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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday

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

Tuesday

Clementina Corner 10:00am-1:00pm
Men's Shed 10:00am-1:00pm
Dr Nyoni 10.15am-1pm
SA Ambulance Training 7.30p 8m-9.30pm
Library 10am-1pm

Wednesday

Community Bus (pension week) 9.30am

Thursday

Transfer Station Open 10am-11am

Saturday

UC Op-Shop 9.30-11.30am
Transfer Station Open 10am-12pm
Library 10:30am-12pm

Sunday

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

Transfer Station Open 9am-10am

Catholic

Mass 9am

Uniting Church (UC)

Service 10.00am

Bin Days

Green Bin- March 28th
Yellow Bin- April 4th

Hop on over to Port Wakefield
for The Community Events

EASTER

scavenger hunt
And craft day

Good Friday

March 29th 2024 10am to 2pm
\$10.00 per child

Crafts 10-2pm at hall
Scavagnger hunt 12-2pm

Sausage sizzle and Drinks Available
Port Wakefield Town Hall

Thought for the day

I am where I am because I believe in all possibilities.
-Whoopi Goldberg

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

Our next issue is out on Wednesday April 10th, 2024.

News Items to be submitted by email to p.w.news@hotmail.com or to the Newsletter box in the Post Office by **9am on Tuesday April 9th.**
Info Phone: Jill 0448 709 800

**PORT WAKEFIELD
EVENTS COMMITTEE**

**Easter
Raffle**

\$1.00 EACH

**DRAWN 2PM,
FRIDAY 29TH MARCH**

TOWN HALL
41 EDWARDS STREET PORT WAKEFIELD

Pw.commevents@gmail.com

Proceeds go to our end of year street party



CMC News

- Interested in running a stall at our Mother's Day market on May 12th? Please contact Aliessa on 0413 888 096 or at pw.commevents@gmail.com
- Does anyone have any photos of the swimming pool being dredged? If so, please send them to us at pwcmc@portwakefield.sa.au, PO Box 573 Port Wakefield SA 5550, or SMS to 0456 000 615.
- The next CMC meeting will be held at the SM Hall on Tuesday April 9th at 6:30pm. All welcome to attend!

Port Wakefield CFS Annual General Meeting

July 29th, 2024
All positions open.

Jill's sewing

clothes mending and alterations

Phone 0448709800
For all your sewing needs.

Yoga in the hall

Enjoy a free gentle yoga class for beginners

Come and join us for a free yoga session in the Snowtown Memorial Hall, Thursday April 4, 6pm

Bring a yoga mat or a towel

Don't forget your waterbottle!

WAKEFIELD

HUMMOCKS NETBALL CLUB

2024 JUNIOR NETBALL INFORMATION



TRAINING

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT PORT WAKEFIELD COURTS
5.15PM – 6.15PM

All junior grades:
start Wednesday March 27th

NET SET (for those turning 5 and above):
10 week program in Term 2

HOME GROUNDS

We have two home grounds – Port Wakefield and Lochiel. The first four home games are at Port Wakefield and the last four home games are at Lochiel.

SATURDAY GAME TIMES*

17 & U – 11am	13 & U A – 11am
15 & U – 10am	13 & U B – 9am
11 & U – 10am	9 & U – 9am

*TIMES TO BE CONFIRMED

SUBS All junior netball grades – \$100

NOTE: Sports vouchers can be used. If using a voucher, do not complete voucher in PlayHQ. Please email secretary at hncsecretary@hotmail.com, upon registering.



NEW FAMILIES WELCOME!

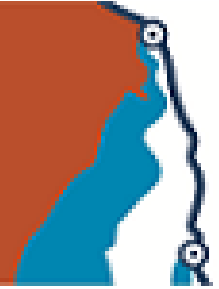
More Information: ☎ 0408 859 451 – Claire Catford
☎ 0408 834 145 – Sarah Young (president)

Garage Sale

Easter Weekend daily 8am- 4pm.
Walters Street. Look for the signs!

PW2PA

ALLIANCE



To safely facilitate asphalt maintenance works in the Port Wakefield township, southbound and northbound carriageways of Port Wakefield Highway will be temporarily closed between Liberty Service Station and Ketch Road each night from **Tuesday 2 April to Friday 12 April 2024**, weather permitting. **Working hours are 7pm to 7am, each night.**

Once work is completed on the southbound carriageway of Port Wakefield Highway, the work zone will shift to the northbound carriageway.

Additionally, Balaklava Road will be closed at the intersection of Port Wakefield Highway. Traffic will be detoured via Shrike Road and Kallora Road, south of Port Wakefield.

Signage will be in place to alert motorists to the changed traffic conditions, and traffic controllers will be on site between **7am and 7pm.**

Please observe speed limits, lane restrictions and traffic controllers when travelling through the area.

We appreciate your co-operation and patience while these important works are undertaken.

If you have any questions or would like to speak to a member of the project team, please call 1300 161 407 or email enquiries@pw2pa.com.au

HUMMOCKS WATCHMAN EAGLES

2024 JUNIOR FOOTBALL INFORMATION



TRAINING

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS AT PORT WAKEFIELD OVAL, 5PM – 6PM

U/17 Senior Colts – already underway

U/14 Junior Colts, } start Wednesday
U/11 Mini's & } March 27th
U/8 Mini Mini's }

Auskick (turning 5 and above) } 10 week program in Term 2

HOME GROUNDS

We have two home grounds – Port Wakefield and Lochiel. The first four home games are at Port Wakefield and the last four home games are at Lochiel.

SATURDAY GAME TIMES

Senior Colts – 11.25am
Junior Colts – 10.20am
Minis & Mini Minis – 9am

SUBS Senior Colts/Junior Colts – \$50 (+SANFL fee)
Minis/Mini Minis – \$25 (+ SANFL fee) Auskick – \$100

NOTE: Sports vouchers can be used. Please redeem during registration (at the checkout). If using a voucher, a \$15 SANFL levy will still apply.



BOYS AND GIRLS WELCOME

More Information: ☎ 0429 642 253 – Dillon Catford
☎ 0407 795 920 – Anthony Williams (president)



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SERVICES

HOME AND GARDEN MAINTENANCE

0459 363 186

GARDEN & OUTDOOR SERVICES MAINTENANCE SERVICES

- *Lawns & Edges
- *Flyscren Replacement
- *Weeding & Pruning
- *Tap Washers Replaced
- *Rubbish Removal
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FREE QUOTES

PENSIONER RATES APPLY

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Yesterday's News



The Area's Express April 6th, 1917



The Mice Plague at Port Wakefield.
TOTAL DEATHRATE 2,000,780.

The mice plague has now assumed most serious proportions, the total death-toll amongst them is now 2,000,780, and still they come. They are field mice, not the common house mouse, and the late rains have caused them to forsake the fields and overrun the house in countless numbers. Last night was the worst ever known. Many of the residents sat up all night to protect property from the invading hosts, and in one house 400 were destroyed. Anything meant for human consumption has to be encased in iron to withstand their fury. Cats are helpless, in fact, are sick of them. They swarm up trees, destroy vegetables, pollute tanks with-their vile carcasses, destroy wearing apparel. Nothing escapes their destructive methods. A bag of wheat, unless protected, is reduced to bran in no time. Unprotected wheat stacks present awful appearances, and when attempts are made to destroy the rodents they leap over the wharf and swim for it, heedless of battalions of small sharks waiting for them. When darkness comes they swarm up the piles and destroy the stacks.

In the hills, where a late harvest is in progress, they are under every stock of hay in thousands, and although large brown snakes follow up each load, protected by the farmer as mice-extermiators, still they find their way into hay stacks, barns and anything that will shelter them, even fowl-roosts have been upset through these pests inspecting the birds for any stray food about them. Poison in all its forms and traps of every possible description are in use night and day, but without the slightest effect, as for every mouse killed two replace it.

trove.nla.gov.au/newspaper/article/218934167

Quiz questions

- 1-The Southern Cross appears on the flag of five countries: Australia, New Zealand, Samoa, Papua New Guinea, and who?
- 2-What is a baby rabbit called?
- 3-What is the largest US state by area?
- 4-According to the Bible, how much was Judas paid to betray Jesus?
- 5-Easter Island is part of the territory of which South American country?

Sudoku 16

7	2			5			
	9	1					
	3		2	1			4
	5	8					
			4	2			
					2	6	
6			3	9		8	
					7	4	
			8			1	9


SudokuoftheDay.com



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

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

Members of your local CFS have been training hard recently to learn new skills like road crash rescue and wearing the breathing apparatus necessary to enter burning buildings.



Darwin Balbastro at the CFS training centre in Jamestown

Easter Service & Breakfast

The Port Wakefield Uniting Church invite the community to join them for a brief Easter Service featuring a short talk from Ashton and Jody Chambers, the local Pastoral Care Workers at PWPS

FOLLOWED BY FREE EASTER BREAKFAST 

For those who don't like early starts, you are more than welcome to join us just for Breakfast

Featuring Bacon and Eggs (Yum!)

Where: Port Wakefield Soldiers Memorial Hall, by the Pool

When: Easter Sunday, 31st March '24

Start time: Service 7:30am with Breakfast approx. 8am



Catholic Easter Services

Good Friday 10:00am

Easter Sunday 9:00am



Community Bus

Dates for Community Bus to

Balaklava-
 March 27th
 April 10th



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

Contact Helen on 0407 671 141 to book your seat

JOEL WILSON PLUMBING & GAS 0458 103 833

I'M A PLUMBER FOR CRYIN' OUT LOUD! I HAVE
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Birthdays

March



Birthstone- Bloodstone
Flower- Jonquil

March 28- Haylee Studham

April

Birthstone- Diamond
Flower- Sweet Pea

April 1- Sheeba Milton

April 2- Stephannie Adey
Shane McGuinness
Matthew Pain

April 4- Bradley Carslake
Dylan Ashby

April 5- Madge Simpson
Darcy Stopp

April 9- Harvey Cresswell

April 10- Tammy Frank



Monday 9:30am – 1:00pm

Tuesday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Wednesday 9:30 – 1:00pm

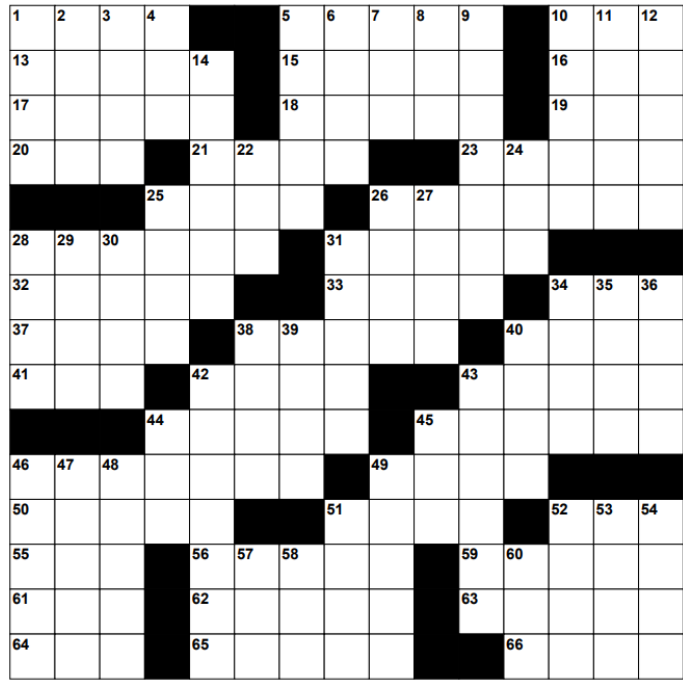
Thursday Closed

Friday 9:30am – 4:30pm

Saturday 9:30 – 12:00pm

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Yard Work



ACROSS

- 1 Bustle
- 5 Loop
- 10 Central Standard Time
- 13 Scots' neighbors
- 15 'love' (Italian)
- 16 Long handled tool used to loosen soil
- 17 White picket
- 18 Three masted Mediterranean boat
- 19 Lodge
- 20 Challenger
- 21 Presence
- 23 Solid row of bushes
- 25 Famous cookies
- 26 Worst
- 28 Environment
- 31 Plank
- 32 Rectify
- 33 Male aristocrat
- 34 Pack
- 37 Quarrel
- 38 Tree knot
- 40 Cabbage cousin
- 41 Cooking measurement
- 42 Glorify
- 43 Employer
- 44 Legend
- 45 Hunting bird
- 46 Underwater breather
- 49 Planted grass area
- 50 African nation
- 51 Food
- 52 Flightless bird
- 55 Cutting tool
- 56 Ornaments
- 59 Painter Richard
- 61 Aye
- 62 Ridge
- 63 Way
- 64 South southeast
- 65 Older
- 66 Expired

DOWN

- 1 Upset
- 2 Dunking cookies
- 3 Plant that climbs
- 4 Escudo
- 5 Takes it easy
- 6 Prayer ending
- 7 Bawl
- 8 Take to court
- 9 Group of fruit trees
- 10 Scold
- 11 Musical pieces
- 12 Belief
- 14 Finished edge of skirt
- 22 Promissory note
- 24 Abort
- 25 Am not
- 26 Anchor
- 27 Duke
- 28 Spar
- 29 Pixies
- 30 Caper
- 31 Sabre
- 34 Artist Chagall
- 35 Margarine
- 36 Capital of Switzerland
- 38 Passageway or entrance
- 39 Invalidated
- 40 Oven
- 42 Amiable
- 43 Large rope
- 44 Attempt
- 45 Fleishy
- 46 Murders
- 47 Vetoes
- 48 Overly fat
- 49 Cutting beam
- 51 Trim around walkways
- 52 Decorative needle case
- 53 Allot (with "out")
- 54 Secondhand
- 57 Snake like fish
- 58 Put together
- 60 Piece of grassy turf

Migratory Birds Solution



Sudoku 15 Solution

4	7	5	8	1	6	3	9	2
2	1	9	4	5	3	6	7	8
8	6	3	2	7	9	4	1	5
5	2	8	3	9	1	7	6	4
3	9	7	6	8	4	2	5	1
6	4	1	5	2	7	8	3	9
1	3	4	9	6	2	5	8	7
9	8	6	7	4	5	1	2	3
7	5	2	1	3	8	9	4	6

Quiz Answers

- 1-Brazil 2- A kit
- 3- Alaska 4- 30 pieces of silver
- 5- Chile

MID NORTH

Pest and Weed Control

ALL PEST PROBLEMS GENERAL & RURAL WEEDS

- Termites
- Spiders
- Bees, Wasps
- Rats & Mice
- Flies, Fleas
- Millipedes
- Earwigs
- Salvation Jane
- Artichokes
- Calthrop
- Horehound
- Cape Tulip



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