



# Port Wakefield Community Newsletter

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### Monday

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

### Tuesday

Clementina Corner 10:00am-1:00pm  
Men's Shed 10:00am-1:00pm  
(Second-hand furniture for sale)  
Dr Nyoni 10.15am-1pm  
SA Ambulance Training 7.30pm-9.30pm  
Library 10:00am-1:00pm

### Wednesday

Community Bus (pension week) 9.30am

### Thursday

Transfer Station Open 10am-12pm

### Saturday

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

### Sunday

Library 12:00pm-1.30pm  
Courthouse Museum  
(2nd Sun each month) 11:30am-2:30pm  
Clementina Corner  
(2nd Sun each month) 11:30am-2:30pm  
Transfer Station Open 9am-11am

### Catholic

Mass 9:00am

### Uniting Church (UC)

Service 10.00am

### Bin Days

Yellow Bin- November 28<sup>th</sup>, December 12<sup>th</sup>,  
December 26<sup>th</sup>, January 9<sup>th</sup>  
Green Bin- December 5<sup>th</sup>, January 2<sup>nd</sup>

**PORT WAKEFIELDS  
CHRISTMAS  
STREET PARTY**

**MARKETS AND CAROLS**

**SATURDAY 7TH  
DECEMBER**

**5PM TO 10PM**

Free Jumping Castle and Face Paint for Kids  
Food Vans - Hot Donuts - Lots of Market Stalls  
Live Music

**SANTAS CAVE: 5.30 TO 7PM  
AND 8.30 TO 9.30PM**

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### Thought for the day

*One of the most glorious messes in the world is the mess created in the living room on Christmas Day. Don't clean it up too quickly. – Andy Rooney*

We acknowledge the Kaurna people as the traditional custodians of the Adelaide Plains and pay our respects to Elders past, present, and emerging.

**Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! We'll be back with our first issue of 2025 on Wednesday January 14<sup>th</sup>.**

News Items to be submitted by email to [p.w.news@hotmail.com](mailto:p.w.news@hotmail.com) or to the Newsletter box in the Post Office by 9am on Tuesday January 13<sup>th</sup>.  
Info Phone: Jill 0448 709 800

## CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Come to Salisbury and Munno Para on Monday 2nd of December.

Everybody is welcome to use the Community Bus.

Cost is \$12.00

Contact Helen 0407 671 141 or  
Terry 0428 867107 to book your seat.  
Pickup 8.30am  
Return 3.30pm approx.

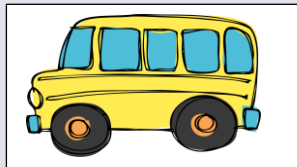


## Community Bus

Dates for Community Bus to

### **Balaklava-**

December 4th  
December 18th  
Thursday January 2nd  
January 15th



Pickup at 9:30am,  
Depart Balaklava at 12:45pm

Contact Helen on 0407 671 141 to book your seat



## **Jill's sewing**

**clothes mending and alterations**

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## **Christmas is just around the corner, so are our changes to waste collection**

We're changing the way we handle waste in Wakefield Regional Council from February 2025.

Kerbside collection for waste, recycling and organics will all be collected fortnightly.

Now's the time to start making sure you're taking advantage of your recycling and organics bin, to curb waste from your red bin.



**SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER**

## **Port Wakefield Christmas Carols**

in conjunction with the Port Wakefield Community Events

Carols starting at **7pm**

Come along and join in singing your favourite Carols

### **Guest Artists**

#### **Giving Christmas Tree**

Please bring along donations of Socks and Toothbrushes to put on the tree for Uniting Care in Kadina to distribute to needy families in our region.

### **Guest Speaker**

Lee Cunningham with a short Christmas Message

We will be joined again by the **Kadina Wallaroo Moonta Band** to provide Music for the evening.

They were thoroughly enjoyed by all last year.



## **UNITING CHURCH OP SHOP**

Don't miss our

### **DECEMBER CLEARANCE SALE**

of selected items, including most shoes out for just \$1 a pair.

Saturday 7th, 14th & 21st December  
9.30am - 12 noon

### **Closed Saturday 28th December**

Re-opening Saturday 4th January  
9.30am - 11.30am



Thank you to the Port Wakefield community for your generous and continued support of the Op Shop this year. Your donations of good quality clothes and goods and your patronage are greatly appreciated.

As Christmas draws near, we wish you all a Blessed & Holy Christmas and a safe, healthy & happy 2025.

*Margaret, Gay & Dianne*



## Port Wakefield Christmas Run 2024 Saturday December 7<sup>th</sup>

START AT SM HALL 10am

GO TO CARAVAN PARK  
ONTO BURRA STREET  
CONTINUE TO DRAKE CRESENT  
STRAIGHT ACROSS INTERSECTION  
TO COPPER STREET  
LEFT ONTO NORTH ST  
LEFT ONTO WALTER ST  
RIGHT ONTO MINE STREET  
CONTINUE TO WHARF  
WHARF CRESENT  
FRONT ROW OF WHARF CRS  
HEAD BACK ONTO MINE ST  
LEFT ONTO WEST STREET  
RIGHT ONTO EDWARD STREET  
LEFT ONTO HIGHWAY  
LEFT ONTO WHITE ST  
RIGHT ONTO KORRENG CRT  
HEAD STRAIGHT ONTO JOHNSON ST  
GO OVER INTERSECTION TO  
CONTINUE  
ONTO COMPANY ST  
GO OVER INTERSECTION TO  
CONTINUE  
CONTINUE ON COMPANY ST  
LEFT ONTO SOUTH STREET  
LEFT ONTO EAST STREET  
LEFT ONTO MINE STREET  
BACK TO HALL

CHRISTMAS EVENT, MARKETS  
START FROM 5PM  
CAROLS FROM 7PM



The Port Wakefield Community Events Committee would like to thank you all for coming out and supporting our events throughout 2024.

We have put on a lot of fundraising events this year including BINGOs, Bowls and Golf Days, Kids Disco, Easter Event, and Mother's Day Markets. The Quiz Night had to be cancelled but we will reschedule in the New Year. All funds raised from these events goes towards creating future events.

The big finale for 2024 is our annual Christmas Event. This is on Saturday the 7<sup>th</sup> of December starting with the Annual Christmas Run and ending with the Christmas Event, Markets and Carols.

The run will start at the SM Hall at 10:00am and we will be going around the streets in a parade so make sure when you hear us coming to come out the front and let us wish you all a Merry Christmas. We have lots of lollies for the kids. This year will be a little different, as we will be handing out the goodie bags to the older community on the Friday afternoon/evening and anyone who is not home we will deliver on the Saturday as we are passing by or on Sunday. The Christmas Event in the evening will start from 5:00pm. We have a heap of market stalls and food vans and a free jumping castle and face painting for the children, with carols starting from 7:00pm.

Our events, especially the Christmas one, could not happen without the generous donations we receive every year. We would like to say a huge thank you for all the businesses and community members who have donated towards our run this year, and we will put a list in January's newsletter to make sure we do not miss anyone. So please make sure you come out to show your support and enjoy the day with us to help kick of the festive season.

Look forward to seeing you all there,

Port Wakefield Community Events Committee



## Community Management Committee Meeting

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2024 @ 6pm

Soldiers Memorial Hall



### Executive Committee

Tash Pope (Chairperson) 0456 496 432  
 Kai Baggendorf (Vice Chair) 0437 719 931  
 Jude Pope (Treasurer) 0427 475 908  
 Wendy Amos (Secretary) 0407 009 974

From all of us at the Port Wakefield Community Management Committee

we wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year for

2025

## Yesterday's News

*The Wooroora Producer* January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1918

PORT WAKEFIELD — The holidays are passing along mixed with joys and sorrows. Several select and other sorts of picnics have been held, while others are spending their vacations in distant lands, or at least distant places.

On Christmas Eve a soldier and civilian when driving out of the town, collided with a fence, considerably shaking up the occupants and smashing the buggy. On Christmas Day Mrs Stratten and her child were seriously hurt through leaping from a fast-travelling conveyance. Later on in the day a man, under the influence of drink, was arrested, and a bystander using choice language to the police subsequently had to contribute largely to the revenue. On Thursday the usual quiet of the tennis court in the oval was, it is reported, the scene of a boxing contest between two prominent players. We have still another day's holiday to be accounted for.

[trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/207105305](https://trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/207105305)

*South Australian Chronicle and Weekly Mail* December 27<sup>th</sup>, 1873

PORT WAKEFIELD — Christmas Day passed off very quietly here, if we may except the few devotees to Bacchus, whose free and liberal libations rendered them towards the close of day completely hors de combat. Families with friends proceeded to the beach and elsewhere to enjoy the beautiful weather, which was indeed most delightful and enjoyable all through the day.

—On the 19th the school of Miss MacDonnell was examined with most pleasing results, the pupils showing great aptitude and proficiency in their studies. Several very nice prizes were distributed, and a number of pupils received special marks of commendation. Visitors, both ladies and gentlemen, were present. The number of pupils on the roll of the school is 48, and about 40 attended. It was made a subject of regret that only one parent was there.

—A most disastrous fire occurred last week — on the farm of Mr. C. Merritt, at Nantarray, near Port Wakefield, by which the whole of his standing crop, besides that which was reaped, and valued at over £600, was destroyed. Several horses, machines, & s., were saved only by very great exertions. The fire travelled with the utmost rapidity, totally destroying everything in its course.

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## Quiz questions

- 1-Who was the queen of France during the revolution?
- 2-What are Balthazar, Caspar, and Melchior better known as?
- 3-What is the name of the fictional African country in Black Panthers?
- 4--Do zebras have black or white skin?
- 5-Which city has the lowest average rainfall per year: Sydney, Melbourne, or London?

### Sudoku 29

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### Sudoku 28 Solution

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Congratulations to Peter and Luxmme Underwood on their 56<sup>th</sup> anniversary on the 4<sup>th</sup> of January 2025!



Also...

Happy 80<sup>th</sup> Luxmme on the 10<sup>th</sup> of January!  
(She doesn't look it!)



All my love,  
Peter



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### TerryWhite Chemmart Port Wakefield Christmas Opening Hours

Monday December 23rd - 9:30am - 1:00pm  
Tuesday 24th - 9:30am - 4:30pm  
Wednesday 25th - Closed  
Thursday 26th - Closed  
Friday 27th - 9:30am - 4:30pm  
Saturday 28th - Closed  
Monday 30th - 9:30am - 1:00pm  
Tuesday 31st - 9:30am - 4:30pm



Wednesday January 1st - Closed  
Thursday 2nd - Closed  
Friday 3rd - 9:30am - 4:30pm  
Saturday 4th - Closed

Trading hours are back to normal from Monday the 6th of January 2025.

We want to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a happy and safe holiday. Thank you all for the support this year, as we look forward to seeing you in 2025 with exciting changes to come.

## For Sale

Mobility chair left or right hand control for use indoors.  
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## **Port Wakefield's Christmas Event Colouring Competition 2024**

There are three prize categories: 2-5 Years, 6-9 and 10-13 Winner to be announced at the Port Wakefield Christmas Event on the 7<sup>th</sup> of December 2024.

To enter simply colour in the picture and leave your name, age, and parent/guardian's phone number on the form. Please submit your finished pages to the box in the Port Wakefield post office before Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> of November or bring along on the day to be displayed for judging.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE GROUP (please Circle):    2-5 Years                      6-9 Years                      10-13 Years

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Birthdays

## December



Birthstone- Turquoise  
Flower- Narcissus

- December 1- Cruz Boon
- December 5- Sarah Rapko
- December 6- Kaleb Walding-Wilson  
Dodie McFarlane
- December 7- William Robertson
- December 9- Megan Payne  
Shannon Hunt
- December 11- Kristal Moreton
- December 14- Rebecca Holland
- December 15- Tumai Underwood  
Lisa Jones
- December 20- Joshua Kelly  
Lee Riley
- December 21- Jodie Robertson  
Janet Coverdale
- December 22- Trevor Ahwan
- December 30- Scott Kelly

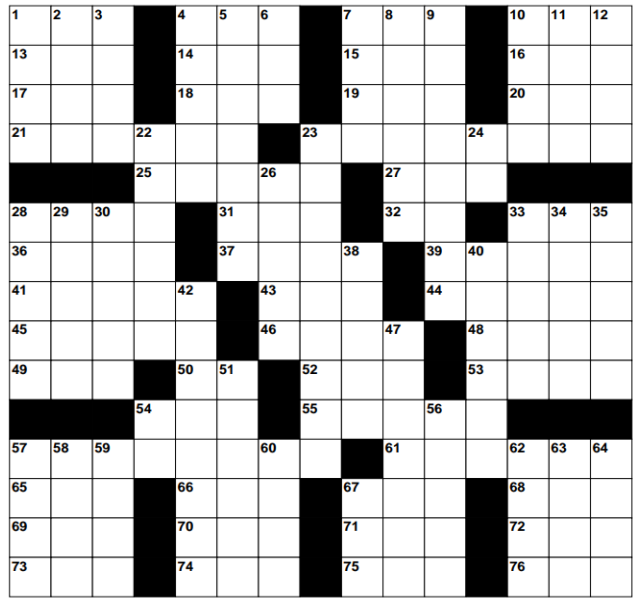
## January

- Birthstone- Garnet  
Flower- Carnation
- January 2- Archer Boon
  - January 4- Amelia Bradwell
  - January 7- Debbie Ahearn
  - January 8- Harper Wayne  
Baggendorf
  - January 10- Luxmme Underwood
  - January 11- Mark Robertson  
Annette Carslake
  - January 13- Adam Pain
  - January 14- Jess Rapko  
Evie Stopp

## Anniversaries

- January 4- Peter and Luxmme Underwood

# Summer



### Across

- 1 That (possessive)
- 4 Compass point
- 7 Seize
- 10 Miles per hour
- 13 Stinger
- 14 Brown the skin
- 15 Wing
- 16 Lager
- 17 Sorbet
- 18 Before, poetically
- 19 Tender loving care
- 20 Drink
- 21 Yell
- 23 Broil (2 wds.)
- 25 Doctrine
- 27 Delivery service
- 28 Cloak
- 31 Sea eagle
- 32 Teacher's assistant, for short
- 33 Sports official
- 36 Astringent
- 37 Upper body muscles
- 39 Narrow open boat
- 41 Italian "dollars"
- 43 Received
- 44 Congratulations
- 45 \_\_ Carta
- 46 Safe
- 48 Repose
- 49 South southeast
- 50 Letter afterward
- 52 Visible light
- 53 Mined metals
- 54 Liable
- 55 Pointed weapon
- 57 Land bordering an ocean
- 61 Signal light or guide
- 65 American College of Physicians (abbr.)
- 66 Internal Revenue Service
- 67 Make a mistake
- 68 Hubbub
- 69 That girl
- 70 Pastor (abbr.)
- 71 Luau dish
- 72 \_\_ Squad (TV show)
- 73 Boston baseball team
- 74 Sixth sense
- 75 Reverence
- 76 Before (prefix)

### Down

- 1 Wading bird
- 2 Technical
- 3 Dreamer
- 4 Operate
- 5 A bartender
- 6 Vane direction
- 7 World organization
- 8 Complete (2 wds.)
- 9 Container to carry camp gear
- 10 Spouse
- 11 Appeal
- 12 Degree of warmth
- 22 Ice deliverer
- 23 Legion
- 24 Mississippi (abbr.)
- 26 Lees
- 28 Lulls
- 29 Anonym
- 30 Purify
- 33 Beneath
- 34 Deer-like animal
- 35 Rodents
- 38 Lash
- 40 Dawn
- 42 Azure
- 47 Facial hair arch
- 51 Mall need
- 54 Like
- 56 Eagle's nest
- 57 Back talk
- 58 Resound
- 59 Peak
- 60 Invitation abbreviaton
- 62 Outdoor temporary living area
- 63 Aroma
- 64 Leaf bud
- 67 Environmental protection agency (abbr)

## Harvest Festival Answer



## Spring Cleaning Answer



## Quiz answers

- 1-Marie Antoinette
- 2-The Three Wise Men or Magi
- 3-Wakanda
- 4-Black
- 5-London

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Wednesday 9:30 – 1:00pm

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