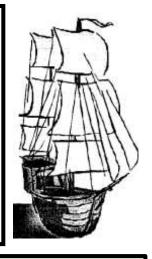


# Port Wakefield Community Newsletter

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#### **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

Mon

CFS Training 6.00pm - 8.30pm Little Athletics 5pm-6pm

Tues

CFS Cadets 5pm
Men's Shed 9am-4pm
Dr Nyoni 10.15am-1pm
Community Computing 10am-1pm
SA Ambulance Training 7.30pm-9.30pm
Library 10am-1pm

Wed

Community Bus (pension week) 9.30am Library (when printing newsletter) 9am-10.30am

Thur

Cards & Games (Newsletter Office)
Op-Shop 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs each month
Transfer Station Open

11am – 2pm
2pm – 4pm
10am-11am

Fri

Clementina Corner 10am-4pm

Sat

UC Op-Shop 9.30-11.30am Transfer Station Open 10am-2pm

Sun

Library; 1st, 2nd & 3rd weeks
Courthouse Museum1<sup>st</sup> Sun each mth
Transfer Station Open
Clementina Corner

12pm-1.30pm
2pm-4pm
1pm-4pm

**Catholic** 

No Church Services until further notice.

<u>Uniting Church</u> (UC)

No Church Services until further notice.

For prayer requests and more information please ring or text

Dianne on 0428 273 213

or Pastor Errol Meaney on 0433 162 764.

#### **Newsletter to be Suspended**

With our volunteer's safety in mind during the Corona virus situation the Port Wakefield Community Newsletter will not be published until further notice.

We apologise for any inconvenience but are sure you will understand that our typists, printing volunteers and delivery people as well as our library volunteers, cleaners and committee people need to be considered.

#### **Community Library Closed**

The community library will also be closed until further notice as will Community Computing tutoring sessions.

To all our readers, abide by the Health Department and Government guidelines and rules and keep yourselves and those around you safe and well.



#### Thought for the day

When I was a boy of fourteen, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be twenty-one, I was astonished by how much he had learned in seven years- Mark Twain

#### --Please Note:--

Next Issue: To Be Advised Info Phone: 0409 286 177



#### **Port Clinton Bingo**

Please be advised that Bingo at Port Clinton has been cancelled until further notice. Apologies for the inconvenience. All stay safe and well in the meantime.



# Port Wakefield Community Newsletter Inc. Special Meeting Wednesday 8th April 2020 at 7pm CANCELLED until further notice



**Port Wakefield** 

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Community Bus  Dates for Community Bus to  Balaklava:  April 1	
CANCELLED until further notice	
Info Phone Helen 0407 671 141 Or Terry 88671 073	

Kids Puzzle. Word Play Complete the chain of words by changing just one letter at a time:

Example: CAT, COT, DOT, DOG.

Can you find the missing words?
WARM,\_\_\_\_WORD,\_\_\_\_\_,WOOL.\_\_\_\_COOL

Look at the clues and see if you can make new words by changing just one letter in each of these words:

- 1. Change RIVER into a jockey
- 2. Change SHORT into something to play
- 3. Change RUMBLE into a fall.

Put a different letter in front of ONE each time to make words with the following meanings:

- 1. A dog might like one
- 2. Finished
- 3. Not there anymore

Can you rearrange the jumbled letters into an 11-letter word for an insect?
GOPHER SPARS

**Answers on Business Advert page** 

#### **PANCAKE DAY THANKS**

Port Wakefield Uniting Church once again celebrated Shrove Tuesday by cooking pancakes on February 25<sup>th</sup>. We are grateful to the Port Wakefield Primary School students and staff who each year support this fundraiser and delight in tasting our delicious wares. A lovely group of ladies came around for morning tea and a chat and many of the businesses of Port Wakefield ordered pancakes which were delivered for morning tea. \$379.05 was raised on the day for UnitingCare organizations to help them provide practical support to South Australians in need – those without a home, people living with disabilities, vulnerable children and adults, older people and families in crisis.



Esme Henrys, Beth Tugwell, Margaret Hean and Julie Robertson



Cooking Team - Lloyd Mudge, Diane Mudge, Graham Correll, Pat Wandel and Naomi Mudge



Lee Olsen, Diana Summers and Valerie Veitch (Balaklava)

#### PORT WAKEFIELD UNITING CHURCH NEWS

In accordance with current government restrictions brought on by the Coronavirus pandemic, there will be no gatherings at the Church until further notice. This includes Worship Services, Sunday School, Youth Group and Food Barn.

A Prayer and Well Being network will be set up this week to help us keep in contact until Church activities resume. If you would like to be included, please ring or text Dianne on 0428 273 213, Pastor Errol Meaney on 0433 162 764 or any member of the congregation you may know.

As a service to the families of Port Wakefield, the **Op Shop** will remain open on Saturdays 9.30am – 11.30am, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month 2pm – 4pm and whenever the sign is out for as long as we are able. For health reasons, we will limit entry to 1 customer/family at a time. We ask for your understanding in this decision.

At this time of uncertainty, be assured we continue to pray for our community, country and world and we suggest reading Psalm 121 and Lamentations 3:18-25 in your Bible or online for hope and encouragement.

#### **Humour:**

If anyone gets a message from me about canned meat, don't open it. It's Spam!
I see there's a nudist convention in town next weekend. I might go. I have nothing on!
Yesterday I accidentally passed my wife a glue stick instead of her lipstick. She's still not talking to me!
Did you hear about the new restaurant called Karma? There's no menu, you get what you deserve!

#### St Patrick Day Shenanigans

Avon Art & Craft Guild held a High Tea on March 17 to celebrated St Patrick Day.

The day was well attended by invitees and having fun and a laugh was the order of the day. Jokes and stories of Ireland under the guidance of Sue Mudge created opportunities for chances to have a roll of the chocolate wheel. Green was the colour of the day and winner was Lyn Wilson by wearing green. Lucky door prize a little Leprechaun was presented by Nita Noble to Natascha Henstridge. Suzanne McCreight gave and impromptu sample of the Irish language which was delightful appreciated. A sumptuous morning tea was and enjoyed by

all. A great day.



Lyn Wilson & Nita Noble



Maureen Underwood & Jan Higgs



Nat Henstridge & Sue Mudge

# Happy Birthday Mum



WOW!! You are 81!!
On the 29<sup>th</sup> of March
Enjoy the day Mum
Love from Pat
xoxoxo





#### **South Australia Quiz Questions**

- 1. Where was South Australia's first post office located?
- 2. Where was the site of the first oil well in Australia?
- 3. According to Willian Light, what was to be the minimum width required for an Adelaide Road?
- 4. What was the happy reputation which Crystal Brook enjoyed in the 1800's?
- 5. Where in South Australia would one expect to find a colony of chinchilla rabbits?
- 6. Which South Australian product was worn by the first American astronauts on the moon?

Answers on crossword page

## A Message from Mayor Rodney Reid Wakefield Regional Council

Dear Wakefield residents

When faced with challenges in the past we have pulled together, lending support to those doing it tough and showing that our community is our greatest asset.

The current situation with the COVID-19 virus is an emerging situation that will require a progressive and considered response from Government, Council and the community.

Three things we can do right now are:

- Make sure we are getting information from the right sources:
  - SA Health's Communicable Disease Control Branch provides regular updates on COVID-19 in South Australia. Visit <a href="https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au">www.sahealth.sa.gov.au</a>
  - The Australian Government Department of Health website is the primary source of advice on COVID-19 in Australia. Visit <a href="https://www.health.gov.au">www.health.gov.au</a>
- Make sure we are following the directions on hygiene and health:
  - SA Health's Wash, Wipe, Cover resources can be found at <a href="www.sahealth.sa.gov.au">www.sahealth.sa.gov.au</a>
- Most importantly, look out for each other as we have done before. Take some time to check in on any elderly or vulnerable relatives and friends to make sure they're doing OK.

Please also support local small businesses that may be doing it tough and, as much as possible, spend in the region.

I want to assure you that Council has plans to continue delivering essential services to you through these challenging times.

At some point in time, when we are through this difficult period, we should be able to look back with pride at how we've responded and supported each other.

Let's use this event to show Wakefield is a caring community.

Regards

Rodney Reid Mayor

#### What is Council doing?

Council has a responsibility to support and protect our community and staff. We would like to assure you we are working to review our business continuity plans to ensure the continuation of core council services to the community in the event that the Wakefield area is impacted by COVID-19, and as with other Councils, we are following the expert advice. The Local Government Association (LGA) has set up a small working group involving councils; SA Health and the LGA Workers Compensation Scheme to determine a coordinated and collaborative approach should the situation with COVID-19 continue to escalate.

Some of the practical measures that we have implemented:

- Public toilet facilities are to be cleaned daily depending on availability of our cleaning contractors and our own staff.
- Council public forums will be cancelled or deferred with other means of communication with our community employed.
- The community bus service will continue to be monitored with regular communication with drivers and passengers. Cleaning and increased sanitisation practices have been put in place.
- Information regarding hand cleaning and symptoms associated with Coronavirus will be provided to staff and the community.

#### Departing message

- · Be alert but not alarmed
- · If you are feeling unwell stay home and contact your doctor
- · Wash your hands regularly
- Use social distancing
- · Look after each other

If you require any further information or a hard copy of resources, please contact the Council office on 8862 0800 or <a href="mailto:admin@wrc.sa.gov.au">admin@wrc.sa.gov.au</a>.

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#### **Birthdays**

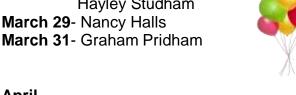
March

Birthstone: Bloodstone, meaning "courage"

Flower: Jonquil

March 28- Corey Milton

Hayley Studham



**April** 

Birthstone: Diamond, meaning "innocence"

Flower: Sweet Pea

April 1- Sheeba Milton **April 2-** Stephannie Adey Shane McGuiness Matthew Pain

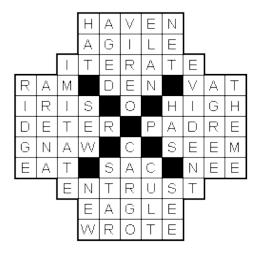
April 4- Dylan Ashby

**Bradley Carslake** 

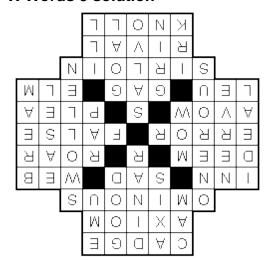
**April 5**- Madge Simpson

Darcy Stopp

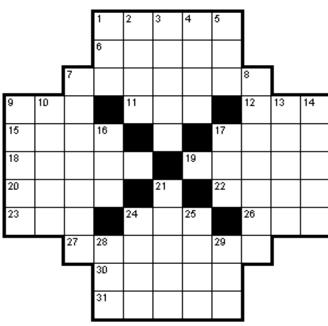
#### X-Words 4 solution



#### X-Words 5 solution



#### X-Words 5



#### Across

- 1. Scrounge (5)
- 6. Maxim (5)
- 7. Inauspicious (7)
- 9. Lodge (3)
- 11. Unhappy (3)
- 12. Entanglement
- 15. Consider (4)
- 17. Bellow (4)
- 18. Mistake (5)
- 19. Untrue (5)
- 20. Affirm (4)
- 22. Supplication (4)
- 23. Romanian unit
- of currency (3)
- 24. Joke (3)
- 26. Tree (3)
- 27. Cut of meat (7)
- 30. Competitor (5)
- 31. Hillock (5)

#### Down

- 1. Rotating disk (3)
- 2. Bloc (4)
- 3. Currency of
- Tunisia (5)
- 4. Beneficial (4)
- 5. Flightless bird
- 7. Burdensome (7)
- 8. Distended (7)
- 9. Paragon (5)
- 10. Mettle (5)
- 13. Tripod (5)
- 14. Type of fish (5)
- 16. Hayloft (3)
- 17. Strike sharply
- (3)
- 21. Fusillade (5)
- 24. Smile (4)
- 25. Target (4)
- 28. Vex (3)
- 29. Unwell (3)

#### **South Australia Quiz answers**

- 1. Kangaroo Island
- 2. Salt Creek
- 3. The length of a cricket pitch; 20 metres or 22 yards.
- 4. It was reported that the place was so healthy, the undertaker sold the hearse to the butcher to be used as a delivery van.
- **5.** Spilsby Island, one of the most popular in the Sir Joseph Banks group in Spencer Gulf. The rabbits were introduced there in the 1920's in an ill-fated commercial venture.
- 6. Sunglasses developed by the company Sola Optical Proprietary Limited

#### **Answers Kids Puzzle**

Word chain: WARM, WORM, WORD, WOOD, WOOL, COOL.

- 1. RIVER-RIDER
- 2. SHORT-SPORT
- 3. RUMBLE-TUMBLE
- 1. BONE
- 2. DONE
- 3. GONE

Jumbled word: GRASSHOPPER

#### THANK YOU.

I wish to thank my hubby (Adrian) for organising a lunch for my 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday. I also wish to thank all my family and friends for helping me celebrate my birthday at the Rising Sun Hotel.

I also like to thank Dillon and his staff at the hotel for a lovely lunch

Heather.



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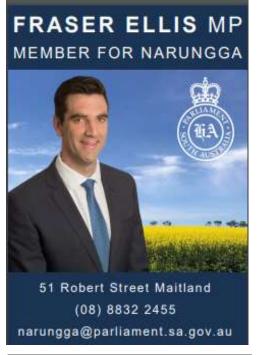
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