

The Dunolly and District Community News

# The Welcome Record

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## High-Wheelers in Dunolly



Last week Central Goldfields Shire and surrounds welcomed the Victorian High Wheelers Car Club 14<sup>th</sup> bi-annual rally. Dunolly was privileged to be part of their visit and last Friday residents and visitors came out in force to view the veteran vehicles as they trundled through town on their way to have a sumptuous pizza lunch in Gordon Gardens. The vehicles, all built prior to 1919, were a sight to see in their colourful livery. These were the 'horseless carriages' which bridged the gap between the horse and carriage days and the Model 'T' era. We were fortunate that they spent so much time here, allowing the proud owners to show off their highly-polished vehicles to the many interested observers, most of whom took advantage of the many photo opportunities.



Queen Victoria was there to lend her approval to the 'new-fangled contraptions'.

Story and photos by Jenny Scott



### A lifetime up in flames

Ric Moore, pictured with his beloved dog Karl Marx, is a well-known figure in Dunolly. Ric volunteers with the CFA, the SES and the Dunolly Community Garden, assisting in many different ways. Now he needs your aid after the tragedy of a fire where he lost all his worldly possessions.

There is a GoFundMe page on Facebook ([ricmoore.com](https://www.gofundme.com/ricmoore.com) contribution) or you can do a direct debit transfer with the following details: Bendigo Bank - BSB 633000 A/c 169151883.

Story by Susan Anderson, Photo from Facebook page



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All letters, articles and classifieds must contain the writer's full name, home address and daytime telephone number.

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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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**Dunolly Finance Fiesta –  
 come in for your free banking review**

The Maldon & District Community Bank is proud to be the only bank in Dunolly and district, providing a full range of banking, insurance and financial services. We'd love to help you as well — whether you are a customer already or interested in seeing how the local Community Bank could be the right bank for you.

On Friday 18th October we're holding the Dunolly Finance Fiesta, offering FREE personalised 15-minute reviews with our expert banking consultants for Dunolly and district residents and businesses. We're offering reviews to find ways to help you with your banking, improve their security, or provide you with better service.

Book an appointment or find out more about banking and insurance review day by dropping into Dunolly bank branch (Monday-Friday 10 am - 2pm), or contact us on 5468 1596 or [maldonmailbox@bendigobank.com.au](mailto:maldonmailbox@bendigobank.com.au).

"If you can't come along on 18th October, call and make an appointment for another time. We're happy to help you with your finance and insurance on another day," said Melanie from the Dunolly branch.

Plus, everyone who has a review during October 2019 goes into the draw to win a hamper of local products — worth an amazing \$250!!

The Maldon & District Community Bank is a big supporter of Dunolly, providing over \$57,000 in grants and sponsorship funding in the last 12 months. We estimate that's more than 1000 people who have benefited! Some of the groups that have benefited include the Dunolly Garden Club and Preschool, Eddington Community Centre, Dunolly Football Netball Club, Bealiba Mini Pumas playgroup, Moliagul Hall, Betley Hall, Dunolly Hospital, Dunolly & District Neighbourhood Centre, Dunolly Golf Club, Dunolly & District Field & Game Club, Dunolly Primary School, Dunolly Community Bus, Goldfields Historic Museum and the Dunolly Town Hall. We're looking forward to meeting as many locals as possible on the day (or on a date that suits better) and to growing our business so we can keep supporting fantastic community events and groups around the district.



Right: Melanie happy to take your bookings for a free review.

Karly Smith

**Defibrillators available at —**

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

**In case of emergency, the defibrillators can be accessed at the above venues when they are open.**

**Important telephone numbers**

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- Fire: 000**
- Ambulance: 000**
- Police non emergency: 131 444**
- Dunolly Police: 5468 1100**
- Dunolly Doctor: 5468 1104**
- Dunolly SES: 5468 1199**

 **LETTERS TO EDITOR**

Dear Editor,

**Re: If you don't backfill, who will?**

Was that a cheeky grin attached to your letter? If it's a genuine query I think you have seen a sink-hole. There are several around the area this season, probably due to our wettish winter. Usually there is a water course running under the sink-hole, where the bottom turns to mush and the walls fall into it, growing the hole in size.

I guess consult Mr Google for something more scientific than my explanation. The council will fill these if occurring on a road which has happened near me.

Name supplied



This week's Council Listening Post outside the Dunolly Bakery. This series of Listening Posts is being held in conjunction with the Community Plan 2030. Many locals and visitors engaged in conversation with Council Administrators and staff, starting the process of community consultation in this important planning process.

Jenny Scott



Locals attending the recent visit by Anne Webster, Federal Member for Mallee

**Dunolly District Hospital Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship 2019**

The Dunolly District Hospital Auxiliary is offering a scholarship of \$1000 to a resident of Dunolly or the surrounding district. The successful recipient must be studying in an area of nursing.

The study program can be one of the following:

- ◆ *A Registered Nurse undertaking postgraduate studies.*
- ◆ *An Enrolled Nurse studying towards obtaining a Registered Nurse or specialised nursing qualification.*
- ◆ *A resident who is studying towards obtaining an Enrolled Nurse or Registered Nurse qualification and has successfully completed at least one year of study.*
- ◆ *A Registered Nurse or Enrolled Nurse who is seeking assistance to undertake or complete a course of work-related study or to attend a work-related conference.*

**Criteria for selection:**

- Must be a resident of Dunolly or the surrounding district.
- Must be enrolled in one of the education programs above.
- Mature aged applicants are encouraged to apply.
- The applicant must not have received any other financial assistance prior to the application.

**How Many Scholarships?**

The selection committee may decide to award the annual amount to either one person, or divide it between a number of applicants.

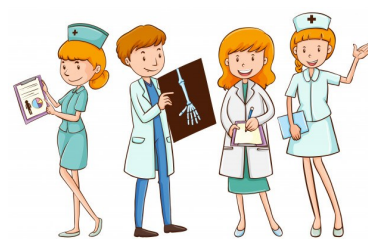
The selection committee may decide not to award a scholarship.

**How to Apply:**

The applicant is to write a letter describing how he or she meets the criteria above. In the application, there must be proof of the enrolment actually having been approved. Applications must be submitted by 25<sup>th</sup> October 2019 via post to:

Hospital Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship,  
c/o Director of Nursing,  
Dunolly District Hospital

20 Havelock Street  
Dunolly 3472  
OR  
Executive Administration  
Maryborough Hospital  
75-87 Clarendon Street  
Maryborough 3065



Fiona Lindsay



**Well Women's Clinic.**

L to R: Vicky Frizzell, Barbara Coupland, Nikola Allen, Julie Parsons, Donna Bell

## Questions raised over Dunolly rail services

The State Government's \$130 million plan to upgrade the Ballarat line which was expected to boost local services has come under fire.

Revealed prior to the 2018 state election, the plan included the Freight Passenger Rail Separation Project which was set to deliver a number of track and signalling improvements not included in the Murray Basin Rail Project, as well as providing the infrastructure to support a boost in passenger rail on the Maryborough line and allow the return of passenger rail to Dunolly.

The project included converting existing broad-gauge track between Ballarat and Maryborough to dual gauge, enabling future passenger rail to Dunolly by retaining the dual gauge connections between Maryborough and Dunolly and creating separate paths for passenger and freight lines, including Maryborough services.

The then Minister for Public Transport, Jacinta Allan, announced the project during a visit to Maryborough in July last year and although she did not provide a timeline for when passenger services would begin in Dunolly, said a final timeline would be released.

Member for Ripon Louise Staley and Shadow Minister for Metropolitan Public Transport and Transport Infrastructure David Davis were in Dunolly last week and expressed concerns over the government's "radio silence" on the plan.

"Prior to the 2018 state election, both the government and ourselves made commitments around this line and we said we'd return passenger trains all the way to Donald and would restore the Dunolly station as part of that," Ms Staley said.

"To make that project work, it requires the line from Maryborough to Ballarat to be standardised. The government announced they'd standardise the line between Maryborough and Ballarat as part of their Freight Passenger Separation Project which was separate from the botched Murray Basin Rail Project.

"We haven't heard anything about this \$130 million project; it's meant to be completed in 2020 and we're now in October 2019."

Ms Staley said it's concerning that the community, particularly the community of Dunolly, have heard no word on the project given its looming deadline.

"Not only did the State Government make those announcements around the line between Maryborough and Ballarat, they explicitly said the project paved the way to return passenger services to Dunolly, there was a clear expectation by the community in Dunolly that whoever won the election, they were going to get passenger services," she said.

"In August I asked about this in parliament and Ms Allan had 30 days to respond and she hasn't. This is a big project and it takes time. When can the people of Dunolly expect to see their passenger rail service?"

Mr Davis said there's a concern the funding has been re-prioritised.

"There's been radio silence; nothing has been seen or heard about this and I think many are fearful this has dropped off the agenda, that the government has taken the money and re-prioritised it for large city projects," he said.

"If that's not the case, we need to hear from the minister when that \$130 million project starts and when it will finish. They need to come clean on what's happened to that money and when they're going to start."

While the now Minister for Public Transport Melissa Horne did not respond to questions on the timeline of upgrades at Dunolly and the return of passenger rail to the town, she said works are continuing on the Ballarat line.

"While the Liberals continue to talk down regional rail, we're investing half a billion dollars in the Ballarat Line to deliver more frequent and reliable service," she said.

"We are also adding more VLocity carriages to the Ballarat line, providing more seats on the busiest services."

Story by Riley Upton,  
Courtesy, *The Maryborough Advertiser*



Member for Ripon Louise Staley and Shadow Minister for Transport Infrastructure David Davis in Dunolly to discuss State Government's \$130 million Freight Passenger Rail Separation Project. The project would enable more services locally, including passenger services to Dunolly.

## The Kissing Man

Have you come across the Kissing Man in Dunolly? In actual fact it is the other way round. When you meet him he bends down for you to give him a peck on the cheek and the ladies just cannot resist because he is tall, blonde and handsome and very kissable. The only clue I will give is that he comes from a long line of a well-known local family. So watch out for the Kissing Man. You won't be sorry.

Cynthia Lindsay



**Flynn of Moliagul**  
**Saturday October 26th**  
**10am -5pm**



The Goldfields Historical & Arts Society (Dunolly Museum) is hosting a day at the Moliagul School to commemorate the new \$20 issued by the Reserve Bank featuring Rev John Flynn. Goldfields Museum President John Tully will give a short talk at 11am about the early days of local-born Flynn of the Flying Doctor Service.


The Bendigo Amateur Radio and electronic group (BAREC) will be the highlight of the day featuring the evolving technologies of wireless radio communication and aviation development. BAREC will issue a special QSL card in commemoration and this will be distributed with the radio demonstrations in the school house.

There will be discussions on the development and importance of the radio communication in the outback. In attendance will be members of the Bendigo Historic Motorcycle club and a special flyby of aircraft by the Kyneton Aero Club at noon.

Free admission and all welcome. Many photographs donated by the Royal Flying Doctor Service and AIM. The official proceedings will be on Saturday, but as many enthusiasts will be staying overnight at the Moliagul Reserve, demonstrations will continue on Sunday. The Moliagul Reserve committee have food and drinks available.

The Moliagul School is located in Central Victoria at 42 High Street Moliagul. Map link: <https://goo.gl/maps/xZvLpJdj2Cd1g5EC7>

Rachel Buckley (Secretary)



**Readings from the WW1 diary and letters of Edie Digby collated by Penny Bristol Jones read by Maureen Hartley and Clare Larman (Violet&Rose productions)**


**Melba Lounge**  
**2pm**  
**Sunday**  
**October 27**

**1787 Maryborough-Dunolly Road**  
**Dunolly**

**Limited seating. Bookings Rachel Buckley 0427275006**

**Ticket Prices: \$20**

**Edie Digby kept a record of daily life at home in Sydney, inviting us into the world of an ordinary woman whose husband and two sons served in the Great War defending King and Country, and anticipating the glorious return of their gallant menfolk from, in Edie's words, 'this cursed war'**



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## Game Night

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## Art Exhibition

*of around 80 pieces*

*runs from 7<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

*Maryborough Resource Centre*  
*(Visitor Information Centre)*  
*Cnr Alma and Nolan Streets,*  
*Maryborough Victoria*  
*Ph 54604511*

### All pieces are for sale

*Alvah Art Gallery Dunolly*  
*is also open regularly*  
*most days of the week.*

*Watch for the Raffle for the*  
*Maryborough Aeromedical Transfer Station*  
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*initiative*

*Alvah Art Gallery 0439 029 989*



### Public Notice – Annual Report for 2018-2019

In accordance with Section 133(2) of the Local Government Act 1989 (the Act), notice is given that the Central Goldfields Shire Council Annual Report for 2018-2019 has been prepared and submitted to the Minister for Local Government. The Annual Report is available for inspection at Council's Customer Service Centre located at 22 Nolan Street, Maryborough and online on Council's website at [www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/annualreport](http://www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/annualreport)

In accordance with Section 134(2) of the Act, notice is given that the Annual Report will be considered at the October Ordinary Council Meeting on Tuesday 22 October, 2019 at 6pm at the Community Hub, 48 Burns Street, Maryborough.

### Draft Property Occupancy Policy

Our updated Draft Property Occupancy Policy is now available on our website for the community to provide feedback at [www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay](http://www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay). The draft policy will benefit community groups who occupy Council owned or managed land and buildings by providing tenure security, an equitable and transparent pricing structure, and a clear understanding of any maintenance and reporting responsibilities. Written submissions are invited and should be submitted to Council by 5pm on Thursday 31 October, 2019. Written submissions can be sent to: [mail@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au](mailto:mail@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au) or PO Box 194, Maryborough, 3465.

### Understanding Social Enterprise – a two day workshop

This local workshop, brought to you by Rural Councils Victoria, will allow you to connect with others in your local area and explore the role you can play to support a sustainable, prosperous rural community.

#### Program details:

When: 10 and 11 October, 2019, 9am to 4pm

Where: Community Hub - 48 Burns Street, Maryborough

Cost: Free, but bookings are essential

Delivered by: Social Enterprise Academy Australia

For more information, and to book your place, visit <https://business.facebook.com/events/659651207889555/>

CGSC News

### Good Fishing



What started as a way to decrease the number of carp in Little Lake Boort and to potentially increase the number of edible fish, has turned into a fantastic, fun weekend for the entire family.

"More than anything we wanted to get people fishing," Rod Stringer, the President of the Boort Angling Club, explains. "Keeping carp out of the lake was a bonus. Three years ago, we had around 100 people enter for the weekend, and then last year we had over 230. We are hoping for even greater numbers this year."

Whilst there are a few serious fishermen in the group each year, Rod says that it's wonderful to see first-timers and kids having a go.

"Little Lake Boort is a wonderful lake in beautiful surrounds. It really is one of the town's greatest assets and it's a fantastic place to sit on the grass around the water and just relax. It's



free for kids to enter and we've had a few little ones, even as young as three or four, have a go. With no steep drop-off at any part of the lake, it's safe and makes fishing easy."

With a number of prizes available over the weekend – some based on skill, and some based on luck – there is an opportunity for everyone to win. "You might not win on the fishing, but you've a chance to win on something else," Rod says.

"We do our best to cater for everyone. We encourage people to come along and have a look."

So come along on the weekend of 19th and 20th October. Entry for the weekend is \$50 per family or \$25 per adult with kids under 16 free. The entry fee includes breakfast on both Saturday and Sunday, dinner on Saturday evening and entry to a major prize draw.

### Wedderburn Open Gardens

Enjoy a wonderful day out on Sunday 20th October with this year's Wedderburn Open Gardens. With seven public and private gardens open to explore, there is also a number of fantastic extras at various locations around town.

Marg van Veen, co-ordinator for Wedderburn Community House, says that the format is a little different this year. "All of the gardens are in town this year, making it easy to walk between each of them. There's a wonderful variety too, from a cottage garden, to a permaculture garden and one that incorporates natural bush art and mosaics. One of the gardens is a 16-year labour of love that I know people will just adore." With this season already offering a nice drop of rain and such different and unique gardens on show, this year is sure to be a lovely display.

"Visitors can come to the Community House to register for the day," Marg explains. "They'll get a ticket that will provide them with a free Devonshire Tea, and a map of all the places to visit. In our own community garden and nursery, there will be garden market stalls, wood fire pizzas and wine tasting. There will also be a free lucky door prize and a raffle with the chance to win a \$200 garden sculpture."

The gardens at the recently renovated Anglican Church, and the Coach House Gallery & Museum will also have a variety of market stalls and the op shop will be open for anyone keen to have a browse.

"There really is something for everyone," Marg says. "It's not just about gardens. The men who come along all seem to really enjoy looking through the shed filled with old coaches out the back of the Coach House Gallery and there will be some wonderful market stalls if you love to shop."

Tickets are \$20 and the day starts at 9.30am.



For more information or to obtain a Naturally Loddon spring calendar, phone the Loddon Visitor Information Centre on 5494 3489, visit [www.loddon.vic.gov.au](http://www.loddon.vic.gov.au) or email [loddonvisitorinformation@loddon.vic.gov.au](mailto:loddonvisitorinformation@loddon.vic.gov.au).

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## 2019 ART & PHOTOGRAPHY SHOW

At the Arts Hub Thompson St,  
Dunolly  
3rd & 4th November 10am to 4 pm.

Adult entry fee \$5 per item.

Junior entries are free and may enter any category.

All entry forms are available online.

**Categories:**

- |                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Photography            | Sculpture   |
| Painting (all mediums) | Mosaic      |
| Drawing                | Mixed Media |
| Printmaking            | Textiles    |

All artworks to be suitably framed or mounted on a backing board. (They must be able to be hung.) If any entry is large, please ring Lynda and give details of size.

Drop off your work on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> October between 10am and 4pm, pick up on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November between 10am and 4pm.

This is our 5<sup>th</sup> annual Art Show! Showcasing local talent with some fabulous art/photography on display. You can pick up an entry form at the Neighbourhood Centre and at the RTC. You can also access an entry form on line! Contact as below:

Lynda, Dunolly Arts Hub 0418 875 453

or [lynda.vater@gmail.com](mailto:lynda.vater@gmail.com)

Sharon at the Neighbourhood Centre 5468 1511

[admin@dunnhc.com.au](mailto:admin@dunnhc.com.au)

Facebook page Dunolly Arts Hub

Want more information? Call in for a cuppa and a chat or ring 5468 1511 Monday to Thursday or simply email:

[admin@dunnhc.com.au](mailto:admin@dunnhc.com.au)

Sharon Hiley Coordinator



At our meeting held last week, there were several issues addressed. Central Goldfields Shire Chief Administrator, Noel Harvey also attended the meeting and answered questions from members on a variety of matters.

Discussion took place on our recent meeting with Mr Harvey regarding the concerns of some community members on the downgrading of the Aerodrome to Aircraft Landing Area status, also in regard to the ongoing construction of the fence designed to prevent kangaroos on the runway. Mr Harvey has stated that the decision will not be rescinded.

Mr Harvey advised on the status of the proposed Carisbrook flood levy; Council are awaiting an independent valuation on a recently-purchased property and are hopeful of a planning permit application being received within the next month.

Some other discussions ensued on the second draft of the Property Occupancy Policy, recycling, compost, the application for a third pharmacy and also the Challenge of the Bands next April; this is expected to attract around 25,000 visitors to Maryborough.

The closing date for submissions on the Property Occupancy Policy is 31st October, with a hearing for those who wish to speak to their submissions, on 13th November. The second draft has been simplified and has taken many of the original community concerns into account. It is important to have your say, so that the final draft can be tailored to further meet the requirements of relevant groups within the community.

Our next meeting is to be held on Tuesday 12th November at 7.30pm at the Senior Citizens Hall, Urquhart St., Carisbrook. Please note that only for this month it is deferred to the second Tuesday, due to Melbourne Cup Day.

Everyone is welcome, you do not have to be a member to attend. Please come and have your say and help us to make a difference within the community. Please address any questions to P.O. Box 184, Maryborough, 3465 or to [cgoldratepayers@mail.com](mailto:cgoldratepayers@mail.com). You can also find us on Facebook.

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## Stories from Cynthia

Events that occur in one's life which are highly dramatic or disastrous at the time, can be looked back on later and you can usually see the funny side. My life has always been fraught with dramas and disasters, but I am pretty good at weathering the storm and blundering into the next one.

I would rate my hospital mistake on top of the list. I recently had a knee replacement at St. John of God in Ballarat and was at the gym stage where I hobbled on crutches for short distances when not being wheeled around. This day one of the nurses helped me to the toilet door and told me to push the button when ready to leave. I looked around and saw a red button which I could just reach and pressed it. Then all hell broke loose. The door was flung open, doctors and nurses came running from other floors. "Where's the emergency?" they cried. Yes, I had pushed the emergency button instead of the one beside the toilet. Of course I hid behind the door so no one would find out who did it.

One little faux pas of mine was closer to home. I drove into the Council car park for the first time after it had been constructed, and when I got back in the car to exit, seeing the arrow to drive right around, and seeing that the car space opposite was empty, I drove straight ahead. Bang, crunch – I hadn't noticed the concrete kerbing which separated the parking rows, and my little car could not summon the energy to back off the concrete ridge. So I had to go back in to call the RACV and then in walked the then-ranger, Jane Edwards, who said to the receptionist "Some idiot has got stuck on the kerbing in the car park". When I put my hand up, Jane, who knew me, offered not to take a photo for the paper for \$50. At least we could laugh. I have written before of my gearstick disasters; the one in Paris when I had to drive back to the ferry to go home when the gears stuck in second gear and we miraculously found a garage before a worse disaster happened. The other one was when I borrowed my sister-in-law's car when staying in Sydney, and the gearstick came off in my hand. Imagine me walking into the kitchen and handing Dale her gearstick. That, however was by the far the least of my Sydney disasters. On another occasion I was staying with Dale and my brother, Robert, during the holidays along with my three kids. Dale received a phone call with bad news and they both had to rush over to Dale's parents, leaving me in charge of the children; who included their small son, my three, and two neighbour friends who had come to swim in the pool.

I put the jug on to have a cup of tea to bolster me up for the coming ordeal of pool supervision while the kids organised themselves. Next thing they are all in the water, so I went out and forgot the jug. By the time I returned, the jug, which was plastic had turned into a strange looking lump and had burnt a hole in the laminex bench – the forerunners of automatic jugs and granite benches. To top it all, one of the kids had flopped down on the banana lounge and snapped it in two. I had locked the German Shepherd in the garage and when released, I discovered he had chewed the upholstery in the seats of my brother's boat. Thank goodness my relatives are easy going and we were invited back.

Cynthia Lindsay

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## Church News

### Dunolly Christian Churches

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

#### Anglican Church Services:

##### St John's Dunolly

10am Thursday, Morning Prayer, Trina Kay

##### Emu

5.30pm, 4th Sunday of the month

##### Bealiba St. David's

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

#### Catholic Church Services:

##### Dunolly, St. Mary's

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

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

##### Bealiba, St. Patrick's

8.30am Mass, 5th Sunday of the month

#### Uniting Church Services:

##### Dunolly

9.30am Sunday, Heiner Bauch

### Catholic Church

There will be Mass at St Mary's Church, Dunolly on Sunday 13th October at 8.30am.

R Mecredy

### St John's Anglican Church

The Pop-Up Op Shop will be held at Christ the King Hall, Maryborough from Thursday 10th October to Saturday 12th October.

Trina Kay

#### SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE WEEK

*Who is greater the one who is at the table or the one who serves? 'But I am among you,' says the Lord, 'as one who serves'.*

Luke 22:27

## Dunolly Bistro & Bar

Sunday 13th October 2019

### Oktoberfest



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## The Uniting Church

On 13th October Heiner Bauch will be leading us in our service at 9.30 am.

Saturday 12th October, the Uniting Church will be holding its Carboot sale in the Church grounds. Hosts for the day will be Probus running a cake and product stall. We invite anyone to hold a stall and get rid of that stuff you do not want. Our Op Shop will be open too

On 25th October 'Blokes Night Out' will be having a BBQ for all men of the district commencing at 6.30pm. Our guest speaker will be Rev Gordon Wild.

Our Op Shop has summer clothes out on the racks but still has winter clothes at reduced prices. Come in and have a free cuppa with our wonderful volunteers.

Jean Richardson



The Op Shop is open on Tuesdays from 9.30am to 2pm  
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## Uniting Church Car Boot Sale



The car boot sale will be held on Saturday 12th October. The Dunolly Probus Club will host the cake and produce stall. Outside stalls welcome.

The Op Shop will be open. We still have a large range of furniture at bargain prices which needs to be moved.

The five dollar bag sale has finished, but the racks are filling fast with summer stock.

Jim McKenzie

## Blokes Night Out

You are invited to a "Blokes Night Out" on **Friday 25th October** at the Dunolly Uniting Church commencing at **6.30pm** with a barbeque. This will be followed by guest speaker Rev Gordon Wilde.

This is a Dunolly Uniting Church initiative to enable local blokes to get together informally over a barbecue and enjoy the informative and topical guest speaker.

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.

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## Council endorses \$2 million Gordon Gardens Masterplan



According to the report tabled to council, full implementation of the plan will likely be staged over 10 or more years at an estimated cost of \$2 million, however council has stated it will seek external funding as it becomes available.

Central Goldfields Shire administrator Karen Douglas described the community consultation process for the masterplan as "lengthy" but said it's an "exciting piece of work".

"There's been a considerable amount of consultation that's gone into this plan so I'd like to particularly thank the community of Dunolly for their input," she said.

The final draft of the Gordon Gardens Masterplan has been endorsed by the Central Goldfields Shire Council and will likely be implemented over a period of 10 or more years, at a cost of more than \$2 million.

Endorsed at last month's ordinary council meeting, the masterplan has undergone significant community consultation since it was first endorsed by council last year. Developed by Michael Smith and Associates in conjunction with community consultation, the masterplan report presented to council last month included 31 key directions, a list of realistic strategies and actions.

These include the removal of three tennis courts to be converted to a grassed area, the upgrade of one court and the conversion of another to a combined basketball and netball court, set to start this year with close to \$30,000 in funding from Regional Development Victoria for the project. Other changes include alterations to car parking, additional trees, footpaths, a ramp at the Barkly Street entrance to the bowls club, the installation of irrigated grassed areas, the removal of a skate park, additional seats throughout the garden and the installation of barbecue areas.

The development of the masterplan was included in the shire's 2018/19 budget and \$25,000 is included in this year's budget to further implement the plan.

"There have been various opportunities, we've had a public meeting, several workshops, we had the draft on display, there were submissions and comments made and it's very much had a great acceptance in the town of Dunolly.

"The school children were very involved and got very enthusiastic about this and I thought that was really great — this is their future that we're actually designing here."

The Gordon Gardens Masterplan and report will be available for the public to view on council's website and hard copies will be made available at Dunolly's Rural Transaction Centre.

"I'd encourage people who haven't seen the plan at this stage to please have a look at it because I think this is quite an exciting piece of work," Ms Douglas said.

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# Regular Community Gatherings

**Important Notice:** Due to increasing numbers of advertisements, space for articles is at a premium, therefore we are removing the Regular Community Gatherings Page from the weekly print. It will only be printed once per month; however, hard copies can be obtained from The Welcome Record Office or the RTC to keep, or you can view on our Facebook page. Important dates will still be noted as below.

The Welcome Record Committee

## Put These On Your Calendar for October 2019

Saturday 12th	Car Boot Sale	Uniting Church grounds 9am
Sunday 13th	Dunolly Community Market	Broadway Dunolly 8am
Sunday 13th	Oktoberfest	Dunolly Bistro & Bar
Wednesday 16th	Senior Citizens Lunch	Senior Citizens Rooms 12pm
Friday 18th	Dunolly Finance Fiesta	Bendigo Bank , RTC
Friday 25th	Blokes Night Out	Uniting Church 6.30pm
Saturday 26th	Flynn of Moliagul	Moliagul School 10am — 5pm
Sunday 27th	Dreadful Time for Mothers	Buckley's of Dunolly 2pm
7th to 28th	John Moir Art Exhibition	Maryborough Resource Centre

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# Community Market

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## Kids across Central Goldfields Shire encouraged to Walk to School

Families in Central Goldfields Shire are encouraged to hit the streets and walk, ride or scoot to school this October as part of VicHealth's Walk to School program.

Labor Member for Western Victoria, Jaala Pulford, said it was great to see many local schools had registered for the health promotion foundation's annual program which kicked off on 7 October.

"I love seeing how excited schools all over Western Victoria are to take part in this amazing program. It's a fun, free and easy way for kids to stay active and healthy," Ms Pulford said.

"As kids walk, ride or scoot to school, they gain all the health benefits of active travel. It helps to build their confidence, self-esteem and social skills. It's also a great way for parents and carers to spend quality time with their kids," she said.

VicHealth has partnered with the AFL Players' Association for Walk to School 2019 to encourage even more kids to get walking, riding and scooting to help them build healthy habits for life. Participating schools have the opportunity to win a footy clinic led by an AFL or AFLW player.

"I encourage families across Central Goldfields Shire to get involved in Walk to School 2019. The trip to and from school can be fun and active for the whole family," Ms Pulford said.

VicHealth CEO, Dr Sandro Demaio, said with less than one fifth of kids getting enough daily physical activity to be healthy it was critical parents were encouraged to help their kids be more active.

"Walking, riding or scooting to and from school every day

– even if it's only part of the way – helps kids get some of the physical activity they need to be healthy and happy," Dr Demaio said.

"If parents are nervous about their kids walking by themselves another great tip is for kids to walk with friends or neighbours until they're ready to travel independently," he said.

VicHealth's Walk to School program encourages Victorian primary school kids to walk, ride or scoot to and from school throughout October to build healthy habits for life.

To find out more visit <http://www.walktoschool.vic.gov.au>.

Jaala Pulford MP

## Bendigo Library Event

Accomplished singer, winner of The Voice 2013 and United Way Australia Early Learning Ambassador, Harrison Craig, is visiting Bendigo Library! Harrison will present his very special children's book Harrison's Song, citing that no matter what your vice or hurdle is, you can overcome it.

*When:* Thursday 10 October, 10.30-11.15am

*Where:* Bendigo Library, 251-259 Hargreaves Street, Bendigo

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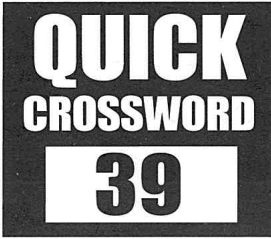
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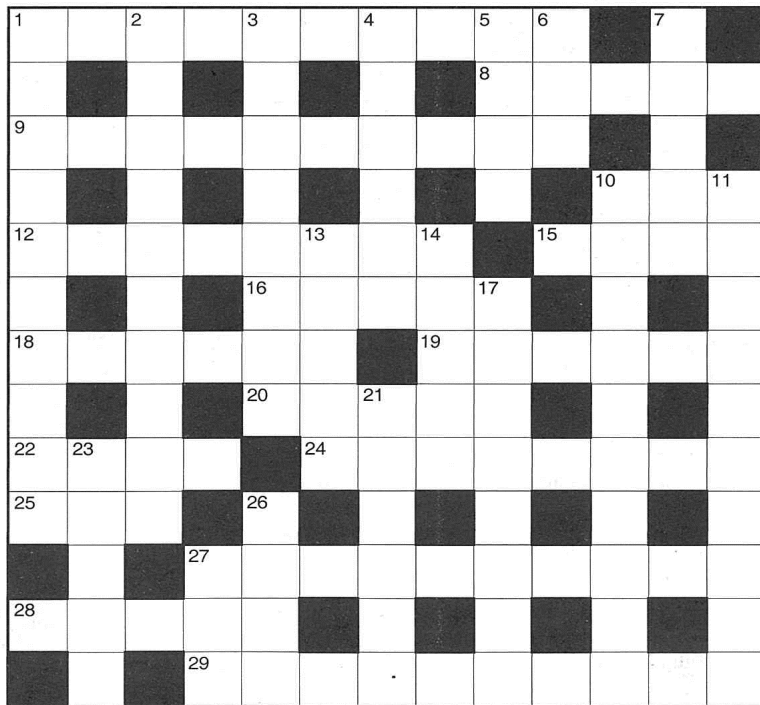
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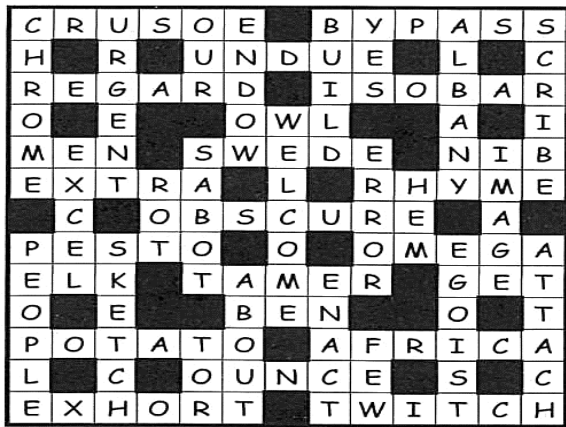
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- 7. Parish priest
- 10. Pasta dish with meat or cheese
- 11. One who composes dramas for the stage
- 13. Restaurant customer
- 14. First showing (of TV program, eg.)
- 17. One with sentimental thoughts of love
- 21. To make crimson or scarlet, eg.
- 23. Unexpected benefit
- 26. Burn surface of
- 27. Forcible impact



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**Kicking goals for women and girls in Western Victoria**

Applications are now open for the Andrews Government's 2019-20 Change Our Game Community Activation Grants Program, which provides women and girls with opportunities to participate in grassroots sport and active recreation. The Labor Member for Western Victoria, Jaala Pulford, said the Change Our Game Community Activation Grants Program highlights the Labor Government's commitment to creating gender equality across all levels of Victorian sport and active recreation. The program has so far enabled more than 70

community organisations to host events ranging from come-and-try days to community forums and educational sessions.

Ms Pulford said grants of up to \$5,000 are available to eligible clubs and community groups to level the playing field for women and girls in sport and recreation.

"Sports and recreation clubs are the heart of communities across Western Victoria and they do such good work in bringing people together and allowing them to have fun and reach their full potential," Ms Pulford said.

"We've made a lot of progress in levelling the playing field for women and girls and I encourage groups with good ideas to apply for a grant under this program," she said.

Minister for Sport, Martin Pakula, said the Government has invested more than \$850 million to provide community sport and recreation infrastructure across Victoria since 2014.

"Every Victorian deserves equal access to facilities and opportunity and we're making sure women and girls have the support they need to change the game," Mr Pakula said.

"The Change Our Game Community Activation Grants Program is supporting grassroots sport and recreation clubs to take a lead role in giving women and girls a fair go," he said.

Applications under the Change Our Game Community Activation Grants Program close on 25 October. For more information, visit [changeourgame.vic.gov.au](http://changeourgame.vic.gov.au).

Jaala Pulford MP

# CLASSIFIEDS & NOTICES

## AGM

Notice is given of Annual General Meeting for *The Welcome Record* on Monday 14th October at 1pm at the Dunolly Town Hall.

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TWR Committee

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He is, and will be, sadly missed.

Special thanks to the staff at Dunolly Nursing Home for their wonderful care of Noel.

Rosemary Mecredy

### MECREDY, Noel



We were very saddened to hear of the passing of Noel, husband to our own dear Rosie.

Our deepest condolences to you and your family, Rosie.

From all at *The Welcome Record*

### WATTS, Hazel Ruby — 7/6/1914 - 27/9/2019

Passed away very peacefully at Alan David Lodge Grovedale.

Reunited with her family, mother Mary, father Edward, and siblings Henry, Ann, Joe, Stanley, Henry, Gladys, Frank, Sidney, Ken, Doris, Ron, Heather and Kelvin and their families.

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### WATTS, Hazel Ruby — 7/6/1914 -27/9/2019,

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Funeral Notice

### WATTS, Hazel

The Funeral Service to celebrate the life of the late Ms Hazel Ruby Watts was held at St John's Anglican Church, cnr Barkly & Thompson Streets, Dunolly on Thursday October 3, 2019 at 2pm. with an Interment at the Dunolly Cemetery.

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T. Long



# DUNOLLY BOWLS

## Pennant Teams Saturday 12th October 2019

### Dunolly Blue plays MHS Tartan at Dunolly

Chris Williams	Alan Weir	Barry Cann
Peter Waters	Tony Galofaro	Alan Parkes
Geoff Davies	Jenny McHugh	Loretta Parker
Wayne Stephens	Sheryl Howard	Jim Smith

**Manager:** Chris Williams

### Dunolly Gold plays Golf Blue at Golf

Terry Long	Bernie Lanfranchie	Barry Mortlock
Aaron Britten	Evan Weir	Roy Pickering
Pam Harrison	Ian Flett	Peter Harrison
Emmet Smith	Keith Elliott	Stan Shay

**Manager:** Roy Pickering **Cars:** Skips Leave 12.30pm

### Dunolly Green plays MHS Black

Keith McKenzie	Jim Haigh	Arthur Deason
Marg Davies	David Price	Paul Chase
Karen Stephens	John Pinkard	Nancy Pike
Mathew Potter	Joe Lacey	Richard Cain

**Manager:** Paul Chase **Cars:** Skips Leave 12.30pm

### Dunolly Red plays Avoca Gold at Dunolly

Sandra Chaplin	M Mortlock	Heather Weir
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Hannah Delconte	Graham Cain	Don Coe
Rob Weir	Bob Mortlock	Jill Morse

**Manager:** Sandra Chaplin

**Emergency:** Don Mortlock

## Mid-Week Pennant Teams Tuesday 15th September 2019

### Dunolly Blue plays Highland Gold at Golf

Loretta Parker	Heather Freemantle	Marg Davies
Jill Morse	Sandra Chaplin	Elaine Murphy
Marilyn Mortlock	Greg Dobbin	Tony Galofaro
Alan Weir	Barry Cann	Alice Raven

**Manager:** Heather Freemantle  
**Emergency:** Roy Pickering, Terry Long  
**Cars:** Greg Dobbin

### Dunolly Gold plays Highland Tartan at Highland

Sheryl Howard	Pam Harrison	Jenny McHugh
Heather Cooper	Mavis Shay	Nancy Pike
Karen Stephens	Jim Haigh	Doris Spiteri
Wayne Stephens	Hannah Delconte	Heather Davis

**Manager:** Jenny Mc Hugh  
**Emergency:** Jim Haigh  
**Set Up:** Sheryl Howard  
**Cars:** Hannah and Pam, leave at 8.45am

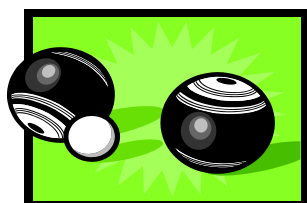
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### At the Bealiba Hall

Joe Battison, David Price, Chris Evans, Ian Lovel and Heather Cooper, Malcolm Campbell, Lyle Streeter had two wins each. The other two teams had a win each. Only eight weeks of play left in the season. Cumulative scores are becoming very close.

Pam Brightwell



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On Friday 4th October, Kokoro Kai Karate members from Dunolly and Maryborough dojos headed over four hours away to Tallangatta to meet up with New South Wales Karate Students for a weekend of training at their annual Karate Camp.

A good weekend was had by all! Now, we start planning for 2020!

Because we (here in Dunolly/Maryborough) will be hosting the event planned for October next year!

It's exciting because not only will we be welcoming the New South Wales Clubs to our dojo for training but we are also bringing them into our Community!

We expect that the weekend could draw at least 50-100 people!

A large number of them will be staying in local accommodation, eating at local cafes, pubs, bakery, etc.,

and sightseeing around our beautiful town and surrounding district! It is going to be a very exciting weekend that we are all looking forward to!

Thank you to everyone who attended this year's camp! It was great to see Victoria and New South Wales Karate students all training together and meeting new friends!

We hope as many of our members as possible can attend next year's training weekend. Even though it's not really "a camp" for us, being here in our own town, it would be great if our members were there to support the event, and welcome the New South Wales people into our dojo and Community.

Written by  
Dunolly Karate Members

## Laanecoorie Gold Bash



Sluicing

The Laanecoorie Gold Bash is a three-day event held at the Laanecoorie Caravan Park. The event was officially established in 2011 and has been growing more popular every year since with prospectors, lots of families, exhibitors and stall-holders. Entrance is free; however, there are lots of activities at a small cost, raffles and bags of soil containing gold for adults and children alike to pan and try their luck. These activities raise money for the Peter MacCallum Hospital.

Last year the event raised just over \$34,000. All organisers and volunteers freely give of their time to ensure the event is a success.



Panning

For information on this year's event or next year, you can contact Melissa Stopps, (co-ordinator) on 0419 221 961 or email: [laanecooriegoldebash@hotmail.com](mailto:laanecooriegoldebash@hotmail.com).

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