TUNGKILLO



TIMES

MARCH 2024

TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC

EDITION 03

TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC.

TUNGKILLO MONSTER AUCTION

10am Sunday 14TH of April 2024



Donated & Commissioned goods invited

Reserved Items Welcomed.

Please NO Mattresses. Child's Car Seats, Broken or Faulty Good



Unsold goods remain the property of the vendor.

CAKE & PRODUCE STALLS, RAFFLE, FOOD & DRINK. HOBBY & MARKET STALLS!

Books, Clothes, Bric-a-brac, Electrical Items, Work Tools, Furniture, Garden Items, Antiques, Firewood, Household Sundries,

Poultry and much much more!



Good Accepted Saturday 13th April 3pm - 5pm Sunday 14th April: 7am - 9:30am

Have lots of small items?
Consider booking a stall for \$15.
Contact the Tungkillo Progress Club Inc at
TungkilloPCSecretary@gmail.com
or Mandy Lintern 0427 040 965

CASH & CHEQUE OR EFT PAYMENTS ACCEPTED

ID WILL BE REQUIRED FOR BIDDERS AND VENDORS, ADMIN FEE FOR ALL ITEMS SOLD. \$20 FEE FOR ALL ITEMS RESERVED AT \$500 OR MORE, PLUS COMMISSION. WHERE THE COMBINED TOTAL VALUE OF GOODS SOLD BY ONE VENDOR IS \$3.00 OR LESS, IT WILL BECOME A DONATION TO THE TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC.

Auctioneer: Ashley Fawcett



Editor's Note:

The Tungkillo Monster Auction was first held in 1990. It began as a means of raising funds to build the Tungkillo Soldiers' Memorial Hall. The first auctions were held on James Law's property. They moved to the Memorial Park in 1995, after the construction of the amenities block. The BBQ was also installed in 1995 followed by the shelter shed in 1996.

The Hall was completed and opened in 2003. There has been an annual auction since 1990. Looking to the future, this year's auction funds will be used towards 'greening ' up the grounds around the hall to make it user friendly for the community. We hope to see you in the crowd on auction day!!!

Best Regards, Christine and Sue Ps. Feedback on the new hard copy format is most welcome.



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Neil Day

Annette Elmslie

Genevieve Hebart

Jane Rollond Debbie Younger Robert Guthrie Vicki Daly Sandy Piper

Happy birthday to all those born in March!

Sorry if we missed you,

Please send us a message so we can include your birthday in the future.

TUNGKILLO COMMUNITY POST BOXES



Open daily Monday - Friday from 9:30am – 11:30am.

Please feel free to speak to Joyleen on 0409 067 714 for any postal or printing queries you may have during these hours, and she will help you, there are still Post Boxes available.



The Tungkillo Progress Club Inc. Committee would like to thank Reid Print for kindly coming on board and printing our Tungkillo Times Newsletter.

If anyone has any printing they wish to have done professionally, please think local and of Reid Print.



WHAT'S ON AT THE











THIS HALL IS FOR HIRE!

Birthdays, reunions, family get togethers and more.

With a range of equipment available this hall can be used for a large range of events.

Please contact the Tungkillo Progress Club Inc. Secretary Anne on 0473 469 835 to book or for further information.



FEBRUARY TWILIGHT MARKET

A big thank you to all stall holders and everyone that attended. Even though the evening was cool, there was still a good turnout. The market was a pleasant evening with friendly faces and pleasant conversation. Our evening started with a great response to the Easter raffle. Friday, March 22nd is our final Tungkillo Twilight Market until daylight saving starts again in October. The dates and times will be advertised in August this year.

DRAWING OF THE EASTER RAFFLE.

First prize is a giant chocolate rabbit!

Tickets are available at the Mt. Pleasant Post Office or on the night of the market. Tickets are \$2 each or three for \$5

The following stalls have already booked in for this last market.

Rick and Tanya - Vegetables

Naomi - Cup cakes, jewellery, and native foods.

Krunch - Freeze dried lollies.

Kerry - Diffusers with essential oils.

Recreate - Variety stall!

Vicki - Variety stall.

Libby - Beautiful cards and gift ideas, designer socks.

Glynnis - Bric- A- Brac.

Jan - Art on wood gift ideas

Heather - Yummy bath treats

Alice - Framed artwork

Niccola - Variety of home-made jams

Kerry -Bric A Brac

Kirstin - Plants and seedlings

Adrian - Books

Face painting

Anyone interested in booking a stall it's only \$15.00 call 0439195352 to book your spot.

A pencil and colouring-in table will be set up for children not to mention a FREE Easter egg and Free icy pole for every child.















FEBRUARY BINGO

Our first bingo night for the year, held on Saturday 17th February 2024 was a bit quieter than some previous bingo evenings, but all 26 people that did attend had a wonderful time.

Amy Kelly was very happy to win the meat tray, other raffle prize winners on the night were Stevo, Micha, Diana, Maxine, Hayley Kelly & Joyleen Burton.



Marylon Schumacher was the lucky winner of the big money at the end of the night.

Congratulations to all the winners on the night.

Thanks to Joyleen Burton & Mandy Lintern for their raffle prize donation.

Next Bingo evening will be held on Saturday the 25th of May 2024. We hope to see you there.







"SUMMER CARD LUNCHEON"



A very special card luncheon to start the year off on Thursday, 15th February 2024.

Our oldest card player, Ross Vogt, turned 101 on the day. Elaine Day made Ross a cake that was shared at afternoon tea time, Everyone sung Happy Birthday to Ross. Ross gave a little speech, thanking all for their birthday wishes & Elaine for the cake. Ross is still playing cards with the best of them & has been coming from Kapunda to the Tungkillo card luncheons for approximately 15years.

Ross has written two autobiographies over the years. He has had a very interesting & busy life. Sadly, his wife Grace passed away 20 years ago.

A photo of Ross & Elaine appeared in the The Leader a couple of weeks ago. We wish Ross all the best for many more birthdays to come.

Card winners on the day were: Neil Collette & Glad.
Neil Day & Maxine received the boobie prizes on the day.
Marg beat Daryl at the game of Rummie.

Once again, thanks so much to all our helpers on the day. You are very much appreciated. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone here for our autumn card luncheon on Thursday, the 18th of April 2024.



Joyleen Burton, TPC Committee Member

TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC.

OCAL EVENTS



9 March 16 March

23 March

TANUNDA SHOW

MT PLEASANT SHOW

MT BARKER SHOW

HIA: 9 & 10 Mar

HIA: 16 & 17 Mar

HIA: 24 Mar

SENIORS: Horses-in-Action, Fruit, Jams Jellies & Preserves, Floral Art, Needlework & Crafts, Sheep, Beef Cattle

JUNIORS: Stock Handler/Junior Judging (Sheep, Cattle, Wool), Poultry, Eggs, Fruit

ROYAL A&HS MEDALLION: Sheep

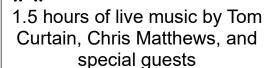
CDSA/SCSA PERPETUAL TROPHY: Horse & Rider cdsashows@gmail.com

TOM CURTAIN'S OUTBACK **EXPERIENCE SHOW**

Mt. Pleasant showgrounds Sunday March 31st, 2024

4pm - 6:30pmGates open from 3pm

1 hour Katherine Outback Experience Show of real horse training & working dog demos.



Purchase tickets online \$40 (events.humanitix.com) At the gate \$50





Are you involved with a community event? Contact us to advertise in our next edition!



Up-coming May event

A wine evening with Ian Baxter showcasing New Era Wines

DATE: 18th of May 2024

TIME: 7 – 9pm.

COST: Tickets available now \$25.00.

To book, please contact Kerry on 0469 195 352.



Palmer Collier Park Community Association.

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Located at the Palmer Pavilion

Doors open at 6.30pm

EYES DOWN AT 7PM

Raffles on the night

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Tea and Coffee available

April 6th

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WHAT'S ON AT YOUR LOCAL LIBRARY????

Mt Pleasant Library

Times: Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm Closed for lunch 12:30pm – 1:30pm



Mt Pleasant Twisted Threads Mondays

A local and friendly group meeting weekly to share skills and enjoy the creativity of threading, knitting, weaving, and felting.

All skills levels welcome. Returning in May 2024

For further information phone 8563 8440



WIGGLE & WONDER

Wednesdays

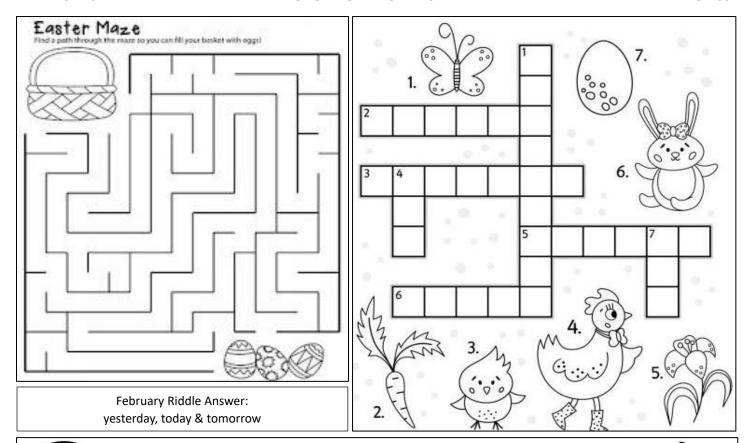
10am (during school term)
Birth to 5 years

Weekly program involving songs, stories, movement, and play. Connect with other families while kids learn and have fun.

> FREE!! Bookings essential

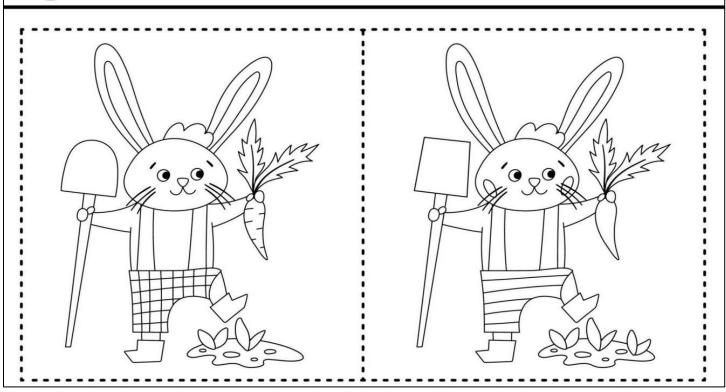
MT PLEASANT GROUPS & ORGANIZATIONS MEETING TIMES

| Committee / Group / Organization | Details |
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| Mt Pleasant Men's' Shed | Open Monday & Wednesday from 9am |
| Mt Pleasant Red Cross | Bi-Monthly, 1.30pm, 4th Thurs @MP Hall |
| Mt Pleasant Playgroup | 9.30-11.30am, every Friday @ MP Kindy |
| Friends of the Mt Pleasant Hospital | 10am, 2nd Tuesday in month |
| Mt Pleasant Farmers' Market | 8-12, every Saturday @ Talunga Park |
| Mt Pleasant Fitness Group | 10am, Thursdays - Talunga Park Pavilion |
| Mt Pleasant RSL Social | 1st Tuesday - Social gathering @ RSL Hall |
| SACWA | 1.00pm, 1st Tuesday @MP Soldiers' Memorial Hall |





Spot 5 differences



CROSSWORD ANSWERS: 1. BUTTERFLY 2.CARROT 3. CHICKEN 4.HEN 5.FLOWER 6.BUNNY 7.EGG

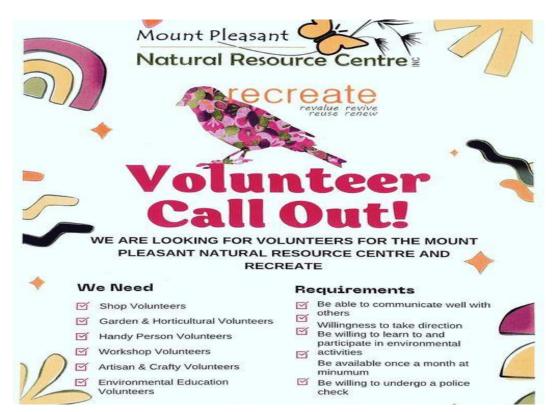
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The Mt. Pleasant Natural Resource Centre was established in 2000 to provide a forum for sustainability issues. The centre also initiated the Mt. Pleasant Farmers' Market, and then redeveloped the council property behind the library as a community garden and Recreate, a centre promoting sustainable living. Recreate also provides a variety of environmental information. Artists can sell their handmade crafts made from repurposed or recycled materials, on consignment at Recreate.

Workshops with an environmental focus are held in our 'Share Shed' as well as being a resource for visitors to purchase a variety of surplus goods including sewing and craft materials, metal and plastic.

The centre also has a salvage yard, a favourite place to fossick for a bargain. The community garden is a great space to wander through and purchase seedlings and plants, and we have a worm farm too! The program for this year's events will be circulated soon.



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Myoporum Parvifolium

Myoporum is a prostrate ground cover which can form a broad mat of foliage of up to 3 meters in length and approximately 30cms in height. There are around 16 species found in Australia. These wonderful plants are a great weed suppressant plant for slopes and hard to reach places.

Myoporum parviflorum is better known as creeping boobialla and is a lovely ground cover that is prefers a sunny position with well-draining soil and hot days will do wonders. If grown in shade the plant will become sparsely foliaged. Myoporum is endemic to Southern Australia. There are three different types of this plant.

- Fine leaf form
- Broad leaf form
- Purple leaf form



All these plants are extremely tough, soft to walk on, occasionally could even be used in light traffic areas for a substitute for a lawn. They are a fast growing, salt, drought, and light frost tolerant plant. Flowers are a beautiful small delicate star shaped and will flower over a long time, usually from Spring to Autum in the correct conditions. Flowers attract a wide range of insects, bees, and birds. This plant is also fire-resistant.

Myoporum have very few pests but can become susceptible to the Myoporum thrip (Klambothrips myopori), spider mites and Chocolate root rot (Chocolate root rot- is a fungus that attacks the roots, and this causes the leaves to turn yellow and wilt, this begins on the tips of the branches. Very quickly all leaves will fall off, the fungus forms a dark brown to black crust on the trunk with a white margin, often with clear drops of liquid. Crusts can grow up to 1 meter in length).

Propagation is easy to do with this plant. Cutting off hardened and current growth strikes easily, cuttings should be 8-12 cm long either the soft tips or the semi-hard cuttings, can be placed back into soil but the preferred method is to strip the bottom leaves and place in a jar of water, roots should start to form approximately within 3 weeks.

"Plants in the Spotlight"

Echeveria Elegans or more commonly known as "Hen and Chickens", is an unusual succulent in that it forms dense rosettes of blue/grey leaves that are tinted on the margins and produce bell shaped flowers on these stalks.

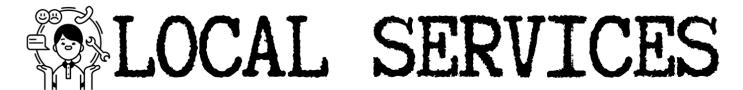
Propagation is by removing the offsets (or chickens) in spring or summer, which form readily. Simply twist or cut off and replant to form your next colony.

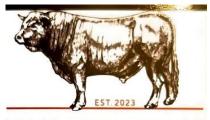
They grow well in pots or are an excellent feature for dry landscapes like mine. Full sun, attracts birds and bees/ladybirds, low on water, marginal frost tolerance.



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Dates 2023/24 Season - Time: 8am-12pm

- * September 16th 2023
- October 21st 2023
- November 18th 2023
- December 16th 2023 * January 20th 2024
- * February 17th 2024
 - March 2024 no market * April 20th 2024

 - * May 18th 2024

Note: No market in March due to Mt. Pleasant Show

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EMERGENCY & INFORMATION

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| Mt. Pleasant Police | (08) 8568 2023 |
| Mannum Police | (08) 8569 2211 |
| Mt. Pleasant Hospital | (08) 8568 0000 |
| Mt. Pleasant Surgery (Talunga Clinic) | (08) 8568 0080 |
| Mt. Pleasant CFS | (08) 8568 2722 |
| Fire Ban Information | 1300 362 316 |
| Lifeline | 131114 |
| S.A. Water Emergency (Country) | 1300 880 337 |
| S.A. Power Networks | 131366 |
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JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

| David Lean (Mt. Pleasant) | 0400 268 223 |
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COUNCILLOR FOR SHEARER WARD – Mid-Murray Council

Cr. Victoria Hammond (08) 8569 0100

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Email: postbox@mid-murray.sa.gov.au Online: www.mid-murray.sa.gov.au

Are you aware:

Gumeracha Hospital has a Nurse-led Clinic which provides after hours care for people living in the area, providing urgent non-emergency care needs. This service is available for people 10 years+ and will include virtual medical support when required. Hours are Mon – Fri 4pm – 8pm, Sat – Sun 10am – 4 pm by appointment only. Phone 8209 9220 from 1pm weekdays and from 9am on weekends. There is no charge Medicare card holders.

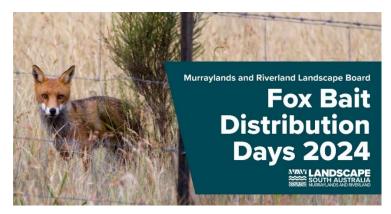
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Discounted baits are available to help control foxes in the Murraylands.

Managing the impact of foxes on the local landscape is most successful when neighbours coordinate baiting efforts at the same time. To assist landholders to manage foxes, the Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board is offering discounted fox baits to landholders in the Murraylands. Landholders can pre-order discounted baits to collect at upcoming collection days in February and March.



For more information, go to https://www.landscape.sa.gov.au/mr/pest-plants-animals/managing-pests/fox-bait-distribution-days-2024

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Council regularly publishes information and seeks feedback from the community. If you would like to subscribe to receive up to date information via email, email the Council on mmccommunications@mid-murray.sa.gov.au using "subscribe" as the subject or call us on 8569 0100.

Tungkillo Transfer Station is open the fourth Saturday of the month.

Opening hours: 8:00am - 9:00am

March 23rd May 25th April 27th June 22nd

Tungkillo resident's waste bins are collected on Monday

Please Note: The free green waste disposal is on Saturday April 13th at Tungkillo.

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