

Dublin Dispatch



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MALLALA WAR CEMETERY

The Mallala war cemetery, located on the south-west corner of Mallala General Cemetery in Dublin Road, contains the graves of 12 airmen of the Royal Australian Air Force. The No 6 Service Flying Training School of the RAAF was located at Mallala during the Second World War.

On 25 August 1941, No. 6 Service Flying Training School was formed outside of the town of Mallala. Tragically, during training, there were a number of fatal accidents the bodies of many of these men were sent back to their families In 1943 the government designated an area of the Mallala Cemetery as a War Graves site, after which time, deceased servicemen were buried there. Twelve men from the 6SFTS are interred in the War Graves Cemetery at Mallala where their graves are maintained by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission.

They are -

- 420056 Leading Aircraftman James Brignall Richardson
- 409484 Leading Aircraftman Colin McCall Say
- 412891 Leading Aircraftman Patrick John Brady
- 427803 Leading Aircraftman Colin Walter Cook
- 419836 Leading Aircraftmen Cyril Markham Lewis
- 429980 Leading Aircraftman Donald Neill McDonald,
- 29990 Sergeant Julian Patrick Rice
- 284999 Flying Officer Ian Duncan Weston.
- 437960 Leading Aircraftman Derek Goldsworthy Wicks
- 417643 Leading Aircraftman Peter Denis Kierse
- 37246 Leading Aircraftman Gordon Rex Young
- 444226 Sergeant Roger Byrom Clough





Dublin History Group Inc.

The beginning of the year saw our first Open Day with the James's doing family research on the Quigleys and the DHG on the Strawberry Fetes in the area. In February we had a stall at the Strawberry Fete which is part of our getting out and about in the community. It was very positive with the conversations that were had, the stories that were told and the information that was passed on but as reported in this newsletter edition, it is an example of how life throws you a curve ball, sometimes there are stories that won't be told. Please for your own family histories talk to the older generation, record



the stories so that they can be retold to the younger generations, our lives are changing so fast don't be the one that says I wish I had sat down and had a chat.

On 25 August 1941, No. 6 Service Flying Training School was formed outside of the town of Mallala. This was a medium-proficiency school, where aircrew who had already learned elementary flying at a base such as Parafield increased their experience before moving on to a specialist school such as Port Pirie or Mount Gambier. Training aircraft included Avro Ansons, Airspeed Oxfords, Moth Minors and Tiger Moths and a total of 2,257 trainees passed out before the unit ceased to function as No. 6 SFTS on 31 December 1945. Tragically, during this time, there were a number of fatal accidents, the bodies of many of these men were sent back to their families

- 407163 Sergeant Ian Bruce Blacker
- 416356 Leading Aircraftman (LAC) John Gordon Maslen
 - 408654 LAC Bernard George Hutchins.
 - 409005 LAC Keith Allan Mustow
 - 408993 LAC Keith Grant Hayter.
 - 408920 LAC Stanley Livingstone McFarlane
 - 408742 LAC Charles Tilley Collet Shoppee.
 - 2366 Flying Officer Lawrence Vivian Wotzko
 - 413187 Sgt Gordon Cooper
 - 406625 Sgt Hugh Godfrey Phillips
 - 413018 Sqt Mervyn John Nichols
 - 416929 LAC Leslie Cadd
 - 416956 LAC Norman Dudley Haines



RAAF No. 6 Service Flight Training School Fatalities - Mallala (nowandthen.net.au)

Mallala War Cemetery | Cemetery Details | CWGC

Community Notice Board



Dublin & Districts Senior Citizens Inc.

Meet every Tuesday from 10am to 12:30pm in the Pt. Parham Social Club Rooms

BINGO is played every week Visitors are Always Welcome

All Enquiries -Secretary: Deb Anderson. Ph 0410 055276



ANZAC Day 2022

Thompson Beach :- 6.00 am Parham:- 6.10 am Mallala RSL:- 6.15 am Two Wells:- TBC

If you cannot make it to a service please still Light Up The Dawn from your driveway

ANZAC Day - RSL SA Branch



Avon Art & Craft Guild Inc



Morning Tea

St. Patrick Day **Shenanigans**

Thursday 17th March 2022

10.30am to 12 Noon

Avon Craft Hall

1883 Avon Road, AVON

See page 15



Have a **Happy and Safe Easter**



2022 State Election Electoral District : Frome

2 March 2022 - MEDIA RELEASE

RECORD NUMBERS EXPECTED TO VOTE IN 2022 STATE ELECTION

In brief:

 Over 1.26 million South Australians are expected to vote in the 2022 State Election.

Plan ahead for voting

A record number of voters will take to the polls in the 2022 State Election, according to the Electoral Commission of SA (ECSA). 1,266,719 South Australians have enrolled to vote, representing a 5.4% increase in the number of enrolled voters since the 2018 state election when 1,201,775 individuals were registered on the electoral roll. Electoral Commissioner Mick Sherry was extremely pleased with the public's response to enrol to vote. "We thank the South Australian public for enrolling or updating their enrolment details this state election," Mr Sherry said. "In February alone, more than 10,000 new South Australian voters joined the electoral roll, which is a fantastic result." "Since January this year, over 14,000 young people between the ages of 18-24 years have enrolled to vote." And over 80,000 South Australians have updated their enrolment details. This is a thank result. and we Australians for making sure that their voice is heard at the 2022 State Election. "As this is the first South Australian State Election since COVID began, there are a number of expanded voting options, including early voting centres and postal voting, which will allow eligible electors to vote safely and effectively. "Voters should also feel safe and confident to attend a polling booth on election day with a raft of COVID safety measures in place." More than 1.2 million Easy Vote cards are being printed this week and will be sent to voters ahead of the election. The EasyVote

Card helps voters have their details quickly marked off the electoral roll and reduces the time it takes to cast their vote on polling day. Voters are also being encouraged to update their mySA GOV app to access the new State Election card, allowing voters access to a unique QR check-in code to save time at the polling booth on election day.

Plan ahead for voting

Early voting centres across the state open next Monday, March 7 and will operate until Friday, March 18, the day before the 2022 State Election, to allow eligible voters the opportunity to vote safely and early. "Early voting centres will operate during the 2 weeks prior to election day for eligible voters," Mr Sherry said. "We encourage eligible voters to plan ahead and choose an appropriate time in that 12-day period to vote in-person at one of the 37 early voting centres across the state. "We've significantly increased the number of early voting centres, which gives eligible voters greater access and time to safely cast their vote between Monday, March 7 and Friday, March 18." Eligible voters who wish to apply for a postal vote have until 5 pm on Thursday, March 17, to do so. South Australians who are COVID-positive or a close contact required to isolate or quarantine can apply to vote by post. Between Thursday, March 17 and election day on Saturday, March 19, electors who are COVID positive or a close contact required to isolate quarantine or have COVID symptoms will be eligible to pick up a voting pack at a selected PCR or RAT collection sites across the state.

2022 State Election - Electoral Commission SA (ecsa.sa.gov.au)

Polling booth finder - Electoral Commission SA (ecsa.sa.gov.au)

Have you got the election app?

Make your voting experience streamlined and faster by downloading the state election

State election app - Electoral Commission SA (ecsa.sa.gov.au)



Rowan RAMSEY MP

Federal Member for Grey

IMPORTANT UPDATE— STORM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM EXTENDED

In my last column I informed residents about the Disaster Recovery Grants of up to \$10,000 that were available to local Adelaide Plains producers who were affected by the severe storms of 28/29 October 2021.

I would like to update producers that the grant application deadline has been extended from the end of February until 31 March 2022. Toward the end of February over 640 applications had been received throughout the State with a total value of \$6.1m. Over 180 applications have already been approved, with a total value of grants approved sitting at \$1.784m.

The grants can be used for clean-up and debris removal, salvaging crops, repairs to damaged farm infrastructure and equipment and will lessen impact and disruption of production. If producers have not applied for the grant assistance I encourage them to do so through PIRSA,

visit www.pir.sa.gov.au/storms

REBUILDING REGIONAL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM OPEN

Applications are now open for the new Rebuilding Regional Communities Program (RRCP), giving regional businesses and community groups a chance to share in \$5.7m. Grants are available for a broad range of grassroots, community-led initiatives that will help our regions bounce back by strengthening social connections, supporting jobs and creating economic opportunities.

The Government is partnering with the Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal to deliver the RRCP. Funding will be available from two streams to support regional initiatives.

- 1. The Micro Projects stream will provide small grants of up to \$10,000 for regional communities with fewer than 50,000 people to help sustain local organisations and their work.
- The COVID Recovery stream will provide up to \$50,000 for larger projects that will enhance the recovery of communities affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

For more information - www.frrr.org.au/funding/place/src-rebuilding-rural-communities/

PLANTING TREES FOR THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE

Eligible groups and organisations in Grey have a great opportunity to nominate potential projects for an Australian Government grant to plant trees to commemorate the Queen's 70 years of service to Australia and the Commonwealth.

Project proposals need to come through my office and as soon as someone contacts us, we will be able to supply an Expression of Interest (EOI) form. Grants from \$2,500 to \$20,000 will be available to a broad range of organisations with each federal electorate eligible to receive up to \$100,000 for up to 10 projects.

The EOI form must be completed, and given the likely announcement of a Federal election in coming weeks, organisations are urged to complete and return these as a matter of priority with a final closing date in Grey of Friday 18 March to ensure projects can be nominated as early as possible.

KADINA 8821 4366

PORT PIRIE 8633 1744

WHYALLA 8645 425

Visit www.business.gov.au/ptqj for more information.



2022 Australia Day Awards and Ceremony



On Wednesday 26 January 2022, Council hosted its annual Australia Day Ceremony at the Two Wells Oval. Despite the uncertainty of COVID-19, and the hot and humid weather conditions on the day, approximately 150 guests enjoyed a successful (and COVID-safe) event including a delicious breakfast, provided by Council and kindly prepared by the Two Wells Cricket Club.

Formalities commenced at 9am, with Mayor Mark Wasley introducing Council's Australia Day Ambassador, Mr Barry Lewis. Mr Lewis, a former long serving Police Superintendent and well known football umpire, gave a captivating address. He spoke about his keenness for visiting rural communities and the significance of Australia Day.

Mayor Wasley then announced, and presented certificates to, the 2022 Australia Day Award recipients, as determined by Elected Members at the Ordinary Council Meeting on 13 December 2021.

The Adelaide Plains Council Australia Day Award recipients for 2022 are

Citizen of the Year - Allan Parker



Allan has been a dedicated volunteer, upkeeping the Long Plains Memorial Hall for

most of his adult life. He has been responsible for the preservation of the Long Plains local history collection, with the comprehensive picture gallery in the "Hall's" kitchen covering local pioneers from the 1880s.

Young Citizen of the Year - Chloe Sharpe

An active and passionate member of the Two Wells Scout Group, Chloe has successfully obtained and been awarded numerous 'high level' achievement badges. She is currently undertaking training in becoming a church group leader.



In addition to the above Australia Day Award categories, Council has two further award categories. Elected Members determined these award recipients as follows:

Community Group of the Year – Two Wells Regional Action Team



Over 30 years, TWRAT has successfully undertaken numerous projects in Two Wells. TWRAT is a not for profit organisation whose community minded members undertake, advocate and/or support various projects that improve and enhance the township's facilities. Projects range from securing funding for the installation of a pump track at Hart Reserve to the co-ordination of the very popular Two Wells Xmas Street Parades.

Community Project of the Year –Dublin Cricket Club Update to Oval and Clubroom

Members have volunteered many hundreds of hours in their fundraising endeavours that



more than matched the money they received from the Drought Community Programme funding. In addition to a much improved and needed clubroom facility, the volunteers worked tirelessly to resurface the oval, install a pop-up irrigation system and a water storage catchment system. The upgraded Clubroom facility was the setting of Council's Australia Day event in 2021!

Mayor Wasley then conducted a citizenship ceremony for three new Australian citizens.



After the formalities, local Country Fire Services (CFS) members paid tribute to fallen CFS volunteer, Louise Hicks, who passed away whilst valiantly fighting a bushfire near Lucindale in January 2022. Guests observed a minute's silence before the signalling of a CFS fire truck parked at the Oval's grounds.

REPLACE THE WASTE

Stage 2 of single use plastics legislation came into effect on 1 March 2022.

South Australia is continuing its commitment to protect the environment with stage 2 of the <u>Single-use and Other Plastic Products (Waste Avoidance) Act 2020 (SA)</u> coming into effect on 1 March 2022.

Polystyrene cups, bowls, plates and clamshell containers and all oxo-degradable plastic products will be prohibited from sale, supply and distribution in SA from 1 March 2022.

From 1 March 2022 the following items will be prohibited from sale, supply and distribution in South Australia:

- Polystyrene cups, bowls, plates and clamshell containers; and
- All oxo-degradable plastic products.

Please visit the <u>Replace the Waste website</u> for more information on the legislation and <u>alternate</u> products.



SA COUNTRY FIRE SERVICE DUBLIN BRIGADE

With the passing of Brian Grocke one of our long serving Life Members with approx. 40 years of service, we will sadly miss his happy face and the many interesting conversations. Even as time went on Brian continued to attend our AGM's and Chrissy dinners, with his friendly wave around Dublin always interested to know what we were doing.

Rest in Peace Brian not long gone – Forever in our Hearts

Been very busy in the last several weeks – vehicle accidents, grass fires, rubbish fires, assisting other brigades at incidents and supporting fellow members in recent weeks in our time of loss.

To our Members whom are quick to jump on the trucks and the families who hold the fort at home – the Brigade thanks you. The members of the public are grateful for your professional service and helping them in their time of need.

Yes we are constantly looking for keen new members, PLEASE can you make a small amount of time to be involved in learning new skills, being part of a unique group of people – training Monday nights 19:15hr for 19:30hr start.

For further information please contact

Brigade Captain: Rosemary McDonnell MB 0412 685 281

PREMIER'S EXCELLENCE AWARDS 2021

Congratulations to Nick Secomb

on Wednesday 9th February 2022 Nick was the winner in the Excellence in Service Delivery: Emergency Response – Individual category in Department of Primary Industries and Regions.

The award recognises an individual service to the community of South Australia in an emergency. Their program, service or initiative has had a far-reaching, positive impact

Watch https://youtu.be/JP6BAlgmQjM to learn more

2021 Awards | Office of the Commissioner for Public Sector Employment

Long Plains Red Cross



Jenny Tiller & Christine Young



Long Plains Red Cross
20 year Certificate of Attendance
of Strawberry Fete

Members of the Long Plains branch met on Wednesday 9th February to make initial fundraising plans for the year. Nicole Parker, Mother of this years branch fundraiser entrant Seb, offered to lead a bulb purchase fundraiser and members are very appreciative of her initiative. See below for details.

The Branch also took up the opportunity to have a stall at the Dublin Cricket Clubrooms on 27th February and this proved to be a good fundraiser and chance to share information about the work of the Australian Red Cross. Thank you to Allan Parker for his plant stall with \$105 boosting the Branch funds.

In March each year the Branch invites the community to support Red Cross Calling by donating to the local branch. These donations form a large part of the total funds raised and mean that the Branch can be recognised by being awarded the winning branch in our category.

Initial plans were made for our annual May fundraiser and it is hoped that the function will include musicians and singers. Please watch for further details when arrangements are finalised.

If you would like to know more about the work of Red Cross you can contact Branch President Christine Young 0418896888 or Alison Pym 88627025.



The Long Plains Red Cross Fundraiser that keeps on Growing!

Purchase bulbs to raise money for the Red Cross
Order bulbs online and get them
Posted direct to your door!

www.bulbfundraiser.com.au/LONGPLAINS get your orders in before 9th March 2022



If you would prefer to pick up in March rather than order online please ring Nicole for more information 0427 360 315



Debbie & the Red Cross Stall



Alan Parker plant stall

DUBLIN CRICKET CLUB



DCC Presentation Night will be held at club Saturday 2nd April



OPEN FOR FOOTY & A FEED 6PM

Fortnightly on Friday Nights

Friday 25th March SYDNEY SWANS V

GEELONG

Friday 8th April GEELONG V

BRISBANE

Friday 22nd April GWS GIANTS V

St. KILDA

Friday 6th May PORT ADELAIDE V

WESTERN BULLDOGS

or match of the round

FREMANTLE **V** KANGAROOS

Rest of Matches TBC

2022 AFL TIPPING COMP

COMP CODE MHHMV5HS

\$50 per head entry Fee

Top 4 Tipsters Prizes / No prize for last ENTRY FEE TO BE PAID BY ROUND 2

1st TIPSTER SHOW MID SEASON

Cost price food &beverages

2nd TIPSTER SHOW – GRAND FINAL DAY

Siren to siren free beer, wine, soft drink & discount spirits

Food also supplied free to tipsters

More info see Rob Priest or Pete Preece

I would like to thank all who sent condolences, cards & flowers for the passing of Jeff Starr 8/1/22.

I would like to give a big thank you to Long Plains Footy Club for the use of their clubrooms & facilities which ended the funeral in a beautiful setting. Also to the generous ladies of the Long Plains Netball Club who gave up their time and donated such lovely sandwiches & slices, also Josie, Snipe, Shelly, Julian, Helen for making sure it was all served so well.

Thanking you all so much

Elaine Starr

20th Anniversary Strawberry Fete

Held at Dublin Cricket Club

On Sunday 27th February 2022









FUN FOOD RAFFLE
SINGING CRAFT
PLANTS BRIC A BRAC
SHARK CERTIFICATES
STRAWBERRIES & CREAM
CLOWN CATCH UPS

Can't wait until 2023





Eric William Sutton

1-9-1928 - 5-9-2021

A retired cabinet maker, Eric Sutton came to live in Dublin in May 1989. Soon after, he erected a very large workshop next to his house. Eric set it up with wood working equipment and divided off a room for his model trains on a large table.

After settling in, Eric made cupboards for the kitchens of both the Dublin Institute and the Dublin Cricket Club. He also did the odd carpentry job for residents both near and far.

In 2002, Eric's first voluntary project for the reformed Dublin Institute Committee was



when requested by the presiding member if he would make ten wooden trestles from wood

donated by the Le Messurier Timber Company of Port Adelaide .On completion, Eric then offered to make a counter and servery table for the Dublin History Group's sausage sizzles. These items were followed by an urn trolley, lectern, three glass fronted display cabinets (with Clarkson Ltd. donating the glass shelving and door glass). Eric also made and painted children's toys ,that were sold on History Group stalls.



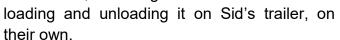


2006 - Marcus Strudwicke with Eric and his Certificate of Appreciation from The Community Development Board for his service within the community

Eric's final piece of furniture was the making of a records and photo album cabinet. Being so large on completion, Eric wanted it moved to the Institute, as soon as possible. This would require several men but arrangements were difficult so it remained in Eric's shed for a

> further eight weeks. So Eric asked if Sid Fielder could help him move it to the Institute. Using several lengths of pipe,

straps and pullies, these two eighty plus senior citizens moved the cabinet, including





Pat Thompson









'I'm just off to the shop' could be going to your local shops or a day trip depending on where you live. Over the years the way we shop has changed, the advent of the motorcar made shopping more convenient and changed the streetscape with petrol stations part of the view.

Many cannot remember a time when department stores and supermarkets were not part of our lives and in recent times online shopping has become popular but changes always come with a price. Some have been the same business as when they were opened, while

others have been repurposed many times over, some are now others homes and just memory. The shops and the families that ran them are part of our community history, join us as we explore the stories of the retail trade in our area.

Sunday 22nd May 2022

Time: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Dublin Institute



BALAKLAVA MUSEUM INC.

CELEBRATING **50 YEARS** OF OLUNTEERS

May 21 – 22, 2022

Centenary Hall: Saturday 10am-4pm; Sunday 10am-1pm

Urlwin Park: Saturday 10am-4pm; Sunday 10am-4pm

Sunday, 1.30pm Unveiling Phil Barry Memorial Plaque

at Urlwin Park

Welcome to our Golden Jubilee year - It is 50 years since a small band of history enthusiasts met to form the Balaklava & District Historical Society on February 24, 1972; it then became Branch No. 42 of National Trust S.A. in 1974; and that continued until March 2004, when links to the National Trust were severed, and the local group was formally renamed Balaklava Museum Inc., the group that we know today, and which we have all helped to grow and go from strength to strength.

We hope to have a printed "timeline" available, so people can see and learn how our Museum has evolved over the past 50 vears.

Our celebrations to mark this event will form our History Festival event for this year, on the weekend of May 21-22, with both Museum sites open on both days, although Centenary Hall will close at 1.00pm on the Sunday, to allow all our members and visitors to be at Urlwin Park for a very special event at 1.30pm - the unveiling of the Phil Barry Memorial plaque

Father Bartholomew O'Donovan

THE WONDERS OF NATURE AND OUR HUMAN DIVERSITY

Come with me and look out from the top of the hill where one sees a 360-degree vista broken only by a natural rock formation known as the Rock to the east rising almost a thousand feet straight up towards the sky and on a clear day just to its right the top of Mount Kosciuszko. All the other compass points show the uninterrupted horizon of the extended plains of the western Riverina of NSW. The hill, the top on which we stand was at first designated a mountain for it rose just a few feet above the minimum height of one thousand feet. (c. 305 metres). Contemporary measurements now set it at c. 215 metres (c. 705 feet) placing it under that minimum. It was always locally known as Galore Hill though its official designation was Galore Mount. Now officials and locals all agree that it is Galore Hill. It rises from the surrounding plain near the town of Lockhart which itself is 40 miles west of the City of Wagga Wagga. I was the parish priest of Lockhart for a time. Galore Hill is a very comfortable picnic and barbecue spot with walking trails and native trees, shrubs, plants and many different fur and feathered animals. My favourite season on Galore Hill was Spring. Among the native eucalypts were bush wattles in full bloom and to add to its glory the native hardenbergia climbed up through the wattles and draped its purple blooms in festoons from the top to the ground giving the impression of gilded trees draped in royal purple. understorv is the fragrant white flowered eriostemon bush which the locals call native daphne. Clumps of many coloured ground hugging native liliums decorate the soil completing the sylvan scene. At the base of Galore Hill is a series of caves that in the early 1860s gave refuge to a notorious bushranger, Captain Mad Dan Morgan who terrorised the surrounding Wagga Wagga area and the Kelly country of North-eastern Victoria. Morgan was reputed to be, "The most bloodthirsty ruffian that ever took to the bush in Australia." How could this geological feature, Galore Hill gain its name you may ask? Galore is a word meaning "in abundance". Let me tell you, its application. When squatters were pushing west of the Murrumbidgee River near what we call the City of Wagga Wagga in NSW

looking for free land, among them was Henry Osborne. He climbed this hill that rose dramatically from the surrounding plain and on reaching the top shouted to his companions, "There's land enough and galore for me!" He took up the surrounding land and ever since the white settlers knew the feature as Galore Hill. Nearby on the Sturt Highway is the village of Galore. When, in the 1960s the local Anglicans decided to build their own church and move out of the old and crumbling wood and iron community structure known as the Bridge Hall, they discussed with the bishop what dedication the church building should He was an English scholar among his many accomplishments and said that in a place called Galore there could be only one class of saints that did the name Galore justice and that was the angels as they were in a galore class as to their numbers. He quoted Revelation 5.11 in the bible, "I John, looked and I heard the voice of many angels.... they numbered myriads of myriads and thousands of thousands....". (NRSV) So, from the calendar of saints and holy days in the Anglican Prayer Book the Feast of Saint Michael and All Angels on 29 October was chosen. Being built in the 1960's it was of cream brick construction and with the open space between it and the highway soon became a traveller's landmark and a sign that the delights of the City of Wagga Wagga were only 56 kms ahead. One of the local people I got to know early in his career was Tim Fischer from Boree Creek Tim was a local boy from a near Lockhart. farming family. He later became the Member for the Country Party and rose to be its leader and ipso facto, Deputy Prime Minister. He served with honour and distinction. We could do with a bit more of those attributes in our society today. He was always the honoured guest at our annual debutante ball in Boree Creek. It made me feel good to see the pride, love, and affection that the whole community felt towards him and his natural integrity. It restored my faith in human nature and was a fillip for me in those times when I was disheartened by the negative side of the community in my work among them as a parish priest. Sometimes to see life more clearly, we need to take a nature walk to the top of the hill.

The District's Church Times

ANGLICAN CHURCH SERVICES

St Peter's Mallala

1st Sunday of the month 10.00am - 6 March, 3 April, 1 May

St Paul's Two Wells

2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th Sundays of the month 10.00am - 13, 20, 27 March 10.00am - 10, 17, 24 April

Parish Contact:

Di Meanev

Phone: 0427 616 301Parish

Contact:

Two Wells - Di Meaney Phone: <u>0427 616 301</u>

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Two Wells Preaching Place Contact 8281 2976

PLAINS COMMUNITY CHURCHES

Owen Community Church

Sundays at 10.00 am

Hamley Bridge Uniting Church

Sundays at 5.00pm (beginning with a shared meal)

UNITING CHURCH

Journey Uniting Church Mallala

Pre worship coffee 8.30 am

Worship service 9 am

Journey Kids 9 am Age 2 to Yr 7

Coffee House open 10 am to 12

All very welcome.

Co ordinator

Travis Turner 0478709884 travis@journeyuc.com

Mallala Coffee House open 9 to 11am Friday and Sat mornings. Come and enjoy a coffee and a chat on all 3 mornings.

Op Shop is open on Friday and Saturday mornings 9 am to 12 Come and check out children's clothes \$1 and most adult clothing \$2. Shoes \$1 and bags \$2 We have an assortment of bric a brac, toys and linen. A small shop well filled.

Come and browse through the shop, enjoy a coffee and a chat.

We would love to see you.

Two Wells Uniting Church

Two Wells Uniting Church have reopened, with restrictions in place to manage COVID safety. Current activities taking place at the Church are:

Sunday Worship10:00 am which includes Kidz United (primary school aged children)

For more info contact

info@twowellsuniting.org.au or 0414248732 www.twowellsuniting.org.au

United Youth - facebook.com/uytwowells

United Kids - facebook.com/unitedkidstw

Friday: 6:30pm United Youth (high school aged children)

Wednesday Craft Group 1:00pm

Third Thursday of the month at 1:30pm Adult Fellowship

OP Shop - weekdays 9:00am til 4:00pm, Saturday 9:00am til 12:00pm

If you would like any further information please contact Paul (0414248732).

Lenten Bible study leading up to Easter that anyone is welcome to attend. It will be held at the Church each Monday evening from 7:30pm for about an hour, and will start on Monday 7th March.

Boom times at Port Parham

It is all happening in the township of Parham!

Several properties have been sold and there are currently no real estate "for sale" signs in the town.

A two story residence was recently completed on North Terrace, and the owners are now in residence. Similarly a new house has been completed on Driscoll Terrace and is now occupied.

A second story is being added to a premises on Second Street, the framework has been constructed for a new premises on Main Street, and fill has been completed for a new house on Prime Street.

Adelaide Plains Council have on their programme the provision of a shade and a new element at the playground by June of this year.

Telstra is in the process of establishing a new mobile base station near the Port Parham Road/Driscoll Terrace intersection with the tower being completed on Tuesday 8th February, and we are now awaiting cable works and other completion activities for it to be commissioned. This should be the end of dropouts and distorted calls for Telstra Mobile

customers in the town. The provision of optic fibre to this site should also improve the reliability of fixed telephone services in the community.

Plans for redevelopment of the camp ground are well in hand. Adelaide Plains Council has agreed to negotiate a lease over the camp ground with the Mallala and Districts Lions Club, and the Lions Club are entering in to a Memorandum of Understanding with the Parham and District Action Group to manage the campground with cost and profit sharing agreements. A master plan has been developed for the campground, and Adelaide Plains Council are arranging works with funding available of \$200,000 (including \$100,000 Federal provided by the Government). These funds will be used to improve plumbing (including grey water management), earth works to improve storm management, camping management, provision of a camp kitchen and a fish cleaning facility, disabled access, and provision of a viewing area. It is anticipated that the campground will be closed mid year for several weeks to allow plumbing and earthworks to proceed, and on opening a nominal camping charge will be applied.

Alvin Jenkin



Can you help?

Photos of Dublin Football Club

Looking for the later ones in particular before the amalgamation but any are always welcome

- Hi I am trying to do some family history research on the FROST family in the area. My mothers maiden name was Aileen Frost. I would like to get hold of a Jeff Frost who I believe still lives in a Frost family home. Do you know him and if so, would I be able to pass my details on to him through you? thanks Kaylene
- DHG looking for photos and stories of retail in the area for our SA History Festival event in May. Did your family have a business in the area was it a shop front or cottage industry, did you work at one of the local stores or buy a premises that became your home? We would love to hear from you.
- **Telephone exchanges** of the area photographs and information

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Dublin Cricket Club





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I spelt it backward for the benefit and relief of everyone who is sick to death of hearing the name.

Does anyone truly understand where we are with this thing? The people in charge of public health Federally, at State level and even locally certainly do not. Otherwise we'd all have identical health rules and regulations, we'd all be sent in identical directions regarding preventions and treatments and we'd all know the current status of any infectious disease at any given time. We are living in the age of the internet after all.

Instead we've got legal health directions that differ from state to state, depending on political persuasions. We've got a Federal Health Dept ready to pounce spitefully on a tennis player, (but not others), who had been allowed to enter the country then cleared by a Federal court to continue. Once again, the tennis competition is being held in a state of the wrong political colour.

Twelve months ago, Cricket Australia were sending playing guidelines to every club in the country in an effort to show leadership and of course help with preventions. One of those, 'No further use of saliva to shine the ball', sounded like a lot of common sense. Fast bowlers everywhere then wanted to know if they could still use their butt cheeks to maintain a gloss on one side of the ball. After that they didn't care how the saliva was applied.

The Dublin Cricket Club has held extraordinary Committee meetings to address this phenonium. The occasional lack of health and legal understandings has given rise to many issues:

- * Cancellation of any functions held at the club;
- * Proper policing of bar and clubroom operations and proceedings;
- * and critically, Correct covid procedures to enable matches to take place.

Appeals and complaints of contraventions of covid regulations to the Associations could result in wins being taken away and even points deductions. This would be serious enough for the senior teams. It would be devastating for the junior programs. We could also see games cancelled at any time.

DCC has even gone to the extent of forming a Disciplinary Sub- C'tee which reports to the Cricket Club C'tee, in an attempt to stay abreast of our covid protocols at any given point in time.

The club's Covid Marshalls have also been given greater responsibilities.

The Disciplinary C'tee has been referred to as the 'Hanging Crew', which is a bit of an overstep.

They do however prefer Trial by Ordeal as a favoured means of investigation.

So lets continue to be vigilant and hope our season does not become untenable.

Yours in covid.

The Shark

PARHAM AND DISTRICT ACTION GROUP 2021/22

The Parham and District Action Group (PADAG)is a committee of the Port Parham Sports and Social Club and focuses on community issues in Port Parham, Webb Beach and surrounding areas.

In early 2021 PADAG presented the Port Parham and Webb Beach Community Plan to the Elected Members of the Adelaide Plains Council making them aware of community desires for development and community management. PADAG has also raised a number of issues with the Council during the year.

A public meeting was held in September to advise the community of activities and to elect office bearers. This meeting was well attended by community representatives and the Mayor of Adelaide Plains Council, and representatives from Mallala and District Lions and Thompson Beach Progress Association. Office bearers elected at this meeting were Chairperson: John Coles, Vice Chair, Trevor Applebee, Secretary/Treasurer Alvin Jenkin and Assistant Secretary, Alison Sanger.

Early in 2021, PADAG was approached by the Mayor and Councillor Lush to consider taking over the operation of the Parham Camp Ground from the Council. PADAG expressed the view that this was beyond our capability to handle, and entered into discussion with Mallala and District Lions Club, who are successfully operating the Camp Ground in Mallala. These discussions have been most fruitful with the following outcomes:

- A joint working group has been established between PADAG and Lions to develop plans and operational procedures
- Master plans for upgrading the camp ground have been developed
- Adelaide Plains Council have agreed to lease the campground property to Mallala and District Lions Club

- ◆ Adelaide Plains Council will redevelop the campground in accord with the master plan prior to finalising the lease. A budget of \$200,000 has been allocated, of which \$100,000 has been provided by a Federal Government grant. This is on top of the recently completed toilet upgrade
- Lions and PADAG are entering into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the operation and maintenance of the campground
- Arrangements for charging for site use at the campground are in hand, and the MOU provides for profit sharing between Lions and PADAG

It is anticipated that the camp ground will be closed for several weeks mid year for major works to be carried out. PADAG will have responsibility for day to day maintenance of the facility including cleaning, and we will be looking for volunteers to go on roster for this activity.

The Camp Ground has potential, in time, to generate revenue to provide for other initiatives within the community.

Needless to say, the Camp Ground issues have been our focus for this year, but in the meantime we have addressed other issues:

- A need for facilities for youth activities has been identified, and a working group has been established to develop a plan for additional facilities around the existing foreshore playground
- The Jinker Interpretative Centre has been substantially completed. A generous donation provided a picnic set within the facility
- Seaweed relocation from the boat ramp.
 Several years of agitation with the Council has resulted in a solution which appears to

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be working

- Public Rubbish Bin management: PADAG has been working with Council to manage the issue of overspilling of Public Rubbish Bins in peak periods.
- Green waste management. Many residents have a desire to have green waste collected in the same manner as Dublin, Mallala and Two Wells. PADAG is continuing to lobby on this issue
- Illegal camping management: PADAG continues to work with Council on this
- The Big Clean Up: PADAG worked with Friends Of Adelaide International Bird Sanctuary and other community members to remove waste from the AIBS land east of the township in July
- Horse and Dog Management: PADAG is consulting with Council on policies and procedures.
- PADAG is attempting to repair/upgrade the Interpretative Centre at Webb Beach
- PADAG has lobbied Council to improve the safety of the Webb Beach Road/Port Parham Road intersection.
- PADAG is working on images to promote

- the area, including photographs of Jinkers in the sunset, and developing a Logo for PADAG which reflects our local area
- PADAG is represented on the Coalition of Coastal Communities as follows: Port Parham: Alvin Jenkin and Colin Makins, Webb Beach: Carol Billing and Michelle O'Loughlin. The Coalition provides an interface to the Adelaide Plains Council representing all communities on the coastal fringe of the Council area.
- PADAG is currently working on a Constitution as it works towards separation from the Port Parham Sports and Social Club

As can be seen from this report, we are in exciting times, and there is much potential in our communities. If you would like to be involved, we welcome more community involvement, and all are welcome to attend the PADAG meetings, second Tuesday of the month, 7pm at the club. If you have any issues you would like to raise, either attend one of our meetings or speak to current committee members

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Covid 19 vaccination sessions

The Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine (for 5 – 11year-old children) is in stock, with appointments available

This is the link to the document containing information about the vaccine plus the consent form

COVID-19 vaccination – Information and consent form for parents and guardians of children aged 5 to 11 years | Australian Government Department of Health.

Mallala Docs is also conducting vaccination clinics with the Pfizer vaccine, <u>for persons</u> aged 12 years & above, for Doses 1 & 2.

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Immunisations are available here, so please contact us to make an appointment.

Measure Up Bone Bus Reports

40 people took the up the invitation to have a bone density scan done when the bus visited in early February.

We now have the reports. If you haven't seen the doctor yet to discuss the reports, would you please ring us to make an appointment? Thank you.

If you have any health concerns & wish to see a doctor, please ring us on 08 8527 2200.

Port Wakefield Ghost

The Port Wakefield Ghost has been reported at various times since the 1940's. Most often it's a dark & stormy night and people are driving along Highway 1 between Port Wakefield & Adelaide.

One story tells of a couple who picked a young male hitchhiker, dressed in an air force uniform. He sat in the rear seat and when asked, he said he wished to be dropped off at an address in Adelaide. When they arrived at the address they looked around and he was gone; they went to the address and spoke to the woman who lived there. When they told the woman the name which the young man had given them, she said "that's my son who was killed in a plane crash during a training flight out of Mallala during World War 2". It is believed his body was recovered and buried in an unknown location, and that his spirit is still trying to get home to Mum.

Another tale is that of a local businessman, who recounted how the ghost was picked up one night heading into Port Wakefield. He related how he was entering the toilets at the Shell Service Station behind a man in a RAAF uniform. The uniformed person went inside first and when the businessman entered the room straight after him, the man had disappeared!

At Dublin, when the rain is falling and evening light grows dim, people claim to witness a man in a skydiving suit. The man runs across the road, or sometimes is seen standing near the road in a military uniform reminiscent of a sky diver. The witness will stop their car,



search for the skydiver, and find nothing. What is more troublesome about this encounter is that there is a skydiving facility very close by, and a living person could be mistaken for a ghost or vice-versa.

A variation at Dublin is that a man is seen standing on the side of road, he screams out for cars to stop and help him, but when they do pull over, he has disappeared.

There is much debate about whom the mystery ghost (or ghosts) might be. Some believe it to be the same man walking from up near Yorke Peninsula all the way down to Gepps

Cross.

Others believe the ghost to be named 'Simon', due to two witnesses claiming the ghost told them that was his name. However, none of the airman killed in relation to the military bases nearby had that name. Others believe the mystery man could be the spirit of Sergeant Roger Clough who was killed in an aircraft crash near Port Parham in 1945. It is claimed that his family could not be contacted before his burial, and that he is forever trying to return to his family in New South Wales.

If you have witnessed the ghost on Port Wakefield Road, I would love to hear from you. Email me at eidolon@live.com.au.

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2007— Jeff Starr building the Dublin Christ Church cairn with some help from his granddaughter, Georgia Ziedas

Two Wells RSL Closed

The closure of the Two Wells RSL is upsetting for the area. They have been invaluable to us with our research into the military personnel in the area, we thank them and wish them all well.

Open Days and Events in 2022

Sunday 10th April
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Strawberry Fete 2022

The Dublin History Group had a stall at the Fete this year, it was focused on a meet and greet and how can we help. We had also researched the previous Strawberry Fetes in the district and have photos for most of the last 20 years. It was great to chat with people and hear the wonderful stories of the former and present locals. The Van der Eerden sisters had many stories from when their parents who owned the Dublin shop and hopefully they will write them down for us. The personal accounts and photos are so important and add so much to the history.

Quigley Family Visitors

We were happy to welcome a couple from Victoria, Lynn James and her husband Murray who were doing research on the Quigleys in the area, they stayed over in Mallala at Audrey's Accommodation and had great fun researching, exploring and learning more about the family connections from the locals, Mallala Museum, Lower Light Hotel, the Adelaide Plains Council and us.

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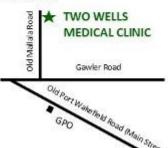
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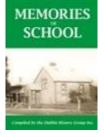
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Mallala & Districts Men's Shed

Opening times: Weds 9 till 1 pm

Sunday till 1 pm Other times by appointment

Conference room available

All welcome

Norm Dicks 0428559787

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Mallala RSL Sub-Branch

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UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB

President - Heather Curnow 0429 202 567

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School Holiday Activity



When: Thursday 21 April 2022

Time: Session 1 - 1:00 pm to 1:45 pm

Session 2 - 2:15 pm to 3:00 pm

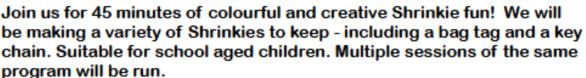
Where: TW Council Chamber

(next door to Library)

What: Shrinkies workshop

Cost: FREE

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



When: Thursday 28 April 2022

Time: 9:30 am to 11:00 am

Where: TW Uniting Church Hall

What: Brain Benders

Cost: FREE

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

Brain Benders is a 30 minute illusion science show, followed by a 1 hour hands-on workshop including a brain

tingling illusion discs activity. Suitable for school children. Session will be facilitated by Lee

of Mobile Science Education.





Children must be accompanied by an adult

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Runners

14+ years Walking only Kids walk/run 1st Prize \$300 1st Prize \$75 1st Prize S75 2nd Prize \$150 2nd Prize \$50 2nd Prize \$50 3rd Prize S75 3rd Prize S25 3rd Prize S25

Approximately 5 - 7 kms. Course provided on the day



PH: 0427 611 041

Some beach running involved so you may get some wet feet, dress accordingly

Entrance money goes towards fixing the information booth at Webb's Beach

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PORT PARHAM SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB



SUNDAY, 20TH MARCH \$10 A BOOT SAUSAGE SIZZLE AND REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE

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Balaklava Museum - Urlwin Park

Our **Blacksmithing Days** are scheduled to start up again when the weather is cooler - on Sundays May 8, June 12, July 10, August 14 & September 11, from 10.00am each day. Please support these days and spread the word if you know anyone who is interested in seeing and/or learning blacksmithing.



Outdoor Cinema 2022

Dublin Oval Friday 18 March



Movie starts when it's dark

Bring your beanbag, swag, deckchair or pillow

Canteen facilities available

This is a FREE event - No bookings required

Drug and alcohol free zone ★ Sorry, no pets allowed ★ COVID-19 QR check in on arrival For further information contact Council. Phone 8527 0200 or Email: info@apc.sa.gov.au