

Drysdale Bypass

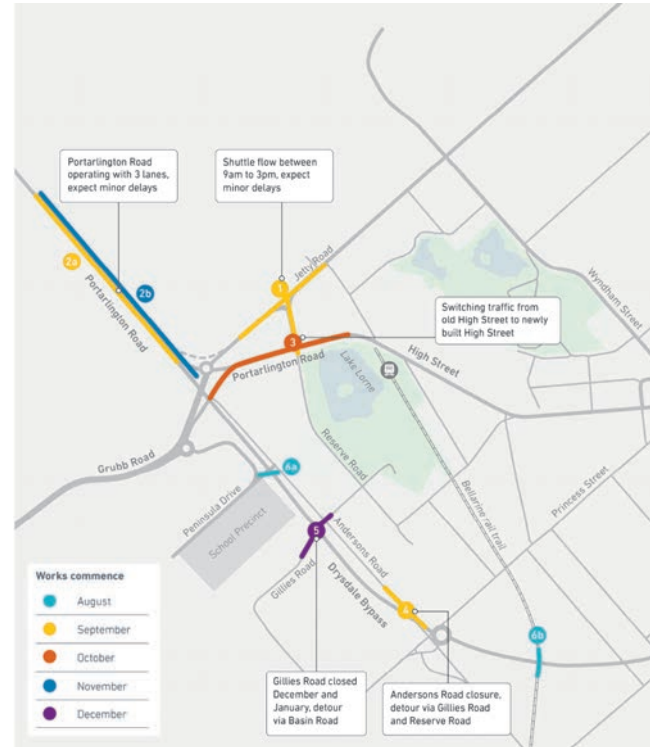
The Drysdale Bypass is progressing and over the last 9 months much of the work has been able to be done with little impact to the flow of traffic but over the next few months traffic conditions will change a number of times. I encourage you to stay up to date with the works and please allow a little more time for your travel. Major Roads Projects Victoria Drysdale Bypass Project Team are committed to keeping you informed email contact@roadprojects.vic.gov.au or call 1800 105 105.

During October to December Portarlinton Road between the Portarlinton Road, Grubb Road, Jetty Road roundabout and Leura Park will be reduced to 3 lanes to enable the connection of Portarlinton Road and Grubb Road into the Bypass to be built. During this time, the High Street traffic will be switched to the newly built lanes near Reserve Road to enable works to begin on the other side of High Street.

City of Greater Geelong is also going through a process to rename roads and infrastructure impacted by the Bypass. The City of Greater Geelong are in dialogue with people who live on these roads and streets but I believe a number of these decisions are of interest to our whole community. Submissions are being accepted by City of Greater Geelong until 7 October.

As the largest piece of infrastructure that has been built in our area for many years, this will bring a great deal of change. We must keep thinking and talking about how it will affect each of us and what we can plan to enable us to appreciate the opportunities that it will present.

Anne Brackley



Above the new Princess Street roundabout looking down Andersons Road

Community CALENDAR

SpringDale Community Calendar is a SpringDale Neighbourhood Centre initiative to support the whole community.
If you wish to place your event in the calendar and further issues of The SpringDale Messenger please email, write or call the event details to our office.

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SpringDale Neighbourhood Centre Opening Hours Monday to Friday 9am - 5pm and by appointment.

OCTOBER

Tuesday	1	Friendly Cuppa and Chat group 10.30 - 11.30am at SpringDale
Wednesday	2	Let's talk Death and Dying 10.00 - 11.30am at SpringDale
Thursday	3	Jigsaw Group 10 - 12noon at SpringDale
Thursday	3	Felting Group 10am - 3pm at SpringDale
Friday	4	Friendly Ageing on the Bellarine Expo 10-3pm at Christian College Drysdale
Saturday	5	Harvest Basket Produce Swap 9-10.30am at SpringDale
Saturday	5	Free replacement anti-theft number plate screws at SpringDale car park
Sat-Fri	5-11	Mental Health Week Victoria
Sunday	6	Daylight Saving begins 2am EST a good time to check your smoke detector
Sunday	6	Sherlock Holmes and a Woman's Wit - The Potato Shed - 2pm
Wednesday	9	Days for Girls Sewing Group 9am - 3pm at SpringDale
Friday	11	My Brilliant Divorce - The Potato Shed 8pm
Saturday	12	My Brilliant Divorce - The Potato Shed 2pm
Sunday	13	Geelong Harmony Chorus - Sing into Spring - The Potato Shed 2pm
Sunday	13	Sustainable House Day
Monday	14	Kinship Carers 10.00am-1.00pm
Monday	14	Dining Group at the Clifton Springs Golf Club at 6.30pm
Wednesday	16	Lunch Bunch at the Leopold Sportsman Club 12pm
Wednesday	16	Ride2Work Day
Friday	25	Johnny O'Keefe - Roy Orbison legends of Rock & Roll - The Potato Shed 8pm
Saturday	26	Plants & Homemade Fair at the Portarlington Uniting Church Hall 9am - 12noon
Sunday	27	From Broadway to Ballroom - The Potato Shed 2pm

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is 1 November as well
as the deadline for the
November issue
being 1 October

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Coordinator's News



Anne Brackley

Dear Friends and Friends I am yet to meet

Every month there is so much to bring to your attention, usually with such a positive story of a new service or activity but this time I have to inform you of something we are closing. It is with a very heavy heart that I inform you that our SpringDale Occasional Care has closed after almost 30 years of service to our community.

I understand SpringDale Occasional Care was one of the first child care services on the Bellarine and we served thousands of families during our years of operation. Many people have been in touch over the last few weeks, sharing such heart-warming stories of times at Occasional Care.

Thank you to all our families who supported us over the years. Thank you to all our staff who supported us. There were a number of contributing factors to the decision being made to close the service and we sincerely

apologize for any inconvenience that this has caused.

Over the last few months I have spent more time in Occasional Care than I had for the previous 16 years. I will sincerely miss all the children and families, staff both paid and unpaid. Hopefully we will be able to meet other needs that you may have.

We are hoping to continue to provide toy library and perhaps playgroup activities in the space, if our families are interested in these services. Looking forward to meet with and discuss opportunities with interested people. It is sad when something ends especially when our community has valued it so greatly over the years. Once again thank you to everyone who has helped along the way.

Sincerely

Anne Brackley

Coordinator SpringDale Neighbourhood Centre

News @ SpringDale

Save the Date

Friday 22 November
SpringDale AGM &
30 year celebration



Please call into SpringDale for a copy of the term 4 Course Guide or download from our website. We are always seeking new ideas and new tutors.



GEELONG & SURROUNDS

Sustainable House Day.
13 Oct

Get inspirational ideas & practical advice from homeowners & technical experts.

ENTRY FEE: \$2 per house for adults, children free

Collect postcards with house addresses from Council customer service centres and Neighbourhood Houses.



for event updates follow /SHDgeelong on Facebook

REGISTER FOR MORE INFORMATION AT: www.geelongsustainability.org.au/shd2019/



The SpringDale Lunch Bunch are going to Leopold Sportsman Club Wednesday 16th October 12 noon. Please ring Margaret on 0418 370 857 to reserve your seat.



SpringDale Dining Club is going to the Clifton Springs Golf Club Monday 14th October at 6.30pm. Please ring SpringDale on 5253 1960 to reserve your spot.

Free entry!



Opening by Libby Coker, MP



at 11am

Sponsored by Bellarine Aged Care Association. (BACA), Inc.

DISCOVER AWESOME RESOURCES FOR AGEING WELL ON THE BELLARINE PENINSULA



10am to 3pm Friday 4th Oct, 2019
Christian College 40 Collins St, Drysdale

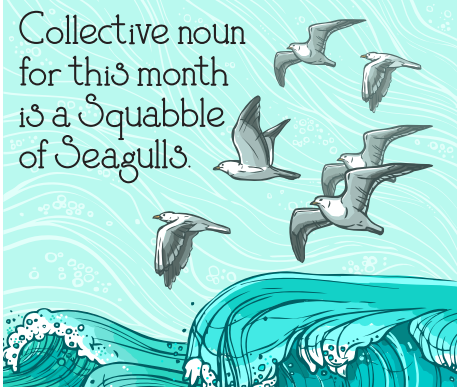
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After 50 plus years at the Eversley Street site Drysdale Preschool is moving to the new building on Palmerston Street. We are hoping to spread the word amongst the community that we are moving and not closing down, as this has been the rumour over the last few years.



Drysdale PRESCHOOL

Dani MacDonald
Kindergarten Leader
P: 5253 1663



Collective noun for this month is a Squabble of Seagulls.





Smoke Alarm Awareness Campaign

In mid-August, as Minister for Police and Emergency Services, I launched an important state wide advertising campaign promoting the installation of smoke alarms in all bedrooms. The launch featured people sleeping peacefully in bed while silent and deadly smoke fills the room.

Through the campaign Victorians are being urged to give themselves and their families the best chance of surviving a house fire by ensuring working smoke alarms are installed in all bedrooms.

The new safety warning from fire agencies recognises the potentially deadly consequence of silence as a fire spreads while people sleep. CFA data collected over the past 10 years shows that bedroom fires were the most likely to cause death or serious injury, with our sense of smell and ability to detect smoke reduced as we sleep.

It marks a significant change to previous guidance that smoke alarms were only

necessary outside bedrooms and in hallways. For fires that resulted in a death or serious injury, 25 per cent started in sleeping areas (22 deaths and 117 serious injuries), followed by lounge rooms (20 per cent) and kitchens (16 per cent). So I urge readers to take heed of this campaign and have smoke alarms installed in all bedrooms.

Community Safety Grants Open

Applications for the State Government Community Safety Fund are now open. Community groups and local councils are invited to apply for grants of up to \$25,000 to support local crime prevention initiatives.

As part of an expanded education and awareness focus this year, initiatives which support communities to better understand the justice system in Victoria are also eligible for funding.

Any groups considering applying for a grant are encouraged to contact the Department of Justice and Community Safety to discuss their ideas by emailing csfgrants@justice.vic.gov.au

For more information about the grants, including the grant guidelines, examples of previously funded projects and a link to the online application form visit www.crimeprevention.vic.gov.au/safetygrants Applications close 4.00pm on Friday 18 October 2019. Late applications cannot be submitted. The grants are part of the Victorian Government's Community Crime Prevention Program.

So as always, please don't hesitate to contact me by email or call my office if there are any matters that I may be able to assist you with directly.

Hon Lisa Neville MP - Member for Bellarine
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DRYSDALE BYPASS

MAJOR ROAD PROJECTS VICTORIA

Major Road Projects Victoria is aware that some members of the community have advocated for an access road from Portarlington Road to Jetty Road in Drysdale. This proposal was thoroughly investigated. Engineers found the proposed access road would reduce travel times slightly, however this option was not pursued because it would reduce safety for cyclists and pedestrians. The City of Greater Geelong is currently building Tivoli Drive, which will perform a similar function as the access road from Portarlington Road to Jetty Road. The \$117 million Drysdale Bypass is due to be completed in mid-2020.
Major Road Projects Victoria

60 Years of Scouting in Drysdale

1st DRYSDALE SCOUTS



This year 1st Drysdale Scout group celebrates its 60th year of providing the youth of Drysdale and surrounding areas with practical, social and leadership skills which they can carry through into their adult life.

1st Drysdale along with the merged Clifton Springs group, Bellarine and Geelong Peninsula Venture units over the past 60 years have hosted hundreds if not thousands of boys and girls, leaders, and entire families which in many cases have formed friendships which have lasted a lifetime.

To celebrate this milestone, we are planning a weekend of activities and displays on the 9th and 10th of November. We are planning to have a social function on Saturday the 9th, the venue to be advised. On Sunday, the 10th we will have an open day at the hall from 1-4pm. We are asking past members to assist us by where possible, supplying photos, videos or other memorabilia for display.

If photos can be scanned and emailed to "1stdrysdal scoutsgroup@gmail.com" or via our face book page or they can be sent to PO Box 180 Drysdale 3222 and we will scan them ready for digital display. When scanning or sending photos where possible include the names of those in the photo, the date (year will do) and the event where photo was taken. For larger items please contact Wayne Simpson on 0419 532 024.

We would like to receive all items by the 1st of November so they can be collated for display. Please ensure that supplying or loaning material for publication that they do not infringe on the privacy of persons shown in the materials.

You can follow our progress on our face book page or web site "1stdrysdal scoutsgroup.com" as we will be updating information and sharing some of the photos, we receive in the coming months.
1st Drysdale Group Committee.

Advertising

Lisa Neville MP
Member for Bellarine

"For assistance with any issue, please call my electorate office"

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"DELIVERING for the BELLARINE"

October is Seniors Month with special discounts for seniors offered on all shows!

Schools holidays start us off with the an old favourite **Rumpelstiltskin**. Fun for kids of all ages, 3triple2 4 kids apply their usual twist on a very traditional story.

Sherlock Holmes and a Woman's Wit takes you back to the days before television and brings radio magic back to life. The cast will dramatise two intriguing stories with cued sound effects and soap commercials and create the thrilling melodrama which is Lux Radio Show.

For morning showtime we bring you the **Al Jolson Story**. The life and songs of the consummate entertainer will be performed by the very popular **Issi Dye**. \$17.00 including morning tea, always great value.

Mandy Lodge (Shirley Valentine, Patsy Kline) returns to the Potato Shed with **My Brilliant Divorce**. A smash hit for Dawn French on the West End, the story follows a witty and warm account of Angela who is dumped by her husband for a younger model. We follow her while she fumbles her way through the dating scene rediscovering herself and hoping to find love. Witty, warm and funny, we are delighted to have Mandy back a the shed.

Geelong Harmony Chorus returns with their annual **Sing Into Spring** and **Issi Dye** is back with **Johnny O'Keefe - Roy Orbison in the Legends of Rock & Roll**. A cabaret show featuring the music of two of the greatest influences in Australian Rock & Roll music.

We finish seniors month with **From Broadway to Ballroom** starring seasoned opera performers **Liza Beamish and Lachlan Baker**. A tribute to Australia's favourite dance movie: Strictly Ballroom's Love is in the Air – this is a show not to be missed.



RUMPELSTILTSKIN
TUES 1st to FRI 4th OCTOBER
DAILY at 10.30am & 1.30pm
\$10.50 each or \$35 family (4)

Book for any of these productions ONLINE !!! All you need to do is visit our Website – www.geelongaustralia.com.au/potatoshed and select the show you wish then simply collect from the box office or go paperless and just use the tickets sent to your smart phone! We are here to help so any questions please give the box office a call - **Ph. 5251 1998 - Open 10am till 4pm Monday to Friday and 1 hour before any scheduled performance.**

Please follow us on www.Facebook.com/potatosheddrysdale or www.Instagram.com/potatosheddrysdale - For special requests, group bookings accessible seating and other special needs please just ask a customer service officer or call the Potato Shed.

WIN FAMILY PASS to any one of the 8 SHOWS



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DAILY at 10.30am & 1.30pm

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SUNDAY 6
OCTOBER
2PM

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BYO Nibbles
Full \$40 Conc \$38
Seniors \$35 **VIP \$35**

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GEELONG HARMONY CHORUS - SING INTO SPRING

SUNDAY 13
OCTOBER
2PM

Theatre Seating
Full \$25* Child \$15*
Conc \$20* Seniors \$18*
(*Plus transaction fee)

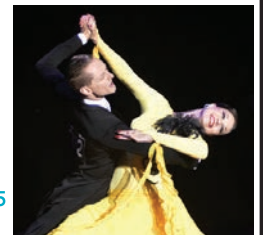


FROM BROADWAY TO BALLROOM

SUNDAY 27
OCTOBER
2PM

Cabaret Seating
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Full \$40 Conc \$38
Seniors \$35 **VIP \$35**

Theatre Seating
Full \$38 Conc \$34 Seniors \$30 **VIP \$30**



MY BRILLIANT DIVORCE

FRIDAY 11
OCTOBER
8PM
SATURDAY
12 OCTOBER
2PM

Theatre Seating
Full \$40 Conc \$38
Seniors \$35 **VIP \$35**



JOHNNY O'KEEFE - ROY ORBISON LEGENDS OF ROCK& ROLL

FRIDAY 25
OCTOBER
8PM Senior Special

Cabaret Seating
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It's our 20th birthday thanks to you.

We invite you to join us on Friday 1 November for our 20th birthday celebrations from 3pm - 7pm at Parks Hall, Portarlinton.

Come along and join us for Devonshire tea, Lions BBQ, music, animal nursery, family entertainment and guest speakers from Bendigo Bank.

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Time: 3pm - 7pm

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By Councillor Jim Mason

It's pleasing to see the weather is on the improve, since I last updated you on what's been keeping me busy at council.

Recently, Cr Stephanie Asher and I gave a briefing to the Bellarine Community Combined Associations in Drysdale, where among other things, members were keen to discuss rural and peri-urban issues.

As part of my role in the Rural and Peri-Urban Advisory Committee, I can assure all those interested that we have been working hard on the matters affecting our rural and peri-urban residents.

We've been looking at City-managed rural roads and vegetation and pest plants and animals, and are implementing some useful programs.

Some of these programs involve coordinated work on adjoining private land, to maximise effectiveness and success.

Members at the gathering told us they're also interested in the Bellarine trialling a fourth bin for paper and cardboard.

Given Victoria is in the grip of a recycling crisis, the City has been investigating recycling options for some time now.

At the moment, recyclables in the household yellow bin are unfortunately going to landfill.

While the City lobbies the state government for further action and continues looking at

all options, Bellarine locals are encouraged to bring their sorted paper and cardboard, and aluminium and steel cans to the Drysdale Resource Recovery Centre for recycling.

Meanwhile as chair of the Arts, Culture and Heritage portfolio, I'm proud to say there's always something for everyone at the Potato Shed in Drysdale.

I've been to a number of enjoyable productions there recently, including Neil Diamond and Bobby Darin - Legends of Vegas, Paris Underground and Swansong.

Despite being happily married and not needing any advice in that department, I'm looking forward to seeing My Brilliant Divorce in October.

There's also a Johnny O'Keefe and Roy Orbison act, a Rumpelstiltskin performance and the Geelong Harmony Chorus coming up.

And while I'm at it, the Potato Shed and Portarlinton Neighbourhood House are hosting the North Bellarine Film Festival 2019 from November 15-17.

I attended the launch and can attest to an exciting program, including five exclusive feature films.

Head to www.geelongaustralia.com.au/potatoshed for more information.



The free FAB EXPO will be held on Friday 4th October 10am - 3pm

Libby Coker MP member for Corangamite will open the event at 11am.

Christian College, 40 Collins St, Drysdale

If you are you retired, nearing retirement, new to the Bellarine, have ageing parents or friends or are just interested in what is available in the Bellarine for seniors, this is a must for you. Some 60 commercial and not for profit exhibitors will showcase some of the many and diverse services and community supports and groups on the Bellarine. Come along and chat to the exhibitors about community groups and social, hobby, walking, exercise and environmental groups, available health care services and home supports, the diverse residential aged care and end -of -life care options, home and medical equipment providers and legal, financial and funeral service professionals and more.

The expo has been organised by the Bellarine Aged Care Association (BACA) which has been working since 2014 as a volunteer advocacy and support group for the ageing and frail in our community. BACA is keenly involved in the development of a coalition of community organizations/ groups and local governments to focus on the needs of our ageing community.

For more info please email bacaexpo@mail.com

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Bellarine MBC Support Group

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**Meetings 10am,
third Monday each month.**

Please contact us on
Judy Margolis - 0427 052 815
Jenny Cook - 0408139552
bellarinembc@emailus.com.au
PO Box 78 Portarlington 3223



The Bellarine Metastatic Breast Cancer (MBC) Support Group is very proud to announce its recent registration as a Cancer Support Group with Cancer Council Victoria (CCV). The registration process involves a number of steps, including group leader training that two of our group members have completed. Cancer Council Victoria registration gives the group access to CCV support and resources, as well as being included on the CCV data base so enquiries can be directed to us.

The Bellarine Metastatic (MBC) Support Group is now registered with both Cancer Council Vic. and Breast Cancer Network Australia, and is part of the Greater Geelong Network of Cancer Support services. The group offers support, information and resources for people whose breast cancer has spread to another part of the body, for example bone, liver, lung or brain. This is termed Metastatic / Advanced / Stage 4 Breast Cancer.

We meet at SpringDale and members may also participate by email. New members are warmly welcomed - please email bellarinembc@emailus.com.au or phone Judy 0427052815 or Jenny 0408139552.

Look out for our new name and new flyer over coming months!

Tel. 0427 052 815
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Drysdale Ladies Probus Club Inc.



PROBUS (PRO professional and BUS business) was set up by Rotary as a social group for retired and semi-retired people to enjoy fellowship, outings, guest speakers and interest groups with like-minded retirees. It is not a fund-raising organisation but we do support many charities, particularly those that benefit children, through the quilting, knitting and crochet done by some of our Interest Groups who meet regularly and like to keep their fingers busy while they laugh, chat and keep up with the news.

Drysdale Ladies Probus Club is a group of around 100 ladies who meet at the Drysdale Football Ground at 10.00 am on the fourth Monday of each month (except December) to enjoy friendship, fellowship and fun.

At each meeting we are educated, amused, entertained and amazed by Guest Speakers who share their expertise, interest and knowledge on a wide variety of topics. Ladies have enjoyed many outings to various venues during the year and every effort is made to keep these outings to a reasonable cost so that all can participate if they wish to.

After each meeting, all ladies are invited to join the Merry Munchers group who go to lunch together at local venues. We try to get numbers organised the previous month so venues can be booked and ready for us on the day. Usually about 50 ladies enjoy lunch together.

We also have Interest Groups who meet during the month at various venues and times. These include the four Craft Groups, the Walking Group, the Reading Group, the Coffee and Chat Group and the occasional Cinema Club and Getaway Group for caravaners.

We welcome new members, particularly ladies new to the area who would like to meet new friends and social groups. There is a charge to cover Probus Registration and Insurance as well as venue hire and morning tea. This is a one-off Annual Fee.

We would like to invite anyone who may be interested in joining Probus, to come along to Coffee and Chat on the first and third Tuesday of the month at 10.30 am to join us for a coffee and see what we are all about.

Remember our motto is Friendship, Fellowship and Fun. We can offer you these in abundance. What a pity Chocolate doesn't start with an F.

For details and information, please ring Dawn Ryan on 0450 370 391



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St. James Church is vibrant and active in the community. Not only does it provide for the spiritual needs for those wishing to attend but also offers a wide variety of social functions for all.

Our coming activities for October include a service for the Blessing of the Animals on **Sunday 6th October** commencing at 10.30am. Bring your dogs, cats, birds, goldfish or any other animal for this special service.

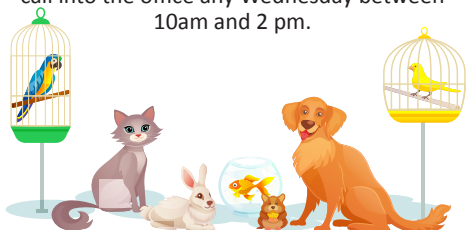

On **Saturday 19th October** our popular **Car Boot Sales** commences and will continue for the summer months on the 3rd Saturday of the month between 8am and 12 noon. Lots of bargains and a delicious sausage sizzle, tea, coffee and scones. Held in the car park this is a popular venue for many home crafters. Call if you are interested in having a stall at this venue. At \$10 for the site this is an ideal venue to sell those unwanted items.

For the fashion conscious, **Tuesday 29th October** will provide a viewing and sale of **Montana's fashions** when we have a fashion parade in the hall at 2pm. Always an enjoyable afternoon with much laughter and a delicious Devonshire tea included.

Tickets are \$10 and this amount is deducted if you purchase an item.

Watch this space for news about our new opportunity shop opening soon behind the hall at 55 Collins St. Drysdale.

For further information about any of our activities phone Lynette on 0406 403 745 or call into the office any Wednesday between 10am and 2 pm.

Stuffed Pasta Shells

- 1 packet large Pasta Shells
- 250g ricotta cheese
- 150g Parmesan cheese plus extra
- 250g Mozzarella cheese plus extra
- Fresh basil / parsley
- 1 tin/jar artichoke hearts (drained/dried)
- 1 500ml jar of prepared pasta sauce of choice

- Cook the pasta shells until just cooked. They will cook more as they bake with the filling in the sauce.

- Combine ricotta, parmesan, mozzarella cheese

- Add torn basil/parsley and chopped artichoke hearts

- Prepare a baking dish - put some sauce in the bottom of dish

- Fill the cooked pasta shells and put them in the baking dish

- Lay stuffed shells/pasta next to each other

- Pour sauce over shells and top with extra parmesan and/or mozzarella cheese

- Bake at 200C for about 40 minutes or until the cheese on top is a bubbling golden.

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Drysdale Uniting Church Mainly Homemade Fete & Shed Sale

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AWARENESS DAY

Last year the Rotary Club of Drysdale held a day on the Drysdale Village Green to tie in with Seniors Week to show people what Rotary do both here and overseas.

We had a tent set up by Shelter Box who provide relief in disaster areas thought our globe. Many other displays were there too.

We are going to do it again this year but this time it will be at the Drysdale Community Market on the reserve near the Footy Oval on October 20th. Again, we will have displays and members around to answer any of your questions. This will make for a good day out to check out the local market and enjoy our egg and bacon rolls.

Our club has a forty-three history of its service to our community and beyond and is always looking to grow its members.

Personally, for me joining this club and enabled me to make some amazing friends and give back to the community that means so much to me.

Caroline Rickard
Publicity Officer

Rotary Club of Drysdale
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Rotary Club of Drysdale



Indigenous Scholarships

The Rotary Club of Drysdale is very privileged to have a former Rotary Indigenous Scholar in our midst. Many years ago, the Rotary Club of Adelaide East saw the potential in a young newly married man with a young family who had a desire to help his own people to have access to good feet health through expert podiatry. The club sponsored James Charles for three of his four years at university, the financial support enabling him to follow his dream.

Through this opportunity James has been able to build many connections and make a difference to his people and beyond. The world-wide organization of Rotary International gave him the chance to participate in a Group Study Exchange to California where he was challenged to build his confidence in all areas but particularly in Public Speaking.

Due to this opportunity James believes that its important to give back to the organization that has helped him achieve his goals plus more. He chose to join Rotary and now has the experience of speaking in many and varied clubs throughout Australia.

We are so happy to have James in our local Club.

Want to know about the other Scholarships or Programs that Rotary can offer? Then why not come along to a meeting and find out more.

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Bellarine Support Group for Kinship Carers

Since I began Bellarine Support Group for Kinship Carers, 4 years ago the number of carers in the group has risen so quickly now 40 families and over 70 children, just in our region. The awareness of the plight of kinship carers has also risen. Lots of people who ring me have read my article in the Messenger.

As Christmas is fast approaching and with the large number of children and young people in our group I would like to achieve a special something for every child and carer. But I need your help.

Over the past 12 months we have received a large number of presents for our under 8 year of age children but our teens and pre-teens (aged from 9 to 18) miss out. What I would like to do is to give every teen and pre-teen a gift voucher for Christmas and every carer a Christmas hamper to celebrate the Christmas season.

So what I am asking is next time anyone goes shopping please if you could purchase a little item of non-perishable food, I can then arrange pick up the non-perishable items to make up hampers for our carers. Thank you again for your continued support.

On that note I would like to thank the following for their generous support:-

Barb Austin and Diane Williams from the View Club - thank you Barb for the vouchers for our young people and the wonderful beanies.



Lyn from Clifton Springs and Drysdale Ladies Probus - thank you so much for the lovely teddies and sock teddies.

To those people who left the following at SpringDale; Four new helmets - thank you so much.

Teenage clothing - clothing has been distributed to several carers.

I would especially like to thank a very special young boy - Hudson from Portarlington - your gift of your 'spare' football cards has made eight children very happy.

P.S. Every child who received your cards, Hudson, wanted me to pass on their thanks to you. They all wanted me to let you know how grateful they are.

The carers wanted me to let you know that you are a special and caring young boy.

If you a kinship carer we would love you to



join our group, we meet at SpringDale on the following dates:- Monday 14th Oct, 4th Nov and our last meeting for 2019 2nd December.

We meet at 10am until around 1pm. Love to see any kinship carers. Please bring a snack to share.

If any business or service club would like to learn more about kinship care or assist the carers and children please feel free to contact me directly.

Jeanette Hanley-Heath 0414 308257

Last year, many people in the community provided Christmas parcels for our children in kinship care - hoping we can do this again - we'll have our Christmas Tree with families on it to choose and perhaps create a special gift for them - if you would like to help please call SpringDale 5253 1960 or pop in.

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Dr Alison Sinadinos



Tip Tourism

A number of years ago I was lucky enough to have a guided tour of the Drysdale Landfill Supervisor, Ray Stratton. I can't remember why I was invited but I jumped at the opportunity. I came away believing that members of our community would love to visit the landfill and learn about the processes.

After almost 4 years of suggesting that we should run Tip Tourism Tours, thanks to City of Greater Geelong and especially Dave McNamara and Mark Davies we did. Almost 30 people came on our trips to the Tip over two days, during Adult Learners' Week, and they are still raving about how good it was.

We had people attend from all over the Bellarine and one from Geelong. I was lucky enough to go to 3 of the 4 sessions that were

run and I loved talking to like-minded people about the recycling opportunities offered at Drysdale Landfill.

We saw the free recycling areas for paint, cardboard and paper, ewaste (small appliances with a power cord eg toasters or kettles, computers TVs etc), bigger white goods including fridges, scrap metal, hard plastic and now soft plastic. If you took all of this out of your bins each week, there might not be anything left to put out on the curb. We learnt that broken glass is one of the chief contaminants of the comingled yellow bin, thus causing the recycling to be placed in the landfill. We learned so much and many have committed to separating the recycling at home and making monthly trips to the landfill.

Because the feedback has been so positive I am sure we will continue to partner with City of Greater Geelong to bring these tourism opportunities to our community, hopefully a couple of times a year. I am looking forward to having a recycling quiz in each Messenger for the next few years to help us to learn how to recycle specific items.

At SpringDale we try to do our bit by collecting clothing and bedding for the Homeless in conjunction with Corio Norlane Lions Club, household batteries in conjunction with Rotary Club of Drysdale, food in conjunction with Drysdale Community Church, Plastic bottle tops in conjunction with Envision Hands and more.

Anne Brackley - Recycling Advocate

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Above
IMAGE OF COMPETITION & 1st EDIs
– A Grade:
'Hairless Rat' Steven Penman

Top Right
1st EDIs – B Grade:
'Happy Dog' – Narelle Wiffen
Below

2nd EDIs – B Grade:
'Mokoro Poler' – Robyn Curtis
Bottom Right

3rd EDIs A Grade:
'Child of Rajasthan' – Ian Chalmers

Our Open competition this month was judged jointly by photographers Margaret Metcalfe and Liesel McGregor. Their judging and feedback to members was excellent and I'm sure we all learnt a lot. After the judging Margaret and Liesel showed a collaborative project they have recently completed with other photographers. A brilliant result from this collaborative effort - it was recently exhibited at the Focal Point Gallery in North Geelong. For Club details please call in to a meeting, or visit our website www.bellarinecameraclub.org.au

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WELCOME

TO OUR OCTOBER UPDATE

Hello fellow travellers!

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Wellness travel is hugely popular and Club Med Bintan Island, Indonesia has you covered with special a special event, Body & Soul, coming to the resort in May with wellness activities and workshop experiences for the mind, body and soul.

Be sure to take advantage of the 30% Early Bird discount when you book by 29 November, for travel between May and October 2020.

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LATHAM'S SNIPE



The Latham's Snipe is a bird that is hard to view as it is so shy and loves to hide amongst well vegetated, fresh water and marshy land. The birds do not like too deeper water consequently prefer to wade through shallows, in order that if frightened they can immediately hide amongst the rushes that line the waterways. The bird is well camouflaged so it takes a tried and true birder to notice where they live and to observe them. The reward is great when one is sighted.

These snipes are visitors to our land, flying from Japan each year to settle in our freshwater shallows arriving late September then making the long, journey home to Japan in April to nest and bring up their young. They are strong flyers that can be admired for their tenacity.

This photograph was taken at Lake Lorne. A most unusual shot as the bird is well in the open. It was trying to find a new home within the reed beds however had a hard hunt as many of the reed beds had their yearly trim by council workers.

The new ring road has had an influence on a small group of these birds as their holiday shelter was the marsh land beside Grub Road. Now the marsh land has been drained and their area is home to a large roundabout so the small group have had to move from this area and search for a new place to live. A few like this individual tried to make Lake Lorne their home but alas the reeds have been cleared and it was too exposed for them. They didn't stay long. VicRoads have listened to appeals and promise to re-establish wetlands with growth nearby the roundabout so hopefully the birds won't leave us for ever and I look forward to their return.

There is a small covey of Latham's Snipe who have also settled in Ocean Grove. It is a delight to see them feeding quietly amongst the reeds whilst pedestrians and riders cruise by unaware of these tourists.

Carole O'Neill

SpringDale Trivia 27th Edition by Drysdale Girl Guides

1. What name is used to describe baby frogs?
2. In what year did Australia first participate in the Winter Olympic Games?
3. The beaver is the national animal of which country?
4. How many strings does a violin have?
5. Which famous Australian's last words were "Such is Life"?
6. Which sign of the zodiac is represented by the ram?
7. How many players per team are on the field during a game of baseball (when fielding)?
8. Other than a herd, what is the appropriate collective noun for a group of Elephants?
9. In 1960, which country was the first in the world to have a female prime Minister?
10. What is the coloured part of the human eye called?

Turn to page 21 to find the answers.

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Clifton Springs Garden Club

Change of date, last month we alerted readers to our Open Day which was to be held on Saturday 26 October, due to circumstances beyond our control we have had to change the date to Saturday 2nd November 2019. We will be holding our normal gigantic plant sale, along with a giant raffle with many prizes relating to gardening. Come along and get some great bargains by purchasing some very cheap plants grown by our Members and at the same time you will be helping the Garden Club support a Charity or Community Group. This year the Club made a donation of \$500.00 to the National Breast Cancer Foundation in memory of one of our long standing members, Marg Lynas who passed away earlier this year.

Chris Malkin, the Club's Treasurer, has just returned from a trip to Japan. Chris gave a presentation to the Club at a recent meeting, showing us some of her beautiful photos of the blossoms and flower displays in the parks and gardens as well as sharing with us some of the interesting experiences she had. Chris was in Japan a few weeks too early to see the wisteria in full bloom, but she managed to see one starting to bloom and caught a photograph of a rare sight – Mt Fuji without any cloud cover.

October's meeting will be slightly different, we are going off the garden path, so to speak. Samantha Robinson, Heart Foundation, is coming along to talk about and demonstrate what can be done if someone has a cardiac arrest. This could happen to anyone of us whilst we are out in garden, so it will be good to get some advice on what to do.

Jillian Logan will be our guest speaker for November, the last meeting of the year. The Club will then go into recess until the 3rd Monday of February 2020.

Visitors are always welcome at our meetings. If you would like further information on the Club please contact our Secretary Helen, on telephone 52572220 or email hma3152@gmail.com



Photos taken by Chris Malkin on a recent trip to Japan. Blossoms along the river & Beautiful floral displays.



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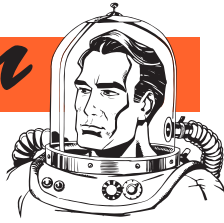
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Moon



Last month, you will recall Ivan Southall's hero Pilot / inventor

Simon Black incautiously fired the rockets of his space plane Firefly 3 in close proximity to the moon. As a result, the experimental craft is now trapped on a collision course with the unrelenting crater ridden surface.

Now read on...

The moon, a glaring putty coloured desert, looked clearer than ever before. Simon felt his brain freeze. Death was so absolutely certain.

Rod's voice was harsh with strain.

"Is there anything we can do?"

"I doubt it."

"Sorry Simon, the rockets were my idea."

"That's all right."

Surely there's some way out?"

Simon had nothing to say. There was no way out.

"How long would you say?"

"About an hour."

The moon was infinitely closer. Rod said they had twenty five minutes to live.

Simon had gone back to his battle with

the controls, rocking the control column and turning the wheel but no combination would break the relentless gravitational pull. Eventually tiredness forced him to stop.

Exhausted, he slumped over the wheel. Man, he now knew, was not ready for space. Speeds were faster than man could think. The first error was the last. A man didn't live long enough to make the second and Simon had made the first. He glanced at the silent figure on his right. Poor Rod.

Simon looked ahead. The moon looked very close. He closed his eyes and clung to the wheel. The Firefly rushed on silently towards destruction.

Simon began heaving at the controls again as it helped him maintain his composure.

Rod said "I'll get some chocolate. Interested?"

"Yes. Thanks."

Rod moved his mobile seat back to the rear compartment and vanished. At this exact moment Simon realised that a new force was overtaking on his aircraft. Something was thrusting against him.

Rod reappeared. "What was that?"

Next month... New force? **John**

Lions Port Market back with a roar!



The Lions Club of Portarlington/Drysdale has spent the off-season sharpening the focus of Portarlington Community Market and setting up an online market management system.

Starting with the September event, the market had a better mix of stallholders and those traders can now book space and make payments without having to fork out money at the gate.

Market Coordinator Angelo Polidoras, promised the market would be bigger and better this season with more variety, a wider range of speciality foods and lots of free entertainment.

"Our market on the last Sunday of every month (between September and May) is a celebration of community in a relaxed central setting that showcases the beauty of the Bellarine and everything it has to offer," he said.

"Sitting alongside the superb soon-to-be-completed new children's playground in the W G Little Reserve, the market presents the ideal family outing for locals and tourists alike."


President, Stephen Love, said running and improving the market had been a rewarding challenge for the Lions Club.

"We have over 2,000 years of lived experience in our club, but limited knowledge of data management and cloud computing, so we have been learning and adapting – rapidly," he said.


"The market has been great for us – it has sharpened our team work and helped us to embrace social media, event management and sustainability.

"Lions International is all about serving local communities and that's what the market allows us to do."

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The Butcher Family - Part 2

Eric Butcher – Born 1911 - Died TBA

Eric was not a regular visitor; however, I do remember him as a travelling salesman for tableware. Sometimes he would stay with us at Spray Farm when he was working in the area. I remember very clearly that he loved his food. Father inherited the old Ice-cream Churn from his mother. She used it in the produce shop in Drysdale to make and sell Cornish Ice-cream. She would buy ice from the Bay Steamers when they called into Portarlington or Clifton Springs. But when our mother, Laura would make us Ice-cream, there were no ice deliveries to our place. We had to wait for a hail storm. Alan and I would sometimes have to wait for months before we'd get some ice cream. I remember on this one occasion when there was a huge storm, Eric was staying with us. Alan and I rushed out and collected the hail in a bucket, we got pelted from all directions and became completely saturated. We came in like drowned monkeys and urged our mother to make us some Ice Cream Custard. She never let us down, she got to and made us a lovely big bowl of ice cream, we had a little that night and there was enough left for us all the next day. She stored it in the Coolgardie with

the ice around it to keep it cold. Eric had been out that night on a date with a young lady and he came home a little hungry, so raided the kitchen for something to eat. Unfortunately, he found the ice cream. When mother went to serve the ice cream the next day, it was all gone. Eric had eaten the lot! You can imagine how disappointed we were.

Victor and Eric were keen on football and boxing. Eric in particular. From what I heard he could not separate the two sports. After fights with umpires and others on and off the field, I believe he was eventually banned from the game even as a spectator. Eric spent little time at school, he was unable to read and write until of mature age. In spite of his handicap he was a born salesman, he was appointed sales manager for Thornycroft Trucks, in Melbourne during the Second World War. (Thornycroft was a UK based vehicle manufacturer which built coaches, buses and trucks from 1896 – 1977).

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The Opening

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The official party had arrived at Portarlington on board The Vulcan, the engineers steamer from Swan Island. The President and Councillors of the Bellarine Shire met the party at the jetty and arranged the transport to Drysdale. On arrival at Drysdale they found four hundred of the surrounding settlers assembled to witness the ceremony. Major General Tulloch thanked the Bellarine Shire for the handsome donation of the site of six acres and their interest in the project. After thanks to other personnel involved in the project he unveiled the stone bearing the following inscription.

**United Services Home
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He declared the home open and the veterans standing on the north veranda saluted as the gathering sang "God Save the Queen".

The eight old veterans in their uniforms, who were to live in the home, were in high spirits at the prospects of spending the remaining nights of their lives on spring mattresses and having wholesome meals in comfortable rooms.

Of the first inmates at the home, one was a royal navy man, five were soldiers and two were marines. Their names and regiments were:-

Jeremiah Brown (Regiment ??)

Luke Read (Royal Navy)

William Colthurst (101st Regiment)

John A Hicks (40th Regiment)

James Thompson (Royal Marines)

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It's a wrap for Lady Hawks 2019 Season



The Drysdale Lady Hawks season has officially come to an end with the teams traditional fancy dress vote count bringing the season to an end. The occasion has developed quite a reputation as one of the best events on the social calendar and this year it certainly lived up to the hype with everyone getting in the theme with some amazing costumes on display.

Many, many awards were given out on the night including best dressed amongst the more football traditional best and fairest awards. Best dressed going to coach Stuart Craven with his indistinguishable 'Genie of the Lamp' from Aladdin costume.

The highlight of the night was undoubtedly Gabby Deller collecting her second Val Wilson trophy for Best & Fairest, narrowly winning from first year sensation Tanacha Saunders in a thrilling count. With one round to go just four votes separated the two players with Deller's outstanding Grand Final performance seeing her draw clear. Laura Taylor capped off her stellar season to finish in third spot despite missing a number of games.

Other award winners included Elie Montgomery with Coaches award, Caitlin Sutterby with most Improved, Laura Taylor with most Determined, Prue Davies with most Courageous, Nadine Duffield with best first year player, Gabby Deller with best in finals and Natasha Elliston winning the Spirit award.

The Lady hawks have had quite the year being runner's up in the Grand Final, having Mel Egan winning the league goal kicking for Division 2, Gabby Deller runner up in the league Best & Fairest, Gabby Deller and Mel Egan making AFL Barwon team of the year and having 4 players making the inaugural interleague representative team, Brooke Lowe, Brooke Wells, Laura Taylor and Gabby Deller.

So an amazing season has come to an end and the Lady Hawks would like to thank all of their supporters for their support throughout the year and especially through their finals campaign. Looking forward to another fantastic year of football for season 2020!

Trivia Answers

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| 1. Tadpoles | 7. Seven |
| 2. 1936 | 8. A Parade of Elephants |
| 3. Canada | 9. Sri Lanka |
| 4. Four | 10. Iris |
| 5. Ned Kelly | |
| 6. Aries | |

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What time: 3pm to 5pm

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Drysdale cricket club were very fortunate last season and were able to have 4 of our junior teams make the grand finals, with one team bringing home with the flag. The support of the club, parents and community was phenomenal and we could not of been any prouder of each and every single child who played.

If you are keen for your child to join our club please feel free to contact me at any time.

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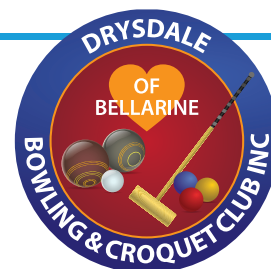
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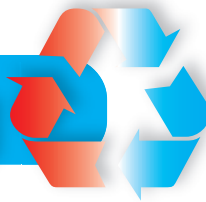


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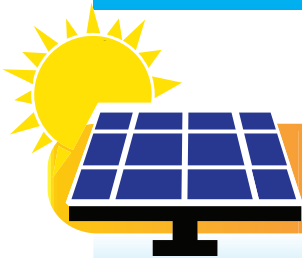


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