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ANZAC Day

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Wild Horse Plains Institute



HOWARD BAKER. WINDSOR, 6 November 1915

On Friday evening, in the Wild Horse Plains Institute Hall a farewell social and dance were tendered to Private Howard Baker on his departure for the front. - On behalf of the Literary and Debating Society Mr. H. Lyons presented, the guest with a fountain pen. Opportunity was taken also by the members of the



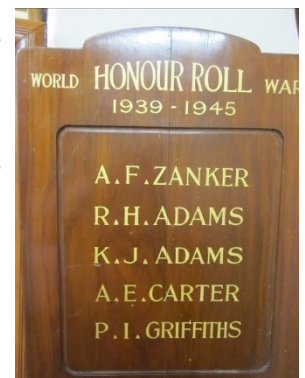
Windsor Football Club to show their esteem for their departing comrade and Mr. H. P. McArdle, on behalf of the club, presented Private Baker with a silver mounted pipe. The recipient resumed thanks for the presentation and good wishes. (extract from Daily Herald Tuesday 9 November 1915, page 6)

Lance Corporal 3679 Howard Emery Baker of the 10th Battalion, Australian Infantry, died during the Second Battle of Bullecourt on 6 May 1917 buried at Grevillers British Cemetery, France.

PTE. ALF. ZANKER GIVEN SEND-OFF BY W.H. PLAINS 10 October 1940

A large crowd attended a farewell social to Pte. Alf Zanker in Wild Horse Plains Institute on Monday night. On behalf of R.S.L. Sub-Branch of the Long Plains Mr E. Arrowsmith wished Pte. Zanker the best of luck. Mrs W. Griffiths presented a parcel of woollens from the Ladies' Guild, Mr A. Clark presented a wristlet watch from district friends. The evening was spent in dancing to music by Miss O. Worsley, and a tasty home-made supper was served by the ladies.

(Producer Thursday 10 October 1940, page 1)
Date of discharge 12 October 1945



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Wild Horse Plains Institute cont.

RED CROSS CONCERT.

Daily Herald Friday 20 July 1917, page 6

A successful concert and dance was held in the Wild Horse Plains institute hall Friday evening in aid of the Red Cross Funds. The committee deserves praise for the way it managed to raise funds. Those who assisted with the programme were Misses Fox, Carswell, Bailey, Porter, Parker, Clonan, Jones, and Mrs Stanley. The amount taken at the door £12 10/, which is considered splendid. Messrs. Moore, Briggs, and Baker supplied the music for the dance, and Mr. B. Dunlop acted as M.C.

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article124857426>

HONORING SOLDIERS

The Advertiser, Wednesday 30 April 1919, page 9

A welcome home social was tendered to Privates G. Rapko and L. Cornford in the Wild Horse Plains Institute on April 25. Mr. A.B. Moore presided over a large attendance. Addresses were delivered by the Chairman and Messrs. H. P. McArdle. F. McArdle. O. Rundle. F. Wilkins. and W. Dunlop. Mr. G. Peters, on behalf of Inkerman friends, presented Private Rapko with a gold watch. Others who took part were Misses D.



Worsley, M. Jones, D. McArdle, E. Haggaton. and G. Hunt, Mrs. Pope, and Mr. A. Worsley. A dance followed, and Mr. A. Worsley acted as M.C.

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article5647635>

AVON COMFORTS FUND HOLD EMPIRE DANCE

Producer Thursday 19 June 1941, page 1

Proceeds from the Empire Ball held in the Wild Horse Plains Institute on June 12, were for the Avon Fighting Forces Comforts Fund; takings were £8. A good crowd from Avon, Balaklava, Dublin, Lochiel, South Hummocks, Port Wakefield, Windsor and Wild Horse Plains helped make the dance a great success. Music was, keepers. supplied by Mrs C. Clark, relieved by Miss O. Worsley: Mr D. Crighton was M.C. and Mr G. Rundle and Mr C. Duffield door A novelty dance was won by Mr L. Wood and Mrs F. McArdle. A tasty supper was served by members of the Comforts Fund.

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article207006261>

Institute Opened - 4 April 1885 (see page 21)

Closed - 1963 Burnt Down - 1967

Demolished 1980

Legend:

1. The WHP Institute Circa 1900

<http://www.slsa.sa.gov.au/digitalpubs/placenamesofsouthaustralia/W.pdf>

2. Daily Herald (Adelaide, SA : 1910 - 1924), Tuesday 9 November 1915, page 6

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article124891070>

3. Wild Horse Plains World War One Roll of Honour which is in the care of the Mallala Museum

4. Photo of Howard Baker in DHG Collection

5. Producer (Balaklava, SA : 1940 - 1950), Thursday 10 October 1940, page 1

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article207004198>

6. Wild Horse Plains World War Two Roll of Honour which is in the care of the Mallala Museum

7. Arbour Day 1933 WHP Institute DHG Collection

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Community Notice Board

5 SHILLINGS PER 400 GALLONS OF WATER

Date: Sunday 4th May
Time: 1 pm - 4 pm
Venue: Dublin Institute
9 Sixth St, Dublin

Water is vital to survival and whether from a rain water tank, government well, dam or mains water, Dublin has used them all. So, join us as we jump in and get our feet wet.



South Australia's History Festival
3-31 May 2025
South Australia's History Festival - 4-31 May 2025



For more information
www.facebook.com/dublinhistorygroup/
www.dublinhistorygroup.com.au/
info@dublinhistorygroup.com.au

ANZAC Day 2025

Thompson Beach :- 6.00 am

Parham:- 6.10 am

Mallala RSL:- 6.00 am

Two Wells:- 6.15 am

Not all time confirmed please check

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

[ANZAC Day - RSL SA Branch](#)

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DUBLIN & DISTRICTS SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB INC.

PO BOX 507 Dublin SA 5501

Meet each Tuesday for BINGO from 9:15 am for 10:00 am start
At the Port Parham Sports & Social Club

"New Members Welcomed"

President: Kathy Gottfried -Wilson

0408 843 335

Secretary: Mara Thiele 0418 806 224

Australia Day – Sunday 26 January 2025

Council's Australia Day celebrations were held at the Two Wells Oval on Sunday morning, 26 January 2025. The Two Wells Cricket Club served a cooked breakfast from 8.00 am (paid by Council).

As the Football Club (leased by the Cricket Club in the summer months) can only seat around 80 people, a marquee was pegged on the Oval grounds, as well as chairs and tables being hired to accommodate the expected numbers. Mayor Wasley commenced the formalities at 9.00 am under a covered stage and firstly introduced our Australia Day Ambassador, Alexandra Seal – who was named the South Australian, Young Citizen of the Year in 2024.



The Mayor then presented our 2025 Award winners with their certificates in front of their proud families, friends and volunteer colleagues.



- **Citizens of the Year –**
Robert and Anne Arbon



- **Young Citizen of the Year –**
Kai-Leigh Wilson
- **Community Event of the Year –**
Two Wells Christmas Parade, Street Market & Carnival 2023 – Two Wells Regional Action Team
- **Community Group of the Year –**
The Plains Community Group
- **Community Project of the Year –**
Mallala Community Complex – Mallala & Districts Lions Club

The formalities concluded with the Mayor performing an official ceremony for five residents who were making the final step before becoming Australian citizens (previous residents of United Kingdom, Philippines, New Zealand and Argentina). Afterwards, our guests had the opportunity to mingle with old acquaintances, as well as form new friendships.



As I travel around the electorate I can see the devastating effect of the drought. I see our primary producers carting water for stock and I'm also speaking to people who say, for the first time they can remember, their dams are dry, and they have no mains water for backup.

It is heartbreaking to see the topsoil blowing off paddocks and noting paddocks where, last time I passed, there was stock. It's also hard to comprehend the implications for the horticulture industry on the Adelaide Plains. I am meeting with Ag Bureaus who are reflecting on lessons learned in preparation for this year.

It's more important than ever that we take the time to check in on each other. Ask your neighbours and friends how they are going and listen to their response. If they are not going so well, a listening ear and showing you care can make all the difference.

Referring them to 24hr helplines can assist:

Lifeline (13 11 14) or lifeline.org.au Beyond Blue (1300 224 636) or beyondblue.org.au
Mensline Australia (1300 789 978) Kids Helpline (1800 737 732) kidshelpline.com.au

TIACS is a professional, free counselling services specifically offering support to tradies, truckies, farmers and blue collar workers. Call or text 0488 846 988.

Alongside the lack of rain, I have been contacted by residents from all over the electorate who are frustrated with the water pressure at their homes.

I am seeking to learn the extent of this issue and I would be grateful if you would take a couple of minutes to complete my survey.

As a local Frome resident, it is alarming how many people are affected.

Use this QR code to complete the survey or if you would prefer a paper copy please call my office.

As always, if you think I can be of assistance please don't hesitate to make contact by email frome@parliament.sa.gov.au or phone 8842 4304.

Kind regards

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The Electoral Districts Boundaries Commission (“the Commission”) has released its redistribution report, which contains plans of the electoral districts to be contested at the next State election.

The report details the Commission’s reasons for altering the electoral districts in the manner shown in the maps of the 47 electoral districts included in the report. The report is available on the Commission’s website at edbc.sa.gov.au

The electoral quota for each electoral district of 27,423 is based on the State’s electoral enrolment of 1,288,896 as at the relevant date of 30 June 2024. The projected enrolment by 30 June 2026 is 1,328,188, such that the projected electoral quota for each electoral district is 28,259.

The redistribution alters the boundaries of 16 of the 47 House of Assembly electoral districts and results in approximately 38,894 electors changing electoral district.

Secretary to the Commission, Mr David Gully, noted, “the Commission was again faced with declining populations in regional districts, and pursuant to the Constitution Act 1934 (SA) is compelled to ensure the number of electors in each district is within the allowable tolerance of 10% of the electoral quota.”

Mr Gully further noted, “this has necessitated changes to the districts in the west and north of the State, including the reuniting of Port Augusta within the district of Giles with Whyalla. Stuart retains Port Pirie and expands further to the south.”

Mr Gully said, “the Commission has also determined that the electoral district of Frome should be renamed having considered representations and historical records regarding the third Surveyor-General of South Australia, General Edward Charles Frome’s involvement in retributive actions taken against Aboriginal people in the Coorong area in 1840, following what has been referred to as the ‘Maria Massacre’.”

The electoral district will now be named Ngadjuri. Ngadjuri, pronounced ‘Na-dju-ri’, means “we people” and refers to the Ngadjuri people, whose traditional lands cover the mid north region of South Australia, including a significant portion of the electoral district formerly named Frome.

Mr Gully also highlighted that “while the Commission had proposed in its draft report to change the boundaries of Flinders, Black, Croydon, Gibson, Morphett, and West Torrens, it has considered a number of submissions and determined to retain the boundaries of these electoral districts, set in the 2020 electoral redistribution.”

“The Commission expresses its appreciation to those who made representations and submissions during the course of this electoral redistribution, many of which were well considered and provided valuable contributions,” Mr Gully said.

[Electoral Districts Boundaries Commission Redistribution Report - Electoral Commission SA](#)

12 Dec 2024

RDABGLAP Champions Regional Growth at Country Cabinet

“Regional Development Australia Barossa Gawler Light Adelaide Plains (RDABGLAP) played a key role in the Country Cabinet visit to the Adelaide Plains on February 27, advocating for strategic investment to support regional growth .

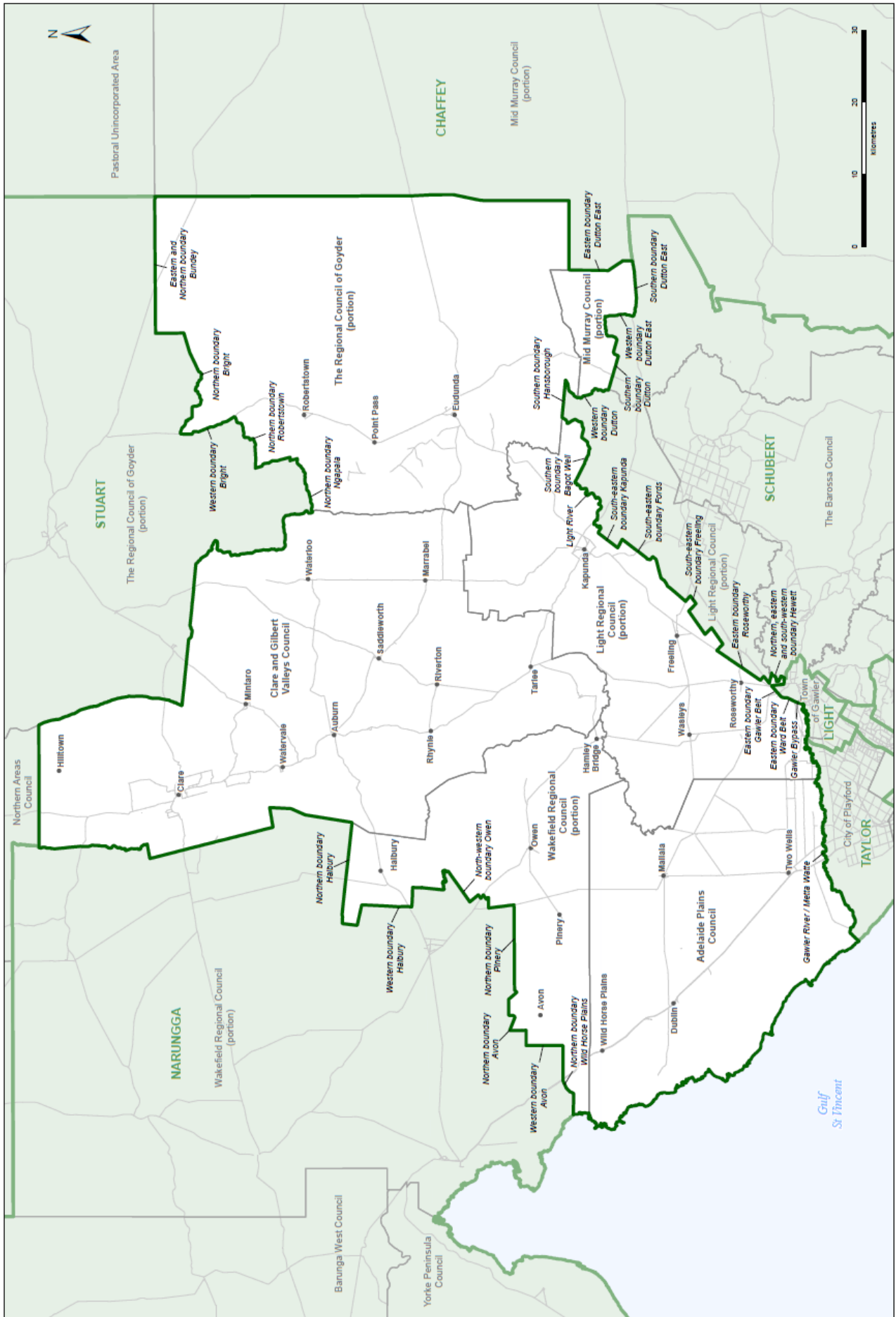
Our region is at a turning point. With the right investment in infrastructure, housing, and education, we can create thriving communities that lead the way in regional innovation and prosperity,” said Jennifer Lynch, CEO. “Direct engagement with the Premier and Cabinet ensures regional priorities are factored into South Australia’s planning and investment decisions.”

Extract from

[RDABGLAP Champions Regional Growth at Country Cabinet - Regional Development Australia Barossa Gawler Light Adelaide Plains](#)

NGADJURI ELECTORATE

NGADJURI



Electoral boundaries follow Suburb / Locality or Local Government Area boundaries unless otherwise shown.

Long Plains Red Cross Branch

The branch held their first meeting for the new year on Friday 14th as the weather on the planned Wednesday was most unpleasant. Planning for fundraisers for the year was discussed, with a stall at the Dublin Strawberry Fete on 23rd February 2025 and a musical program in April or May.

March Appeal letters will be distributed during March and we are very thankful to the generous donors in our area.

The stall at the Dublin Strawberry Fete was well supported with \$541 being added to funds, to be sent to Red Cross.

Thank you to our Branch supporter family Leah and Andrew Newton and son Fletcher for their contribution to the stall.

The next meeting of the Branch will be held on Wednesday 9th April.



Fletcher Newton



Ann Curnow & Alison Pym at Dublin Fete 2025

If you would like to know more about the work of Red Cross you can contact

Branch President
Christine Young
0418 896 888

or

Secretary
Alison Pym
8862 7025

Dublin History Group Inc.

The DHG again had a stall at this years Strawberry Fete, we enjoyed the many chats we had with locals and visitors alike. We showed off our new logo, promoted our SA History Festival Event - **5 Shillings per 400 gallons of water** (page 22) and next years 150th Celebrations (page 19) .

One conversation we had was with a gentlemen about the yummy homemade Cornish pasties that we made and sold at the Dublin Service Station, something to follow up.





SA COUNTRY FIRE SERVICE DUBLIN BRIGADE

A special thank you to our long-term fundraising supporter AnneMarie Paech

Thank you to Dublin Cricket Club for supporting our promotional event at Strawberry Fete Saturday 22nd enabling our members to show off some of our RCR skills in the car cutting exercise, as well as members of the public having fun with hose drills.



End of a long day, lots of conversations – promoting our Brigade

Remembering your **Bushfire Survival Plan** summer is not over yet
www.cfs/sa.gov.au **South Australian Country Fire Service**

Training Monday nights 19:30pm onwards

Further inquiries contact one of our members on NEW No. Mb: 0460 633 022



The Plains Producer Wednesday 26 February 2025 has great coverage of the 2025 Strawberry Fete in Dublin

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The Mallala and Districts Reunion

On Sunday February 9th, the Mallala and Districts Reunion was held at St. Helen's Park, Prospect. The weather could not have been kinder as 70 locals and former locals from the district gathered to catch up and reminisce about the past and present.

Before the Reunion got underway, the Committee met and made a couple of important decisions. A heat policy was implemented, whereby, if the forecast temperature is 36°C on the Friday preceding the event, it will not proceed. This will be stated on all flyers and communications.

Secondly, it was decided that every 5 years, the Reunion will be held in Mallala, (starting next year), on the lawned area in front of the Museum, or in the Institute if the weather is inclement. Both these motions were greeted favourably by those in attendance, so hopefully they are supported to ensure the continuing success of the event.

Reunion Chairman, Jim Franks, began proceedings at 2:15pm, and welcomed all those present and gave a rundown of events that occurred during the previous year. These included the land developments within and on the outskirts of Mallala, the refurbishing of the

Mallala Cafe and the retirement of our longstanding Postmaster, Craig Argent. He then introduced the Guest Speaker for the day, Peter Dunstan. Peter is a recently retired school principal who spent his first 21 years in Mallala, with many of his family still residing in the town. He explained how growing up there helped shape his life and reminisced about how the characters, school and sport - especially football and tennis - were such important components of his early life.

Peter's career with the Education Department started in Pt. Pirie, but ended up in Adelaide, whereby leadership and assisting underprivileged children, especially in the multicultural area, underpinned a very distinguished career. His exploits had a captivated audience which culminated with him declaring the 70th Mallala and Districts Reunion open.

Jim thanked Peter for such an interesting and well presented speech, before inviting all to share the pooled afternoon tea while chatting with new and old acquaintances.

With another successful Reunion completed, the committee looks forward to continued support, especially with the different venue next year, when it will be held in Mallala, on the 2nd Sunday in February.



Pictured from left to right...Peter Dunstan (Guest Speaker), his parents Fay & Malcom Dunstan & his brother Michael (Sam) Dunstan.

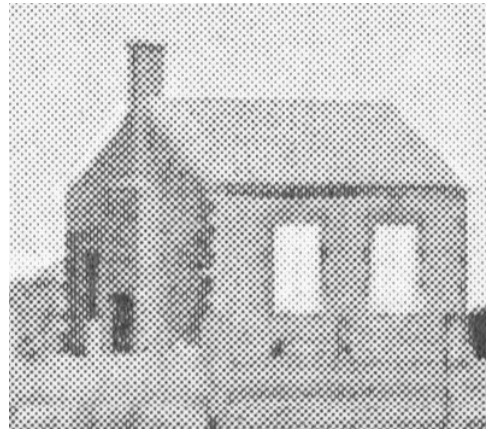
90th Anniversary of Adelaide Plains Council

The proclamation of the District Council of Dublin was published in the Government Gazette on November 27, 1873, with a total area of some 370 square kilometres.

The boundaries were: the Light River to the South, the Coast to the West, and a direct line from the Northern boundary of the township of Dublin to Balaklava.

September 18, 1876 – Letter from Hon. Commissioner of Crown Lands, informing council allotment 43 in township of Dublin, but no objection to council having any unsold allotment for erecting of council chamber. Council decided on allotment 49.

November 3, 1876 – The Government Gazette - Council Chamber for District. Order in Council dedication a piece of land in the Township of Dublin as a site of the District Council-Chamber



Dublin Council Chambers DHG Collection

On March 21, 1935, a proclamation was published in the Government Gazette amalgamating the Port Gawler, Grace and Dublin District's as one council area, they were named the District Council of Light. The new council commenced operations on May 1, 1935 and their first meeting of the amalgamated council's was held on May 8, 1935.

During 1937 the Council decided to change their name to the District Council of Mallala.

On September 22, 2016 the council changed its name to Adelaide Plains Council.



Hundred_of_Dublin_Town_of_Dublin
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Group of Light District Council (Members 1936)

Standing back- Cr J.W. Good, unknown

Middle - unknown, P Huxtable (Curator), L.H. Dawkins (Overseer), Cr S.R. Good, Cr L.L. Wasley, D.W. Driscoll (Junior Clerk), Cr S. R.Irish.

Sitting - .L. Driscoll (District Clerk), Cr E.P. Pitt, E A Brooks (Chairman), A.D. Prime, A.H. Loller.

A YOUNG DIGGER'S TALE

Found wandering behind the lines and giving confused answers to his superiors when questioned. Put into the hands of the Military Police and held for some months in a jail in France until charges could be laid. He was a young man who was sent to England from Australia after a delayed passage in 1917 because he was not yet 18 yrs and not old enough to be sent to the front line. In 1917 when he enlisted the war in Europe was sapping the resources of both sides of the conflict and recruits were running short. Because of his skill with a rifle, he was offered the position of sniper which he refused.

When he arrived in England, he was sent to the Australian army base of Sutton Veny on the Salisbury Plain for further training until he turned 18 yrs. His letters home to his mother showed his frustration at the delay to get to the trenches in France and help defeat the Hun. He was on a glorious adventure which suited his desire to do good for the world and the British Empire.

He only had experience of war in two battles, and both were indicative of the hope of victory for the British and Allied cause for the sake of the occupied countries. In the second battle he only went into action on one engagement before being found behind the lines the next day after missing the morning roll call for battle stations.

He was charged with desertion, ultimately convicted and despite his platoon commander wanting him back into ranks he was sentenced to Wormwood Scrubbs prison in England for three years hard labour. By the time 18 months of the sentence came around, the war had ended, and all desertion prisoners were granted unconditional release, he was sent home to Australia.

It is now clear reading the report on his mental condition in the trial documents that he was suffering from what is now recognised as post-traumatic stress disorder. (PTSD). This is a condition that was then treated as cowardice and under British Army protocols was deemed desertion and the penalty was execution. However, though the execution protocol applied to British born soldiers it was not applied to Australians, hence the long jail-time and the incarceration in Britain's most notorious prison as punishment.

When he came home the scandal of desertion was hushed up by the family and never spoken about except in whispers among the older generation. Never out loud in the presence of younger generations.

I recall a great aunt asking in alarm what her husband meant when he said he wanted to show me a family secret. He then, to her relief produced a family tree written by my Irish great-great-grandfather that has been invaluable in my family history research. My research has never identified the big secret but, in my research, I have done what all family history seekers do and uncovered more than one big secret that it may have been.

When he arrived home, he showed signs that the PTSD was present, seen in the way he did not comply with the government conditions for returned veterans assistance.



(Continued from page 12)

Coupled with this was the disappointment of the noncompliance of his old employee who had promised him in writing there would always be a job waiting for him on his return.

Later he joined the new RSSILA (Returned Soldiers and Sailors Imperial League of Australia), Later RSSAILA, with the first A for Airman added, now the RSL. (Returned Services League). I remember him as the secretary of our local RSL branch where he was unrelenting in hunting out men in the area, both Australian and British who had fallen on hard times and moving mountains in finding proof that they were veterans and eligible for pensions and other benefits.

Our home always hosted the coffee and rum after the Anzac Day Dawn Service and the procession In the line-up of local dignitaries and tramps from the huts on the river, all on the friendliest of terms as all were veterans.

I often offer thanks to God that my father went to prison and only had a few months on the front-line trenches in France in World War 1 and spent the final year in prison due to a flawed system, otherwise I may not have been here to tell this tale.

Fr. Bartholomew O'Donovan



Battlefield Blue



Battlefield Blue aims to raise public awareness of the effects of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and support current and former military personnel, first responders and all who suffer invisible wounds as a result of their service.

The Battlefield Blue commemorative range draws upon the remembrance poppy sculptures, created by Ron Davis, which are made from lead extracted from spent .303 bullet casings collected from historical firing ranges and battlefields. They symbolise the transformation of destruction into something of beauty.

Funds raised from the sale of Battlefield Blue poppies are channelled into various organisations supporting veterans, first responders, and their families.

Learn more about Battlefield Blue at <https://www.poppytributes.com.au/>



Mallala RSL Sub-Branch — Upcoming Events

Mallala RSL and Plains Community Group bring Easter fun to town

Sunday 20th April 2025

Mallala RSL bar will be open from 12noon – 6pm

Lunch– roasted meats on rolls for purchase (vegetarian option available)

Easter Egg Hunt at 12.30pm.

(registrations needed. More details to come)

Lots of other Easter activities happening 12 noon- 3pm

Please watch our Facebook pages for more details.

Any questions– please ring Joanna on 0422968452.



Easter Monday 21st April—Mallala RSL bar will be open from 12noon – 6pm

ANZAC Day Dawn Service

**Commemorating the 75th Anniversary of Australians
who served in the Korean War 1950-1953**



Friday 25th April 2025

Service commences at 6am at the Town Monument in the centre of town.

Followed by breakfast, rum parade and comradery back at the RSL club.

(situated between the football club and the playground)



MALLALA RSL

**Situated behind the Football Club grandstand,
next to the playground.**

Friday Night Come and join us

5pm-8pm

Stay for Dinner

6pm-7pm

Beef/Chicken Schnitzel, chips & salad

Choice of plain or mushroom gravy

Fish & Chips, chips & salad

Seafood Basket, chips & salad

\$10 Specials each week

Dessert – Nut Sundae

Children's menu available

*****Bookings Appreciated*****

Meat Tray raffle

Sunday Breakfast

8.30am-11.30am

(except during long weekends)

Kitchen closes at 11am

Coffee/Tea/Hot Chocolate

Yummy cake/pastries

Bacon and Egg Rolls

Toasted Sandwiches

New menu items

Smashed Avo on sourdough

Stewed tomatoes/onion on sourdough

Cooked mushroom on sourdough

All at reasonable prices

Community Lunch

3rd Sunday of the Month

12 noon -2.30pm

Main Course & Dessert \$18

Bookings Appreciated

Raffles available

**ALL WELCOME
EFTPOS Available**

The club is available for hire

We can cater- finger food, bbqs or set meals

Bar facilities available

We welcome car clubs, bike groups, caravan clubs and other community groups
to use the RSL rooms for gatherings.

Come for a run to Mallala, and enjoy an enjoyable
brunch/lunch/dinner at the RSL.

Please contact the RSL to book your visit

Bookings: Joanna Grotto (President/Secretary) 0422968452
mallala@rslsa.org.au



QUIINGO

Are you good at Quizzes??

Do you like Bingo??

Then **QUIINGO** is for you.

When: Saturday 8th MARCH '25

Time: 7pm for 7.30pm start

Where: Mallala Community Centre

Emcee: Jessica McCall {BTS with Jess on Channel 44}

Cost: \$15.00 per person &/or \$10 concession

{Tables of 10 or individuals to join other Happy People – 90 spots only}

What to Bring:

- ◊ Cash & Gold Coins {ats} – BFTPOS available
- ◊ A plate of supper to share
- ◊ Sense of Humour
- ◊ A Bingo dobber or pen {dobbers@ \$1, if needed}
- ◊ Participation mode – join in all games



Drinks available from the bar. {NO BYO}.



You will be given four bingo cards {extra cards for \$1.00 each, until sold out} – plus your table will be given a large 9x9 bingo card. Additionally, you will be given sheets for 9 lots of answers.

Raffle books and money collection boxes will be on each table. A box/bowl for mobile phones will be on the table too. **All monies** going to PCG unfinished projects & improve parks.

HURRY & Book, please contact Anna – 0449 579 334

PRIZES Galore

{incl. a Riverland weekend away for four}



Channel 7 Community Achievement Awards

On Saturday evening 22nd February, Margherita Panella and Anna White from the Plains Community Group were privileged to attend the Channel 7 Community Achievement Awards at the Stamford Grand in Glenelg. There they were honoured and presented with a Semi-Finalist framed certificate by Minister Natalie Cook MP, for the group's dedication and hard work within the Adelaide Plains Council area.

Avon Art & Craft Guild



February: saw Inkle Loom Weaving and DIY craft & Lots of chatting

March : Brings an old American Civil War craft to life.
Penny Rug Work

A fun thing to do and very appropriate for our lean times.
Just the history of this craft is fascinating

Later in March Calendar Place Mats
Materials available.



April : Sew trendy Bag making. Kids fun Day the 15th April during school holidays to celebrate Easter with treasure hunt, games and easter activities. Bookings essential, Children to be accompanied by an adult.

Info PH Jill 8867 1127 or Helen 0419 819 420

Bev Jones busy with the Avon Art and Craft Guild - weaving , helping out with Clean Up Australia and training in Do Food Safely.



Avon Art & Craft Guild Inc

Tuesdays 10.30am to 3pm.

1883 Avon Rd Avon SA

Shorebird viewing session with FAIBS

Thompson Beach

Sunday 23rd March from 8:30am

Join FAIBS viewing the magnificent migratory shorebirds before they depart for their Northern Hemisphere breeding grounds. We have spotting scopes to ensure you get a great view.

Directions: From Port Wakefield Road, Turn into Dublin Township and take the first left onto South Terrace travel past the sports oval on your left, the road then becomes Ruskin Road.

We will meet at the Thompson Beach Community Shed just near the end of Ruskin Road for directions to the viewing site.

Please wear closed shoes, bring your own sunscreen and insect protection, water and snacks.



[Facebook](#) faibssa@gmail.com

Wildman Farm SALA 2025: Calling All Adelaide Plains Artists!

We're thrilled to announce that Wildman Farm will once again be part of the South Australian Living Artists (SALA) Festival in 2025! This year, we're focusing exclusively on celebrating **Adelaide Plains artists**, showcasing the incredible talent in our region.

We invite local artists of all styles and genres to submit original pieces for this mixed-media exhibition. From paintings and sculptures to textiles and outdoor installations, we welcome a variety of art forms to grace our **renovated 1880s limestone barn**, spacious lawn, and even our charming silo gazebos. Whether your art thrives indoors or under the open sky, Wildman Farm provides a unique and inspiring backdrop for your creations.

We're looking to feature **10–20 artists** in our exhibition. For a small participation fee, you can display your work and connect with art enthusiasts exploring our beautiful region.

PLUS

Adelaide Plains SALA Trail 2025 – A collaborative Project with the Adelaide Plains Council Economic Development Team

After receiving many questions last year about nearby venues, eateries, and things to do, we've decided to create something special for 2025: the **Adelaide Plains SALA Trail!** In collaboration with the Adelaide Plains Council Economic Development Officer, and locals we are wanting to showcase art around our Council area.

A curated map will guide visitors through the best our region has to offer, turning a day of art exploration into a full experience of Adelaide Plains hospitality.



What the Trail Offers:

- **Art & Artists:** Visit multiple SALA venues and connect with the talented creatives of the Plains.
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Sunday 10:00am Worship, which includes fortnightly Kidz United (activities for primary school aged children).

Monday 7:30pm Two Wells Band rehearsal.

Tuesday 9:00am Playgroup.

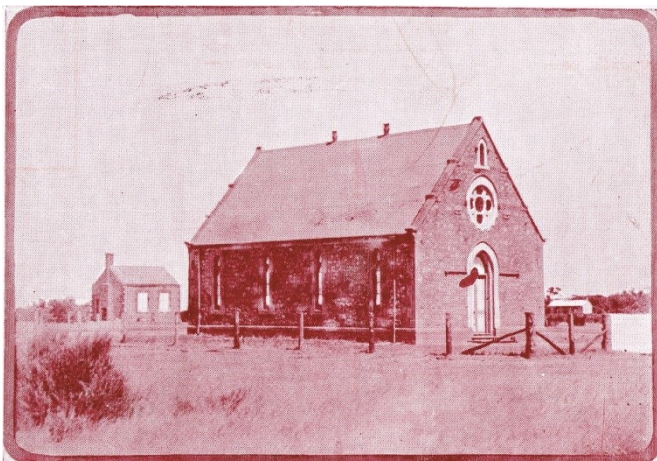
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Wednesday 7:30pm Bible Study.

3rd Thursday 1:30pm Uniting Friends.

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Early 1900's postcard of Dublin Primitive Methodist Church before Sunday School addition on back. In the background is the Dublin Council Building

DHG Collection

Wild Horse Plains Institute Opened

The ceremony of formally declaring the Wild House Plains Institute open to the public was performed by Mr. H. M. Addison on Good Friday. The institute is a well appointed building, its dimensions 45 feet x 27 feet x 37 feet, The Contractor, Mr James C. Burton, has not yet completed the necessary work, but the hall promises a handsome and well-finished appearance and certainly reflects great credit on all concerned. The institute will probably be clear of debt when the final Government subsidy is made.

Strong gusts of wind prevailed on Good Friday morning, and there were indications of rain, while clouds of made matters very unpleasant for holiday seekers, and caused a great many people to shorten their stay, on the ground. At about 10 o'clock vehicles of all description* began to arrive, and during the day upwards of a thousand people must have visited the grounds, which were gaily decorated with flags and presented a lively and pleasing appearance. The course for the running matches were railed off into a respectful imitation of an oval, and the races were well contested and gave general satisfaction. A booth was erected on the opposite side of the courses to the institute and was well patronised, but owing to the liberal provision made by the ladies a large quantity of the good things of this life remained undisposed off. Soon after 1 o'clock Messes. Gilbert and Bagster (members for the district), accompanied by Mr. H. M Addison and Mr. Brock, were driven on to the ground by Mr. Robert Barr, and at 2 o'clock, between seventy and eighty people sat down to an excellent dinner. Mr. William Chapman who occupied the chair, proposed the usual loyal toasts which were duly honored. In response to the toast of "The Parliament" proposed by Mr. Robert Barr (president of the institute) Messes. Gilbert and Bagster favored their constituents with as much complimentary and pleasant talk as could be condensed into the very short time permitted by the alteration of

the railway timetable, and proposed the health of "The Members of the Institute" which was responded to by Mr. Andrew Barr. Mr. P. MacDonald ?, in a short speech having proposed the health of "Sir William Robinson", an adjournment was made and Mr Addison declared the institute open to the public. Cheers were then given for the Queen, the president, and secretary of the institute. The parliamentary party then started on their return journey to Adelaide via Owen.

The sports terminated about sunset and after the prizes had been distributed the hall was cleared for the entertainment. Owing to the threatening appearance of the weather the room, though well filled, was not crowded, and the financial results accruing to the institute funds were not as large as had been expected. The programme elicited great commendation and applause, and there were two or three deserved encores. Perhaps the most noticeable of the very excellent songs was that of "Sourkraut," given by Mr. D. Java Strongman, who was greeted with great applause, this being ins first appearance in public after his very severe accident on the Silverton-road, when he broke his leg. As he had only partially recovered from the accident he had to be accommodated with a chair, and the sympathy of tile public was shown in a marked manner. As an encore song he rendered "Simon the cellarer*" in capital style

The evening's proceedings were to have been terminated by a ball, but owing to the fatiguing nature of the events of the day and the lowering aspect of the weather nearly all the ladies, considering "discretion the better part of valor," started for home, and with great regret Mr. Wicksteed (the secretary) was compelled to close the hall The proceedings on the whole were most satisfactory.

WILD HORSE PLAINS INSTITUTE.

(1885, April 7). *The South Australian Advertiser* (Adelaide, SA : 1858 - 1889), p. 4.

<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article36303867>

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Mallala
Museum

HISTORY MONTH

May 2025

We have dusted off some of the framed pictures that are usually kept in Museum storage. These historical images depict the people, families, buildings and activities of the Mallala district and the wider Adelaide Plains.



Mallala Museum 1 Dublin Rd, Mallala.
It is open every Sunday from 2 - 4.30pm.
Group bookings are welcome by
appointment.

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[Mallala](#)



DUBLIN HISTORY GROUP Inc

New logo

The Dublin History Group Inc. have created a new logo, thank you to Philip Brow. It will be used going forward, as our collection and resources have gone beyond just books. They now include electronic and physical items. Being housed in the beautiful 140 year old Dublin Institute, it was easy to use the building as inspiration. So you will slowly see the new logo appear as we continue our research and projects for the community.

SA History Festival

5 Shillings per 400 gallons of water

Our event this year is exploring the story of water delivery in Dublin includes the area. Dublin has the remains of the water well that was built in 1880, powered by a windmill is was constant supply of fresh water for the area. In 1910 they were connected to mains water by the Barossa Water Corporation from the Barossa Reservoir. Over 110 years later water supply is still a concern to the area.

Open Days and Events in 2025

Sunday 9th March

Open Day

1.00 pm to 4.00pm

Sunday 13th April

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also

150th Anniversary Meeting

3.00 pm

SA History Festival

Sunday 4th May

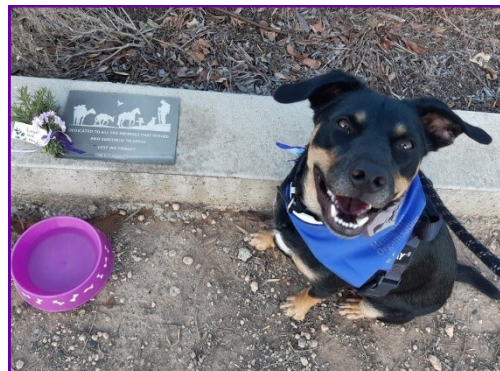
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The Purple Poppy

The DHG placed a plaque at Dublin Institute on 12th November 2017, every year on the 24th February we remember those animals that were and still are serving in conflicts around the world. Often our family pets will be with us as we place our tribute and remember they also served. Digby, the President's Kelpie had the honours again this year.



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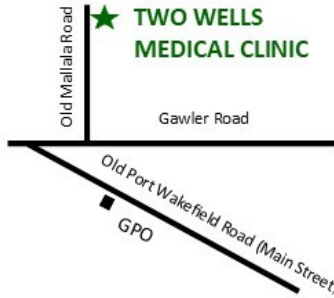
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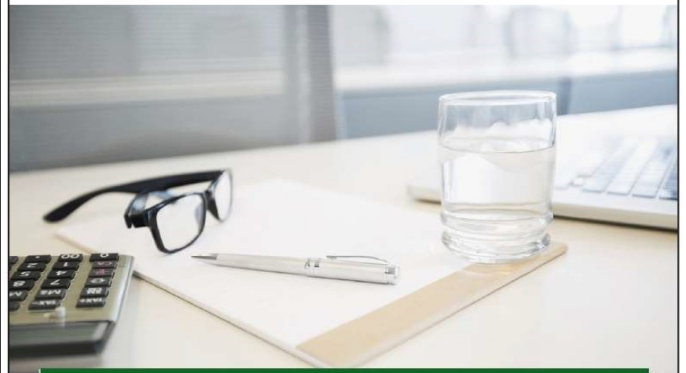
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A dedicated group of community and business people are wanting to work on a trail for visitors to come and experience our businesses, art, spaces and places. What started as an “Arts” concept has grown into an inaugural tourism project to:-

- *Encourage visitors and residents to explore our Council area.*
- *Stimulate small townships, main streets and look to adorn any vacant shops/spaces with art works.*
- *Build collaboration between artists and businesses.*
- *Use the SA Living Artists event in August to launch, promote and generate people travelling during colder months.*

Just as a point of interest, we currently have two SALA Venues identified being the Two Wells Library and Wildman Farm in Korunye (see page 18).

We are dedicated in identifying different ways to bring more people into our townships and coastal communities - whilst also promoting our businesses, arts, places to visit and things to do in our region.

We are now wanting to seek interested people, businesses and organisations who want to:-

- *Offer a space to display artworks in your business during operating hours, ensuring the artworks are kept safe.*
- *Be involved and have your artwork, sculpture or creative item on display.*
- *Offer your vacant shop window, so that we can display local Youth Art – we are wanting to bring vibrancy back to our streets.*

This is an important step for our Council area and we look forward to working in collaboration with our business communities to increase visitation into the Adelaide Plains region.

We have put a brief ticket type of online form to help with collection of details. Please complete this: [Creative Adelaide Plains Trail participation](#) Please reach out to me by March 25th if you need any more information.