, health and wellbeing so be a part of it! Want to know more about the Neighbourhood Centre? Email: admin@dunnhc.com.au Ring 5468 1511 Or call in; the kettle is always on the boil. We are the building on the right of Dunolly hospital, top





We have some busy times ahead at the hub. We applied for, and received, a grant from the Regional Centre for Culture. This will be used to hire two wearable art and upcycling artists to teach workshops leading up to the Re:Create Re:Cycle Runway Show in April as part of the Tiny Towns Arts Trail 2018.

We hope to inspire and mentor the artistic streak in you. These workshops will be free of charge and we hope to see you all there. There really is something for all skill levels to participate in, from decorating hats, shoes and handbags, to the mystery challenge bags (transform six random garments into a runway outfit), right up to letting your pure imagination fly to put together an haute couture creation from recycled materials. For more information please call Lynda 0418 875 453.

We are very excited to announce the first set of workshops coming to the Hub, starting with Ballarat based Bianca Flint from the Wardrobe Green on Saturday 31st March at 1pm-3pm.

Join Bianca Flint - Fashion Stylist and Preloved Fashion Advocate - for an afternoon of upcycling fun! Be inspired to revive and modernise garments using simple and effective techniques. Guests are invited to bring along one or two garments from their own wardrobe to refashion into new and stylish pieces! No sewing or crafting experience necessary. Free Workshop.

We then have Lauren Murray's Upcycling Style Workshop on 14th April at 1pm-3pm. This Melbourne Fashionista and Stylist will be hosting a workshop on upcycling a man's shirt into a wearable stylish garment. All welcome - Free Workshop.

There is also more to come, so please visit our Facebook page Dunolly Arts Hub to keep abreast with all that's happening at the Hub.

May will bring us the **Dawn Lim** Workshop Classes in Landscapes in Acrylics. The classes will be fortnightly starting on 5<sup>th</sup> May, 10.30am – 2pm with a half hour for lunch. Cost \$50 for the first class, then if you bring your own equipment and paints, the following sessions will cost \$25.

So you can jot May 5th/19th and June 2nd/16th in your diaries.

We will also be having the 'getting your art mojo back' art based exercises to getting your confidence back to put brush to canvas, learning new techniques to unlock your artistic potential and having fun with all art mediums. These classes will start in May but as yet we have not locked in dates, but you are welcome to book a place by calling Lynda at The Hub on 0418 875 453. Remember Tai Chi is on Tuesday at 10am, Thursday at

9am and Friday evening at 6pm.

Mystery Bags for the Challenge can be purchased for \$5 and picked up from either the Arts Hub on Mondays 10am-2pm or the NHC Monday to Thursdays 9am-2pm, or just give Lynda a text/call and she can organise a pick up.

Lynda Vater



#### **Dunolly Christian Churches**

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#### **Anglican Church Services:**

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> March 10am Eucharist Canon Heather St John's Dunolly Service

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1st and 3rd Sunday of the month at 8.00am

#### **Catholic Church Services:**

Dunolly, St. Mary's

Mass 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month at 8.30am Assembly 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month at 8.30am

Bealiba St. Patrick's

Mass 5th Sunday of the month at 8.30am

**Tarnagulla St. Francis Xavier's**Mass Saturday 17th March 11am

#### **Uniting Church Services:**

Sunday 11th March 9.30am Musical celebration with Heiner Bauch

#### **Catholic Church St Mary's Muse**

There was a good turn-up at the World of Prayer service on Friday evening. Thank you to those who read for St. Mary's—some at short notice. The auction of St. Francis Xavier's was held on Saturday. The church and contents were all sold. The money will be used for projects in the Parish. Mass will be at St. Mary's, Dunolly at 8.30am on Sunday, 11th March. There will be Mass at St. Francis Xavier's Tarnagulla on Saturday 17th March at 11am. BYO chair ??

R. Mecredy

Your heavenly Father knows your needs. He will always give you all you need from day to day. Luke 12:30-31

#### St John's Church News

The Right Reverend Bishop Matt our new Bishop will be coming to Dunolly on Sunday June 10<sup>th</sup> to conduct the Eucharist. More about this event later.

Trina Kay

#### SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE WEEK

God spoke these words and said:
'I am the Lord your God, who brought you out
of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery;
you shall have no other gods before me.'

Exodus 20:1



#### **Uniting Church News**

Heiner Bauch will lead us in Prayer and song for our musical celebration service come and enjoy it with us.

On Saturday 10th March will be our car-boot sale in the Church grounds. The C.W.A will be hosts for the day so come and support them by buying their cakes and goods. Our rehearsal has started for the 'ALIVE' cantata every week after Church on Sundays. Please feel free to come and sing with us, you are most welcome.

'ALIVE' will be performed on Sunday April 1st at 10am after our Communion Church service.

The Op-shop will be open too with many bargains.



On Tuesday our Op-shop is open on from 10am to 2pm and Bible Study starts at 2.15 pm.

Thursday and Friday it is open from 10am to 4pm. Come in and see our big range of things and clothes.

Dame Kate Campbell wrote this in 1982
'I have learned three things in my life;
firstly, you can't have everything;
secondly, nothing is for nothing - you (or somebody else)
has to pay for everything;
thirdly, there's a back and a front, a good side and
a bad side, to everything.

I thought I would share this with you this week , it is so true! God Bless you all. Jean Richardson



#### **Uniting Church Car boot sale**

The Dunolly CWA will host the Car boot sale on Saturday 10th March with a cake and produce stall and sausage sizzle. Outside stall holders welcome at \$2.00 a site. The Op-shop will also be open.

Jim Mc Kenzie



#### Vale Nick Hudson

The Dunolly Gilbert & Sullivan Society is deeply saddened to learn that one of our valued members passed away on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> March. Nick Hudson, of Newstead, performed in both our *Mikado* and the *Gondoliers*. He then

had a principal role as the Counsel for the Plaintiff in our production of *Trial by Jury* last year at the Dunolly Court House. Nick was so thrilled to be performing his first starring role and he did a marvellous job of it — even writing his own words. We had a DVD of his performance during the G & S Festival that will help keep his memory alive to us. His charm and good humour shines through during the production. His sense of fun and marvellous resonating bass voice will be sadly missed by all of us in the group.

Rachel Buckley.

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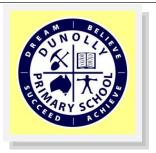


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#### Calendar

#### 2018 Term 1 March

7<sup>th</sup> Year 5 Art Excursion

8<sup>th</sup> Morning Munch

9<sup>th</sup> Division Swimming

12<sup>th</sup> Labour Day Public Holiday

14<sup>th</sup> PFA (AGM) meeting 9am

#### **Book Club Orders Close**

16<sup>th</sup> National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence

#### Sausage Sizzle

22<sup>nd</sup> Regional Swimming

#### **Finance Meeting**

26<sup>th</sup> Year 6 Derby Hill Excursion

**School Council Meeting** 

29<sup>th</sup> End Term 1

# Around school this week DUNOLLY PS WRITER'S FESTIVAL

We were very excited to be holding our very own Writer's Festival on Monday. Three exciting guest presenters worked with our students to assist them to develop ideas and characters for their writing. What makes it even more exciting is two of the presenters are LOCAL talented writers and illustrators!!

Phil Kettle is the author of the Too Cools series, local author Susan Day is the creator of Astro's Adventures and local illustrator James Stuart who has been creating his comic strip on a weekly basis will enthral our students with their different aspects of writing. This was a great day. There were some of Phil Kettle and Susan Day's books for sale.

#### SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT TEAM

Are you passionate about helping our school to be the best we can be? Would you like to have input into shaping Dunolly PS? Do you have some time to spare to be a part of a School Improvement Team? See Mrs Lovel to register your interest.

#### STUDENTS OF THE WEEK

Prep/1 – Thomas Riley
Year 1/2 – Lexi Holliday
Year 3 – Bella Polinelli
Year 4/5 – Chloe Goodwin &
Patrick Riley
Year 5/6 – Tyson Hoban
Principal's Award – Kobey Skilling

The Year 5 students had a great time yesterday learning about street art.

The students will be attending another workshop next Wednesday where they will develop a panel on behalf of our school. This final panel will become part of a moveable exhibition which will be displayed across the shire area.



#### **Badge Presentations**

Our School Captain, House Captain and Student Voice badges will be presented to students at next week's assembly; Thursday 8th March





# This week's value in focus is: Team Work

Contributes positively as a member of my group



News from the Dojo

#### KOKORO KAI

On Sunday 4th March, five local Dunolly competitors competed at the Victorian State Championships!

Local instructor and Sport Karate Coach, Troy Hoban came first in his division, winning a gold medal, and was crowned "State Champion" for 2018. He was also invited onto the Victorian State Karate Team. Although Troy is proud and happy with his results, he says the biggest achievement for him was seeing his students all do so well on the day!

Troy, along with Shihan Peter Jackson, both are very pleased with the four other competitors who also competed on the weekend.

Caitlyn Ray went onto 4 rounds, and although she didn't progress onto the finals - her biggest achievement for the day, by far, was doing "Suparinpei" for the first time ever - in a tournament - and WON! The biggest Kata in Goju Karate! Coaches Peter and Troy said it was a very proud moment!

Susie Oh missed out on going on to the next round - missing out by just one flag.

Susie continues to do a terrific job at tournaments, and keeps getting better and better! Susie was invited back onto the State team, and Caitlyn has the opportunity of trying out to represent Victoria if she chooses to.

Tyson had 24 competitors in his division, and lost to a much more experienced opponent, but took the opportunity of competing at an Elite Level as a learning experience, and now has a benchmark of what he would like to improve on and achieve in Sport Karate.

He showed great sportsmanship, and had a terrific attitude saying "it wasn't a loss, it was a lesson" and was proud to have at least won a flag at his first attempt at competing at an Elite Level!

Leah McCoy was one of 18 competitors in her division. She completed three rounds, however didn't make it through to the finals. Her results put her in the top 9 out of those 18 competitors which is an amazing effort for a competitor of her skill level, and also competing at an Elite Level.



Caitlyn Ray



Troy Hoban (with Championship medal)



Tyson Hoban.



Leah McCoy



Susie Oh

All five competitors did a terrific job at the Victorian State Championships, doing not only our dojo and the whole of Kokoro Kai, but also our Community, proud!

It was a proud moment to be talking amongst Melbourne based competitors, coaches and families. Our competitors, from a little rural town called Dunolly, mixing it in the big smoke with metropolitan Athletes! Fancy that!

Most people had NEVER even heard of Dunolly, but our competitors left a mark on the State Championships when they hit the big smoke to show them that the Karatekas in the country are chasing their tails!

We can and will achieve! Watch this space!

Some of our competitors have already marked the calendar, and are off to the Shotokan Championships in Box Hill, on 18th March.

#### A first for Loddon Valley Newbridge Craft Beer



Newbridge once again has its own branded craft beer, thanks to the initiative of former resident Mark Peters.

Mark, the son of Newbridge General Store owners Beryl and Darryl Peters, is a brewer in Bendigo, but has now created his own line of beers to be sold

at the store either on tap or bottled.

In so doing, he has revived memories of the original Newbridge Brewery, now long gone, but a thriving concern in its heyday.

The varieties Mark makes are Newbridge Pale Ale, Newbridge Weiss Beer and Riverside Honey Ale.

"We actually own the land where the old brewery once stood," he said. "That operated in the mid-1800s on a site past the hotel and down by the river.

"I've been brewing commercially for about eight years, working with Lachlan and Cameron Poyser at True Brew in Bendigo, but it's only been the past two months that I've been producing these beers for sale."

"At this stage I produce about six cartons weekly, selling either over the counter or to take away, and we move pretty much all of that.

"There's been a great response locally and I expect the growth is going to force me to expand."

Newbridge General Store first opened in 1855.

In 1905, the store, post office and Tarnagulla Inn were destroyed by fire, but the store reopened six months later after the district's original cheese factory was dismantled and relocated to the site.

"The store itself really focuses on food and drink and has done for many years – quality food at very reasonable prices," Mark said.

Loddon Shire Council is interested in hearing from any new businesses starting up in the Shire.

Businesses can add their details to Council's website business directory at :

http://www.loddon.vic.gov.au/Invest/Business-directory
Robyn Vella Loddon Shire

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#### Believe it, or not!!

I am a conspiracy theorist. There ... I've said it in public for the first time. It is important to confront one's addiction. At least that is what they tell us at Conspiracy Theorists Anonymous meetings. I don't know how I feel about admitting my obsession. Is a weight supposed to be lifted from my shoulders? Is the metaphorical monkey supposed to be removed from my back? I'm not sure, but I don't feel any different. I'm beginning to wonder ... I attend meetings once a week but they are so enjoyable that anticipating the next one is inexorably cruel. To give you an idea, here's what was said at the last get-together: "Hello, my name is Maria and I'm a conspiracy theorist."

"Hello Maria," the assembled addicts reply in unison. They can see that she is hesitant and perhaps shy and attempt to be as welcoming as possible. Maria mumbles something about not being believed.

"Speak up Maria," the moderator says. "You are amongst friends here."

Maria draws breath, steels herself and begins. "The official story about China refusing to take our recycling waste is a lie! A sham!" The addicts mutter and turn to look at each other. It can't be true they say.

Maria glares at the audience. "Our waste was never recycled in the first place! Yes, I know it is collected at the kerbside," she says pointedly, cutting off any objection. "But what happens to it afterward? Have any of you ever been to a waste recycling plant?"

The addicts murmur, "No ... no."

"Well neither have I," she admits. "But ... but," she emphasizes, "I know of a fitter and turner through a friend of a friend. His job is to keep the big machines, pulleys and belts running. He swears that the equipment is there solely to pulverize the waste - all of it, recycled or not. None of it gets sorted; the tiny bits of rubbish are loaded into giant bins in the dead of night and transported to the docks. Barges are loaded high with the stuff and towed far out to sea where it is all dumped! How else do you explain all those little pieces of plastic that end up on our beaches?" Her audience marvels at this amazing secret. Maria is flushed and breathing heavily. She sits down in her chair to the sounds of rapturous applause and cheers. "Thank you for sharing," the moderator says.

Emboldened by Maria's success, I stand up. "Hello, my name is Geoffrey and I am a C.T. (for short)."

"Hello Geoffrey," the addicts reply.

"Have you ever wondered about the electric car revolution?" I ask. "Constantly we are being told that electric cars will be here in big numbers, just as soon as the cost of production comes down and battery technology becomes smaller and lighter. Some of these cars are promised to be driverless - take you anywhere you want. What a sweetener! Do you really believe that?" The audience start shifting in their seats, poised for the big reveal.

"Some years ago there was a rumour that the global car companies were busily buying up all the patented and non-patented electric car technology so that they could continue producing their fossil-fuel guzzling monsters. Remember that? And then it all went quiet because someone released a clunker of an electric vehicle! How clever of the corporations." I have them now in the palm of my hand. I can see them salivating and their eyes shining bright.



"Well, guess what people? There will be no electric revolution! There is an oil glut - the world is awash with hydrocarbons. Where is my proof you ask? There is one simple way to verify

my theory. Next time you are out and about in your conventionally-powered vehicle, count the number of new petrol-stations being constructed on street corners. Hundreds of them are being built across Australia every day. Big Oil would not build them to sell a dwindling resource which no one is interested in. People, they sell fossil-fuel NOT power!" I raise my hands above my head to the noise of thunderous applause and stamping feet. The moderator tries to thank me for sharing but he is drowned out.

I felt really great then - still do. The glow of inclusion and adulation hasn't abated yet. The communion of likeminded individuals for mutual benefit is cathartic. Surely the meetings must be good for me, don't you think?

Martyn Barnett



# Fire Danger Period CFA Burns!

CFA and Forest Fire Management Victoria crews conduct planned burns to reduce bushfire risk to communities, the environment, important transport routes and industry. They are committed to

working closely with communities to reduce the impact of bushfire.

By working with the Bureau of Meteorology, crews only proceed with planned burning when the weather conditions, such as humidity, temperature and wind speed, are right. So plans can and do change. Other fuel management works such as clearing, mulching and slashing are part of a program to reduce bushfire risk for communities and the environment. Victoria's changing climate is bringing more hot days and less rainfall, meaning the risk of bushfires is constantly increasing. Planned burns differ in type and size, and therefore the resources required to carry them out can vary. Smaller burns are usually done to protect residential areas or for environmental regeneration, while larger burns are done to lessen the intensity of bushfires before they reach communities.

Fire crews follow careful processes before, during and after a burn, to make sure it is kept safe and controlled. Weather conditions are assessed and monitored, control lines and contingency areas are prepared; traffic control is put in place and fire crews monitor the area for several days afterwards to put out or remove smouldering material

As part of the planned burn program CFA, with other fire agencies and land managers, undertake other methods of fuel reduction such as slashing, mowing and clearing to create and maintain fuel breaks. Reducing bushfire fuel means fires are less intense, making it more likely that fire fighters can contain them before they impact on people, property and the environment. Victoria's land and fire agencies do more than planned burning to reduce fuel loads, including creating and clearing fuel breaks, mulching and slashing.

When and where planned burns are conducted is guided by community input, understanding of bushfire risk, as well as being informed by local knowledge, science and bushfire modelling technology. Planned burning in remote areas reduces bushfire fuels to help slow the spread of fires and decrease the likelihood of embers igniting new fires. It is important to carry out planned burns in remote locations, as fires can start in these areas and spread to threaten communities. CFA and Forest Fire Management Victoria take advantage of safe opportunities to burn which could occur anytime including during the school holidays, public holidays and weekends.

In recent times there have been burns completed across the region at –

- Marong approx. 2.5ha of roadside for both fire risk reduction and environmental purposed to support the listed plant species Primelea;
- Bridgewater/Inglewood approx. 5ha of road/rail corridor for fire risk reduction;
- Woodvale approx. 0.5ha for risk reduction and pest plant control;
- Clarkefield approx. 10ha to test the efficiency of gel retardant as a fire control line. This is in addition to the burn conducted in the Clarkefield area last autumn.

At the abovementioned Clarkefield burn a CFA member was heard to say that "Brigades are more than keen to treat local fire hazards, they are the community and they know where to undertake works to protect their community!"

North West Region Vegetation Management Officers (VMO's) Eain McRae and Charles Grech back that up by stating that "Their role as a VMO is to support local brigades in obtaining a burn plan and to ensure that all relevant approvals and permits to undertake the burn have been completed. CFA Brigades nominate fuel risks via their Group to the Municipal Fire Management Planning Committee to get the risk endorsed and assigned to CFA to treat via a planned burn."

"Each of these burns was well-supported by local brigades providing the opportunity for members to refresh skills and it gave new members the experience of real fire in a controlled situation in order to gain a valuable understanding of fire behaviour and suppression techniques. In addition to this, planned burns provided awareness in the community as local brigades are seen to be contributing to fire risk reduction through a proactive approach to management of fuels."

It is important to note that some burns involve the control or closure of roads when active burning or excessive smoke impacts road users. During these times traffic management will be put in place and road travel may be hazardous due to smoke and low visibility. Please take care during these situations by slowing down, turning on your headlights and obeying all traffic signs.

Planned burns may cause smoke which you may see and smell, as well as the closure of some roads and parks. If this occurs, or to find out if any planned burns are happening in your area, visit:

www.emergency.vic.gov.au, check the VicEmergency App or call the VicEmergency Hotline on 1800 226 226.

You should only call Triple Zero if you see flames and there are no fire crews present!

For further information contact – CFA North West Region Vegetation Management Officers Eain McRae on 0428 380 376 or <a href="mailto:E.McRae@cfa.vic.gov.au">E.McRae@cfa.vic.gov.au</a> Charles Grech on 0400 741 329 or <a href="mailto:C.Grech@cfa.vic.gov.au">C.Grech@cfa.vic.gov.au</a>



Maryborough Regional Library will run an additional Rhyme

will run an additional Rhyme Time session every Thursday at 2pm.

The regular 11am session will continue as normal.





#### Autumn

Autumn is colourful, the leaves are russet and gold Falling fast as the days pass and warm days turn to cold.

This is nature's down time moving into winter's dark. So enjoy this seasonal clime of abundant leaves in the park.

Take time to reflect
As the year winds down
towards shortened days
Look in wonder at Autumn's glorious gown.

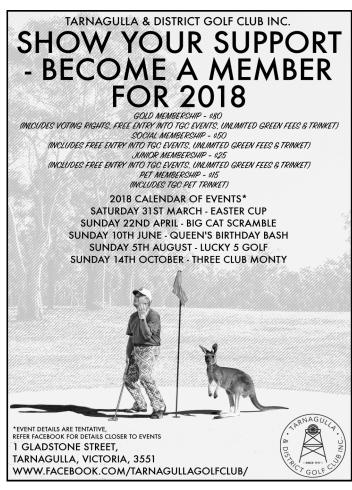
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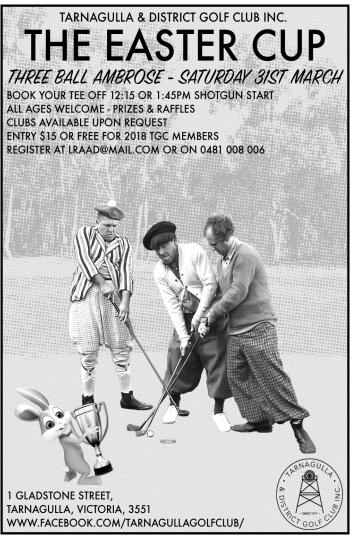
#### FUNNY FILLERS

#### Craziest Laws around the world

Aussie Laws you didn't know you were breaking:

- If you're a taxi driver in Queensland, you must carry a bale of hay in the boot of your car. (In case the car breaks down and you need a horse, perhaps??)
- Singing along to an obscene song is illegal. (Sorry, Rodney Rude!)
- In South Australia and Tasmania, it is illegal to offer a reward, no questions asked, for the return of stolen property.
  - (So is it OK if you ask the questions?)
- You mustn't leave keys in an unattended vehicle (Duh!!)
- If you live in WA, it's illegal to be in possession of more than 50 kilos of potatoes.
   (What about fish 'n' chips shops?)
- Victorians are only allowed to fly a kite or play games if it doesn't annoy anyone.
   (So how many people do you have to check with?)





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#### **BEALIBA CWA UPDATE**

We're back! And it is good to be back; to catch up with members, to chat, to laugh and to welcome new faces. We hope newcomer to Bealiba, Chris Evans, enjoyed her day at the branch and will become one of us. New members are always welcome and contrary to popular belief you don't have to be a good cook or into crafts. Generally, there is something for everyone in the CWA. With the East Wimmera Craft Exhibition (17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> March) fast approaching, I confess to feeling a tad anxious as most of my entries remain a work in progress. No doubt there are similar scenarios in other homes and husbands who are well and truly over it and keeping muttering, "How long have you had to do all this???" Well, two years go very quickly!

This year the Exhibition is being held in Birchip - a long drive from our area. On the other hand, there will be lots of wonderful, creative pieces on display covering a wide range of handicrafts. Exhibitions are also a great place to get new ideas and inspiration. So, we hope to see some locals there. Opening times at the Birchip Leisure Centre will be 10am-4pm on Saturday and 10am to 2pm on Sunday.

Quite a lot takes place in the first meeting of the year. Branches throughout the State will have voted for the cause they want to support via the Thanksgiving Fund. This year the options were Batten Disease, the Children's' Protection Society and Autism Research. It's always hard to decide as they are all worthy causes. However, we voted for Batten Disease in the hope that it will bring 'hope' to those parents with children suffering from this disease. February also saw the start of information on our new country of study, Peru. International Secretary, Jenny Lovel, spoke on the heavy, colourful clothing (made from Alpaca wool) and the distinctive bowler hats worn by the women. There was also a reminder to members to have their Working with Children check completed.

The East Wimmera Autumn Conference was held in Wedderburn this year with CWA President, Lyn Harris,

#### WAYAWA CAFE

Tarnagulla Community Centre
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in attendance. Bealiba did very well, winning two out of the three competitions. Jan Murphy for her recycled tea cosy (a lovely confection of coffee coloured doilies and lace) and Jenny Lovel for her lentil tart.

Our super organised craft convener, Jan Murphy, has given us a list of dates and crafts we will be doing throughout 2018. These include decorated potholders made from 'gripper', recycled cards, tassels and a Christmas decoration made from salt shakers (crystal/ glass).

#### **Dates for the Diary:**

Thursday 15th March - General Meeting at 10.30am in the Bealiba Hall

Friday 16th March - Entries to Birchip by 11am for judging Saturday/Sunday 17th and 18th March - East Wimmera Craft Exhibition @ Birchip

#### **Competition Winners for February**

Single Bloom First Jenny Lovel

Second Betty Lovel

Multiple Bloom First Shirley Coburn

Second Alice Pike

Competition First Betty Lovel

Second Heather Davis

Competition for March – Easter Bunny (any medium)

**Heather Davis** 



#### **DUNOLLY CWA UPDATE**

We are hosting the Uniting Church Car-boot Sale on Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> March. There will be cakes and slices and plants. There is also a raffle, of course – a \$50 meat voucher from Dunolly Quality Meats. Tickets are on sale in the street on Thursday and at the stall on Saturday. Do come and support your CWA.

R Mecredy





We all met for a lovely community lunch at Jan's on Monday 26th February and then discussed a plan for activities for the rest of the year. It took a while and much discussion, but in the end we came up with an agreeable program for the year. It is never easy to come up with ideas and then fit them into appropriate months, but somehow it all came together. But first came a wander through Jan's garden which had some green areas under sheltering trees. Most of us were amazed to see that at the end of summer. A wellstocked fish pond was also amazing as most of us had stories of fish quickly eaten by hungry birds. Jan was a very hospitable host. It was a lovely afternoon and next time the Garden Club will visit Mary Ann's place in Maryborough. We will meet at the Neighbourhood Centre and travel in together. Keep your eye on the Neighbourhood Centre column for more details. Everyone is welcome to attend the garden club. Once you attend once you are considered a member, we are a very informal group.

Vicky Frizzell



Check Fire Danger Ratings for the districts you will travel through before you leave, listen to local radio while on the road, and monitor conditions via the VicEmergency App. If you're travelling into bush or grasslands, carry a first aid kit, woollen blankets, plenty of drinking water and make sure your phone is fully charged.

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# IMPORTANT

#### 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,

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month 7.30pm Bealiba Hall

Bealiba Bingo 1.30pm in the Bealiba Hall

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday each month

Community Bus – Friday to Maryborough return.

RTC 5468 1205

**Dunolly Community Garden** at Pre-school:

Mondays 5pm-7pm daylight saving. Mondays 3pm-5pm Autumn/Winter **Dunolly CWA** meetings 1.30pm SES rooms

1st Wednesday each month

**Dunolly District Hospital Auxiliary** 

t Monday each month at 10am in PGA Room

**Dunolly Community Market** 

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday each month 8am to 1pm- Broadway

**Dunolly Field and Game** meeting

1st Wednesday each month 7.30pm at SES shed

**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 Planned Activities Group** Tuesday and Thursdays

10.30am to 2.30pm Phone 5468 2907

**Dunolly Ninjas Program** - (4 to 6 years old) Mondays from 5pm Dunolly RSL hall

**Dunolly & District Lions Club** 

For details of meetings contact Susan Marney 0438 148 879

Or Luke Williams 0415 104 044

**Dunolly Neighbourhood Watch** meeting

3rd Wednesday each month 10am—Bowls Club

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 2rd

Monday each month 2pm 75 Broadway

**Dunolly St George Lodge** 

4<sup>th</sup> Saturday each month **Dunolly Social Cyclists** 

Meet fortnightly. Call Neville for info: 5468 7295

**Dunolly Historic Precinct Committee** 

4<sup>th</sup> Monday each month 1pm Town Hall

Dunolly Unit Vic SES meeting 6.30pm

3rd Tuesday each month. Training every other Tuesday

**Golden Triangle Archers** 

Sunday each month 10am behind Deledio Reserve

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 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month 1.30pm

Old Time Dancing 7.30pm Mondays

Anglican Hall Barkly Street Dunolly **PMAV** - 3rd Tuesday of the month,

Maryborough Highland Club 7.30pm

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

1<sup>st</sup> Monday each month 10am **Senior Citizens Carpet Bowls** each Monday 1.30pm

Senior Citizens Luncheon

3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday/month 12.30pm Senior Citizens Card Playing

Each Tuesday at 1.30pm

Tai Chi - Tuesdays at 10am, Thursdays at 9am and

Fridays at 6pm. Dunolly Arts Hub.

**Talbot Farmers Market** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month 9am to 1pm

Tarnagulla Playgroup

Thursday 10.30am-12 noon - behind the hall

Tarnagulla Action Group - Community Centre

3<sup>rd</sup> Monday each month 7.30pm

Tarnagulla Senior Citizens - Victoria Hall

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

**Welcome Record Committee** 

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday every second month - 1pm in the office

#### March

Saturday 10th Uniting Church Car Boot Sale

Saturday 10th, 17th & 24th Red Dog on Broadway Paint your Pooch - Tennis Pavilion 10am - 1pm Sunday 10th Embrace the Change Seminar - Susie Oh Fundraiser - Arts Hub 10am

Sunday 11th Dunolly Market - Broadway - from 8am

Sunday 11th Dunolly-Bealiba RSL AGM at 11am at RSL Hall

Sunday 18th Fremantle Family Gathering at Senior Citizens Centre at 11am Soil Workshop - Dunolly Community Garden 5.30pm - 7pm Monday 19th

Saturday 24th 35th Running of Eddington Sprint-starting at 10am



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# Saturday Pennant Results Grand Finals 2nd March 2018

#### **Dunolly Blue 80 d MHS Tartan 66**

C. Williams 23 drew G. Wallis 23,

T. Galofaro 24 lost G. Shay 31,

G. Dobbin 33 d G. Coburn 12

Dunolly Blue, Goldfields Bowls Division One Premiers

#### **Dunolly Gold 75 d Golf Gold 64**

T. Long 31 d G. Chaplin 13,

B. Lanfranchi 28 d R. Andrews 26,

B. Mortlock 16 lost G. Carmody 25.

Dunolly Gold, Goldfields Bowls Division Two Premiers

# **Dunolly Green 52 lost MHS White 79** J. Haigh 21 lost J. Tansley 24,

A. Britten 22 d I. Lambert 20,

K. McKenzie 8 lost L. Wadeson 34.

MHS White, Goldfields Bowls Division Three Premiers.

A great result for Dunolly with two Premierships.

A. Larpent

#### Mid-Week Pennant Teams 6th March 2018

#### **Dunolly Blue Plays at Highland in Final**

L. Parker H. Freemantle M. Davies
E. Murphy S. Chaplin M. Mortlock
G. Dobbin A. Weir T. Galofaro
J. Smith A. Raven J. Haig

Manager: H. Freemantle Emergency: H. Weir Cars: A. Ravan, L. Parker

DBC



At the Bealiba Hall

Marg Bonsor, from NSW, returned for her yearly visit this week and is playing extremely well. Joe Battisson, Pam Brightwell and Marg Bonsor had three wins. The teams of Heather Cooper, Betty Lovel, Ian Lovel, and David Price, Tiger Coburn and Jenny Lovel both had two wins. Keith Brightwell, Ian Proctor, Caz Gear and Shirley Coburn, Gordon Smith, Chris Evans both had one win and two losses each.

Pam Brightwell



Drawn: 2nd March 2018
Numbers: 3, 5, 8, 9, 11
Finally a winner: Jackpot \$1,575
Next week jackpot begins again at \$500
Five numbers out of 20. \$1.00 per entry.
Envelopes in local Shops. Good luck!

T Long

#### **Region 19 CFA Rural Championships**

Last Sunday March 4<sup>th</sup> Dunolly fire brigade hosted the annual region 19 CFA rural championships at the Natte Yallock sports ground. Central Goldfields Shire administrator Karen Douglas opened the championships at which 15 senior teams and 10 junior teams competed. The aggregate winners were:

Seniors: Beazleys Bridge A 1<sup>st</sup> - Stuart Mill A 2<sup>nd</sup> Ladies: Beazleys Bridge C 1<sup>st</sup> - Stuart Mill A 2<sup>nd</sup> Juniors 11-13: Beazleys Bridge 1<sup>st</sup> - Mandurang A 2<sup>nd</sup> Juniors 11-15: Huntly 1<sup>st</sup> - Sedgwick 2<sup>nd</sup>

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#### Acros

- Aust. novelist/ playwright, Sumner Locke
- 8. Par, birdie, \_\_\_\_\_ albatross
- 9. Impressive arrangement
- Italian racing car manufacturer, Enzo
- 11. French capital
- 13. Patch of green in desert 7. Former Indian P.M.,
- It is so (used in concluding prayer)
- English film director, Mendes
- 19. Magma
- 20. Worn out
- 22. Panacea
- 23. Of roundish figure
- 24. Washbowl
- 26. Poverty

- 29. Haphazard, \_\_\_\_and-miss
- 30. Long story of heroism
- 32. Affliction of the skin
- 34. Frosting
- 35. U.S. state on Atlantic
- Capital of Cambodia, Penh
- Domesticated mammal of South America
- Fugitive fleeing from jail, eg.

#### Down

- Polite term of address to woman
- 2. Like a fairy
- 3. Drink sediment
- 4. Incursion
- 5. Starchy root vegetable
- Appearing before court of law, on
- Former Indian P.M., Gandhi
- 11. Spectacular procession
- System (of diet or exercise, eg.)
- Japanese warrior
- A filled sack used in flood-prevention wall,
- 17. Aust. supermodel, Murdoch

- Deserving quality
- Triangular sail set in front of vessel's mast
- 21. Put on (clothing)
- Mountain range with jagged peaks
- 27. Integer
- 28. English novelist, Daniel
- 30. Horny plate on fish
- 31. Fabled dwarflike creature
- 33. Charity given
- Not operating (of machine, eg.)

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Here is your trivia challenge for this week. See how you go! Taken from Trivial Pursuit

#### Questions for: 7th March 2018

One: Which two countries threatened each other in

1994 with a trade war that involved \$A200 billion worth of goods?

Two: Who is 'Monk' to jazz buffs?

Three: What political movement got its name from the

hill in Jerusalem, boasting the Temple of

Jerusalem?

Four: What space flight prompted the fateful words

"Houston, we have a problem"?

Five: Who was the first female to run the 100 metre

dash in less than 11 seconds in 1979?

Six: What Japanese electronics giant started with

an electric rice cooker?

Answers are on page 24

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#### **Dunolly-Bealiba RSL Sub-branch**

Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 11th March at 11am. This is the Bi-annual Election year. It will be followed by the Monthly General Meeting. It is hope all financial members will be in

attendance. Light lunch will follow. To help with catering, please contact Lyn 5469 7277 or Deb 5469 7251 with your intentions.

Lyn Gale, Secretary

#### Freemantle Family Gathering

Come along to the Dunolly Senior Citizens Centre on Sunday 18th March from 11am onwards.

Enquiries Peter 5468 7270 or Geoff 5468 7218 or 0428 355 545

#### Wedding Announcement Gloury - Earl

Judy and Colin, together with Jodie and Brian, are pleased to announce the marriage of Shelby and Nicholas on Sunday 11th March 2018 at Moama NSW. Congratulations and best wishes to you both.

#### Ray Seidel



Mr. Ray Seidel of Dunolly passed away on Wednesday 21st February peacefully at the Maryborough Hospital. Ray was a

jovial, somewhat eccentric man with a brilliant mind who loved a chat and a cup of tea. His family was his pot of gold. Deepest sympathies to his family and many friends. "Tickety Boo" Ray.

D. John Smith



#### Funeral - WATTS

A funeral service to celebrate the life of the late Mr Brian Watts will be held at the Dunolly Senior Citizens Hall, 21 Bull Street, Dunolly on Friday 9th March 2018 commencing at 1pm.

The cortege will then proceed to Dunolly Cemetery

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#### WATTS, Brian 10.12.1944 - 04.03.2018

Youngest son of David James and Elsie Watts (both deceased). Brother of David, Syd, Steve, Violet, Harold, Clarrie, Roy (all deceased), Ross, Queenie, Dawn, Fred, Lionel and Lillian. Uncle Brian and Great Uncle to many nieces and nephews. May he rest in peace.

#### **WATTS Brian Raymond 10.12.1944 – 04.03.2018**

Much loved brother of Fred and sister-in-law of Jan. Uncle Brian will be sadly missed by his nieces Anne, Tina, Wendy, their partners Mick, Allan and Chris, and their children Emily, Nathan, Danielle (deceased), David, Hayley, Andrew, Harry and William. At rest at last.

#### WATTS, Brian

In our hearts a memory is kept, of a dear friend we will never forget. Rest peacefully Bucks

The Lacey Family

#### WATTS, Brian

The president & members of Dunolly Field and Game Club mourn the passing of our past member and BBQ cook Brian (BUCKSY) Watts. Condolences to the family.

#### WATTS, Brian

The President, Committee and Members of the Dunolly Bowling Club extend their sympathy to the family of Brian Watts, who passed away on Sunday following an extended illness.

Brian was an esteemed member of our club for many years and much-loved, Brian was a player, selector, assisted with green keeping, cooked sausages, and much more. He was a great all-round clubman and nothing was too much trouble for him. He would often be seen rolling the green prior to a match and later cooking the BBQ for lunch. You will be sadly missed "Cobber".

#### WATTS, Brian (Bux)

A very dear, long-time friend of Marg and Scruffy Bill (dec) Davies. Fond memories over the years of Field and Game activities, golfing and bowling days.

Heartfelt sympathy to all the family.

#### Marg Davies

#### WATTS, Brian

What a beautiful caring person. Words to express our thoughts seem impossible to find right now.

You were one-of-a-kind; thoughtful, generous and always there when needed.

Thank you for 30 years of friendship and mutual love of birds that took us on many journeys and will never be forgotten. It's your turn to fly now.

**Brenda and Garry Cheers** 

#### Open Gardens in Central Victoria

Weekend 21-22 April as part of Open Gardens Victoria Calendar for 2018.

#### 'Love in a harsh climate'

Three wonderful gardens will be open to the public with Open Gardens Victoria on Saturday 21st April and Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April, between 10.00am and 4.30pm, so make it a weekend getaway in the Goldfields. Everyone is welcome!

The garden of *Belleville*, in Dunolly (26-28 Market Street), is in part inspired by early photographs of this historic and imposing manor house. Only two original trees remain, but the garden planted in the midst of the millennial drought now provides shade, colour, meandering gravel paths and lots of seasonal produce. Walk beneath the ornamental grape vine path or sit in the sunken garden and enjoy a glass of district wine. There are house tours each day at 11am and 2pm for small groups. Across the road is the equally imposing Historic Precinct, which is the hub of the annual Tiny Towns Arts Trail that directs visitors to many artists' studios and galleries in the district. Community groups will offer lunch and morning and afternoon teas in the old police station.



Hedgehogs at Barkers Creek (60 Hagues Road, Barkers Creek 3451), is a parklike setting of more than 20 acres where local forest trees blend with exotic underplantings. Hedgehogs is rarely open in Autumn and will showcase the late fruits in the orchard, the sculpture garden, autumn salvias and dahlias and the romantic ornamental ponds. For those who are interested, there are afternoon talks on "How to build a Pizza Oven". Morning and afternoon will be provided by Friends of the Castlemaine Festival.

Sally's Garden at Kennington (43 Steane Street, Kennington 3550), is a beautiful example of what can be achieved in a residential setting under adverse conditions of a sloping block and a hot summer climate. A large cypress hedge was planted 23 years ago when the local Eucalypts were removed, providing a green backdrop for a hardy plant palette, including euphorbias, Virginia Creeper and Pencil Pines for vertical interest, a range of succulents, and lomandra for movement. Check Open Gardens Victoria website for details:

http://www.opengardensvictoria.org.au

Fiona Lindsay



#### Geelong Historic Car Club visit

The Western District Historic Vehicle Club, based in Geelong is having a visit again this year to our area. They will be staying in Avoca and travelling to different parts of the area. They are led by Gary McCredden of Geelong and he is a regular visitor to Central Victoria.

On Saturday 10th March they will be at the Alvah Art Gallery and Car display in Dunolly and after a viewing at the Alvah property, John Moir will lead the group around Dunolly and then out to Melville Caves, Kingower and Inglewood. After a late lunch at Newbridge they return to Dunolly before returning to their base in Avoca.

They will stop at the Dunolly Court House at around 11am before going on to Moliagul for a brief stop and then a further stop at the car park at the top of Melville Caves. If time permits, the tour may pause at the well in Kingower. Then it is planned to have a short stop in Inglewood to see the Motor Museum and do a little shopping before lunch in Newbridge. I will give a full report with pics in the next issue. John Moir



#### Answers to trivia quiz 7.3.18

- Japan and the USA 1.
- 2. Thelonious Monk
- 3. Zionism
- Apollo 13 4.
- Evelyn Ashford USA 5.



Picture above -The car on the left is a 1902 roadster.

The modern Cadillac, is a 'Caggy'. On the right is a 1903 open tourer They are approx. 70 years apart in age



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