

## ANNOUNCEMENT OF MOSAICS' PLACEMENT



The kangaroo and dingo sculptures, having remained in storage until a decision for their placement in Dunolly, can now be released.



At last night's meeting (25/2/2020) of Central Goldfields Shire Council, the gallery was advised of Council's decision on the placement of the remaining two Mosaics produced by the Dunolly community.

The Dingo will be placed adjacent to the Ministry of Fun at 118 Broadway and the Kangaroo will now be situated in Rene Fox Gardens. The Imagination Station, currently in Rene Fox Gardens, will now be relocated to the Dunolly Arts Hub in Thompson Street.

We look forward to their installation, which will bring this lengthy process to its conclusion. By attracting a wider market they can only further enhance Dunolly's reputation as a unique tourist destination.

Jenny Scott.

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I bought a new set of bathroom scales last week — didn't trust the old ones. There is a very handy panel on the box that tells one the average height / weight ratio. I am about 30 centimetres too short.

I was following an old ute all set up as a camper out from Maryborough last week. I noticed it had a name on the back — *Shootin' the breeze*. The aroma that drifted into my nose every time the driver changed gears or accelerated was full of fumes that one does not usually associate with breezes.

Saw something that amused me the other day in Broadway. A big vehicle was towing an enormous caravan — with an outboard motor attached to the back. It looked too small to help with the towing — then I saw the boat on the top of the 4x4.

I have been reading a book about the Bronze Age in the Middle East. The author states that Egypt and nearby countries were once heavily forested, but due to the need for fuel to smelt copper and tin to make huge amounts of bronze, all the forests were cut down and deserts resulted. Sounds a bit like clear felling at its worst.

We think we've got problems with 'roos on the road — in West Bengal a while back there was a "problem" with elephants crossing the railway lines in a national park.

I have had to show an original birth certificate for something coming up. Mine has been long gone, but I knew I had an extract somewhere. After much delving and going through places where precious things were supposed to be, I found it. Actually there were three extracts, acquired over the years, neatly put in an envelope for safe keeping. I wonder how many older people actually have an original certificate.

Rosie



**KEEP CALM**

I think all this talk about age is foolish.  
 Every time I'm a year older,  
 so is everyone else.

Gloria Swanson

Gloria May Josephine Swanson (March 27, 1899 – April 4, 1983) was an American actress and producer. Information from: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gloria\\_Swanson](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gloria_Swanson)

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## LETTERS TO EDITOR

Dear Editor,

### Driver disaster

Many folks will know that Bill (aka Waistcoat Willy) has a broken arm which will slow him down for some time, and I do wish him a full and speedy recovery.

What many folks may not know about Bill is that he is a frequent volunteer driver of the Dunolly Community Bus. This means the RTC, which manages the bus, is now one driver short on the Friday roster for the foreseeable future, and another volunteer driver is now urgently needed.

The Friday roster takes Dunolly locals into Maryborough on "the shopping run" and to medical appointments, the bank and such. Many of the regular passengers would have considerable difficulty getting into Maryborough if it wasn't for the weekly bus run.

If you can help, or know someone else who can help, that help is needed now!

The job is easy:

Friday morning (9.30am to 1pm approx) about once a month.

Collect the bus from the CFA shed.

Pick up passengers at the RTC.

Drive the passengers to Maryborough and drop them off at the Library.

Refuel the bus at the Shire Depot.

About two hours later: Pick up the passengers from Woolworths and drop them at home with their shopping.

Take the bus back to the CFA.

That's about it!

Drivers need a minimum of a Light Truck Licence, to be friendly and patient and above all, reliable. One of the existing drivers will "show you the ropes".

So, if you can help (or know someone else who may be able to, please give them a nudge) and please contact Rosa at the RTC (5468-1205) ASAP.

This is a valuable community service and cannot operate without its volunteers drivers.

Steve (volunteer driver)  
Dunolly

Dear Editor,

### MAY KERRISON

6th May 1929 — 5th December 2019

We were saddened this morning by the news from May's daughter that May died before Christmas.

May, as many will remember, was a long-time volunteer at *The Welcome Record*, starting as a folder before revealing her incredible typing skills and knowledge of grammar.

After the retirement of Editor Jean, an editorial team of three was elected, comprising May, Susan and myself. Against all the odds and the belief of many it worked perfectly, lasting for many years until I had to resign through ill-health.

Let's hope there are lemon-curd tarts in heaven and that St Peter is careful to keep his records in good grammatical order!

Thank you May for a wonderful period in our lives and so many treasured memories.

Brian and Susan Burbidge  
Dunolly

Dear Editor

### Fundraising effort thank you

On behalf of Mia and Taylah Schodde we would like to extend our thanks to our friends, family and community for their support in raising money for the bush fire affected areas.

The response to their little fundraiser was overwhelming. Mia and Taylah raised a whopping \$552.50 in just over three weeks. This well and truly surpassed all of our expectations. After a lot of research, Mia and Taylah decided to donate all the funds to The Clifton Creek Primary School, a school 20 minutes from Bairnsdale which completely burned down. They wanted the money to go towards rebuilding the little school.

Special thanks goes to Trent and Karryn at the Railway Hotel who stocked and sold a huge number of bracelets for Mia and Tay.

Thank you again to our wonderful friends, family and community for your amazing support!

Mel Schodde  
(on behalf of Mia and Taylah)



## DUNOLLY GOLF CLUB

### GINA HOGAN EVENT

The Dunolly Golf Club Committee, together with the Social Activity Sub-Committee, would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our patrons who attended the Gina Hogan day on Saturday 15th February.

All the entertainment was excellent, and Gina was a great hit with everyone; we will definitely be asking her back in the future.

Many thanks to Michael Rayson, Jan and Jan, and all who organized the activities on the day. Thanks also to club members and social members who helped prepare and serve food and drink for the afternoon. Many hands make light work, and we were grateful for the assistance given.

Special thanks go to Billie and Matt at Dunolly Quality Meats who donated all the meat for the BBQ, and to Rod Stuart from the Dunolly Bakery, who donated the bread. Kerri from Priority One Real Estate Dunolly sponsored the event with a generous donation, which was very much appreciated.

Maree and Ron from We're Fired Up Mobile Pizzas were especially generous with their donation on the day.

Particular mention must go to Thea and Mal from Nik Naks and Gallery on Broadway, who provided a fantastic hamper to be raffled and a weekend holiday package which was also raffled. Thea also painted a beautiful watercolour entitled *Laanecoorie* which was auctioned during the afternoon. It was bought by great club supporter Neil Wilkinson, who outlasted Hamish to claim the picture with a \$400 bid. We thank Thea and Mal for their support, and we are delighted to welcome them as new social members.

To all those who dug deep to put money in the donations jar, we thank you for your support. The unfortunate events of the week before were forgotten, as we raised just over \$2000 for the club, which is a great way to begin the 2020 season. Please consider joining as a social member, at an annual cost of \$40. Every little bit helps, and will ensure that Dunolly Golf Club exists well into the future, with improved facilities and great entertainment.

The only downside to the day was that Bill Waistcoat fell and broke his arm at the very end of proceedings. He's currently recovering in hospital at last report, and everyone wishes Bill a speedy recovery. He is a great supporter of the club, and we look forward to seeing him back very soon.

Ian Arnold





## Probud News

At our February meeting eight members were away playing bowls so a smaller, intimate group prepared for our annual general meeting next month. It will be held on Thursday 19th March in the Dunolly Senior Citizens' Hall at 10am. Our monthly meeting will be held first followed by morning tea then the AGM to elect our new year's executive and committee along with any Probud business. After the meetings a luncheon of three courses with sweets, will be provided at the Railway Hotel.

Ex-members are especially invited to the meeting to celebrate our 20th anniversary together. We would like memories from our early days together to be shared. We have steadily lost so many members over those 20 years with a "Vale" board listing them all to remind us of their special companionship.

We shall need numbers attending this lunch so if you would like to join us at the Railway Hotel after the meeting please contact Isobel Hawksley on 5468 7285 or Jan Watts on 0456 874 110.

Probud South Pacific reminded us of the importance of socialising in retirement and our lunches and bus trips are popular. Suggestions for other activities would be welcome.

Our March bus trip is to Edgar's Mission in Lancefield which is a retirement village for farm animals, where we shall be having our morning tea. The trip is a 300 km round trip with a wine tasting and a buffet lunch with wine. Faye Nicholson is also checking on the opening hours for a proposed visit to a gin distillery. If we have more than 10 passengers the cost will be \$55 including lunch; with fewer than 10 it would be \$60/head. Our bus will depart at 8.30am from the Senior Citizens' Hall.

Following our recent speaker's bonsai demonstration he left us with a plant he had wound around wire and Jenny Cain has carefully nurtured. Faye requested and received permission to purchase a suitable bonsai pot in which to plant this delightful specimen for a raffle at our AGM.

At our April meeting the speaker will give a Wellness Seminar and Nutrition Master Class with demonstrations, explanations and sampling of healthy foods and how to create our own healthy snacks; dietician and nutrient advice and tips; healthy ingredients will be supplied and dietary myths and misconceptions revealed.

That same afternoon this demonstration will be repeated in our Neighbourhood Centre at 1pm with afternoon tea.

Carolyn Butler, Publicity Officer

Some information on Edgar's Mission can be found here at: <https://www.edgarsmission.org.au/about-us/>

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## MAYORAL COLUMN

### Locals named as finalists

Congratulations to Katrina van Eyk from Pyramid Hill who is one of four women announced as finalists for the Victorian 2020 AgriFutures Rural Women's Award. The award recognises innovative ideas to support Australia's rural and regional communities and encourages women to be more active in community decision-making.

Katrina is an experienced swimming coach and is passionate about teaching safe swimming practices. She wants to expand an affordable eight-week summer Learn-to-Swim program in regional communities. Her program focuses on developing the community connection of pools as a local meeting place, improved physical and mental health and the opportunity to upskill locals to be qualified swim teachers.

The Victorian winner will be announced on 24th March and will receive a bursary of \$10,000 to implement her project.

Congratulations also to the Hooke family of Willera Merino in Serpentine, who have been named finalists for the Weekly Times Coles 2019 Farmer of the Year Awards.

The Hooke family are finalists in the category of Sheep Farmer of the Year for their merino operation which runs 1000 registered ewes and 13,000 commercial ewes. The winners will be announced on 26th February.

### Changes to building regulations

Recent State Government changes to building regulations require all owners of existing swimming pools and spas to register their swimming pool and spa with Council's Building Services by not later than Monday 1st June 2020.

This requirement applies to all pools and spas capable of holding water with a depth of 300mm or more, regardless of whether the pool or spa is permanent or movable. Significant penalties apply for not registering swimming pools and spas by Monday 1st June 2020.

Anyone building a new pool or spa will have 30 days from the date of an occupancy permit or certificate of final inspection being issued to register their pool or spa with Council.

Further information can be obtained from the Victorian Building Authority website [www.vba.vic.gov.au/consumers/swimming-pools/registration-requirements](http://www.vba.vic.gov.au/consumers/swimming-pools/registration-requirements).

To obtain an application form please contact Council's Building Services on 5494 1242 or email: [building@loddon.vic.gov.au](mailto:building@loddon.vic.gov.au) or download the form from our website: [www.loddon.vic.gov.au/Our-Council/Forms-and-permit-applications](http://www.loddon.vic.gov.au/Our-Council/Forms-and-permit-applications).

### Hard Waste Collection 2020

Loddon Shire Council will be conducting its annual kerbside hard waste collection of metals, e-waste, furniture and white goods to coincide with Clean Up Australia Day on the first Sunday in March.

Residents within the township boundaries (excluding business) of Boort, Pyramid Hill, Mitiamo, Dingee, Serpentine, Borung, Wychitella, Korong Vale, Wedderburn, Inglewood, Bridgewater, Newbridge, Tarnagulla, Laanecoorie and Eddington may place items up to a total of one cubic metre out on the nature strip on Sunday 1 March 2020 (not before) and Council staff will collect these items commencing Monday 2nd March 2020.

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## More Stories from Waistcoat Willy's Saga

This story has been retailed to me by Able Seaman Bill Weetman, aka Waistcoat Willie, from the sick bay, where he is temporarily indisposed.

After sailing to all points north, south and east, Billy decided he wanted to go further afield, or should I say a-sea. He told his father he would like to see Melbourne and Sydney and Hobart and Adelaide, so he was going to apply for a ship bound for Australia. His Dad said "Go for it son", but then Billy added "When I get there I am going to jump ship and stay in Australia."

Billy was lucky to have a father who encouraged him to flap his wings and follow his dreams. Billy had to go to London to find a ship bound for Australia, so he packed his bags, had breakfast with his mother, asked where his father was and found he was still in bed. So Billy popped his head in, said he was off now and his Dad said "Good luck son, see you later," and away went Billy.

He went to the London shipping office and discovered the *Hammonia* was heading to Vietnam and then Australia and they were looking for a full crew. So down for his medical high-tailed Billy, dreading to be rejected for his colour blindness. By now we have discovered that Billy had plenty of smart tricks up his sleeve so when the eye test was about to be done Billy told the doctor he already knew he was colour blind but the previous medical officer had ignored it and passed him to sail. So this doctor said if he had been allowed through by his predecessor then it was fine. Rather cunning, some might say.

The ship was sailing from Singapore so the crew was flown there. Billy was puzzled as to why the plane was half empty because only the ship's crew were on board. When he asked why, he was told they weren't sure which shipping company had booked so to be on the safe side they didn't take on any other passengers. That certainly did a lot for the sailors' ego.

Arriving at the wharf, Billy was confronted by an old tanker, loaded up with sandbags. That couldn't be their ship, but one of the men said "We've been conned; that is our ship". Billy said "But I'm going to Australia and not on that old thing."

However, that old thing was their ship and first they headed to Saigon but had to anchor outside in the Mekong Delta. Billy was at the wheel and there were two patrol boats, one aft and one forward. Billy asked the captain how was it he was the only crew member wearing a metal helmet, metal vest and, oh yes, he said it, a metal jock strap. Captain replied "Because you will be the first one to be shot at." So reassuring.

They were passing by a forest and next thing there were bullets flying in all directions. Nobody knew why but they were obviously snipers. The ship managed to escape injury as did the crew and then they sailed into Saigon with the patrol boats dropping hand grenades in the water all around them. Very scary.

Next stop was Singapore and everyone celebrated being off the ship and then they were to be flown back to England. Looking out the plane window Billy spotted a fighter plane close to the wing and nudging his neighbour he also pointed out another one on the far side. Then the captain announced they were going to land on Colombo, obviously because they were in line with fighter planes. At the terminal the place was swarming with Cingalese and you couldn't move in any direction. Obviously there was some strife in the area and everybody was trying to leave. Billy's mob finally got back on the plane and headed home for England. They later heard that there had been warfare in Ceylon and the crew had just got out in time.

That was Billy's aborted attempt to arrive on our sunny shores but next week we will find out he succeeded.

Cynthia Lindsay

The *Hammonia*



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# MAYORAL COLUMN

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## Old Time Dance

Every Monday at St Johns Hall Barkly St Dunolly at 7.30 pm. Dance the night away doing all the old time Dances. Bear in mind you don't have to be an old timer to do this.

Foxtrot, waltz, new vogue are all there along with some great music. Supper is available to help you recuperate from all that wonderful exercise. \$3 per person.



## Mosaics

Every Monday at the Arts Hub, Thompson Street, from 10am. Chairs, vases, gnomes, plaques and tiles are all beautifully mosaiced (*sic*), and there are experienced mozaicers (*sic*) to show you how if you need advice.

\$3 per person.

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

Items are to be sorted into piles, i.e. metal items, furniture, e-waste and white goods. Total volume is not to exceed 1 min size. Excessive or unsorted piles will not be collected. Please note that general waste, green waste, tyres, oils, batteries, paints and chemicals, car parts and mattresses will not be picked up. Any unsuitable items left behind after collections are to be removed from the nature strip immediately.

For more information go to:

<https://www.loddon.vic.gov.au/For-residents/Your-home/Garbage-and-recycling/Hard-waste-collection>

## Did you know?

Council provides library services to the municipal community in collaboration with Goldfields Library Corporation at six agencies — Boort, Dingee, Inglewood, Pyramid Hill, Tarnagulla and Wedderburn. In the last financial year, our agencies recorded 11,333 library visits and 29,864 loans made.

A wide range of relevant, contemporary library collections and programs are offered, including adult and children's programs and activities.

The Storytime sessions aim to nurture listening, language and learning skills of pre-school children, with fun-filled sessions of songs and rhymes running each week during school terms. This week is Bridgewater and Wedderburn's turn for Storytime.

Check the library website for session details: [ncgrl.vic.gov.au/storytimes](http://ncgrl.vic.gov.au/storytimes)

Mayoral Column 24th February 2020

## CENTRAL GOLDFIELDS RATEPAYERS AND RESIDENTS ASSOC. INC.

With only two more town workshops to finish the consultation for the Our Community 2030, the top five things most liked were:

- 1- The people.
- 2- Shopping.
- 3- Community spirit.
- 4- Small town feel
- 5- Community facilities and infrastructure.

The five challenges were:

- 1- Lack of employment.
- 2- Drug issues.
- 3- Health care.
- 4- Nothing for the kids, boredom.
- 5- Attracting industry and small business.

Some very interesting issues which we all need to look at very closely. Well done for the Federal Government, Lisa and her team, plus the council for arranging this survey. The outcome of this survey is being released in April 2020, and the 2020 Customer Satisfaction survey out shortly after, it will be very interesting seeing these two side by side.

With these three issues being tabled at the Council Ordinary meeting on Tuesday 25th February, the Carisbrook Flood Levee, Dunolly Mosaics placement and the Skate Park being dealt with, hopefully the correct decisions were made and we can all move on, finally.

The Shire's Tourism and Economic strategy is also open for comment, hopefully the Shire's heritage policy will be close behind.

The NCCMA and Council Maryborough Flood study will be held at the Hub on Tuesday 3rd March, 5.30pm to 7pm. For anyone who has concerns about flooding or water concerns, we recommend you make the time to attend. Our next CGR&RAI meeting is at the Maryborough Hub, Tuesday 3rd March at 7.30pm. Non members are welcome.

Wayne McKail, President  
CGR&RAI



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## Have your Say — Economic Development Strategy and Tourism and Events Strategy

We're inviting residents to provide feedback on our Draft Economic Development Strategy and Draft Tourism and Events Strategy.

Both strategies provide a clear vision and framework for general economic development and the visitor economy in our municipality over the next five years.

The strategies focus on existing strengths and local needs. As well as providing a platform for securing strategic investment and partnerships, the strategies will take a "bottom up" economic development approach by identifying ways to support start-ups and small businesses to thrive.

Community feedback, provided to us as part of our community consultation on the project last year, helped inform both strategies. Now that we have finalised the draft strategies, we want you to tell us:

- Should any of the action plan items be higher or lower priorities than indicated?
- Has any significant area for action been omitted?
- Do you support the overall direction of the strategies (either or both)?

Your feedback will assist us to finalise the final version of the Strategy that will then go Council for approval.

Both strategies are available to view on our website: [www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay](http://www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay)

Feedback is required by Wednesday 6th March 2020 and is invited via:

Email [strategicplanning@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au](mailto:strategicplanning@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au)

Mail: Central Goldfields Shire, Manager Strategy and Economic Development, PO BOX 194, Maryborough, VIC, 3465

## Have your Say — Draft Waste Management Strategy

We're inviting residents to provide feedback on our Draft Waste Management Strategy 2020-2030.

The Strategy provides a roadmap for the future direction of waste services and waste reduction in our municipality. It outlines the current waste management legislative and policy environment in Victoria, the current waste service models, infrastructure, and data.

It also provides an overview of the community feedback we received as part of our community consultation session and surveys that we conducted last year.

These concepts and ideas have been brought together as actions and outline how we will work with our community to achieve the waste management vision to: be a low waste community that has equitable and affordable waste services with minimal impact on the environment and public health.

Your feedback will assist us to finalise the final version of the Strategy that will then go to council for approval.

The Strategy is available to view on our website: [www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay](http://www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay)

Feedback is required by Monday 9th March 2020 and is invited via:

Email [haveyoursaywaste@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au](mailto:haveyoursaywaste@cgoldshire.vic.gov.au)

Mail: Central Goldfields Shire, Manager Infrastructure, Post Office 194, Maryborough, VIC, 3465

## Animal Registrations

Animal registrations due by Friday 10th April. Pet owners are reminded that animal registration payments are due on Friday 10 April.

Animal registration is required under the Domestic Animals Act 1994 and all dogs and cats over three months of age must be registered with Council and micro chipped.

Registering a dog or cat greatly improved the chances of it being returned if it becomes lost.

Residents can pay their animal registration via:

BPay — online or by telephone.

In person — Central Goldfields Shire Customer Service Centre, 22 Nolan Street, Maryborough or at a post office.

By mail — cheques can be mailed to PO Box 194, Maryborough, 3465

For more information visit our website:

[www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/registeryourpet](http://www.centralgoldfields.vic.gov.au/registeryourpet)

## Council meeting to be audio recorded

Central Goldfields Shire Council Meetings will be audio recorded and made available on Council's website commencing this week.

The first Ordinary Council Meeting for 2020 was held on Tuesday 25th February at 6pm at the Community Hub in Maryborough with the audio recording from the meeting to be available on Council's website this Friday 28th February 2020.

Central Goldfields Shire Chief Administrator Noel Harvey said it was another way Council is working to ensure community members are better informed.

"We know it's difficult for many members of our community to attend Council meetings whether it be due to work or family commitments. To have the audio recordings available for the community to listen to when it's a time convenient for them enables greater transparency between Council and the community.

"I encourage residents to take the opportunity to listen in and become more involved and informed about the decision making of Council."

The audio recording will be available from Council's website the Friday following the Council Meeting.

CGSC News

Friday 21st February

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## BEALIBA CWA UPDATE

It's not often we start the year with a celebration, but this year we had a lot to celebrate as it marked 40 years of service to the CWA by Shirley Coburn and a milestone birthday for her as well. During these years Shirley has been a tireless worker for the CWA (this is equally true of a number of other organisations in Bealiba) and a baker of numerous sponges which have been enjoyed by numerous recipients.

East Wimmera Group President, Sharon Douglas, was on hand to present Shirley with her certificate and badge commemorating 40 years of service.

Following the meeting, members held a special lunch to honour Shirley's many achievements, which were summarised by our archivist, Joyce Chivers.

With our major craft exhibition coming up in May, craft co-ordinator and president, Pam Brightwell, handed members lists of the items they had volunteered to make. Was I really that rash? I guess others will be thinking the same. Oh well, a lot can be achieved at the 11th hour.

Pam had also completed a number of knee rugs, children's cardigans and baby jackets which the group president will ferry to headquarters either for re-sale or re-distribution to those in need. Given the losses that many experienced in the recent bush fires I'm sure these lovely goods will find a home.

**Dates for the Diary**

Saturday 29th February:

East Wimmera Group Conference in Marnoo at 9.30am

Tuesday, 3rd March:

Creative Crafts in St. Arnaud – button dolls or fridge magnets at 10am.

Thursday 19th March:

General Meeting at 10.30am followed by exhibition arrangements at 1pm

Saturday, 28th March:

Wirrim's 50th Birthday

**Competitions for February**

February's competition was a fish — any medium except alive. Well, I'd have to say some people really do think outside the square — the winning entry was a can of sardines!

Single Bloom:

First Maureen Wright      Second Jan Murphy

Multiple Bloom:

First Betty Lovel              Second Heather Davis

Competition:

First Jan Murphy              Second Heather Davis

**Competition for March** — an egg cup

Heather Davis



## MARYBOROUGH VETERINARY PRACTICE

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### Dunolly Neighbourhood Watch

There have been recent break-ins at the Dunolly Primary School and Dunolly Golf Club.

If anyone has any information which may help with the investigations, please would they ring Crime Stoppers. If you call the Police Station with non urgent information you can speak to the Police Assistant Line (POL) by pressing "2" on the phone.

Report suspicious cars and bikes, seen especially at odd hours — late at night, after 10pm and early morning.

Rosemary Williams  
Coordinator, Dunolly NHW





## Dunolly Christian Churches

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

### Anglican Church Services:

#### St John's Dunolly

10am Eucharist Thursday 27th February with  
Rev Canon Heather Blackman

#### 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, 1st March round table discussion  
regarding the future of the church.

### Catholic Church

Dunolly World Day of Prayer event will be at St. Mary's  
Church at 7.30 pm on Friday 6th March.

We have a guest speaker from Zimbabwe — the host  
country. Everyone is welcome to attend. There will be a  
light supper afterwards, so a small plate would be  
appreciated.

Lenten Study Group at the home of Jill Morse, 805  
Maryborough-Dunolly Road at 7pm on Wednesdays.

Bookings for the St Patrick's Day celebrations at the  
Avoca Golf Club on Tuesday 17th March, can be made  
with Jeannie Scully at 0409 592 627, or at the Avoca Post  
Office.

Fr. Mark has been in touch with the Parish and sends his  
best wishes to all.

R Mcreddy

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John 1 :2-5

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### Uniting Church

This Sunday 1st March Rev Rose Broadstock and Rev  
Gordon Wild will lead us in a round table discussion at  
9.30am about the future of this church. We have many  
choices and this we must talk about. This is our church so  
please come along and have your say.

Thursday 5th March, UCAF will hold its meeting. Rhonda  
Heather is the devotions leader "Temptation" Mt. 4:1-11.  
Activity — Why you select particular charities. Please  
bring a small plate of food to share for afternoon tea.

KYB is Wednesday 11th March; at 11am in the Church.

Our Church car-boot-sale in the church grounds will be  
held on Saturday 14th March the hosts will be CWA.

Bryan and Irene Jackson are leaving us to go to South  
Australia. They will not be back for some months. We  
wish them a safe and wonderful time.

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Jean Richardson



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### Dunolly Branch CWA

A correction to the notice last week — the  
Car Boot sale cake stall is on Saturday,  
14th March.

Sorry about the wrong date — blame it on  
Leap Year. R.Mcreddy (Publicity)

### St John's Church

Thursday, 27th February

10am Eucharist

Rev Canon Heather Blackman

Esmé Flett

#### SCRIPTURE VERSE OF THE WEEK

*Now suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them,  
and from the cloud a voice said,*

*"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am  
well pleased; listen to him!"*

Matthew 17:5







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## Rehearsals Begin

Rehearsals for The Dunolly Gilbert & Sullivan Society Inc's production of "The Pirates of Penzance" began with good attendance last Sunday. Anybody who is interested in being part of the production is welcome. The next rehearsal will be this Sunday, 1st March, 2020 at Buckley's of Dunolly (Rachel's) at 2pm. We especially would like to see some men take part, their voices add so much!



Esmé Flett

### A timely leap year story for 2020

*The Pirates of Penzance*; or, *The Slave of Duty* is a comic opera in two acts, with music by Arthur Sullivan and libretto by W.S. Gilbert. The opera's official premiere was at the Fifth Avenue Theatre in New York City on 31st December 1879, where the show was well received by both audiences and critics. Its London debut was on 3rd April 1880, at the *Opera Comique*, where it ran for 363 performances. The story concerns Frederic, who, having completed his 21st year, is released from his apprenticeship to a band of tender-hearted pirates. He meets Mabel, the daughter of Major-General Stanley, and the two young people fall instantly in love. Frederic soon learns, however, that he was born on the 29th of February, and so, technically, he has a birthday only once each leap year. His indenture specifies that he remain apprenticed to the pirates until his "twenty-first birthday", meaning that he must serve for another 63 years. Bound by his own sense of duty, Frederic's only solace is that Mabel agrees to wait for him faithfully. Sourced from [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The\\_Pirates\\_of\\_Penzance](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Pirates_of_Penzance)

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## **2020 CALENDAR OF EVENTS\***

- Saturday 28th March Greenskeeper Games
- Saturday 11th April Easter Cup
- Sunday 3rd May Kangaroo Caddy
- Sunday 7th June Queens's Birthday Bash
- Saturday 18th July Club Champs
- Sunday 23rd August Lucky 5 Golf
- Saturday 10th October Three Club Monty

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**Around school this week 20/02/2020**

**EVERY MINUTE MATTERS!**

Coming up in a few weeks, we will be part of the launch of the shire wide attendance initiative – Every Minute Matters!

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Academic – they gain vital instruction and maximise learning time.

Social – they are connected to their peers and teachers increasing a sense of wellbeing

Personal – they create a work ethic and habits of being a great contributor to society once they get to the work force age

A day here or there mightn't seem like much but they all add up. Have a look at the chart on the Dunolly Primary School's Facebook page at:

<https://www.facebook.com/dunollyps/>

**ASSEMBLY**

A reminder assembly will be at the new time of 2.45pm. The newly formed SRC representatives are doing a wonderful job learning how to run assembly.



**This week's value**

**in focus is:**

**Tolerance**

Accepting the differences of others

**STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**

Prep/1 – Natalie Raven

Year 2/3 – Lily Malcolm

Year 4/5 – Bella Polinelli

Year 5/6 – Isaac Scott & Charmaine Soulsby

Principal's – Lachie Condie & Summer Willoughby

Auslan – Mia Schodde

**LAST WEEK'S STUDENTS OF THE WEEK**



**LIDS FOR KIDS**

A big thank you to everyone who dropped lids to our school for this wonderful initiative. Please note that we are no longer a collection point for the lids due to the huge volume that has been collected for our local Lions Club. They now have enough to last them for a while.

**PFA NEWS**

Next meeting: AGM - Monday March 2nd at 9am  
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**BROADWAY**



We would like to say Thank You to all of our customers for their patience and well wishes while we adjust to life with our new family member.

All Day on Broadway will re-open from  
**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2020**

Cheers, Millie and Craig



# Regular Community Gatherings

Community Group	Venue	Date / Times
Bealiba Bingo	Bealiba Hall	2nd Monday monthly 1.30pm
Bealiba CWA	Bealiba Hall	3rd Thursday monthly 1pm
Bealiba Line Dancing	Bealiba Hall	Every Tuesday 7pm - 9pm
Bealiba Playgroup	Primary School—school terms	Every Friday from 10am to 11am
Bealiba Progress Association	Bealiba Hall	2nd Monday monthly 7.30pm
Bealiba Indoor Carpet Bowls	Bealiba Hall	Every Thursday night 7.30pm
CG Ratepayers Association Inc	Various locations - TBA	1st Tuesday monthly - 7.30pm
Community Bus to Maryborough	RTC side street	Friday 10am leaves - For return trip call 5468 1205
Dunolly and District Probus Club	Senior Citizens Hall	3rd Thursday monthly 10am
Dunolly and District Inc.	Dunolly Town Hall	2nd Wednesday monthly 5pm
Dunolly Community Garden	Pre-school Maude Street	Every Friday 10am - during Summer
Dunolly Community Market	Broadway (Main Street)	2nd Sunday monthly 9am to 1.30pm
Dunolly CWA	SES rooms	1st Wednesday monthly 1.30pm
Dunolly District Hospital Auxiliary	PAG Room	1st Monday monthly at 10am
Dunolly Field and Game	SES shed	1st Wednesday monthly 7.30pm
Dunolly Fire Brigade	Fire Station	3rd Monday monthly 7.30pm
Dunolly Historic Precinct Committee	own Hall	4th Monday monthly 1pm
Dunolly Karate Club	Dunolly RSL Hall	Mondays 5.30-6.30pm and 6.30-7.30pm Pee Wee/Junior/Senior (7+ years)
Dunolly Masonic Lodge	Masonic Lodge Havelock Street	3rd Monday monthly at 7.30pm
Dunolly Museum	75 Broadway	3rd Monday monthly 2pm. For website Google: Dunolly Museum Site
Dunolly Neighbourhood Watch	CFA rooms	3rd Wednesday monthly 10am
Dunolly Ninjas Program	Dunolly RSL Hall	Mondays from 5pm (4 to 6 years old)
Dunolly Planned Activities Group	Call 5468 2907	Tuesday and Thursdays 10.30am to 2.30pm
Dunolly RSL	RSL Hall Dunolly	2nd Tuesday monthly - 7pm
Dunolly Senior Citizens Meeting	Senior Citizens Hall	1st Monday monthly 10am
DSC Card Playing	Senior Citizens Hall	Each Tuesday at 1.30pm
DSC Carpet Bowls	Senior Citizens Hall	Each Monday 1.30pm
DSC Luncheon	Senior Citizens Hall	3rd Wednesday monthly 12.30pm
Dunolly Social Cyclists	Call Neville for info: 5468 7295	Meet fortnightly
Dunolly Supported Playgroup	Dunolly Preschool	Wednesday 9.30am to 11.30am
Dunolly Unit Vic SES	SES rooms	3rd Tuesday monthly 6.30pm. Training every other Tuesday
Golden Triangle Archers	Behind Deledio Reserve	4th Sunday monthly 10am
Maryborough Lions Club Market	Alma and Nolan Streets, Maryborough	1st Sunday monthly 8am - 1pm
Maryborough Pigeon Fanciers Inc.	Poultry Pavilion, M&DAS 337 Bucknall Street, Carisbrook	1st Tuesday monthly 7.30pm Between February and November
Mother Goose Program	Dunolly Primary School	Every Friday during school term 9.30-10.30am
Newbridge CWA	Newbridge Hall	3rd Tuesday monthly 1.30pm
Old Time Dancing	Anglican Hall, Barkly St Dunolly	7.30pm Mondays
PMAV	Maryborough Highland Club	3rd Tuesday monthly, 7.30pm
Red Hat Society	Ripples On The Res	2nd Thursday of the month, 11.30am
Tai Chi and Women Self Defence	Dunolly Arts Hub	Tuesday at 10am and 4.30pm; Thursday 10am
Talbot Farmers Market	Talbot streets	3rd Sunday monthly 9am to 1pm
Tarnagulla Action Group	Community Centre	3rd Monday monthly 7.30pm
Tarnagulla Playgroup	Behind the Tarnagulla Hall	Thursday 10.30am-12 noon
Tarnagulla Senior Citizens	Victoria Hall	1st and 3rd Monday monthly, 11am-12.30pm
The Welcome Record Committee	TWR Office	2nd Monday monthly, 1pm

## Put these on your Calendar for March 2020

Thursday to Sunday	27th February to 1st March	Maryborough Craft Shop 12th Annual Craft display and sale — from 9am
Sunday	1st	Clean Up Australia Day —Meet at corner Painkiller Gully Road and Short Street 9am — wear suitable clothing and bring water  Maryborough Lions Market. Corner Nolan and Alma streets — 8am to 1pm
Tuesday	3rd	Council Maryborough Flood study — The Maryborough Hub at 5.30pm  CGR&RI meeting — The Maryborough Hub at 7.30pm. All welcome
Wednesday	4th	Women's Health Clinic — Maryborough District Health Service, Havelock Street, Dunolly — 9am to 1pm
Sunday	8th	Dunolly Community Market — 8am to 1pm
Saturday	14th	Car boot sale hosted by Dunolly CWA at the Uniting Church — Corrected date.

# Dunolly

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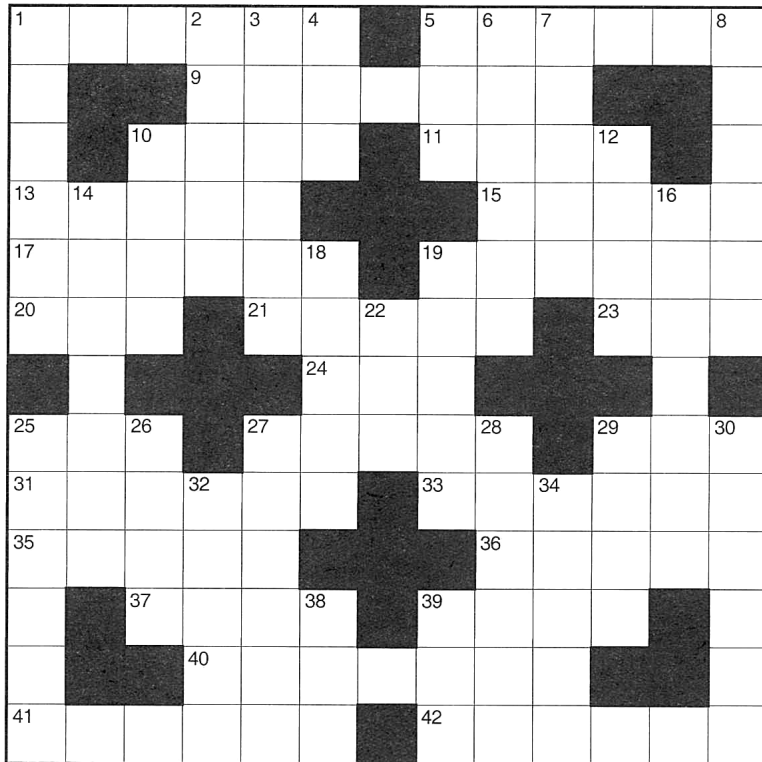
1. Arch between ankle and toes
5. Clothing
9. Motor vehicle running on train lines
10. Edible grain
11. Slender and fit
13. Archer's projectile
15. One who tantalises
17. Great composer, Frederic \_\_\_\_\_
19. Element with symbol 'C'
20. Pull (car, eg.)
21. Much-wed actress, Zsa Zsa \_\_\_\_\_
23. Not new
24. Intrinsically, \_\_\_\_\_ se
25. Part of traditional Japanese dress
27. Long weapon
29. Bird like ostrich
31. To supply (commodities)

33. Portrayed Felix in movie version of *The Odd Couple*, Jack \_\_\_\_\_
35. Native of the largest continent
36. Liquid used by artist
37. To hit with open hand
39. One receiving inheritance
40. Perfect (of a place, eg.)
41. Be superior to
42. Vast, usually treeless plain

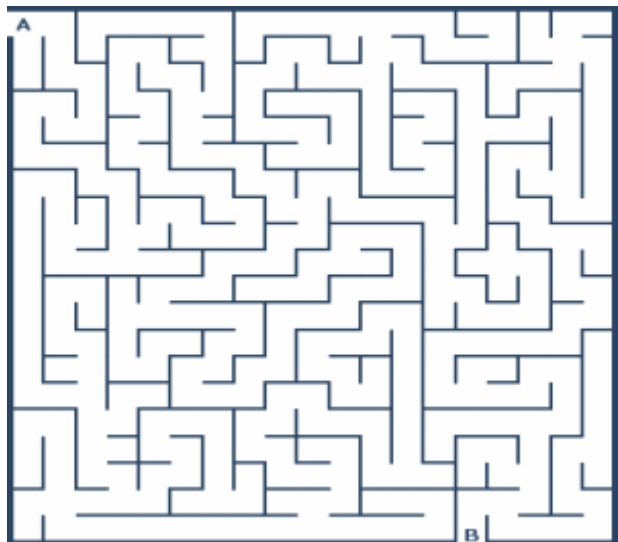
### Down

1. The striking together of two bodies
2. Subdivision of cavalry regiment
3. Small dark insect
4. Stiff wire fastener
5. Perform in film
6. Hard deposit forming on teeth
7. One working hard despite failure
8. Use up (energy, eg.)
10. To utter cry of rooster
12. Decision of High Court which led to the Native Title Act
14. Equal-sided parallelogram
16. Country of SW Pacific, \_\_\_\_\_ Islands
18. Towel for baby

19. Water body bordering NE Aust., \_\_\_\_\_ Sea
22. Word-composition contest, spelling \_\_\_\_\_
25. Not see-through
26. Coloured part of eye
27. One of the houses of the Aust. parliament
28. Iterate
29. Islamic ruler
30. Word meaning both 'false' and 'not loyal'
32. Regard highly
34. U.S. state on Atlantic
38. Alike, like peas in a \_\_\_\_\_
39. Possessive form of 'he'



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 Jenelle Bianca-Davy D&ODCM

## Maryborough Craft Shop Inc.

The craft shop presents its 12th Annual Craft Display and Sale at the Maryborough Resource/Information Centre from Thursday 27th February to Sunday 1st March. Open daily from 9am. Hand crafted items, craft supplies and plants available for purchase. Free entry.  
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## Maryborough Lions Market

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 Funds raised by the Lions Club go towards community projects and causes.  
 Max Berry  
 Maryborough Lions Club  
 Market Manager



## Good Friday Appeal Raffle

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### GIVE THAT THEY MAY GROW Collectors needed

We are looking for collectors for Good Friday. This year if you are not doing anything on 10th April and would like to help come to the CFA station at 8am on the day. You can stay as long as you like and have a great day raising money for sick kids. We will supply you with food and drink and some good company.  
 Georgie Christensen, Area Manager



In the tradition of Keep Australia Beautiful's ethos, this Clean Up Australia Day, let's get together for a lovely bushwalk and clean up our beautiful Dunolly community. Sunday 1st March, meet at Painkiller Gully Road corner of Short Street, Dunolly at 9am (until 12noon). Please wear stout shoes and a hat, also bring water and gloves. Bags can be collected from the corner of Painkiller Gully Road and Short Street. Do your bit for Dunolly, Australia, The Planet and of course, you and your family.  
 From the website — Clean Up Australia March 1st.



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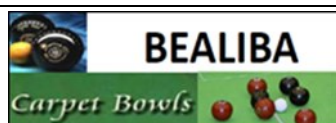
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### Mid-Week Pennant Teams

#### 3rd March 2020 FIRST FINAL

<b>Dunolly Blue</b>	<b>verses MHS Tartan</b>	<b>at GOLF</b>
Loretta Parker	Heather Freemantle	Marg Davies
Jill Morse	Sandra Chaplin	Marilyn Mortlock
Roy Pickering	Greg Dobbin	Tony Galofaro
Alan Weir	Barry Cann	Alice Raven
Manager.	Heather Freemantle	
Emergency	Jenny McHugh	Chris Williams
Cars	Alan Weir	

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Another great night of bowling, but only one team managed the perfect score of three wins.

Well done to Betty Lovel, Joe Battisson and Gerri Delgado.

A lovely supper was shared after the bowling.

Members are reminded that next week, Thursday February 27th, we will commence with a meeting at 7.15pm sharp. Happy bowling. Chris Evans



### DFNC MINI LOTTO

Drawn: Friday 21st February 2020  
Numbers: 4, 5, 7, 10, 11  
No winner: Jackpot: \$700  
\$1 per entry. This week 5#s out of 20  
Have a go! Envelopes in local shops.  
Good luck!

T Long

Hello to all the wonderful people who have supported and want to support the Tarnagulla and District Golf Club.

What a marvellous collection of people you are. Your support is greatly appreciated and the golf club friendships are growing with each event and each year. The club is now 102 years young. Bravo Tarnagulla and district. What a community of achievers.

Last year, 2019, was such a consolidating year for the club and the events were happy occasions, where serious golfers, occasional golfers, new golfers and non-golfers came together to enjoy the events at the club. Thank You to all the volunteers who give up their time to keep the course, clubhouse and surrounds looking beautiful.

This year looks certain to be a wonderful year. Family and friends are always welcome to come to the club and the events are a lovely way to catch up with friends, make new friends, play golf (at whatever level) or just enjoy the afternoon, the conviviality, the fun, the joy of living and laughter.

Our first event this year is the Greenkeepers Games on Saturday 28th March 2020.

This is a fun day for one and all. We come together around 10a.m. and do any jobs at the course that appeal. Utes, trailers are always welcome to move or remove greenery. Some people do outdoor jobs and some do club house jobs. We all help out to make the club look "spick and span". Dave Shay always knows what needs doing and amongst all the laughter and talk, these jobs get done.

You don't need to be a member or play golf to come along and lend a hand. It's purely up to you what you might like to do. We start in the morning and then have a lovely free lunch at the clubhouse. We sit around and tell the tales of the jobs we've helped out with. Everyone is applauded. Good on you all. It's a "feel good" day.

Then in the afternoon we play seven "invented" (secret) holes of golf, that criss-cross around the course in a novel way. After that, afternoon tea. What a fabulous day.

We all feel good because we've helped our community golf club and had fun at the same time.

Why not come along, we will make you feel very welcome. The Easter Cup will be held on Saturday afternoon 11th April 2020.

We are all looking forward to another wonderful year. Thank you everyone.

Mary McNamee  
Secretary

Tarnagulla & District Golf Club Inc.

## Women's Self Defence class

Jason Stewart has more than 37 years of experience in Wing Chun, the martial art style made famous by Bruce Lee. We are starting a women's self defence class (using Wing Chun principles) here in Dunolly Arts Hub every Tuesday 4.30pm – 5.30pm.

History of Wing Chun stated it was developed by a Buddhist nun, Ng Mui, one of the legendary Five Elders, survivors of the destruction of the Shaolin Temple by the Qing Dynasty.

The main benefit of Wing Chun is self defence along with good posture and the ability to relax under pressure.

The class is suitable for all ages and all fitness levels.

Please contact Jason on 0455 528 565 for further info.

Susie Oh





More than 20 ladies and two gentlemen from the Whispering Weeders Dunolly Garden Club, gathered on Monday 24th to map out our exciting monthly Mondays of garden visits and learning for the year ahead.

March through to November 2020 will be a chance to explore gardens, local and away from Dunolly, and to be educated — for example, how to grow plants like bonsai.

Everyone is welcome to attend, dates and details are published in *The Welcome Record*.

Sharon, at The Neighbourhood Centre, where we meet before heading off to the garden or await the instructor to instruct, reminds us to participate so that these events can continue into the future.

Much fun is had, as gardening stories from each person add colour and texture to the day, along with a shared meal, bought or brought along by our wonderful members, who bake with flair. Never let it be said there is nothing to do in Dunolly.  
Marilyn Goldie



Janine Paley and Joyce Vater enjoying a moment under the exceptionally creative retaining wall disguised as a lean-to.



Photos of Gayle's Garden where the meeting was held, followed by a delicious lunch, for which we all were most grateful. Food was prepared by Gayle Broadman, Brian Phillips and Jan Brock. Photos by M Goldie