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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday

CFS Cadets (fortnightly) 5.00pm - 6.00pm
CFS Training 6.00pm - 8.30pm

Tuesday

Men's Shed Closed
Dr Nyoni 10.15am-1pm
SA Ambulance Training 7.30pm-9.30pm
Library 10am-1pm

Wednesday

Community Bus (pension week) 9.30am

Thursday

Cards & Games (in recess) 11am-2pm
Transfer Station Open 10am-11am

Saturday

UC Op-Shop 9.30-11.30am
Transfer Station Open 10am-12pm

Sunday

Library 12pm-1.30pm
Courthouse Museum
(2nd Sun each month) 11:30am-2:30pm

Transfer Station Open 9am-10am

Catholic

Mass 9am

Uniting Church (UC)

Service 10.30am

Happy Easter!



Thought for the day

*Greatness lies not only in being strong, but in
the right use of strength.*

- Henry Ward Beecher

--Please Note--

Next Issue: Wednesday April 20th, 2022.

News Items to be submitted by email or to the
Newsletter box in the Post Office by **Monday April
18th**

Sports Results to be emailed by 9am **Tuesday
April 19th**

Info Phone: Monica 0438 860 285

In the Garden 2022 No. 5

Propagation means growing a cutting from a plant. It is rewarding to watch a small cutting become a full grown bush just like the parent plant. There are several ways to do this. The first is selecting a cutting or several from last year's growth approximately 20 centimetres long (8 inches). Place your cutting in a jar of water in a warm, but not hot position until it shoots roots in approximately 6 to 8 weeks. Then place into a pot with soil or potting mix.

Another way is to purchase potting or cutting sand and follow the directions, or just plant your cutting directly into soil or potting mix and keep moist. Each method has its own merits.

Planting now into the veggie patch: Broad Beans, Celery, Celeriac, Peas and Parsley. Planting flowers: Asters, Calendula, Chrysanthemum, Cabbage and Kale. While not actually flowers, ornamental Cabbages and Kale have been bred to add a lovely pop of colour to your garden.

Cheers,
Wendy Garvie



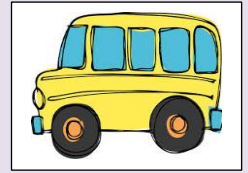
**Try to remember,
the greener grass
across the fence
may be due to a
septic tank issue.**

Community Bus

Dates for Community Bus to

Balaklava- April 13

Pickup at 9:30am,
Depart Balaklava at 1:00pm



Contact Helen on 0407 671 141 to book a seat

To Our Wonderful Newsletter Readers

We would love to receive more contributions from the community.

Please consider...

- Do you love cooking? Have a favourite recipe, or tips on how to be a better cook?
- Know some (cleanish) jokes, love to draw, or have stories from the past to share?
- Are you shy? We're happy to print your contribution under whatever pen name you like.

Come on, have a go with us. All contributions large and small are gratefully received. Just send us an email at p.w.news@hotmail.com, or if you're the traditional type, print out your contribution and drop it into our box at the Post Office.



Did you know?

Every second, around 20,000 bathtubs of water flows over the Niagra Falls in the USA.



WE NEED YOU!
WILL YOU ANSWER THE CALL?
VOLUNTEER NOW
BECOME A FIREFIGHTER

For more information drop into the Port Wakefield CFS Station after 6PM on Mondays

Port Wakefield CFS News

Last Monday, your brigade put their firefighting knowledge to the test in an epic night of competition: the inaugural Port Wakefield CFS Firefighter Olympics! Congratulations to the team of Kinmark, Kathie, Lucio and Ariel, who took home the coveted Golden Combination Key trophy for their efforts.



Thanks to Nerissa Harris for the photos

WORK WANTED

- Unskilled labour
- Gardening
- Housekeeping
- General duties
- Yard cleaning
- Heavy lifting
- Anything!

\$20 an hour or \$17.50 for pensioners.

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CFS Cadets News

We learnt how to re-fill and fill the tanks in the trucks. Our group walked over to the nearest hydrants and took out the hose to learn how it would work if we had to use fire hydrants.

-Thea



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Yesterday's News



A Shark Blown up with Dynamite

(The Areas' Express Jan 29th, 1915)

Port Wakefield Jan. 26.

On Sunday last, the friends of Mr E. J. Winter were considerably anxious as to his whereabouts when darkness set in, he having left in an open boat at an early hour to visit friends on the other side of the gulf.

About 10 p.m Mr Tromene put off in his quick sailing boat in search, and after flashing the search tights for some time discovered the missing man in an almost exhausted condition about a mile from the wharf. It appears that having secured a supply of fresh meat at Clinton, he had been closely followed by two sharks which kept heading him off his course and there being no wind he had to rely on the oars, and driven to desperation, fixed a plug of dynamite in the half of a sheep and heaved it overboard and about sunset had the satisfaction of seeing one of the monsters blown to pieces, the other then gave up the chase.

trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/218965717

Birds of the Port Wakefield Area

by Paul Taylor & Wikipedia

Singing Honeyeater

Gavicalis virescens



Probably the most common honeyeater in the Port Wakefield Area. The bird lives in a wide range of shrub-land, wood-land and coastal habitat. It is relatively common and widespread right across Australia west of the Great Dividing Range, through to the west coast and on Western Australian coastal islands.

Singing honeyeaters can vary in length from 17–22 cm. Their over-all appearance is grey-brown. The tail and wings are olive-green with flashes of yellow. There is a broad black stripe running from the behind the beak to the back, and a yellow streak immediately below this from the eye. The bird's song ranges from scratchy to melodious. The song also varies according to where they live.

Avon's St Patrick's Day Shenanigans

Another successful St Patrick's Day was celebrated at the Avon Art & Craft Guild Hall at Avon, on Thursday the 17th March with guests from Pt Wakefield, Dublin, Balaklava and districts.

The life and myths surrounding leprechauns tricks and treats along with the legend of St Patrick the patron saint of Ireland was explained as an indication of the day's events.

Dianne Chadbourne demonstrated card making and each guest received a complimentary kit to take home.

A morning of fun, jokes, games, and morning tea, all part of the Irish Shenanigans, made for a very pleasant morning for all. Raelene Schwerdt of Pt Parham won the prize for wearing something green.

A trading table of various craft items were on sale at the end of the morning proceedings, along with a request for help by way of a donation of some very hardy plants to help with Beautifying Avon in readiness for the centenary of the craft hall in 2023.



L to R. Pat Thompson, Raelene Schwerdt, Mohammad & Bev Jones, from Dublin

Pt Wakefield Ladies celebrating Dianne Chadbourne's birthday at Avon Art & Craft Guild at Avon on the 22nd March.



Left to Right: Mary Thompson, Dianne Chadbourne and Heather Brown.



The Dementia Carer Support Group has begun their monthly meetings and you are welcome to join them.

This is a regularly scheduled group facilitated by experienced, professional staff, that enables you to connect to other carers in your area, share experiences, and learn practical coping strategies. The Dementia Carer Support Group meet on the first Tuesday of each month, this year's dates are:

5 April
3 May
7 June
5 July
2 August

Time 2:30pm – 4:00pm at Clare Lifeline Office, 1 Blanche Street, Clare SA 5453

Bookings are essential and can be made by contacting Rob Crouch on: 0437 989 081 or by email Rob.Crouch@dementia.org.au

(National Dementia Helpline: 1800 100 500, dementia.org.au)

Quiz Questions

- 1- What type of animal is a Flemish Giant?
- 2- What was the name of the hill where Jesus was crucified?
- 3- Who played The Bride in the Kill Bill movies?
- 4- Which nation is home to eight of the world's ten tallest mountains?
- 5- In a game of bingo, what number is meant by the phrase "two little ducks?"

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Birthdays



April

Birthstone- Diamond
Flower- Sweet Pea

April 10- Tammy Frank

April 14- Renae Yeates
Peter Yeates
Paul Watson
Bart and Michelle Butson's
Anniversary

April 15- Lee-Anne Guerin
Jacob Lane

April 16- Brittany Taylor

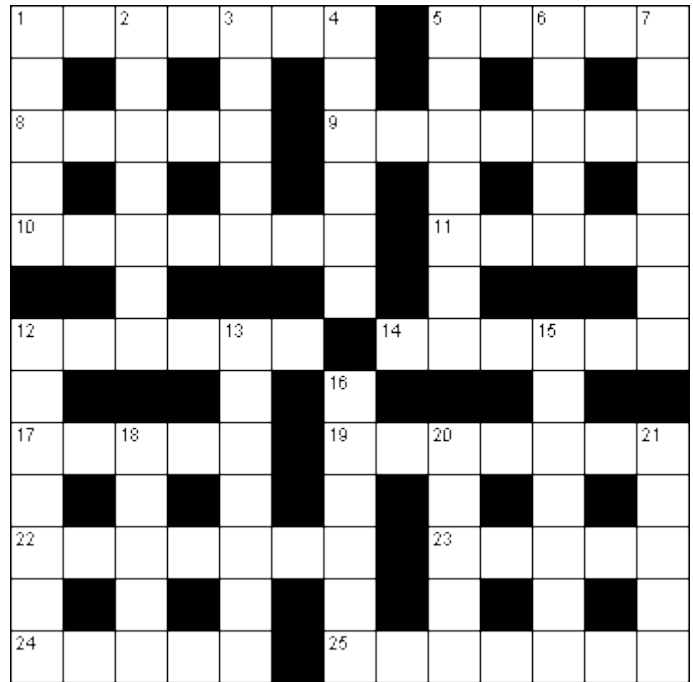
April 17- Stewart Butson
Adrian Brown
William Robertson
Alison Martin

April 18- Piper Boon

April 19- Tegan Guerin

April 20- Lydia and Gary Berry's
Anniversary

Crossword 20



Across

1. Quantify (7)
5. Mindful (5)
8. Changed location (5)
9. Pyrogenic (7)
10. Fundamental (7)
11. Languish (5)
12. Remit in advance (6)
14. Recommendation (6)
17. Utter (5)
19. Traversed (7)
22. Trap (7)
23. Precise (5)
24. Velocity (5)
25. Farm vehicle (7)

Down

1. Imitate (5)
2. Go forward (7)
3. Below (5)
4. Comestible (6)
5. Irritated (7)
6. Fragrance (5)
7. Most vital part of an idea (7)
12. Own (7)
13. Clumsy (7)
15. Occurring with no delay (7)
16. Dialect (6)
18. Follow or result (5)
20. Greek letter (5)
21. Dissuade (5)

Crossword 19 Solution

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Quiz Answers

- 1- A Rabbit
- 2- Golgotha
- 3- Uma Thurman
- 4- Nepal
- 5- 22

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