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Always look on the bright side of life

We’ve heard a lot about journalism in the last half dozen years or so, and I’ve written here a bit about it. The ABC’s Sabra Lane recently took a long, hard look at her journalism and decided she needed to change. Too many of us are drowning in fake news, scientific news and just plain old bad news, so she examined how she as a journalist could make a difference. No, it’s not fluffy news stories, but the news isn’t all bad – I’ve subscribed to her newsletter called ‘The Bright Side’ and look forward with interest to the first edition on 1st Sept.



Just on that – a word from SA Police. With the proliferation of bad news about COVID-19, there has also been a proliferation of phone scammers. DO NOT RESPOND. If you get a call and it sounds dodgy – HANG UP. If you get a text or an email and it looks dodgy – DELETE it. Above all – DON’T CLICK ON ANY LINKS. The latest one doing the rounds (apart from Nicole from the NBN who just won’t give up), is a text purporting to be about a vaccine certificate. Ignore it. To keep up to date with the latest scams and dodgy dealings, go to scamwatch.gov.au.

When you look on our Clubs and Committees pages, you will see that they are all run by volunteers. Volunteering is the best fun. Helping people makes everyone feel better. Then why is it so undervalued? Why do people think that if you make a voluntary commitment, it’s not the same as doing something you get paid for? Volunteering is a worthy and worthwhile commitment – it has value – and it’s every bit as important as a paid job. Think about joining just one of the groups in town – just try one – you’ll be glad you did.

October is Polished Man month. What is Polished Man? One in every two children experienced violence last year. That’s why this October, we’re challenging people to paint one nail. So that no childhood is lost to violence.

MOUNT PLEASANT
SPRING
Fling!

EVERY SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER

8am-1pm

ENTRY: Gold Coin Donation

MOUNT PLEASANT SHOWGROUNDS
Melrose St, Mount Pleasant

The SA Spring Garden Festival has changed format this year to a month long **SPRING FLING!** Every Saturday during September, you’ll find a great range of stalls featuring quality plants, garden furniture, decor and garden care products together with our regular farmers market fare.

For more information or to become a stallholder, contact us:
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 0418 301 121

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Sue B



MP Inc

Here is an update overview Precise of the minutes from the recent August Mount Pleasant Progress Inc. General meeting held on Tuesday, 10th August, 2021, at the Mount Pleasant Men's Shed.

Present: John Bowd, Genevieve Hebart, Gareth Saunders, Steve Birrell, Wendy Harvey, Pete Stephens.

Apologies: Chris Hebart, Di Anderson, Don Barrett.

Guests: Pauline and Mike Williams, Petre Wilde.

Minutes of the previous meeting of July were adopted.

Business arising / ongoing:

- The engineering report for the lift has not progressed yet. This will be followed up asap.
- No further action on the information bay.
- The tree plaque has been installed.
- Information received about the finishing of the hall stairs. There are still some issues. This will be followed up asap.
- No further action on the information for the Council Website to include information from the MP Progress Inc.
- The replacement trees have been purchased at a greater cost than previously expected \$1032 plus GST. It was resolved to absorb this cost and reimburse the purchaser. Two members to work on the plantings.
- The new Talunga Park caretaker was invited to join the meeting but she did not attend.
- The issue of vacancies has been resolved with the Friends of the old Cromer school house and the Football Club/CFS
- A precis was given of the upgrade of the Caravan Park which is to commence in September and be completed by June next year
- 4 cabins have been purchased from the Nuri Cavan Park and are to be transported to Talunga Park quite soon. The MP Men's Shed will be dismantling the verandas of the 4 purchased cabins and transport the timbers and iron back to the park.
- The AGM will be held next month.

Finances:

MP Progress Inc. has \$7209.63.

Community Dinner has \$9,888.75.

SALA has \$619.42.

Fit and 50s have \$528.40.

Fleece and Fibre Fair have \$550.00.

Correspondence: Nil further

Project updates:

Fleece & Fibre: Information was presented on the situation with the Fleece and Fibre Fair and recommended that the fair go ahead on the 21st September within the restrictions of numbers in the Hall, wearing face masks and no sit-down food. Assistance was sought to help set up the hall on the Friday evening and dismantle the set up after the Fair on Saturday afternoon. The door will be manned on the Saturday morning. Three members will be available to assist with set up, and others will be available after the Market. It was noted that the SALA exhibition is open at the Atrium during August.

Sub Committee reports:

Talunga Park: No further issues

SM Hall: No Further issues

The Community Dinner: The next Community Dinner will be held on Sunday evening from 6pm, August 29th.

Councillor Discussion: Nil further

Risk Management: Nil further

Strategic Plan: Nil

New initiatives: Nil

New Business:

The Friends of the Old Cromer Schoolhouse (FOCSH) representatives gave a precis of the situation with the Group. FOCSH formally requested that the group come under the auspices of the MP Progress Association for the purposes of governance and insurance. The group had been given a grant from the Council to repair and upgrade the building and the Tennis Courts. Not all this money has been spent. It was resolved that the FOCSH should be instated as a member of the MP Progress Association, and that a member of the group would attend meetings, and:

A separate cost centre to be established for the management of their finances.

- Minutes of the group meetings to be forwarded to the MP Progress Association.
- Financial requirements to be managed in the usual manner by the MP Progress Inc. treasurer to enable appropriate auditing.
- The Barossa Council to be notified of the situation and asked for a budget to be emailed to the MP Progress Association each month for appropriate tracking.

Information was presented about the *Torrens Valley Football Club* and their present position in relation to the community of Mt Pleasant and the Progress Association. A precis was given of the troubles that the club has gone through in the last 5-6 years and discussed the changes that have had to be made. The football club now is fielding several teams, has 150 members and is going from strength to strength. It was resolved that there would a member from the TVFC would become a member of the MP Progress Association body and that the groups would work together to improve relationships and the facilities at the Oval.

- Concerns were expressed about the lighting at the MP Oval. It was suggested that a formal proposal be put together to the Barossa Council for the replacement of the lighting asap. It was agreed that a letter should be sent to the Football club acknowledging their new commitment to the local community.
- Discussion ensued about the request from a football club member about the installation of the seating which is stored at Talunga Park and the need for something to be done about them as they have been stored for a few years. It was agreed that the MP Progress Association should facilitate a working bee to install these seats and that advice would be given about how this should be achieved.

Discussion also ensued about the current state of the *MP CFS* and its interest in working closely with the MP Progress Association. The CFS is in a healthy state with good membership and well-trained officers. They also have concerns about the state of the oval lighting, especially in relation to medical evacuations and the use of the helicopter. It was agreed that CFS representation will be included on the MP Progress Association.

mp beat

The MP Men's Shed asked of the meeting that for the following 12 months they be provide the finances (\$900) for the toner to print the MP Beat. After some discussion it was agreed that the MP Progress Association should provide the cost of the toner to the MP Men's shed, a formally incorporated body with insurance, and it is then up to them how they use it.

Discussion ensued about the issue of having a MP town Flag or installing MP town banners in the main street. This will be discussed at a later meeting.

The meeting closed at 9.30pm

The next meeting, encompassing the AGM, is to be held on Tuesday September 14th in the Mt Pleasant Men's Shed commencing at 7pm.

Gareth Saunders for MP Progress Inc.

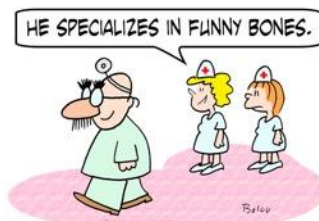
Farewell Dr Ken!



A farewell for Dr Ken Sieben for his retirement from the Mount Pleasant Practice. It will be in the Mount Pleasant Hospital Day Centre on Sunday September the 12th from 1pm to 4pm. (Signs will direct you) Due to COVID-19 restrictions we will be asking for a gold coin donation to cover some cake for afternoon tea, and we will also be serving tea and coffee.

RSVP's please to 0408101501 due also to COVID-19 rules.

Aylene Mueller



September, 2021

Reflection Bench



PO Box 130
MOUNT PLEASANT SA 5235

28 August 2021



TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Mount Pleasant Community Association Inc. were recently asked for a letter of support for a project that Seeds of Hope : Suicide Prevention Network were seeking as part of the Black Dog Ride Australia grant funding to create a Reflection Bench Project in the Barossa region. This successful venture is now in the planning stage.

The attached copy of the letter of success received from Seeds of Hope explains the project.

Whilst mental well-being is not a new concept, we are much more aware of the importance, especially during the lockdowns we have endured due to Covid-19 restrictions and more recently the developments in Afghanistan. There are times when we ALL need a chance to reflect and appreciate what we have on our doorstep and this project is a chance for the community to come together and share our thoughts.

We are encouraging all groups within the Mount Pleasant township and surrounding area to come on board with us, and be involved. We would like you to indicate your willingness to join us, so that we can contact you once the initial meeting is organised to create the plan.

The Community Association is keen to see a Reflection Bench become a part of Old Talunga Park, adjacent to the tennis/netball courts, with a view to further landscaping in the area. We believe this area is quiet and allows reflection in its present state, but the lack of landscaping and seating is not conducive to the purpose. We also see this as a chance to further beautify the Garden of Tribute next to the Hall, and create a beautiful, useful space.

Please give your contact details by email – mpca.inc@gmail.com or by phone to Paula Bartsch on phone 08 8568 2126 or Sue Barrett 0403 012 339.

We look forward to your support and participation.

Yours sincerely,

Paula Bartsch
Chairperson, Mount Pleasant Community Association Inc.

Joan Playford sitting on Kersbrook's Community Couch – the design for ours will reflect our community.



Health Matters

In the last day or so, many of you will have received a letter from Talunga Clinic, outlining the alterations in the provision of services.

I haven't had a good chance to unpick what that means for our community, but I think it's a sign of the times.

Rural and semi-rural practices are run quite differently to the way they were even ten years ago, and it's not confined to our community. Hospitals and clinics are not like shops – we only need them when we're crook. You can't 'shop' locally for health. If you're not sick, you don't need the doctors and the hospital – but if you are – it's a sure bet that you'll have to look further if it's after hours.

There have been many articles written about the lack of doctors who live where they work, and the problem is Australia wide. No-one has come up with an answer yet, but we keep hoping.

Pleasant History

Quiet Waters By

A few months ago, Paula and Sue met with Maxine Harding (pictured below with Paula and Sue) from the South Australian Police Historical Society in the hope that they would be able to copy Reg Butler's comprehensive history of our district - 'The Quiet Waters By'. The book is a weighty tome, at some 780 pages, and has been out of print for some time. Many people have visited the History Room and we have guarded our copies jealously - even the Library doesn't seem to have their copy at the moment! To our delight and amazement, the SAPHS offered to do the copying for nothing - and for that, our district will be eternally grateful. Paula and Sue went to the Society's HQ to pick up the external drive containing the scans and Paula will visit the publishing house to ascertain the format and hopefully get a costing so we are able to do a print run in the near future. Paula will also seek grant funding and donations so that our small group won't have to bear the cost in the interim. If you'd like a copy of the book, we are taking names, so it will be on a first-come-first-served basis.



Church for sale

It was only a matter of time, and the signs have gone up for the sale of the former Presbyterian / Uniting Church site. We can only hope that whoever buys it will be sensitive to the history of the building and surrounds. Paula has been in discussions with people from head office of the Uniting Church, and has secured an undertaking that the Honour Roll housed in the church will be relocated to the entry of the Soldiers' Memorial Hall. The request has been put to the council and we hope that this will go ahead.



We are planning an OP-SHOP- Opportunity - called OP-SHOPPORTUNITY

Would you like to be involved?

This is an OPPORTUNITY to BRING - BUY - SELL

To book you stall or make enquiries call Paula on 8568 2126 or Sue on 0403 012 339

Books, clothing, bric-a-brac, fabric, knitting yarn, magazines... would you like to 'bring and buy' or simply bring and sell some of your good quality items that may appeal to others?

WHEN? - on Saturday 13 November 2021, from 11am to 3pm

COST? - Stall fee - \$20 - we provide a table and chair, indoors

Free for shoppers

VENUE? - Soldiers' Memorial Hall, 61 Melrose Street, Mount Pleasant SA 5235

Kanga Café will be open providing light luncheon and afternoon tea

Paula Bartsch – Historian
mountpleasant.sa.au



Around the town



Talunga Park

A few days ago, some of the units intended for the redevelopment of the Caravan Park were delivered. They have been put to one side until they are needed.



More new trees have been damaged near the picnic area. This is very disappointing, and also costly. The trees that have been planted will not only make an outstanding display through Autumn and the beginning of winter, but also provide some much-needed shade now that the two old pines have been removed. If you see or hear of anyone who was involved, please call the police.

Hall ceiling repaired

The water damage in the SM Hall from a year ago has finally been rectified.

It was an eyesore and also worrying, as it was feared that it wasn't healthy having quite large areas possibly containing 'nasties' near where people were gathering.



September, 2021

SALA



Congratulations to Jo Dennis and her one woman show! Jo is our own multi-talented all-round artist. Over the years she has excelled in many mediums and this year she showcased them all. The SALA exhibit was on display in the Atrium during the month of August, and diners on Saturday mornings would have really enjoyed the surroundings. If you haven't managed to snare an original

Jo Dennis – where have you been?! The Barrett households certainly have been fans for over 25 years, and look forward to enjoying Jo's work for a long time to come.



Fleece & Fibre back

When it was discovered that the Fleece and Fibre Fair might not go ahead this year, MPPA stepped in and ran the event. Although numbers had to be limited, it was still well attended with 20 stallholders and 250 people attending. The MPPA received some very positive feedback from vendors and visitors. Hopefully it will be on again next year.



Pic courtesy Yarnarama

Well done to the Progress Association – and if anyone would like to help next year – please contact Secretary Genevieve Hebart on 0458 884 439.





Communicating

Aged Care Quality Survey

The Australian Government is currently consulting on their Aged Care Quality Standards. First implemented in 2019, it's now time to see if they are working.

We're delighted that the government is doing the sort of consultations they should be, and we want to make sure it succeeds. Not just to improve the standards, but also to make sure the new aged care system we've campaigned for, and the Royal Commission recommended, happens the way we intend... with aged care consumers and their supporters consulted, and included at every step. So please, complete the survey here:

<https://insightssurvey.kpmg.com.au/wix/6/p850573168126.aspx>

Bushfires, COVID-19 & economic change

How have these events affected you?

We want to hear from as many older South Australians as possible about their experiences of change in their community.

If you are aged 50 years or over, The Plug-in invites you to complete this survey about your experiences and how you responded to and worked through changes in life. There's still time to tell us about your thoughts on this important topic.

Have you been affected by major social, economic or environmental changes?

If you would like to contribute to this important project, please click below to complete the survey.

The survey should take less than ten minutes to complete and your answers will remain confidential in accordance with Australian Privacy Principles.

To be eligible to take part in this survey, you must be aged 50 years or older.

<https://theplugin.com.au/projects/navigating-major-social-and-environmental-change/>



Telstra payphones free for calls around Australia

Telstra has decided that local and national calls to standard fixed line numbers and calls to standard Australian mobiles on Telstra's public payphones are now free.

Last year alone Australians made 11 million calls on payphones, including more than 230,000 calls to vital

services like Triple Zero, so there's no doubt payphones are already often the lifeline that's there when it's needed most.

000 – Advanced Mobile Location

On 16 December 2020, the Australian Government announced the commencement of Advanced Mobile Location (AML) technology for the Triple Zero Emergency Call Service.

An AML-enabled smartphone recognises when an emergency call is made to Triple Zero (000 and 112), and if not already activated, activates the telephone's location service functions.

The smartphone assesses the location information available, to calculate the caller's location.

Once the device's location is calculated, the smartphone automatically sends an SMS with the estimated location to the Triple Zero Emergency Call Service. This SMS is sent in the background while the caller speaks with the Emergency Service Organisation, and the caller is not required to do anything to enable the location information to be sent.

If the telephone's location services were switched off at the time the call was initiated, AML will temporarily activate the location service for the duration of the emergency call.

It typically takes 25 seconds or less for the caller's location to be calculated and sent to Triple Zero.

When the emergency call has finished AML will be deactivated. The telephone will not retain a record of the SMS sent, and a caller is not able to retrieve it.

24/7 FAMILY DRUG SUPPORT 1300 369 186

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STEPPING FORWARD

BAROSSA

A FREE education session for families, friends and workers, delivering useful information and support to those supporting someone using alcohol and other drugs.

Effective communication – what works and what doesn't

This session will appeal to a wide audience with emphasis on being straight forward, reality based and interactive.

**TANUNDA CWA HALL
70 MURRAY STREET, TANUNDA.
WEDNESDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 6PM**

To register for this FREE 2 hour event go to:
https://stepping_forward_barossa.eventbrite.com.au
call Catherine 0457030805 or Simon 0439509207 (local contact)

And while we are 'communicating'



Recreate

We're open!

We have recently restocked the nursery with more native plants- perfect for creating beautiful habitat gardens or revegetation. All our tubestock is \$3 each or \$10 for 4 or more.

We've also had some really beautiful new (but old!) wares and handmade beauties in with lots of upcycled goodness, vintage wares, salvage yard, plant nursery, craft supplies and



good vibes. Busily pricing lots of new goodies- plants, old tools, kitchenalia and more.



Handcrafted card wallets have arrived! These compact beauties will keep your cards and notes secure, and can also fit a washable face mask in too so you can't forget it! And they take up much less space in your pocket than a standard wallet. Also, beautiful and tactile handmade journals by local Rowan just in. Handbound recycled paper pages wrapped in lovely leather remnants. Perfect travel diary size - even if it can only record travel dreams at the moment! Great father's Day gift ideas!

Something worth watching: Foreign Correspondent - ABC Dead White Man's Clothes

The dark side of the world's fashion addiction. Many of our old clothes, donated to charities, end up in rotting textile mountains in West Africa. This is a story about how our waste is creating an environmental disaster. Catch it on ABC iView



Funky and practical jewellery rolls by @alliecat_design_studio With two pockets and a strap to secure studs and dangles from, these roll up into a secure soft home for your favourite earrings, bangles and necklaces. Allie has used a lovely stash of upcycled fabric and vinyl remnants to

create these. And if you are looking for unique one of a kind jewellery then we have that too!

Scrap buster dog and cat beds are a hit with our furry family members, sometimes shared but usually hogging all for oneself!

Margaret who makes these has finessed the design over the years- the base is zippered with a fully removable insert. All of the bed is machine washable. And she will happily repair and patch if your dog is a bit too chewy!



Rachel from @rarehare_designs has restocked our range of washable and reusable 3 ply face masks. Adult and kid's sizes in lots of funky fabric options.

Many of our native birds rely on tree hollows for nests but with far fewer old or dead trees left in our landscape (especially after fire) nest boxes can help provide essential habitat. It's not just parrots who like a good hollow: pardalotes, owlet nightjars, boobook owls, tree creepers, thornbills, grey-shrike thrushes and robins will all make use of hollows or suitable nest boxes. Some of our bird species will only nest in hollows or nest boxes, while others are a bit more adaptable and will happily use a hollow or nest box but can make do without.



Faye McGoldrick





Marketing!

With the farmers market hall and consistently patronised breakfast atrium bustling every Saturday, the Mt. Pleasant Farmers Market continues to flourish with market membership on a high, and stall holder numbers holding steady. The market will be celebrating their milestone 10th birthday early in 2022.

Market Manager Genevieve Hebart said, “from humble beginnings the market continues its grow, providing opportunity for the local community to shop local and support local. Many of our stallholders, family owned and run, report that their businesses have thrived over the last 10 years under the Farmer’s Market banner. It is a win-win for community”.

Marketing Manager Terese Stephens said, “Market shoppers are spoilt for both variety & quality of stallholders, recently enhanced with Coffin Bay Premium Oysters joining the market on a fortnightly basis.”

“Another high demand product is the iconic fresh sourdough baked at Willaston, by Stone Shed Bread. An absolute winner with shoppers, artisan sourdough gourmet toasties are a bonus available every Saturday.”

“Long standing stall holder Sandra Keatley of Pebbly Range Limonsin Beef, just down the road at Tungkillio, educates consumers about her fine textured, tender, lean and healthy, grass fed Limousin beef. Testament to the taste, she regularly sells out of her much desired beef.”

For garden lovers the market also has a good range weekly of plants from seedlings, herbs, perennials, medicinal and natives. All locally produced from Mt Pleasant, Mannum to Youngusband.

Planning is well underway for the September Spring Garden Fling at the market grounds. The market invites plant producers from all over South Australia to attend every Saturday in September to participate in the Spring Fling. The result is a fantastic eclectic collection of plants, garden décor, tools, fertilisers for the garden lover to discover with a fun festival feel.



NEW STALLHOLDER

Primal Alternatives by Leanne

I bake delicious nutrient dense primal alternatives to the foods we love to eat.

Breads, pizza bases, cookies, bagels, wraps and pastry.

I started this business to supply products in my local areas for people like myself who have food intolerances, but still like to eat healthy nutrient dense food free from preservatives and chemical additives.

I have coeliac disease and finding gluten free alternatives that are not loaded with sugar and a long list of ingredients containing numbers had always been a challenge.

My aim is to bring these products to local markets and stores to increase the choices that people following a gluten free / grain free / paleo / primal / keto lifestyle have by offering convince without compromise.

MEMBERS ONLY SPECIAL

FREE ENTRY

INTO SEPTEMBER SPRING FLING

BETWEEN 8AM – 9AM (A BIG SAVING OF \$16 OVER 4 WEEKS)



Check out confirmed stall holders so far...

Our first Saturday
Spring Fling
4th September

Aristaeus Farms – A Rustic World By Hayden – Brenton Tucker Natives
 – Cut Above Tools – Derek Country Posies – Grolife Fertiliser – Hassles Garden Works – Jans Succulents – Line Trimmers – Lyndoch Lavender Farm – Lynmac Metal Art – MasterJack – Natural Soil Solutions – Nellies Nursery – Plants in Barrows – Para Districts Group – Talunga Heights Nursery – Verdigris Metalwork

...and WOW what a line – up it is!

Peter's poem

Master of the House

I rest on my chair and gaze outside
At the 'roos and the birds and the rain,
While the fire in the grate is blazing
away,
But it's time I was walked again.



"The Boss" (HA HA) is not very keen.
To don boots and his weatherproof gear,
But I already know that he'll fall into line,
He knows who's in charge around here.

I've trained him so well that he never objects
When I show him I won't eat outside,
And the slightest of whims from "The Master"
Is not to be lightly denied.



The chair that I rest in so
comfy,
Once belonged to the wife of
his heart,
But it took me no time to move
HER along,
And that was only the start!

My diet is varied, and tasty and large,
And I've learned there's a lot to be said,
When the rain is sheeting right up to the door,
For getting my breakfast in bed.



Then I pad to the lounge,
and collapse by the fire,
And curl up as close as
can be,
The humans, when they
need to put wood on the
fire,
Have learned how to
work around me.

It's taken three years to bring
them along,
Now they're pliant and quiet as a
mouse,
For it's clearly the case, that the
GSP IS ... The Master Of The
House.



Peter - the Peripatetic Poet (and Zeus!)



To Jim from the Springton General Store. Jim kindly donated paper to help with the printing of our newsletter. He has also donated to many of our local groups and we thank him for his community minded efforts!

CFS



4th August was our AGM and bi-annual elections. There was a great turnout of over 35 people in attendance, Awards were given out to Firefighters Dave Kuchenmeister (pictured below right with Captain Glynn Jackson), and Kevin



Lintern, who each received their CFS 10 year service medals. Kevin was also awarded the prestigious Roger Grigg Memorial Fire Fighter of the Year Shield, presented by Marianne Grigg (below).



Jaime Fahner (below) was appointed Cadet Captain ...



mp beat

CFS cont'd

and Harry Pocock (below) was appointed to the rank of Cadet Lieutenant.



The elections resulted in the following appointments:

Captain - Glynn Jackson

Lt1 - Matthew Kazla

Lt2 - Jack Denherder

Lt3 - John Kazla

Lt4 - David Ross

SFF1 - Peter Wilde.

SFF2 - Kevin David

SFF3 - Chris Halloran

SFF4 - Bradley Jamieson

President - Andrew Easton

Cadet Coordinator - Sue Streich

Admin Officer - Sue Streich

Finance Officer - Karen Jamieson

Farm Fire Unit Coordinator - Danny Pauley



Rear row Left to right: Glynn Jackson - Captain, Jack Denherder - Lt2, Matthew Kazla - Lt1, SFF4 - Bradley Jamieson, Lt4 Dave Kuchenmeister.

Front row: left to right: Kevin Lintern - SFF2, Jaime Fahner - Cadet Captain, Harry Pocock - Cadet LT, Peter Wilde - SFF1

Images from the AGM courtesy William Pocock and Glynn Jackson.

Sue Streich's Birthday!



Sue Streich is a stalwart in the background behind our brigade and so on behalf of the entire Mt Pleasant CFS Brigade, I would like to wish her a very happy 70th Birthday. We hope your day was filled with love and happiness, Sue.

16th August I had the pleasure of attending our brigade cadet training to present 2 of our cadets with their new leadership helmets. Jaime Fahner as our new Cadet Captain and Harry Pocock as Cadet Lieutenant. Well deserved rewards for their commitment to the brigade cadets. Congrats you two
Glynn Jackson

Focus

The month of September message is:

Firefighting Equipment

Check and test pumps, water sources, hoses and sprinklers and gutter bungs and make sure everyone can use them.

See CFS Factsheet 4.8 "Firefighting Equipment"



 South Australian Country Fire Service

MOUNT PLEASANT COUNTRY FIRE SERVICE

Mount Pleasant CFS is a great community service.
Tungkillo is within their call out zone
They are Recruiting now!

Want to meet new people? Want to learn new skills?
Want to give something back to your community?

Join the Country Fire Service and start helping now!
Mt Pleasant CFS Captain Glynn: 0490 143 514

The CFS offers a range of roles including:

- Firefighter - Radio operations - Catering
- Administration support - Operational support
- Community education - Fundraising




INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE
21 SEPTEMBER 2021

RECOVERING BETTER FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND EQUITABLE WORLD

un.org/peaceday | #peaceday

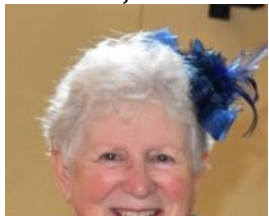
Congratulations & Celebrations

Happy Birthday to.....

Missed in August

Jan Bransbury

Fun times and great craft with Jan.



Jan Broughton

Always a warm smile and welcome from Jan!



And to anyone we missed – we'll catch

WISHING YOU A HAPPY CORONA BIRTHDAY FROM A SAFE SOCIAL DISTANCE!!!



September

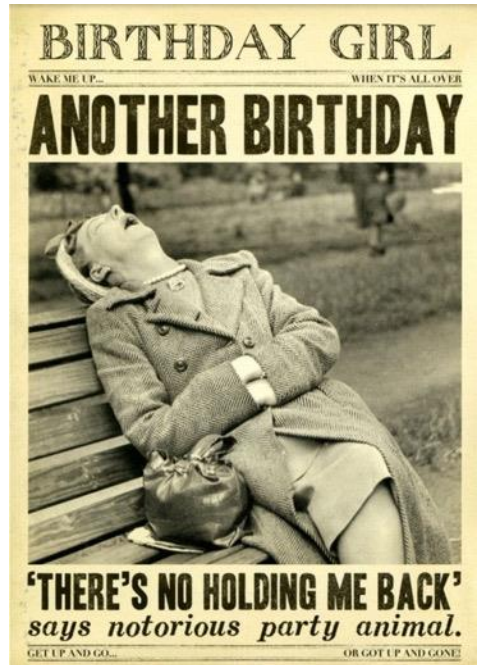
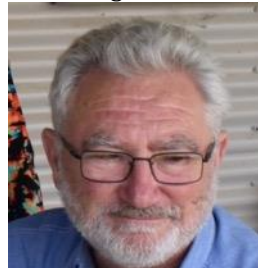
Graham Vivian turns 80!



Congratulations to Graham! (pictured with Jan at Kath's birthday)

Roger Trudgen

Quietly taking it all in. A man of many talents is our Roger!



Jamie Kah

Jamie has won over 100 races, but her heart lies with dressage. Congratulation!

Photo Courtesy VRC & Courier



Liz Love



Diane Anderson



Annie Staehr



Please let us know of any celebrations coming up – we'd love to pass on our

Clubs & Committees



Men's Shedding



RAA workshop

Tony Ey from the RAA, visited the Men's Shed to talk to us about Road Safety issues for Seniors. It was a very informative, personable and entertaining session. We are planning more sessions in the series every month till the end of this year.



Tony Ey pictured on the left of the photo.

Social distancing doesn't make for exciting photos!

Women's Workshops

Women's only woodwork sessions are continuing every first Wednesday in the month from 7 - 9pm for a \$5 cover charge.

Photography

The next session will be on Tuesday, 11th September from 9.30 - 11am for a \$5 cover charge. Bring your happy snaps!

SACWA

Meeting news



The year continues to be unpredictable. Once again, the Royal Adelaide Show has been cancelled and the SACWA Country Café and Merchandise tent have been put in a difficult position in how to recoup the losses. Selling Tea and Scones, Jams, Chutneys and other handmade goods is the main fundraiser for SACWA, but members of the Country Café group, the Marketing committee, Craft and finance got together recently and came up with some wonderful alternatives. Our major partner Foodland once again came to the fore and paid for our jams so that meant we were able to on-sell them - together with scones - at the Community Kitchen at the Adelaide Central Market during September. If you are down that way, try and pop in - you may have some friendly Mt Pleasant branch members serving you! Our knitting and crocheting group is expanding and they have been knitting up a storm! The items produced have been benefitting Fred's Vans, Catherine House, Vinnies, and people from the APY Lands, just to name a few. These ladies are doing a wonderful job, and we also thank Victoria de Wit, who has donated some wool. Although formed by the SACWA, we welcome anyone who would like to be involved.

Crafting

Our Handicrafts Officer Jan Bransbury always has something new to show us, and this time it was some lovely examples of practical embroidery. These mornings are great fun and we welcome anyone - not just SACWA members. They are held on the first and third Tuesdays of the month in the SM Hall, starting at 9.30am.



Foodbank

The United Church in Birdwood continues to support Foodbank, and our branch supports them. Anne and Rose still keep a collection box at the Post Office, and we all welcome any donations of non-perishable foodstuffs. We don't have to tell you how dire the situation is for many people - it's all over the news - so please consider helping those in our community who are finding the going particularly tough at this time.

Next Meeting:

7th September at 1.30pm in the SM Hall.



Kath Fisher - Secretary SACWA





MT PLEASANT MEN'S SHED

Woodworking for Women

WORKSHOPS FROM 7PM TO 9PM
FIRST WEDNESDAY EACH MONTH



LEARN HOW TO USE BASIC WOODWORKING TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

\$5 PER SESSION

LIMITED NUMBERS GET IN EARLY



CONTACT GARETH FOR MORE DETAILS
MOB: 0430 026 993
OR EMAIL: MTPLEASANTMENSSED@BIGPOND.COM

Every Wednesday from 9.
ALL WELCOME!

Gareth Saunders - Secretary

Red Cross

Meeting news

Keeping up with the ever-changing COVID-19 restrictions has kept us on our toes, but we are still planning fundraising events – because there will always be a need for support. The date for the next Garden Party at Glen Devon has been set for 15th February, 2022.

Angaston Red Cross visit

A group of us visited the Angaston Red Cross Shop – after many delays – and had a great morning tea and catch up with the Angaston members. Some of us spent way too much, and others couldn't resist a bargain – even if they didn't know it!



Fundraising

The next opportunity for our community to support our branch will be on the 26th September at the Spring Fling. We are really looking forward to that as we always have fun around the Market. After that we will be at the ShOPportunity in the hall on 13th November. We also hope to have a stall at the Twilight Market, but this hasn't been finalised yet, so watch this space!

New members

We are always looking for new members, so if you would like to join us at our next meeting, you will be made most welcome.

Next meeting: 1.30pm, 21st October, SM Hall.

Kath Fisher – Secretary

Community Dinner

After the Mt Pleasant Community Dinner scheduled for 29 August was cancelled, it will now be held on Sunday 26th September. Check the Facebook page for more information.

September, 2021

Friends of the Mt Pleasant Hospital



Meeting news

Restrictions have meant that again we are re-thinking and re-scheduling our fundraising efforts, and we have unfortunately had to cancel the Open Garden at Barb Beveridge's on the 9th & 10th of October, due to restrictions. At this stage we are concentrating on having a stall at the ShOPportunity on 13th November, and after that at the Twilight Market on 23rd December.

Ours is a small group, but we have raised many thousands of dollars for our hospital over the decades we have been fundraising. At present meetings are held in the SM Hall at 10am on the second Tuesday of each month.

Next meeting: 14th September – all welcome.

Kath Fisher - Publicity Officer

Mt Pleasant Community Association



At the last meeting on the 23rd, members discussed the Street Party, and resolved to encourage others to add their ideas and touches to our community response.

Meg Stephens has said that she'd like to take a group around carolling again this year and we all agreed, as it was so popular. Other community members are encouraged to join. We would also like to encourage people to leave messages on the tree, as they did last year. There are many reasons why we can't be with those we care for, and this is a way of acknowledging this and including them.

We also want to encourage community members and businesses to decorate their buildings. Although there won't be a competition as such, it's great fun and many people enjoy the spectacle.

The reply regarding the Reflection Bench was read, and we resolved that a letter would go out to community groups to encourage them to be involved.

The ShOPportunity was discussed and members were asked to spread the word. Stallholders are still being accepted – at only \$20 for a table – it's a bargain!

Sue Barrett – Secretary



18 Sept

Sport

Mt Pleasant Gems Netball



MT PLEASANT NETBALL CLUB
2021
AGM & PRESENTATION DAY
 We invite you to our AGM and 2021 Presentation Day. Please join us at the Mt Pleasant Bowling Club.
 2 Course Lunch provided \$15 per head. Bar facilities will be available on the day.
 Jumpy Castle & Fairy Floss Machine
 SUNDAY, September 12th
 AGM @ 10.30AM
 PRESENTATION STARTS @ 11AM
 For further information contact Tam Crossman
 0432 666 739 or mtpnetballclub@gmail.com
HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!



Efforts are under way to upgrade the lighting at the Mt Pleasant oval to enable night training, and possibly some night matches, to return to Mt Pleasant. Exciting prospects!



It was with great pride that two of our most effective juniors, Zander Hughes of Mt Pleasant, and Riley O'Shea of Harrogate were this season taken up by The Sturt Football Club Country Junior Squad. Both players are on target to compete at this level again next season, having distinguished themselves in this theatre. Well done to both players.

The Torrens Valley Lions look forward to season 2022, and the continuing support of the

two communities that comprise our home turf.

We are doing a tidy up! As we are designing new Indigenous jumpers for 2022, we are selling off this year's.

Priced at \$50, and designed by Lyn Wilhelm, it is a tribute to life member Stephen 'Dollar' Walker, and you can choose your number. We can post it, if required. Funds raised will go towards the 2022 Indigenous round.



Torrens Valley FC

TVFC, (The Lions) have now completed the 2021 season, but will be hosting one of the Hills Football League finals at the Mount Pleasant Oval on the last Sunday of August. This oval has had a great deal of upgrades done over the past year or so, and is acknowledged in the HFL as probably the best wet weather oval in the competition.

The Lions fielded two senior and two junior sides this season, and expect to add a further junior side next year. In addition, there are ten boys and girls registered for Auskick, the entry level for Aussie Rules football.



This depth is a tribute to the local club and its committee, as three years ago, a wave of departures, both players and officials, made the future of the club uncertain. The amalgamation a decade ago between the Mt Pleasant and Mt Torrens teams to become The Lions, has enabled the two towns to avoid the loss of football as a sports option, a factor which has diminished several adjacent towns and communities, as alternative sporting activities increased in popularity.

The player list now includes seniors and juniors from localities such as Springton, Eden Valley, Harrogate, Sedan-Cambrai, Birdwood and Murray Bridge. Club President, Shannon O'Shea, reinforces the Club's commitment to fostering and maintaining the presence of the TVFC at Mt Pleasant Oval (Talunga Park), as this asset has been, and is still, a major factor in the club's rebuilding strategy.



Peter Wilde for TVFC

TORRENS VALLEY FOOTBALL CLUB



Invite you to attend our
2021
PRESENTATION EVENING
 Saturday 11th September 2021
 6:30PM for 7:00PM Start
 Mt Pleasant Clubrooms
 \$40 per person or \$70 per couple
 3 Course Meal
COMPULSORY PLAYER EVENT
 Dress Code - Semi Formal
 Bank Details - BSB 015621 Account 354102776
 RSVP : LYN WILHELM 0419 030 588 by 5th September

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Sport cont'd

Mt Pleasant Bowls



PLAYERS WANTED!!!

MT PLEASANT BOWLING CLUB INC is starting a new era and joining the Barossa and Light Bowling Association!!!

We are looking for new players to join us

New member subsidies for fees and uniforms apply

The new season and new era starts in October, and we encourage everyone - male/female - aged 8 and upwards to join us for this exciting time

Come and try the game during the off-season with our Wednesday social games (1pm game start)

Not sure? Join as a social member whilst you learn the game

Contact the people below for more information

Bo Hambly (President) 0417 047 812
Noelene Birt (Secretary) 0409 681 901

Bo Hambly – President

Mt Pleasant Golf Club

Spring is just around the corner and the course is presenting a picture, and a serious challenge to all golfers!!! A big turn out by the FootGolfers recently, but many golfers still hiding. Time to stretch the legs and beat those winter/COVID blues.



It's winter and the course is providing its biggest challenge as the ball doesn't run. The westerlies and south westerlies provide the cold winds that seem to drag the ball into hazards, but it's still a joy to be on one of the most picturesque courses in South Australia.

Despite the wet weather we are still able to get on a glorious day. Beth and Merry (below) caught by the camera as they pass the 'Bridge over Troubled Waters' to tee off at the 4th.... Always looking for more Women to join our competitions....

what a great way to switch off life and into the 'swing' of this mind altering phenomena....if your game's crap, you walked at least 5km and the most beautiful setting... the Lakes @



Mount Pleasant Golf Club

TEE OFF between 8.15 and 9.00.

If you hold an official GA Handicap and are a member of a Golf Club, you can join our Competitions for \$20 which includes your comp fee and green fee. A win/win, we reckon. Please pass on to fellow golfers and help us to grow the game up here.

Contact Dave on 0438095231 to ensure a spot in our field. (Mixed competitions on both days)

Dave Swann – President



mt pleasant walkers

8am Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

call Murray - 0439 385 291

The Thursday Fitness Group

Meet at Talunga Park at 10am every Thursday.

The International Day to Protect Education From Attack

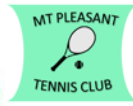
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Sport cont'd

Mt Pleasant Tennis Club



ARE YOU INTERESTED
IN PLAYING TENNIS?



If so, the Mt Pleasant Tennis Club would love to have you play for us. We Have Both Junior And Senior Teams. We are also looking at establishing social tennis on a weeknight using our brand-new courts and lights.

The season starts in early October.

For more information:
contact Nick Seager on 0448884721,
or email:
mtpleasanttennisclub@outlook.com



Mt Pleasant Tennis Club Inc.



Annual General Meeting

Date: Thursday 9th September, '21

Time: 7pm

Location: Totness Inn Hotel

Come for Tea @ 6pm

Apologies to:
Nick Seager: 0448884721 or
middlethorpepark@iprimus.com.au

Cromer news

Friends of the Old Cromer Schoolhouse

Hoof Care Workshop

A large group of people attended the latest Equine Workshop on Hoof Care. A great venue for these types of community events.



Springton news



2021 AGM



We'd like to thank those who have held office over the past 2 years, we thank you for your continued dedication and efforts and to all those who are newly appointed or re-elected, Congratulations.

Captain: Grant Kelly was re-Elected – and for a full list of members, please visit the Springton CFS Facebook page.

Thank you to the newly appointed Group and Deputy Group Officers for attending also.

"THE MOST
IMPORTANT
DECISION
YOU MAKE IS
TO BE IN A
GOOD MOOD."

Voltaire

Springton SALA

Once again, the beautiful Springton Hall played host to a fantastic SALA exhibition which also included the little gift shop in the foyer. A beautiful and diverse, curated collection featuring local artists, it was certainly up to the standard we have come to expect from the group. This year it was Michelle Barr and her team who were responsible.



Tungkillo news



Pictured above are scenes from the latest Bingo night.

Please be advised that the Tungkillo Progress Club Inc. Special meeting and AGM

will be held on Monday 1st November at 6.30pm commencing with the special meeting and the AGM to follow.

The Tungkillo Gazette

Classifieds

We are Looking for a Chef

Join our team at the Mount Pleasant Hotel. 10-15 hours available with the possibility of more for the right candidate.

We are looking for a team player, someone willing to work unsupervised but happy to take direction if required.

Experience with pizza making a bonus but not essential.

If this sounds like you, drop us your resume staci@mountpleasanthotelmotel.com.au

Jobs website:

<https://www.barossaplainsjobs.org.au/>



Skills Checkpoint for Older Workers Program

If you're aged between 45 - 70, employed or recently unemployed (less than 9 months) and not receiving Australian Government employment assistance, we can help.

busyatwork.com.au



TAFESA Short Courses

Today's the day to sign up to the short course you have been thinking about studying. With many short courses starting soon, you can commence your professional development or short courses in as little as a week. A TAFE SA short course offers flexibility without disrupting your work/study-life balance and provides you with range of new skills to apply to your life. Don't miss out on a range of short courses starting soon

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- [World of bartending](#)
- [Backyard barbeque hacks](#)
- [Eyelash extensions](#)
- [Volume eyelash extensions](#)
- [Dip nails - fingernails](#)
- [Prepare to drive](#)
- [Manual tasks refresher for support workers](#)
- [Introduction to naval shipbuilding](#)
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- [Contractor's licensing unit](#)
- [Health and safety representative training](#)
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Try searching for hundreds of our short courses available. If you'd like to discuss a short course with us, please free call 1800 882 611 to speak to one of our friendly staff or email.

*Some of our short courses might include accredited units. Check the website for further details.

Barossa Campus

Opening Hours

Monday – Friday 8.45am – 4.45pm
Level One, Chateau Building,
Beckwith Park, 30 – 38 Barossa
Valley Way, NURIOOTPA. Tel: 08
7444 4210



What's it all about?

Barossa Campus offers individual, group and lecture spaces, high speed internet, live streaming webinars, online connectivity to your university and more. On site you will have access to student support, as well as academic support in research and academic writing, locally delivered masterclasses for extension learning and special topics

immersion. Importantly you have the opportunity to build a network of students for study and social interaction.

Getting to Campus is made easy with ample parking and available public transport. It is accessible via the bike path and is only a short walk from Tolley Reserve. Opposite Campus is the Nuriootpa public library and Barossa Council. Barossa Campus is strategically embedded in Beckwith Park, the largest, most flexible regional industry and business park in South Australia to open opportunities to partner and engage with industry and regional business and employment opportunities.

Provenance is adjacent to Campus and offers food, coffee, craft beverages and various social spaces. It may also provide potential casual work opportunities.

Who is Eligible?

Everyone undertaking post-secondary education can take advantage of this purpose-built studying facility. You may be in your first year or your fourth year, under or postgraduate, studying online or onsite, part or full-time, Barossa Campus provides a fit for purpose Hub for your studies.

Our onsite student support can help you navigate your way through your learning and find help when you need it.

No Cost to Study

There is no cost for registered students to use this facility. Barossa Campus is run by Regional Development Australia Barossa Gawler Light Adelaide Plains and is supported by the Australian Government Department of Education and Training. We have done this in response to an identified gap in university provisions for regional students, who wish or need to remain in their local area for study.

Bits & Bobs

Drive My Future

After results of a Barossa youth survey, it was found that there was not enough cheap/accessible public transport in the Barossa Valley region which meant youth had to drive or be driven to get around. Results also showed 15 per cent of young people aged between 17 and 25 years-of-age had a valid driver's licence, while 53 per cent stated it was not easy to travel within the Barossa region. Of the grants provided by Youth Barossa, 90 per cent are utilised for driving lessons.

A different survey done by the Workforce Development Network indicated that while 92 per cent of young people have a car, or access to a car for driving lessons, 52 per cent have difficulty achieving the hours required and 74 per cent indicated they would use the volunteer driver program.

More info and to book, go to youthbarossa.com.au Pictured below is Barossa Councillor Dave Haebich, who assisted a young person at Mount Pleasant.



Christmas Carolling

Too Soon?

Not if you need to brush up on your Carols in time for Christmas!

Last year Meg Stephens corralled some willing participants and went door to door singing Carols to make up for our lack of other festivities. As a blast from the past, it was a resounding success – and very welcome.

If you'd like to join in for this year, keep an eye out for the flyer coming soon. The dates will be the 20th and 21st December.



Rural Financial Counselling

The Rural Financial Counselling Service (RFCS) has been supporting farmers and rural-related businesses for more than 30 years. One of 12 service providers nationally and a member of RFCS Network, RBS delivers the RFCS in South Australia and the Northern Territory. Our services are free, independent and confidential for eligible clients.

<https://www.ruralbusinesssupport.org.au/what-we-do/rfcs/>

Our qualified Rural Financial Counsellors can talk with you about your goals and plans for your business, discuss risk management and other strategies you may have, assess the options which may be available and help to make action plans to work towards business goals.

Our friendly and professional team can help you with:

- Understanding your financial position
- Future projections and scenarios
- Exploring financial assistance options
- Preparing for succession planning
- Planning family meetings
- Referrals to other support

We can work with clients for up to three years. Our vision is to build the resilience of Australian farm businesses – and the rural communities in which they live and do business.

Markets

COUNTRY MARKET



• CRAFT • COOK • GROW • FRESH

Sat, 4th September 8:30 -12:30 at One Tree Hill Institute



Kids, come and join the Lyndoch Community Market Yellow Brick Road at our next market on 11 September. A perfect opportunity to explore the market while collecting a few freebies along the way.

We will also have our very own side show alley with a few outdoor games set up for you to play for free.

Bookings for the Yellow Brick Road are essential with times at 11am, midday and 1pm available. Click on your preferred time below to book your spot. Additional sessions will be added if these book out.

11am session - <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/167996230247>

midday session -

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/167996545189>

1pm session -

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/167996793933>

FREE for kids aged 12 and under.

29 September 2020
International Day of
Awareness of Food Loss
and Waste





Arnold Park near the Ferry
Mannum Riverside Markets
 Featuring Duo Montagne
 9:00 am to 2:30 pm Sunday 5th September




MOUNT PLEASANT
SPRING Fling!
 11th September

MT PLEASANT SACWA
TRADING TABLE
 @ THE MARKET
 PLANTS, HANDMADE GOODS, SCONES,
 BOOKS & COUNTRY WOMAN MAGAZINES




MT TORRENS & DISTRICT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION PRESENTS
MT TORRENS MARKET
 LOCAL MARKET STALLS
 COFFEE & HOT DONUTS
 SAUSAGE SIZZLE
 RAFFLE
 ACOUSTIC MUSIC
 19 SEPTEMBER 2021 | 9:30 A.M- 2 P.M
 MT TORRENS COACH HOUSE,
 MAIN STREET OF MT TORRENS
 CONTACT: ADMIN@LITTLELOWCANDLECO.COM.AU



CASH AUCTION
 Tuesday 7th September
 @ Talunga Park
 Start 9.15am
 Bring your unwanted goods and turn them into cash.
 Tools, building materials, china, bric-a-brac, plants
 and antiques. Contact Peter on 0412910803.

St John Anglican Church
 Mount Pleasant



Evening Communion Service on
 the fourth Sunday of the month.
 Service commences at 5pm.
 A light meal and fellowship will
 be shared after the service.
 Fr Peter Bourne officiating.

— All Welcome —

Events

the next Sunday at the Barn 5th September

open mic - light meals available - licensed bar - from 11am
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL!

What are you doing on Father's Day - Sunday 5th September? Are you a musician? We'd love to hear you showcase your talent at the Old Barn near Sedan... or come along, bring your dad and be entertained.

Currently no dancing, seated eating & drinking, masks to be worn indoors when not eating or drinking (so make sure you bring your mask). Weather permitting, there will be outdoor tables set up (no mask required outdoors).

This event is going ahead unless the covid19 directives change prior to the event.

Doors open at 11am, right through to the muso's jam in the evening. Call or text Julie on 0413 314-749

Palmer Hotel



LAZY SUNDAYS from 12-2PM.
Sunshine, Seafood and Live Music.
Bookings: 85694054



Make some loot from your boot!



Date: Sunday 12th of September

Time: 9 – 1 pm **Sellers** from 8 am/ **Buyers** from 9 am

Venue: Mount Pleasant Primary School

(22 Hospital Road, Mount Pleasant)

Stall holders: \$20 per space (3m x 3m) BYO table, blankets, petty cash

Registration and payment due by:

Friday 3rd September

Forms available from school front office and local business please contact office on 85682170 to request a emailed registration form

How to register....

- Complete registration form
- Return it to Mount Pleasant Primary school with payment by due date



Food and drink stalls will be provided by school



MT PLEASANT CFS FUNDRAISER COMEDY NIGHT

BACK AGAIN!! OUR 6TH ANNUAL NIGHT OF HILARITY & COMMUNITY SPIRIT. GET YOUR FRIENDS AND COME LAUGH THE NIGHT AWAY.



KEHAU JACKSON



KEL BALNAVES



BEN DARSOW



GORDON SOUTHERN

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 2021

MT PLEASANT SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HALL

DOORS OPEN 7PM

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT MT PLEASANT POST OFFICE AND ONLINE \$30 PER PERSON (TABLES OF 8)

WWW.TICKETEBO.COM.AU/MTPLEASANTCFS

BYO DRINKS \$ NIBBLES & COINS.

GREAT RAFFLE PRIZES AND SPECIAL PRIZES

**RATED 15+ (STRONG LANGUAGE)

Post Office (Cash only payment available)

Father's Day – stuck for ideas?



What about a gift for Fathers Day!

A market Membership the perfect gift for Fathers Day!

ONLY \$55 for 12 months!

Open Wednesday to Sunday 10 am to 5pm.
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 phone 8568 2509
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 facebook.com/Movie-Books-Galore

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SEPT 15-21

purchase tickets from any of the hotels

\$180 PER PERSON
 BUS TRANSFERS
 ENTRY & FOOD
 BEER, WINE, SPIRITS
 FUN IN OUR OWN TENT

PA Williamstown HOTEL **MOUNT PLEASANT HOTEL & MOTEL**

Still stuck?

GLENGARRY & GLEN ROSS

FLYING PENGUIN PRODUCTIONS
 in association with BRINK PRODUCTIONS
 Pulitzer Prize winning play by
David Mamet
 "Ferocious and funny – a play to see and cherish forever"
 New York Post
 10 – 25 September

There's still Coopers, Recreate, Robber's Dog Distillery (who can go past a Dark & Stormy?), the Post Office has a range of good books and other lines, Lee's – if he's into bikes and such, Pet Birds Galore, perhaps meal vouchers from the pubs – sometimes the perfect gift is just a short walk down the street!



CHARLIE WATTS

London – August 24, 2021

A statement from his spokesperson:
 "It is with immense sadness that we announce the death of our beloved Charlie Watts. He passed away peacefully in a London hospital earlier today surrounded by his family."

Charlie was a cherished husband, father and grandfather and also as a member of The Rolling Stones one of the greatest drummers of his generation.

We kindly request that the privacy of his family, band members and close friends is respected at this difficult time."

Coming Events



Barossa Arts Centre



BAFFC FUNDRAISER
LUNCH/FASHION PARADE/SINGER

Thursday, October 14th, 2021
 11:30am to 3:00pm

Cost - \$55.00 pp
 Lamberts Winery - 55 Long Gully Road, Angaston

FASHION PARADE BY DRESSED 4 SUCCESS
AND SINGER/ENTERTAINER - RICK GREENING

INCLUDED:
 SPARKLING WINE ON ARRIVAL
 BAROSSA SHARED STYLE LUNCHEON AND PLATED DESSERT
 DRIPPY FILTER COFFEE AND TEA
 FASHION PARADE WITH DRESSED 4 SUCCESS
 SINGER BY ENTERTAINER - RICK GREENING
 TICKET DOOR PRIZES

ALSO AVAILABLE:
 RAFFLE TICKETS FOR PURCHASE
 BUBBLER COFFEE AND OTHER BEVERAGES FOR PURCHASE
 FASHIONS FROM DRESSED 4 SUCCESS FOR PURCHASE

Dressed 4 Success
LAMBERT ESTATE

Bookings Close October 1st, 2021
 For details or tickets phone Jill - 0427 002 610 or Jan - 0427 166 952
 Melinda from Dressed 4 Success - 0418 910 016

*** All money raised goes to Barossa Area Fundraisers for Cancer ***
 You could Wear Pink or Purple to show your support
OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

WE' LL WALK for CANCER
Sunday 10th October 2021
JOIN IN FOR A FUN AFTERNOON

Registration and Covid19 sign in between 12-1pm
Walkers Set off 1.00PM

WALK: 7kms Provenance Lawn - Kroemer Reserve (return)
OR
WALK: 14kms Provenance Lawn - Angaston Adventure Park (return)
REMEMBER WE ALL SHARE THE PATH WITH THE PUBLIC respect other users.

SAUSAGE SIZZLE AVAILABLE ALL AFTERNOON

Registration Adult \$20.00 : Student 10 yrs - 16 yrs \$10.00 : Child under 10 Yrs (With a paying Adult) FREE
 # Single Sausage (Via Food Ticket) #buff: Wrist Band (Paying Rego Only)
 # baffc Stubbie Holder (Adult Only)

Please Register via our website: www.baffc.com.au

PAYMENT DIRECT DEBIT is preferred With Description We'll Walk for Cancer.
 Or Cash Payment on the day between 12-1pm. Paper Registration forms are also available at selected locations.

THEME Wear Something PURPLE

YOU ARE ENCOURAGED TO COLLECT ADDITIONAL SPONSORSHIP MONEY FOR YOUR EFFORT. PLEASE FORWARD ALL ADDITIONAL MONIES RAISED TO THE Registration Desk ON THE Day during registration time 12-1pm.
 Further information Please contact Robyn MB: 0402 250 532
 ALL PROCEEDS TO BAROSSA AREA FUNDRAISERS FOR CANCER INC.

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Our Next Show
 The World Premiere of
 the Comedy With Music

99 Years Young
 By Kate Farrer

Fri 19, Sat 20, Sun 21
 Sat 27, Sun 28 Nov. 2021

MT PLEASANT CHRISTMAS TWILIGHT FARMERS MARKET
Thursday 23 December
5pm - 9pm

Dinner Stalls
 Music
 Father Christmas
 Easy Parking
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September calendar

SHOWBAGS

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Events

Date	Event	Details
4, 11, 18, & 25 ALSO ONLINE	MP Farmers' Market & Spring Fling!	8-12, Saturdays @ Talunga Park
5	Father's Day	At your place
12	Primary School Car Boot Sale	See events
18	CFS Comedy Night	See events

Meetings

Committee / Group / Organisation	Details
CFS Training	Every Tuesday @ 7pm
CWA	1 st Tuesday, 1.30pm @ Soldiers' Memorial Hall
CWA Craft Group	1 st and third Tuesdays, 9.30am to 12.30am @ Soldiers' Memorial Hall
Friends of the Mount Pleasant Hospital	10am, 2 nd Tuesday in month
Men's' Shed	Open Monday & Wednesday from 9am. Social distancing rules apply
MP District History	1-4pm, every Thursday @ History Room, SM Hall
MP Farmers' Market	8-12, every Saturday @ Talunga Park (unless otherwise advertised)
MP Inc	6.30pm, 2 nd Tuesday @ SM Hall
MP Fitness Group	Talunga Park Pavilion - Thursdays
MP Photography Group	2 nd and 4 th Tuesdays – 9.30am @ Men's Shed- \$5 a session
MP Show Society	2 nd Monday @ Talunga Park
MP Spinners & Craft Group	St John's Church Hall, 10-3 on Wednesdays (0448 150 015)
MP Table Tennis	7.30pm, every Wednesday @ BHS Gym
Playgroup	9.30-11.30am, every Friday @ MP Kindy
Pleasant Painters	2 nd & 4 th Friday from 10am-2pm, @ MP Library
Red Cross	Bi-Monthly, 1.30pm, 4 th Thurs @ SM Hall
RSL Social	1 st Tuesday - Social gathering
RSL Meeting	Alternate month, last Sunday - Bi-Monthly meeting
St John's Card Group (500)	1 st Thursday every month. 12 noon start. \$10 for 2 course meal + beverages.
Writers' Group	Please email: Dwainecelie@gmail.com

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