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Concerns were recently raised that paid parking could potentially be implemented at the new Mount Barker Hospital. Photo: Georgina McKay. INSET: Independent Candidate for Kavel Matt Schultz and Member for Kavel Dan Cregan discussing the parking issues on site.

**Tour Down Under takes cycling to the Adelaide Hills for another year...**

# WHEEL OF FORTUNE

By Georgina McKay

The state's largest cycling event returns in January where it will travel through Meadows, Strathalbyn and Macclesfield in one of the men's stages, putting an international spotlight on the Hills Fleurieu region once again.

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Gareth and Angela Andrews with the Best Blended Malt Whisky award at the recent Melbourne Royal Australian International Spirits Awards.

Fleurieu Distillery wins multiple awards in Melbourne



By Giorgina McKay

Goolwa distillers Gareth and Angela Andrews have put the Fleurieu on the map once again – this time internationally – by taking out the trophy for Best Blended Malt Whisky and a Royal Consistency of Excellence at the recent Melbourne Royal Australian International Spirits Awards.

Established in 2015, it's the first and largest awards program in Australia, recognising innovation and excellence in distilling, and this year accepted international entries for the first time.

Out of 826 entries, 103 received gold, 372 silver and 281 bronze medals, while 24 received trophies, including the Fleurieu Distillery which took home Best Blended Malt Whisky for *Country to Coast* #6 – its sixth collaboration with New South Wales' Black Gate Distillery.

It was also recognised with the Melbourne Royal Consistency of Excellence Award, which is presented to products that have received a gold medal for three consecutive years.

"That continuation over the years of constantly winning gold – we're chuffed," Mr Andrews said.

"It's just really good to be appreciated for consistently high-scoring whiskys.

"We do lots of blends with different distilleries but (*Country to Coast*) in particular is a favourite of ours.

"Every year it's slightly different – we try to highlight a different aspect of the whisky.

"Each year they go this is fabulous, so no complaints there."

The pair also took home gold in Australian Single Malt Whisky Unsmoked for *Telemachus*, Australian Single Malt Whisky Smoked for *The Palace of Humbug*, Australian Single Malt Cask Strength Whisky Smoked for *Mary Ann*, and Australian Blended Malt Whisky for *Country to Coast* #6, as well as silver in Australian Single Malt Cask Strength Whisky Unsmoked for *Here Comes The Flood*.

Five of these are brand-new whiskies that will be released for winter, which, in addition to beating out international entries, made the award wins more significant.

"It was lovely to be in an Australian and international awards competition and to

win," Mr Andrews said.

"I think over the years, in the future, we'll see more overseas distilleries get involved."

On top of the Melbourne awards, the pair received an added surprise on their return home, with the announcement they had taken home Champion Whisky – again for *Country to Coast* #6 – at the Royal Queensland Distilled Spirits Awards.

They also took home two silvers in the Single Malt category – one for *Telemachus* and the other for *The Palace of Humbug* – gold in Blended for *Country to Coast* #6, and both the gold and silver in Single Cask – first for *Mary Ann* and secondly for *Here Comes The Flood*.

"It's not just good for us, it's good for the whole Wharf Precinct," Mr Andrews said.

"Having different things to see and do really adds to the vibrancy and dynamics of the wharf, so we're chuffed to be able to support all of that.

"And it's good for the whole Fleurieu Peninsula – everyone knows about the food and wine, but having all these awards for spirits just really shows what a fantastic area we live in."

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# Clubs receive drought relief

Dozens of local sport and active recreation clubs impacted by drought have secured vital support under a new grant program helping to ease financial pressures and keep communities active.

The Regional Drought Relief Round – introduced by the State Government – enables clubs to access up to \$5000 to continue providing programs and services in regional communities.

“Sporting clubs are at the heart of our regional communities, they bring people together during the tough times and the good,” Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development, Clare Scriven, said.

“So many of our regional communities are doing it tough right now, and investing in their sustainability means investing in their local facilities.

“This funding, in some cases, will be the difference that enables them to have safe and functional facilities that properly serve their players and playing community.”

Applications for the new and additional round of the Active Club Program were assessed and approved on a rolling basis, allowing clubs to access and use the funds quickly to address urgent needs.

More than 600 recipients will share in \$1.75 million in drought relief funding, including:

- \$1500**
  - Girl Guides South Australia Incorporated (Murray Bridge)
  - Girl Guides South Australia Incorporated (Victor Harbor)
  - Goolwa Hockey Club Incorporated
  - Goolwa Rowing Club Incorporated
  - Langhorne Creek Bowling Club Incorporated
  - Macclesfield Netball Club Incorporated
  - Mount Barker Swimming Club Inc
  - Mountain Pony Club Incorporated
  - Murray Bridge and District Table Tennis

- Association Incorporated
  - Murray Bridge Little Athletics Centre Incorporated
  - Murray Bridge Rowing Club Incorporated
  - Strathalbyn Pony Club Incorporated
  - Strathalbyn Target Archers Incorporated
  - The Mount Compass Community Tennis Club Incorporated
  - The Scout Association of Australia SA Branch (Goolwa Scout Group)
  - The Scout Association of Australia SA Branch (Mount Barker Scout Branch)
  - Victor Harbor Riding Club Incorporated
  - Victor Harbor Tennis Club Incorporated
- \$3000**
  - Adelaide Hills Karate Club Incorporated (Murray Bridge)
  - Adelaide Hills Tigers Rugby League Club Incorporated (Callington)
  - Bridgewater Callington Raiders Football Club Incorporated
  - Clayton Bay Boat Club Incorporated
  - Competitive Pistol and Shooting Club Incorporated Monarto
  - Goolwa Aquatic Club Incorporated
  - Goolwa Surf Life Saving Club Incorporated
  - Great Southern Table Tennis Association Incorporated
  - Langhorne Creek Cricket Club Incorporated
  - Lutheran Tennis Club Murray Bridge Incorporated
  - Macclesfield Cricket Club Incorporated
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  - Mount Compass Cricket Club Incorporated
  - Mt Compass Netball Club Incorporated
  - Mt Barker District Athletics Centre Incorporated
  - Mt Barker Cricket Club Incorporated
  - Murray Bridge Bowling Club

- Incorporated
    - Murray Bridge Darts Club Incorporated
    - Port Elliot Bowling Club Incorporated
    - Strathalbyn Bowling Club Incorporated
    - Strathalbyn Netball Club Incorporated
    - Murraylands Gymnastics Academy Incorporated (Murray Bridge)
    - The Murray Bridge Imperial Netball Club Incorporated
    - The Strathalbyn Cricket Club Incorporated
    - YMCA South Australia Incorporated (Strathalbyn Community Swimming Pool)
  - \$5000**
    - Goolwa Recreation Ground Management Committee Incorporated
    - Goolwa Regatta Yacht Club Incorporated
    - Mount Barker-Hahndorf Golf Club Incorporated
    - Mount Barker United Soccer Club Incorporated
    - The Strathalbyn Football Club Incorporated
    - The Strathalbyn Racing Club Incorporated
    - YMCA South Australia Incorporated (Fleurieu Aquatic Centre)
    - Strathalbyn Polo and Recreation Grounds Management Committee Incorporated
- Grants can be used to implement water-saving and drought-resilient measures, support energy efficient initiatives and deliver utility bill relief, and towards essential costs like equipment, uniforms and professional development, removing barriers to participation and encouraging more people to get involved in community sport and recreation.
- This program forms part of the State Government’s \$73 million drought support package, aimed at boosting wellbeing, resilience and economic recovery in communities affected by prolonged dry conditions.



Mount Barker District Councillor Harry Seager was recognised for serving 10 years as an elected member.

## Councillor milestone

By Tara Nash

Mount Barker District Councillor Harry Seager recently received an award from Local Government Association of SA recognising his 10 years of service as an elected member.

“I came onto council to serve my community... it has been a very interesting time, I have learned an awful lot about how council works and local government works and about how it’s not always easy,” Cr Seager said during a recent meeting.

“You have to make difficult decisions and we will continue to make difficult decisions when we’re called on to do so.

“I would encourage all my fellow councillors to keep their noses to the grindstone and continue to keep doing the hard work that we’re doing on behalf of our community.”

The Callington resident serves in the council’s North Ward.



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# Paid parking concerns raised for new hospital

Paid parking could potentially be implemented at the new Mt Barker Hospital. Paid parking is implemented at the state's metropolitan public hospitals, with some exemptions. Mount Barker Hospital does not charge parking fees, but concerns were raised by local residents and staff recently that it could be implemented at the new multi-million-dollar facility once completed. Independent Candidate for Kavel Matt Schultz claimed nurses and allied health staff, along with patients, particularly those for regular chemotherapy and dialysis, had approached him about the issue. He wrote a letter to Health Minister Chris Picton, calling on the State Government to rule out introducing paid parking at the new hospital for fears it could run the risk of "stretching people even further". "With a new 600-space multi-deck carpark about to enter construction at the hospital site, local staff have been calling on the State Government to rule out paid parking," Mr Schultz said. "You think about a lot of the people that need to access it – you've got people that are elderly, on pensions, and low-socioeconomic backgrounds – and they're the types of people who will struggle to find that extra money to access what is an essential service. "We know in the Adelaide metropolitan health sector that paid parking is in place at the public hospitals – both staff and patients – and we just don't think that's the right thing for Mount Barker Hospital, and the reason for that is because Mount Barker Hospital is part of the Regional Health Network, so it is effectively part of Country SA Primary Health Network. "Mount Barker is still a regional community serving the entire Hills, and staff and patients cannot afford to be propping up the State Budget through paid parking. "We need the Health Minister to rule out

revenue raising at Mount Barker." The new multi-deck car park will add 372 car parks on the site in addition to the extra 283 on-grade parks expected by the end of the project. The operating details are yet to be determined. "Car parking is currently available for staff and consumers at no cost, with operating details for the new multi-deck car park yet to be determined," Barossa Hills Fleurieu Local Health Network Chief Executive Officer, Bronwyn Masters, told *The Southern Argus*. "We thank our community, visitors, staff and neighbouring service providers for their patience and understanding. "We look forward to new and improved car parking capacity in the coming months." Mr Schultz has launched an online petition to 'stop paid parking' at the hospital which can be signed at (<https://www.change.org/p/stop-paid-parking-at-mount-barker-hospital>). In the meantime, the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation SA Branch (ANMF SA) is working to support members following the closure of the onsite car parks at the Mount Barker District Soldiers Memorial Hospital while the new multi-deck car park is under construction. It is not aware of any plans to implement paid parking at the hospital. "ANMF SA advocates on behalf of members' need to access safe and accessible carparking nearby their place of work," Adj Associate Professor and ANMF (SA Branch) CEO/Secretary, Elizabeth Dabars, said. "We are working with the Barossa Hills Fleurieu Local Health Network (BHFLHN) to ensure there is appropriate parking available for staff members in both the shorter and long-term."



Independent Candidate for Kavel Matt Schultz has raised concerns from local community members and staff about paid parking potentially being implemented at the new Mount Barker Hospital currently being built.

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SA Tourism Commission Chief Executive Officer Emma Terry with Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven at the Fleurieu Food Festival launch event. Photos: Ben Macmahon

## 25 YEARS AGO

from the files of the Southern Argus

THURSDAY, JULY 20TH, 2000

A Commendation certificate was awarded to the South Australian Wooden Boat Festival held at Goolwa at last week's SA Tourism Awards held at the Adelaide Convention Centre. The SA Wooden Boat Festival was judged 'Best Regional Festival' at the Fleurieu Tourism Awards this year and decided to go ahead, take one step more and enter the SA Tourism Awards in a similar category. It was a big first for the Wooden Boat Festival in entering, with a submission prepared by Chris and Jude Crabtree with full details of the festival past and future. The committee announced that they have already received over 100 entries for 2001.

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Church of Christ, Strathalbyn was comfortably crowded for the last service to be conducted in this parish by the Revd. Canon Alex Bainton on Sunday, July 16. As the congregation entered the church, each person signed a lovely card provided by Warden Jeanne Merchant. Representatives from other churches were present. Cheryl Bainton's parents were present and Nicholas and Timothy Bainton ably assisted their father as servers.

# Fleurieu Food launches month-long festival

By Giorgina McKay

The tastes and sights of the Fleurieu will be highlighted for the fourth year through the Fleurieu Food Festival, which was officially launched at an event last Thursday.

Local producers and artisans came together with some special guests, including Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven and SA Tourism Commission Chief Executive Officer Emma Terry, at Vale Restaurant and Bar to launch the brochure and month-long event featuring the flavours, people and places that make the Fleurieu "a foodie's paradise".

More than 70 events will take place across 18 towns in August, from a long lunch at Peninsula Providore to a farm walking tour

at Feather and Peck to a pizza making and wine pairing masterclass at Chandlers Hill to a sweet treat for kids at Victa Cinema.

Fleurieu Food Board Chair Mel Hollick said the festival showcases the "depth and breadth" of the whole Fleurieu.

"August is probably the quietest month for visitation in the year, so we're just trying to inspire people to come down and enjoy our winter hospitality," she said.

"If you look at the Fleurieu, it's always busy and bustling over summer, but everybody struggles to keep the doors open during August, so it's a great way to inspire visitation.

"We really are only an hour from Adelaide and people come down a couple of weekends in that month if they want to, which is fabulous."



Nikita Hann and Kendehl Heinze from KS Delicious Catering.

## 50 YEARS AGO

from the files of the Southern Argus

THURSDAY, JULY 24TH, 1975

Mr. W. E. Chapman (Ted) (Liberal candidate) was declared elected to the seat of Alexandra in the State Parliament elections for voting which took place on Saturday, July 12. It will be clear from the figures for the 34 various polling booths that Mr. Chapman was a clear leader in all with the exception of Rapid Bay (B.H.P.). Voting figures of the 12,202 of the 13,075 on the roll saw Chapman W.E. 6260, Glazbrook D.R. 2770, Graham G.F. 433, Newell R.J. 2445, Informal 294.

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Mr. Cox, Principal of the Goolwa Primary School, has been advised by the Regional Office that a shed to house the tractor donated by Mr. Ross Stone of Port Elliot and mower have been put on the list. Meanwhile, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gainsbury have kindly consented to allow the use of their shed. The recent paper drive by the school raised \$27.

## 100 YEARS AGO

from the files of the Southern Argus

THURSDAY, JULY 23RD, 1925

The annual meeting of the Middleton Soldiers Memorial Gardens was held in the Institute Hall when the following were elected; President Mr. D. W. McLeod; Vice-Presidents Messrs. W. R. Lovell, H. S. Cope and E. A. Luxmoore, Treasurer Mr. H. I. Ellis; Auditor Mr. A.S.M.Lovell, Secretary Mr. W. W. Hargreaves. The bank balance showed 52 pounds and tenders called for 70 yards of limestone for improvements to the Soldiers' Gardens.

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At the annual meeting of the Strathalbyn Agricultural Society it was reported that the grounds committee had authorised alterations to the cattle and sheep yards, also the erection of 30 new stalls for horses (Mr. John Richardson generously donating 30 posts), and more seating accommodation. Complaints were made as to the damage done by sporting clubs and hire of the grounds and buildings.

Darren Burgess, Stuart Riddell and Rhett Day share a drink together.



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SA Premier Peter Malinauskas checking out the impacts of the algal bloom on Monday.

## Funding for algal bloom at last

The State Government has signed off on a \$28 million harmful algal bloom support package while its Federal counterpart has chipped in \$14 million for the recovery efforts.

The State Government has been actively monitoring and testing waters across the state, and has established an algal bloom taskforce and reference group to help industries and stakeholders respond to and recover from the algal bloom.

In its latest course of action, the State Government requested assistance for the Federal Government on Sunday, which pledged \$14 million towards helping the state deal with the toxic outbreak, though the finer details of what the funding will be used for have yet to be confirmed.

SA Premier Peter Malinauskas also met with scientists and marine biologists on Monday to further examine the harmful algal bloom and advance the State Government's response, and convened an Emergency Management Committee of Cabinet on Tuesday, where a comprehensive package covering industry support, science and research, communications, community support, and clean-up was approved.

Key measures in the next stage of the harmful algal bloom support package include:

- Coastal Monitoring Network: investing in expanded early detection and monitoring of harmful algal bloom species through real-time sensors (buoys), satellite imagery and oceanographic modelling, with rapid detection of harmful algal blooms and early warning systems for industry.
- New national testing laboratory in SA for harmful algal bloom and brevetoxin/biotoxin testing.
- Rapid assessment of fish stocks and fisheries to quantify impact.
- Citizen Science: rapid meta-analysis of citizen science records and documented ecological impacts to provide a baseline understanding from which to assess recovery.
- Community fund to support activities and small projects in affected communities.
- Beach clean-up funding for Local Government to assist cleaning up dead fish

and marine life.

- \$10,000 Small Business Support Grants for eligible small businesses.

- Financial counselling, mental health support and workforce advice to assist small businesses impacted by the harmful algal bloom.

The Harmful Algal Bloom Taskforce will meet every Thursday, with a media conference to follow to keep the public informed on latest developments.

"The State Government has been developing a deliberately calibrated suite of measures for the next stage of our response to this unprecedented harmful algal bloom," Premier Malinauskas said.

"We have been engaging with key stakeholders, industry and communities to ensure our response is targeted to where it is needed most.

"This comprehensive package covers industry support, science and research, communications, community support and clean up.

"I want to thank the Commonwealth for their contribution of \$14 million towards this effort.

"As a government, this represents the next stage of our response to this developing natural disaster, and we stand ready to deliver additional support if and when it is needed."

Meanwhile, the Southern and Hills Local Government Association Board met last Friday to discuss the issue.

They have written a letter delivered to Federal Minister for Environment Murray Watts while on his visit to South Australia on Monday.

"I fully supported the comments that, if it was Bondi Beach, it would've been a national disaster two months ago," Alexandrina Mayor, Keith Parkes, said at Monday night's council meeting.

"This is a serious situation – it's not going to go away quickly."

The state's Opposition has also criticised the government for failing to declare the bloom as a national disaster.

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The Fleurieu is growing rapidly. We hear talk of major planning visions like the Greater Adelaide Regional Plan, linking Victor Harbor and Goolwa to Adelaide via the "southern spine." Yet despite all this planning talk, vital infrastructure like the Victor Harbor and Goolwa Roads are being ignored.

The Department for Infrastructure and Transport cancelled the planned overtaking lane and centre barrier project near Cut Hill



—without community consultation or explanation. Land had been purchased, services relocated, and the community was expecting action. We now ask: where has that funding gone?

I've long called for a staged duplication of the Victor Harbor Road from Adelaide to Victor. With traffic volumes ranging from 27,300 (2025) vehicles near McLaren Vale to 8,100 (2023) near Victor, and more growth on the way, this planning must begin now.



We also need serious attention paid to congestion between Goolwa and Victor Harbor, including a potential bypass behind Middleton and Port Elliot. This isn't just about convenience—it's about futureproofing a growing community and reducing risk.

While Labor spends 93% of road funding in metro Adelaide—mostly on the \$15.4 billion North-South Corridor—regional communities are left behind. Our local roads, like Hindmarsh Tiers Road, Goolwa Road, Alexandrina Road and Inman Valley Road, are cracked, potholed, and dangerous.

The government admits that serious crashes are on the rise, yet we see no evidence of proactive safety investment in our region.



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Scam session to combat community cybercrime

By Deirdre Graham

South Australia Police (SAPOL) will host a presentation at the Strathalbyn and Goolwa libraries to highlight the prevalence of cybercrime and upskill the public to look out for common scam ‘red flags’.

Prevention measures will also be explained at the August sessions.

“Whilst the majority of reports and financial loss are reported by people over 65, scams happen to everyone,” a SAPOL spokesperson said.

“In the current landscape, younger people are suffering from significant emotional harm due to the types of cybercrime being committed, such as sextortion.”

Hundreds of scams are currently out there, and each day a new one may be developed.

“That’s why it is important to know the ‘red flags’ of scams as these rarely change,” the spokesperson added.

“Some common scams now are tax phishing scams, where a text is sent to a victim asking them to click on a link to check their tax return.

“Another current scam is an investment scam surrounding crypto currency, with victims looking to make money on ventures that are ‘too good to be true.’”

Those attending the presentation will be shown how to make a secure password and



SAPOL is hosting scam information sessions at Strathalbyn and Goolwa.

lessen the likelihood of being scammed by securing your personal information, along with being shown what are common ‘red flags’ and how to avoid being a scam victim.

If you think you have been scammed, contact your bank immediately and report the incident to ([www.cyber.gov.au/report](http://www.cyber.gov.au/report)).

The sessions will be held on August 4 from 10am at the Strathalbyn Library, and on August 6 from 10am at the Goolwa Library.

Car rolls at Monarto

By Giorgina McKay

A Ridgehaven man was airlifted to Adelaide after his car rolled at Monarto last Tuesday.

Just after 3.30pm on July 15, police were called to a single car roll-over on the Old Princes Highway.

The driver and sole occupant, a 31-year-old Ridgehaven man, was not seriously injured in the crash, but was airlifted to Adelaide for observation.

The man’s Toyota Rav4 was towed from the scene.



A young pair were arrested after being caught in a stolen vehicle.

Pair arrested at Murray Bridge in stolen car

Two people were arrested following a traffic stop in Murray Bridge last weekend.

At about 12.10am on Saturday, July 12, police were allegedly called to a housing development area on Old Swanport Road following reports of a gold Ford Kuga station wagon doing burn-outs on paddocks.

Patrols stopped the car soon after and arrested the driver, a 20-year-old man and his passenger, a 16-year-old girl, both from Victoria.

Checks on the vehicle showed it had been stolen from Wantirna.

Both people were charged with numerous offences, including illegal use of a motor vehicle, driving unlicensed and misuse of a motor vehicle.

They were refused bail and appeared in Murray Bridge Magistrates Court last Monday.

Drink drivers lose licence

Two drivers have lost their licence after being caught drink driving at Murray Bridge on the weekend.

Last Friday, Murray Bridge police reported a 21-year-old Murray Bridge man travelling on Murray Cods Drive after he recorded a blood alcohol reading of 0.086.

Police checks revealed he was also the holder of a provisional licence.

The Murray Bridge man was issued a six-month loss of licence and had his vehicle impounded for 28 days.

He will be summoned to appear in Murray Bridge Magistrates Court at a later date.

On Saturday, a 38-year-old Murray Bridge man recorded a blood alcohol reading of 0.271 after being stopped on Bridge Street.

He was reported for drink driving, issued a 12-month loss of licence and had his vehicle im-pounded for 28 days.

He will be summonsed to appear in court.



Helipad hold-up PG 15



One of the stolen items recovered from the property.

Pair arrested over theft

Murray Bridge police arrested two people earlier this month following an investigation into a number of recent shop thefts.

The thefts allegedly occurred between June 12 and July 6 across numerous stores in the CBD and Adelaide Hills.

The stolen property was valued at more than \$14,000.

On Friday, July 11, Murray Bridge CIB attended a Burdett property and arrested a 31-year-old Burdett man and 31-year-old Murray Bridge woman, and charged them with 13 counts of theft.

A number of stolen items were recovered at the property.

They were both refused bail and appeared in Murray Bridge Magistrates Court the same day where they were remanded in custody.

Scam warning after Hills local gets duped

Hills Fleurieu police are urging community members to remain vigilant following a recent cyber scam that cost one local thousands of dollars.

Earlier this month, Mount Barker police were contacted by a local woman who was targeted by a scammer posing as an employee from a phone company.

This caller falsely claimed that the victim’s internet had been compromised, and persuaded her to download an application and transfer \$5000 to “secure” her network.

The victim was also asked to send copies of her Medicare card and driver’s licence to the scammer.

SAPOL offers the following tips to help people protect themselves from scams:

- Hang up and contact the organisation on a known, reputable number. Do not trust contact details given to you by the caller.
- Be aware of requests for unusual payment methods. Once you have placed money into a crypto ATM it will never be seen again.
- Remember that you can still receive scam calls from a private number. If in doubt, hang up and ring the organisation back on a known, reputable number.
- Never download programs or applications at the request of someone over the phone.
- Do not be intimidated by technical language or pushy behaviour.
- Make sure your computer is protected, and has regularly updated anti-virus and anti-spyware software. Conduct your own research first and only purchase software from a source that you know and trust.
- Never give remote access to your device or computer, no matter how legitimate they appear.

For more cyber safe tips, visit Australian Cyber Security Centre at ([www.cyber.gov.au](http://www.cyber.gov.au)) and report any cybercrimes to police.

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“Building a positive future for Hammond”





Site concept plan.

# Natural burial site locked in for 40 years

For at least the next four decades local residents can be buried ‘naturally’ at Goolwa.

As previously reported in *The Southern Argus*, The Natural Burial Ground Trust of Australia in partnership with the Nature Foundation enquired with Alexandrina Council in June last year about suitable land within the region that could be established as a restoration natural burial ground.

The Old Goolwa Cemetery at Kessell Road was chosen as the ideal site given it has an existing Bush Forever site and further native vegetation enhancements that would provide significant environmental benefits.

This proposal went to public consultation over the next month, where, after gaining overwhelming support, was endorsed by councillors.

To determine the length of the organisation’s tenancy at the site, in May this year, council opened a proposed 42-year ground lease to public consultation, garnering 28 submissions.

Only one objection was returned by a respondent who felt it was a “nonsense idea that will cost ratepayers money with no valuable return”, however, most believed it was a greater and greener burial alternative, and would both benefit the environment and complement the existing cemetery.

On this basis, councillors granted The Australian Natural Burial Authority as trustee for The Natural Burial Ground Trust of Australia a 42-year lease for the Old Goolwa Cemetery site.

The overall proposal has no cost implications to council as the site would be fully managed by the Natural Burial Trust of Australia and their collaboration with the Nature Foundation.



## Dridan remembers brush with the King

The King’s Artist exhibition. Photo: Royal Collection Trust

By **Giorgina McKay**

One of Strathalbyn’s iconic artists has reminisced on his time with the then-Duke of Edinburgh following the launch of the King’s new art exhibition.

King Charles III has visited around 100 countries, carrying out diplomatic duties on royal tours, and during that time has invited several artists to join him at his own expense, where he gave them a brief to draw, paint or sculpt whatever inspired them.

More than 70 works from 43 different artists have now been collated into an exhibition at Buckingham Palace’s ballroom, handpicked by the King from his own collection, for people to view as part of a visit to the summer opening of the palace.

The launch of the exhibition reminded Strathalbyn artist David Dridan of when the State Government commissioned him

to make a painting for the then-Duke of Edinburgh when he opened the Signal Point Visitor Information Centre in 1988 as part an Australian Royal Tour.

“I don’t usually watch channel seven but I turned it on... and (the collection of the King’s) came up on the news,” he said.

“Buckingham Palace owns three of my paintings – one was commissioned by the South Australian Government for when he opened the gallery in Goolwa.

“(Charles III) got through to me to see if I could send him photographs of my work, which I did, and he chose two more for his own room.”

This is the first time the artists’ works have been brought together.

The initiative reflects King Charles III’s “enduring support for the arts”.

The King’s Tour Artists exhibition runs from July 10 through September 10.

## Letters to the Editor

### Silent majority support

In Alexandrina Residents & Ratepayers Action Group’s (ARRAG) opinion, trust needs to be earned, and in Local Government circles, it takes much longer than six months.

It was only after the appointment of the new CEO that reduced spending and smaller rates increases came to the public notice as an option.

Shortly after the CEO’s appointment, ESCOSA found that councillors ignored the public response for them to cut spending and rates increases (refer ESCOSA Report).

This does not build trust.

As we pointed out in a previous letter, the only elected members who voted no for such increases were councillors Bill Coomans and Peter Oliver.

Which leads us to the Lot 10 Recreation Precinct Project in Strathalbyn – a town in council’s North Ward.

The business case estimates capital costs

for this project range from \$35 million to \$45 million, with annual operating costs of between \$400,000 and \$500,000.

Council has already spent between \$100,000 and \$150,000 on concepts and a business case which were tabled at the December 16, 2024, council meeting.

In the 25/26 Annual Community Plan, council approved the spending of a further \$200,000 on this project in the current financial year.

We also understand there are further funds allocated to this project in the early years of the Long-Term Financial Plan.

This growth in council spending on a major project has a very familiar pattern to it.

Who can forget the Goolwa Wharf project, Goolwa Oval project, Strathalbyn Town Hall project and Strathalbyn streetscape project?

Peter Nichols,  
ARRAG Convenor

## Our View

Thursday, July 24, 2025

### Bike bonanza

The word is now out.

We have the names of local towns that will be featured in one of the men’s stages of next year’s Santos Tour Down Under cycling extravaganza.

Meadows, Strathalbyn and Macclesfield will all be included in the January event.

The Men’s Ziptrak Stage 3 will pass through the three towns on its way to the finish stage in Nairne on January 23.

The 140-kilometre circuit starts at Henley Beach at 11.10am before heading to Flagstaff Hill and Coromandel Valley, then to Clarendon and Kangarilla before it hits the first Ziptrak Sprint on Mawson Road near Mawson House Café.

It then continues through to West Terrace and Commercial Road in Strathalbyn where it passes twice.

Next it makes its way through to Gemmells Road, where the feed zone will be, reaching Vernon Street at Macclesfield and turns onto Venables Street to climb through the Hills onto Nairne to finish at 3.11pm.

The whole 10-day Santos Tour Down Under is South Australia’s biggest cycling event, putting an international spotlight on the state each year as cycling enthusiasts flock to vantage points to see a bit of what organisers are so excited about.

Minister for Tourism Zoe Bettison says it injected about \$62.5 million into the state’s economy at this year’s 25th birthday event, with approximately 807,900 people attending it.

Mount Barker District Council Mayor David Leach is rightly excited by the release of the January details which will mean his council area will be highlighted, and give it national and international exposure “that money can’t buy”.

Now it is time to start thinking about what vantage point you would need to get the best angle.

It is also a great opportunity for our young people to get their first glimpse of some of the world’s best cyclists.

Here’s one tip though, the cyclists pass by so quick, you won’t want to blink and miss it.

Email your letter to the editor to [news@southernargus.com.au](mailto:news@southernargus.com.au) with an address and mobile number (not for print) or send a text message to 0435 031 908.

The views shared in Letters to the Editor are not those of *The Southern Argus*.

## The know in the FLEURIEU ...

### We asked local residents: How are you keeping warm this winter?

Mal Sutcliffe,  
Strathalbyn



“Working in the kitchen.”

Claire Bosworth,  
Murray Bridge



“Lots of clothes and my wood fire.”

Ian McDonald,  
Strathalbyn



“I put a lot of clothes on just to keep warm.”

Candy Hanrahan,  
Strathalbyn



“I have an electric throw rug I use all the time, plus I have an Oodie.”



Expo to help students with career choice

The best job opportunities the Fleurieu has to offer will be open for local students to explore at the Fleurieu Career Expo on Wednesday.

Back for a second year, Fleurieu-based schools, together with Alexandrina Council, City of Victor Harbor, Yankalilla Council and Business Victor Harbor have come together to organise this event, which will see more than 60 exhibitors provide the resources to multiple career opportunities within the region.

This includes university and higher education, apprenticeships/traineeships, and community and government organisations.

“For a thriving community, which needs a growing business sector, we must do all we can to retain our local talent, instead of seeing them move away, seeking employment in other regions or the big cities,” Business Victor Harbor Executive Officer, Colin Shearing, said.

“In particular, a Careers Expo like this assists to encourage local young people to identify and explore the amazing career pathways on offer within the Fleurieu region without having to leave the area.

“The opportunities are endless, and it can all happen right here.”

A new initiative to this year’s expo is Cathie Tydeman from the Fleurieu Study Hub and Leanne Hill from Workforce Australia presenting two sessions at 6.20pm and 7pm, focused on apprenticeships and Vocational Education and Training (VET) in the region.

Their sessions will explore practical, hands-on career pathways that combine study with real-world experience.

Ms Tydeman will highlight local VET opportunities and support through the Study Hub, while Ms Hill will explain how



Fleurieu Career Expo committee members Andrew Weiss (Encounter Lutheran College), Jody Peterson (Victor Harbor High School), Melissa Kerin (Investigator College), and Dan Western (City of Victor Harbor) are looking forward to Wednesday’s event.

apprenticeships work and the support available to connect young people with employers across the Fleurieu.

“With the national government investing in apprenticeships and traineeships, and the understanding that there is a real need for people to take up trades in the future, the organising committee thought that these sessions would be a valuable addition to the expo” Encounter Lutheran College Career Development Co-ordinator, Andrew Weiss, said.

Goolwa Secondary College, Mount Compass Area School, Encounter Lutheran College, Victor Harbor High School,

Investigator College and Yankalilla Area School will participate.

The Fleurieu Career Expo will be held on Wednesday, July 30, at Victor Harbor Recreation Centre from 6pm to 8 pm.

“It is fantastic to see the collaboration of so many businesses and organisations to enable a centralised session for students to consider multiple career opportunities in our Fleurieu Peninsula,” Alexandrina Council Mayor, Keith Parkes, said.

For more information or to register your attendance, visit (<https://www.fleurieucareerexpo.com/>).

Auction to help fund upgrades

A local football club is calling on help from the community to deliver much-needed upgrades at its sporting complex.

As previously reported in *The Southern Argus*, the Langhorne Creek Football Club plans to improve its amenities by upgrading its 40-year-old clubrooms, installing new accessible toilets and a dedicated unisex parents room, making accessibility improvements, creating an additional undercover area, and improving its bar, storage and refrigeration.

The committee recently received a \$400,000 grant through the State Government’s Enabling Infrastructure Program, but still needs more to complete the full works.

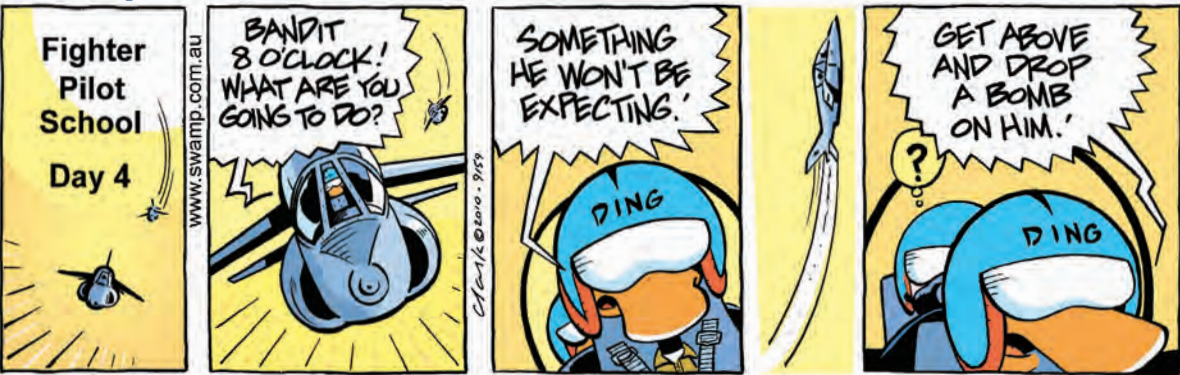
To generate more funds towards the upgrades, the club will be holding its annual goods and services auction on August 9, and is asking the community for donations towards the event, particularly from local businesses and families within the district.

“Yes, the grant is an incredible start to this big project, but to achieve all of our spectacular plans, we are still relying on fundraising efforts made by the wonderful Hawk community,” the club said.

To get involved, email ([creekpresident@gmail.com](mailto:creekpresident@gmail.com)).

Entertainment

Swamp



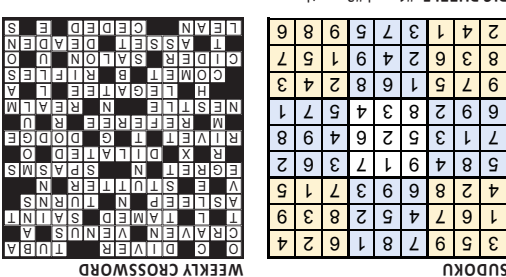
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Solutions



Weekly Crossword

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  - 29 Evade
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  - 37 One bequeathed a will
  - 40 Heavenly body
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  - 18 Combine
  - 20 Ingrained dirt



Faces & Places



Aldinga residents Chelsea Tuckwood and Kelly Haverty watch the Langhorne Creek V Myponga-Sellicks footy on Saturday. Photos: Matt Delany



Mudlark supporters Joy Jaensch, Donna Cooper, Glen Cooper and Monty Jaensch at Saturday's match.



Gavin Franklin and Mike Sellwood, of Adelaide, looking through Gilbert's Motor Museum on the weekend. Photos: Deirdre Graham



Smirti Shrestha, Suprima Pradhan, Anup Shrestha, and Rayza Shrestha, of Morphettville, visiting Strathalbyn on the train on Friday. Photo: Deirdre Graham



Twins Emily and Max Barnes enjoying playing at the NAIDOC Family Fun Day on July 12. Photos: Deirdre Graham



Tez and Phelan Nightingale were in Strathalbyn on Sunday, looking for antiques and visiting Gilbert's Motor Museum.



Gerald Sumner (Ngarrindjeri) and Frances Sumner (Worimi), of the Kalparrim Aboriginal Community at the NAIDOC Family Fun Day in Mount Barker on July 12.



Dylan Pavy, Hudson Crouch and Connor Margetts having a kick at Saturday's footy.



Amir Nejad and Maedeh Parsi journeyed from Adelaide City on Sunday to have a look at the Gilbert's Motor Museum.





The Tour Down Under passing through Macclesfield at the start of the year.  
Photo: Georgina McKay

## TDU takes cycling to the Hills



By Georgina McKay

The state's largest cycling event returns in January where it will travel through Meadows, Strathalbyn and Macclesfield in one of the men's stages, putting an international spotlight on the Hills Fleurieu region once again.

The Santos Tour Down Under will run for 10 days from January 16 to 25, and will see the return of an inner-city prologue, double fireworks up Corkscrew Road, a triple treat on Willunga Hill, and a final day showdown in Stirling to open the men's and women's UCI WorldTour seasons.

"We are delighted to share with everyone the race routes for next year's Santos Tour Down Under, which we know is a catalyst for interstate and overseas cycling fans to plan and book their annual January holidays to South Australia," Minister for Tourism, Zoe Bettison, said. "Earlier this year we celebrated the event's 25th birthday which saw approximately 807,900 people attending the event, helping generate \$62.5 million for the state's economy.

"Now we want to take that momentum into next year where once again the eyes of the world will be on South Australia for 10 days when we host the biggest bike race in the southern hemisphere.

"Already the first race in the world to offer equal prize money for women and men, January is also shaping up to be the first time in our race's history we've had all women's and men's WorldTour teams on the start line.

"Our race directors have designed a fresh and interesting course that showcases our city as well as the stunning natural beauty of our regions such as the Adelaide Hills, Barossa and Fleurieu Peninsula, and the communities and towns that make the event so special."

In a treat for local residents, the Men's Ziptrak Stage 3 will pass through Meadows, Strathalbyn and Macclesfield on its way to the finish stage in Nairne

on January 23.

The 140-kilometre circuit starts at Henley Beach at 11.10am before heading to Flagstaff Hill and Coromandel Valley, then to Clarendon and Kangarilla before it hits the first Ziptrak Sprint on Mawson Road near Mawson House Café.

It then continues through to West Terrace and Commercial Road in Strathalbyn where it passes twice as the race moves up one road and back down a parallel road.

Continuing through to Gemmells Road, where the feed zone will be, it reaches Vernon Street at Macclesfield and turns onto Venables Street to climb steadily through the Hills and onto Nairne to finish at 3.11pm.

Mount Barker District Council Mayor David Leach told *The Southern Argus* it was a "massive coup" for the district.

"This year's race attracted approximately 807,900 spectators over 10 days and was broadcast to cycling fans around Australia and the world," he said.

"Being included on the race route for 2026 will give the Mount Barker district national and international exposure that money can't buy.

"The 2025 Tour Down Under pumped \$62.5 million into South Australia's economy and we're anticipating a significant economic boost for the Mount Barker district as fans flock to Meadows, Macclesfield, Flaxley, Echunga, Mount Barker and Brukunga to watch the peloton race towards the Stage 3 finishing line at Nairne.

"Council's working hard to attract events that drive economic growth and enhance vibrancy across this beautiful part of the Adelaide Hills.

"Our partnership with Santos Tour Down Under event organisers and the South Australian Tourism Commission moves us closer to achieving our vision to be the most liveable region in the state."

Work is already under way to make sure council capitalises on this opportunity to highlight Mount Barker and its surrounding towns to a global audience.



Cyclists passing by local fans. Photo: Tara Nash

## Business, Tax & Finance Promotion

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### Why conveyancing searches are necessary

South Australia's property market continues to do well.

June saw Adelaide out perform other capital cities, while regional SA house prices recorded the highest 12-month growth of all states and territories, according to real estate research group PropTrack.

However, regional SA remains the second-most affordable destination for homebuyers.

Purchasing a property, whether in the city or in the regions is a huge investment and the most expensive purchase you are likely to make in your lifetime, so it is important not to cut costs at critical points.

We are often asked whether it's necessary to undertake searches.

We believe that it's in your best interests to have property searches carried out by a licensed conveyancer or real estate agent as any issues which arise could cost you tens of thousands of dollars if not found early.

The property searches a conveyancer undertakes help identify potential issues with the property like outstanding debts, encumbrances or compliance problems that could impact your ownership or value.

They can also help to avoid legal issues. If a problem is discovered after you've purchased a property, it could lead to costly and time-consuming legal disputes.

By uncovering any issues beforehand, you can negotiate a resolution or decide not to proceed with the purchase.

Also, property searches provide peace of mind by giving you a full understanding of the property you're purchasing.

This can help to make the home buying process less stressful and give you confidence in your investment.

#### What Property Searches Are Typically Conducted?

- Title Register search
  - Local Government (council) search
  - Property Interest Report
- These include but are not limited to:
- Environmental search
  - Water and sewer search
  - Mining search
  - Land tax and emergency services levy search
  - Strata or Community Title search
- Searches conducted may vary depending on the location and circumstances of the

property in question.

#### How long do searches take when buying a house?

Many factors can influence how long searches can take.

Generally, a council search takes eight working days to be returned to your conveyancer.

The Property Interest Report can take 24-48 hours to be delivered.

Other more intensive reports like EPA statements or Department of Environment and Water reports can take up to eight working days (if required for the specific property).

#### Who pays for searches when selling a house?

Usually, the fees for completing house searches are paid for by the seller.

Costs for these services have increased, as Land Services SA introduced new fees for property searches that came into effect on July 1, 2025.

#### Here are five red flags that property searches can reveal.

1. The property is in a flood or bushfire zone
2. Illegal or unapproved structures
3. Zoning restrictions that limit your plans
4. Outstanding council or water rates
5. Contamination or environmental risks

Property searches are a vital step when buying property.

They protect your investment, identify potential issues, and provide peace of mind.

Your conveyancer takes the time to carefully review all search results to ensure that you have a full understanding of any issues or liabilities associated with the property.

If you have any questions about property searches or the conveyancing process in general, please don't hesitate to contact Strathalbyn Conveyancing.

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Your future just got a super boost – are you ready?

The new financial year brings a wave of superannuation changes.  
Here’s what’s changing and how to make the most of it.

Twelve per cent SG rate

The Super Guarantee (SG) rate has increased from 11.5 to 12 per cent on ordinary time earnings.  
This means more money going into your super account.  
Check your first payslips this financial year to ensure the changed rate is applied.  
For salary sacrifice arrangements, note the SG calculation applies to your total salary, as if the arrangement was not in place.  
Use the MoneySmart calculator to see what the changes look like for your super balance.

More for retirement phase

Beyond regular contributions, the amount of super that can be transferred into the retirement phase – known as the general transfer balance cap (TBC) – has increased from \$1.9 to \$2 million from July 1, 2025.<sup>i</sup>  
If you exceed the cap, you’ll need to transfer the excess back to your accumulation account or withdraw it as a lump sum.  
Plus, you may pay tax on the earnings.  
If you’ve already started a retirement income stream, you’ll have your own individual TBC limit, which may be less than the general TBC.  
Your personal cap is based on the general cap at the time you started, and adjusted for how much you’ve used and any indexation you’re entitled to.<sup>ii</sup>  
For example, if you started a pension with \$2 million on July 1, 2025, you’ve used your entire cap.  
The cap doesn’t limit the amount you can hold in super.  
If you have more than the cap available, the remainder can be left in your super fund’s accumulation account.  
You can check your balance cap in ATO online services, where all the debits and credits are recorded.  
Special rules apply for defined benefit income streams.

More qualify for after-tax contributions

The change in the general TBC to \$2 million may also allow you to increase non-concessional (after-tax) contributions using the bring-forward rule.  
While the \$120,000 annual limit on non-concessional contributions hasn’t changed, eligibility for using the bring-forward rule now applies to those with a total superannuation balance below the general TBC of up to \$2 million.  
The rule allows you to bring forward the equivalent of one or two years of your annual non-concessional contributions cap (\$120,000), allowing for contributions two or three times more than the annual cap.

No change to contribution caps

While more investors may now be eligible to access the bring-forward rule, the caps on both concessional (before tax) and non-concessional contributions haven’t changed.  
Tax paid on contributions depends on whether you’re paying from before-tax or after-tax incomes, you exceed the contribution caps or you’re a high income earner.<sup>iii</sup>  
The concessional contributions cap is \$30,000.  
If you have unused cap amounts from previous years, you may be able to carry them forward to increase contributions in later years.  
You can make up to \$120,000 in non-concessional contributions each financial year and may be eligible for the bring-forward rule, allowing up to \$360,000 in one contribution.  
Not sure how the rules affect you? Call Wealth Logic on 8536 2022 and talk to us today about how to make the most of your retirement savings plan.

Awaiting the new \$3 million tax

The proposed new tax on earnings above \$3 million in super accounts, known as the Division 296 tax, has not yet been ratified by parliament.  
Nonetheless, it is expected to be applied from July 1, 2025.

The new tax doubles the tax rate from 15 to 30 per cent for earnings on balances exceeding \$3 million.  
An earnings loss in a financial year can be carried forward to reduce the tax liability in future years.

- <sup>i</sup> Transfer balance cap | ATO
- <sup>ii</sup> Calculating your personal transfer balance cap | ATO
- <sup>iii</sup> Concessional and non-concessional contributions | ATO
- <sup>iv</sup> Better targeted superannuation concessions - factsheet (PDF)
- <sup>v</sup> ASFA Fact Sheet: Understanding Div 296

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Stationmaster's Art Gallery Co-ordinator Catherine Pallin is looking forward to the gallery's busiest month of the year – August – for the SALA exhibition. Photo: Deirdre Graham

## Stationmaster's showcases SALA artists



By Deirdre Graham

Strathalbyn's Stationmaster's Art Gallery is busily preparing for the annual South Australian Living Artists (SALA) Festival, with works by 36 artists to be showcased at the venue over the month of August.

The SALA Festival was established in 1998 to promote and celebrate the state's visual artists, with an aim to extend visual arts audiences.

Each year it takes the work of about 8000 emerging, mid-career and established South Australian artists to more than 500 venues across the state.

Stationmaster's Co-ordinator Catherine Pallin said the gallery was looking forward to a busy month, with works from members of both the Artists of Strathalbyn and the gallery.

"It is our busiest time of the year, as lots of people come through in SALA, and it is a great time for us to promote the town," she said.

Artwork on show will include glass, hanji paper art, cold wax and oil, watercolour, acrylic, cyanotype, eco-dye scarves, pottery, silicone work, upcycled work and more.

"Our members are repeat exhibitors and we have had the Artists of Strathalbyn as



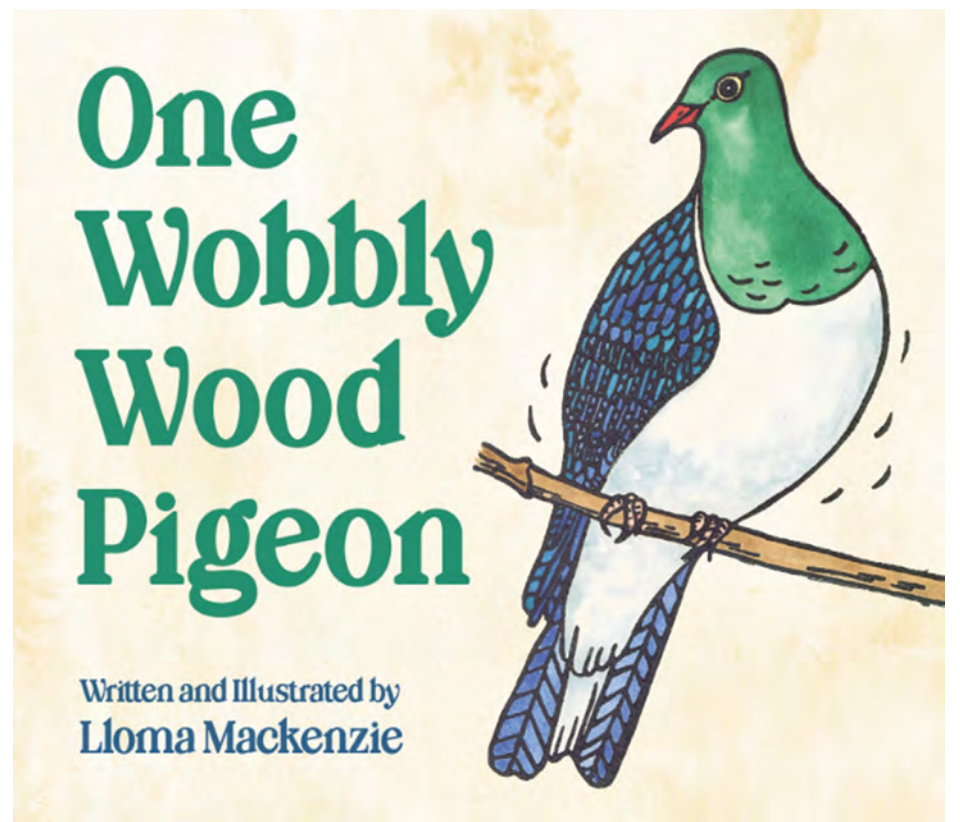
Purple Curtains by Libby Bennett which will be showcased at the Stationmaster's Gallery as part of the SALA Festival.

an exhibiting group before, but it will be all new work," Ms Pallin said.

Artists will be hoping to make a connection with buyers.

"It is impossible to say when work will be sold and when work won't be sold because it is really up to the buyer meeting with that piece that really makes their heart sing, and that can happen any time," Ms Pallin said.

An opening for the Strathalbyn SALA exhibition will be held on August 3, with everyone welcome.



Mount Barker artist Llama Mackenzie has finished her first children's book 'One Wobbly Wood Pigeon', which features her writing and lino prints.

## Mount Barker artist's 'wobbly' new venture

By Deirdre Graham

Mount Barker artist Llama Mackenzie's latest venture is a children's book – the linotype specialist's first foray into publishing.

*One Wobbly Wood Pigeon* follows Max, Bella and Violet when they go outside to play and watch the birds, listen to the farmers, smell the flowers, play with toys, walk in the forest, enjoy a picnic with their aunties, eat nuts, dance like ants, and paint some pictures.

It features hand-painted lino prints by the artist.

"Having been a teacher of young children for many years, including both hearing and hearing impaired (students), I was always interested in children's books," Mackenzie said.

"After retiring from teaching and completing a Fine Arts degree, specialising in print making, I had been thinking of illustrating and writing my own children's book."

For the illustrations, Mackenzie – who spends her time between the Adelaide Hills and France – first drew the designs, transferred these to the lino blocks, and then cut the designs with special tools.

She then printed them in black ink, and when these were dry, she painted them in bright and bold colours.

"For me the illustrations came first," Mackenzie said.

"I had completed some small lino prints of a fox and some tractors, and decided to use these in a simple number book (One to 10).

"I wanted to use onomatopoeia in the text, so I researched subjects that appealed to the repetition of certain sounds which linked with the number sounds."

The research and lino blocks were completed in France, where she lived in a farm house with a large garden.

"I was inspired by what was around me," Mackenzie said.

"I had sheep, cattle, grain farms... and tractors, birds, and flowers.

"One day I really did see a wood pigeon land in my large hibiscus bush which was not robust enough for its weight, and it bounced and wobbled around – hence the title of the book."

The writing process was not difficult as the words flowed from the illustrations.

*One Wobbly Wood Pigeon* has a target audience of children aged three to six years old, along with teachers, parents and grandparents of young children.

It is published by Macclesfield-based publishing house Moonglow Publishing.

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Member for Hammond  
Adrian Pederick is  
concerned about the  
time it is taking for  
the new helipad at the  
Murray Bridge Soldiers'  
Memorial Hospital to  
be operational.

# Helipad use ‘up in the air’



By Deirdre Graham

A local politician has raised concerns about the progress of the new helipad at the Murray Bridge Soldiers' Memorial Hospital. The helipad was one of 13 in regional South Australia to be upgraded as part of a \$23.4 million investment by the State Government. While the helipad has been finished for weeks, Member for Hammond Adrian Pederick claims it has been unable to be used. "My understanding is the Murray Bridge helipad is ready to go but there seems to be a dispute somewhere along the line, and (a wait) for the final safety checks and approvals in line with the new Civil Aviation safety regulations, but the government has had plenty of time to get that in place," he said. "The works have been finished at Murray Bridge for many weeks now, and why isn't it operating? That is the question. "I can tell you, from talking to some of the local health professionals, it does cause a real problem. "Instead of using MedSTAR services, which are used continuously normally, it ties up ambulances that have to be sent to Adelaide." He called on the government to 'get on with the job'. "It is actually outrageous they are not utilising a helipad that has been finished," Mr Pederick said.

"They do vital work these MedSTAR helicopters, and the paramedics and nurses that fly on them – we just need to get them back in the air. "These helipads have been built to specifications and they need to be utilised for the good of the people of and travelling through regional areas." Riverland Mallee Coorong Local Health Network Chief Executive Officer Wayne Champion confirmed the works had finished. However, he said the hospital is waiting for the contracted MedSTAR helicopter operator to sign off on its operations. "Once operational, the upgraded helipad at Murray Bridge Soldiers' Memorial Hospital will allow patients to access medical care via air transport," he said. "The upgraded helipad will only open once it is safe to do so." A spare ambulance fleet has been stationed at Murray Bridge to reduce any impact to local operations, with SAAS MedSTAR responsible for the co-ordination of emergency medical retrievals. Alternative arrangements are in place during the works, with aeromedical retrievals currently taking place at Pallamana Aerodrome. In a statement, SA Health said it and the Attorney-General's Department were working with the helicopter operator to ensure appropriate safety of helicopter operations that comply with the regulations. This must be resolved prior to helicopter operations returning to the upgraded helipad.



Strathalbyn  
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Isabella Man  
welcomes patients  
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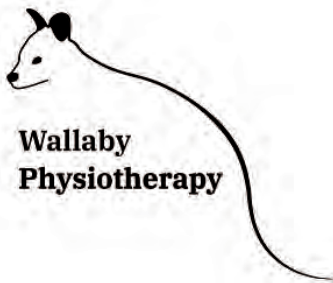
Helping treat people is Isabella Man's speciality. The physiotherapist has been treating clients for six-and-a-half years and recently moved to Strathalbyn where she operates from the Strathalbyn Family Medical Centre at Braemar Drive every Thursday through her business Wallaby Physiotherapy. "I graduated from UniSA in 2018, and after that, I worked for a short stint in Whyalla at the hospital," she said. "Then I moved to Hobart, and I've been living and working there for the majority of my career, and recently moved back to South Australia. "Living in Hobart, you get used to living in a smaller city, and the thought of going back to Adelaide city was probably a bit much compared to what I got used to. "Strathalbyn just seemed like a beautiful place and size." Clients can either be referred by one of the centre's General Practitioners or on their own. Ms Man specialises in four areas of practice: neurological conditions (stroke, brain injury, Parkinson's disease, spinal cord injury, etcetera), chronic pain (pain that has been persisting in one area for more than three months), vertigo/vestibular conditions, and conditions related to aging (age-related muscle weakness, poor balance, frequent falls, and recovery from a recent fall). "A lot of the patients I'm seeing here are because of pain, and I love working with people who are in pain who want to find a way out of that or ways of moving that are meaningful to them that they can pursue that does not affect the pain," she said. "I don't prescribe to the 'no pain no gain' paradigm but instead like to help clients find ways of building strength that are comfortable and realistically sustainable. "I think there are a lot of clients that have benefitted a lot from the exercise or advice I give, reducing their pain quite significantly. "There are obviously other cases where pain is something to live with unfortunately, but it's about finding ways for it to not control you and have control of your own life." Ms Man plans to increase her hours as her load increases. In the meantime, she is also holding talks at the Strath Neighbourhood Centre, with the next focusing on chronic pain next Monday, August 4, at 10am.

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# Museum magic on the small screen

By Deirdre Graham

Gilbert's Motor Museum will welcome a television crew on Monday for filming of the television show *Antiques Down Under*. The local production has shown for two seasons on 9GEM, and features Strathalbyn's Greg Bickford and Sydney's Claudia Chan Shaw as presenters. "It is all about Australia's history, culture, and diversity, intertwined with stories of antiques, collectables, past, present and future," Mr Bickford explained. "We visited a private motor museum in series one, but we have not visited a public one before, and the appeal (of Gilbert's) is that it is not just vintage and veteran cars, it is also bicycles and motorbikes - just a large array of stories

available to tell the public." Other Strathalbyn attractions will be shown as general over shots, but it is the museum that will be the main focus. "I had an antique shop in Strath before I retired from antiques, and it is just an opportunity to promote the town and its tourism," Mr Bickford said. "This is our third series... but we haven't got a screening date for this year yet. "We are hoping for later in the year or early next year." The show is also set to go global when it is featured in the television version of the Cannes Film Festival – the MIPTV in Cannes – in October, a first for Mr Bickford. Mr Bickford hopes the filming next Monday will take just one day following some research, with Ms Chan Shaw to fly in on Sunday.





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Ray White is proud to present this magnificent four-bedroom, two-bathroom home, situated on a spacious 550sqm allotment at 28 Bonnin Court, Strathalbyn. Built in 2023, this beautifully crafted four-bedroom, two-bathroom home exemplifies the perfect blend of contemporary style and everyday functionality. Situated on a generous-sized allotment, it offers an ideal setting for growing families, professional couples, or savvy investors seeking a low-maintenance, high-comfort lifestyle.

From the moment you step through the door, the home’s thoughtful design becomes apparent. At its heart lies a stunning modern kitchen - an entertainer’s dream - equipped with sleek cabinetry, quality appliances, a generous pantry, and a spacious bench that invites family and guests to gather around. The open-plan living and dining areas flow seamlessly from the kitchen, creating a light-filled and versatile space. For moments of quiet retreat, a separate formal lounge offers a serene space to unwind and relax. The master suite is a private retreat, featuring a stylish ensuite bathroom and a generous walk-in robe. It provides both comfort and seclusion, perfect for unwinding at the end of a long day. The three additional bedrooms are all fitted with built-in wardrobes, offering ample storage and making them ideal for children, guests, or use as a home office or study. Climate control is effortlessly maintained throughout the year with ducted reverse

cycle air-conditioning, ensuring comfort no matter the season. Large windows and sliding doors welcome natural light, enhancing the home’s bright and airy atmosphere while offering a gentle connection to the outdoor space. Functionality is further enhanced with a double garage, offering secure parking and additional storage options. The well-proportioned backyard provides a blank canvas for landscaping, entertaining, or simply enjoying the outdoors in privacy. This home is a testament to modern design and efficient living, offering an opportunity for those who value space, style, and comfort. Located in the beautiful township of Strathalbyn, minutes to all amenities including parklands, shops, public transport and schools, this property exemplifies the ease of living and sets the benchmark for style and quality. Strathalbyn is only a short 20-minute drive to Mt Barker or the rural city of Murray Bridge.

- Four spacious bedrooms
- Ensuite and walk-in robe
- Modern kitchen
- Dishwasher
- Formal lounge
- Ducted reverse cycle air-conditioning

- External features:
- 550sqm allotment
  - 3.46m x 3.00m outdoor entertaining area
  - 5.89m x 5.49m garage
  - Fully fenced yards
  - Low maintenance gardens

- Nearby features:
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- Internal features:
- 2023 built



## Room to live, space to grow

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Ray White Strathalbyn | Murray Bridge is proud to present this three-bedroom, one-bathroom home, situated on a spacious 1,873sqm allotment in Queen Street, Strathalbyn. Perfectly positioned in the heart of

Strathalbyn, across from the Strathalbyn Football Oval, this home sits proudly on a generous allotment - offering the ideal blend of lifestyle, comfort, and potential. Step inside and be welcomed by a formal lounge, the ideal spot to relax or entertain guests in year-round comfort, thanks to a split system air-conditioner. Just beyond, a separate meals area creates a warm and intimate setting for family dinners. At the centre of it all is the well-appointed kitchen, featuring a spacious pantry, ample bench and storage space - designed to make everyday living a breeze. This home boasts three generously sized bedrooms offering comfort and versatility for the whole family, along with a well-appointed main bathroom and the added

convenience of a separate toilet. Step outside to discover a full-length back verandah, overlooking a generous backyard with plenty of space for kids or pets to play. A well-sized shed adds extra versatility for storage or weekend projects. With a generous 1,873sqm allotment and an impressive 31.78m frontage, this could be the opportunity you’ve been looking for to transform a single into multiple (STCC). Located in the beautiful township of Strathalbyn, minutes to all amenities including parklands, shops, public transport and schools, this property exemplifies the ease of living and sets the benchmark for style and quality. Strathalbyn is only a short 20-minute drive to Mt Barker or the rural city of Murray Bridge.

- Property features:
- 1974 built
  - Three spacious bedrooms
  - Split system air-conditioning
  - 1,873sqm allotment
  - Rainwater tank
  - 6.00m x 8.40m shed

- Nearby features:
- Two-minute drive to local cafes and shops
  - Two-minute drive to Strathalbyn Medical Clinic
  - Two-minute drive to Strathalbyn outdoor swimming pool
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of charm from a bygone era. Step inside and discover the formal lounge – a nice centrepiece of the home designed for both comfort and versatility. With split-system air-conditioning, you’ll enjoy the perfect temperature year-round. This warm and welcoming space flows effortlessly into a separate dining area, creating a beautifully connected setting ideal for both relaxed living and memorable gatherings. The well-appointed kitchen is designed with both function and style in mind. With modern appliances, a dishwasher, and ample cupboard space for easy storage, it’s a space where cooking and meal preparation become an enjoyable part of daily life. This home boasts three generously sized bedrooms, with the main and second bedrooms thoughtfully equipped with built-in robes and ceiling fans, offering comfort and practicality all year round. The modern main bathroom combines style with functionality, while a separate toilet adds an extra layer of everyday convenience. Outdoors, the property truly shines. A large lawned backyard offers endless

possibilities, from weekend cricket matches to garden parties, children’s play zones or simply a tranquil spot to relax and unwind. A substantial shed provides excellent storage or workshop space, catering to hobbyists, tradespeople or anyone needing extra room. Set on a sprawling 2026 sqm block, this property delivers space rarely found in today’s market, with room to grow, extend or even explore future development potential (STCC). Combining traditional charm, modern comforts, and abundant space, this is a home that offers immediate liveability with scope for further personalisation. It’s a rare find - solid, spacious, and full of character. Located in the beautiful township of Strathalbyn, minutes to all amenities, including parklands, shops, public transport and schools, this property exemplifies the ease of living and sets the benchmark for style and quality. Strathalbyn is only a short 20-minute drive to Mt Barker or the rural city of Murray Bridge.




- Internal features
- 1950-built
  - Three spacious bedrooms
  - Formal lounge
  - Sunroom
  - Dishwasher
  - Split system air-conditioning

- External features
- 2026sqm allotment
  - 6.00m x 7.50m shed
  - 1.70m x 3.00m shed
  - Side access to backyard
  - Fully fenced yard

- Nearby features
- One-minute drive to local cafes and shops
  - One-minute drive to Strathalbyn Medical Clinic
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# Strathalbyn Strikers' long-awaited August upgrade

By Deirdre Graham

Strathalbyn Strikers' members are looking forward to August when siteworks are finally expected to begin on its approximate \$350,000 worth of upgrades.

The works include two changerooms, four female and four male toilets and a disabled toilet.

Strikers President Nick Brook said it was a relief to know work was able to begin, bringing to an end of having to rely on portaloos at the site.

"We have had a few delays with council approval and a few other slight issues, which is to be expected," Brook said.

"The buildings themselves have been built, so site works should start in August, and then once we have had the pad cleared, Ausco will bring the buildings up and then look at connecting them up and ... plumbing, power and away we go.

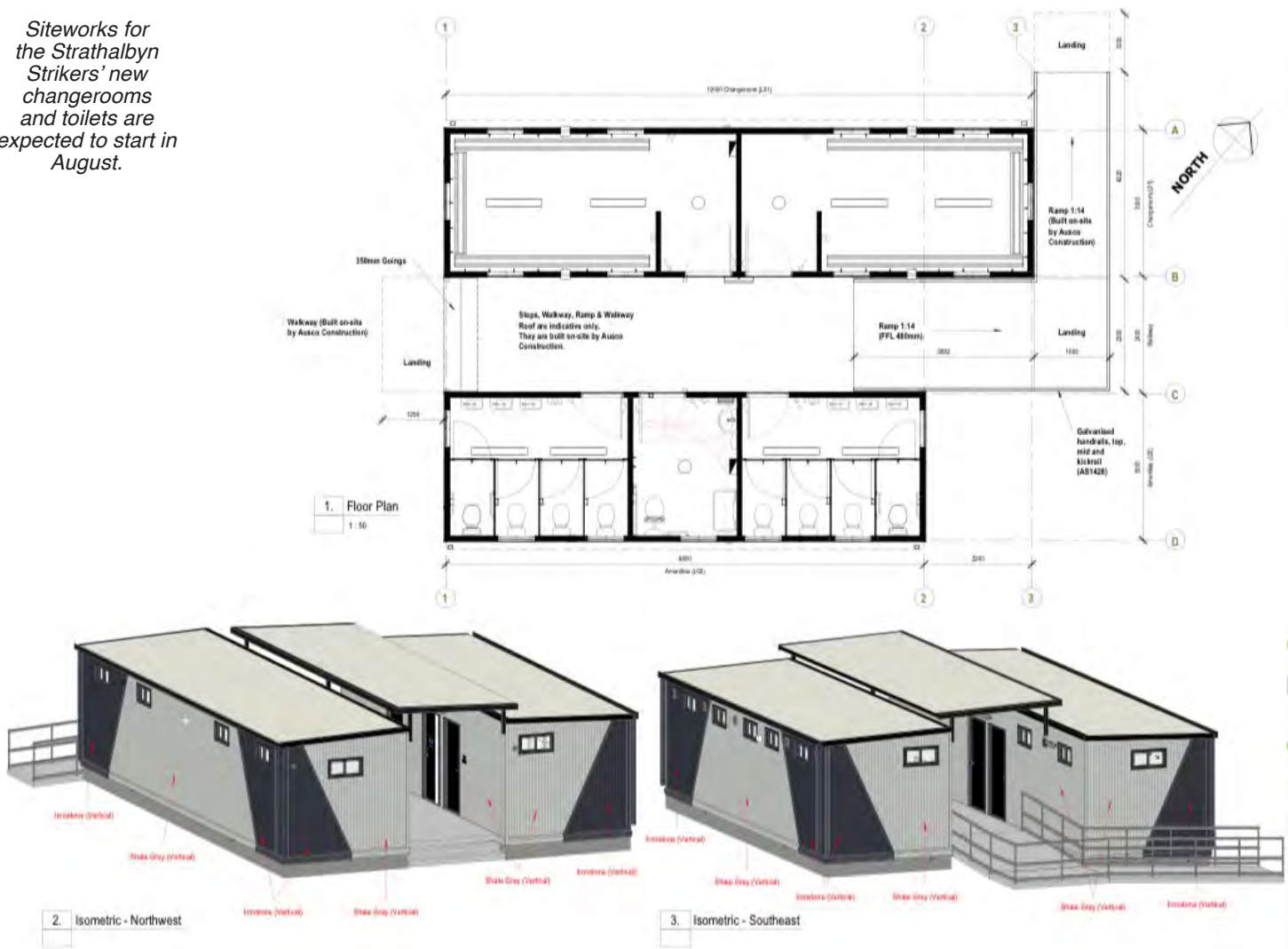
"We can't wait for it to be actually there and be operational.

"We had hoped it would be for the start of this season, but (it had) some reasonably significant delays with a variety of different things, so we will be really excited when they actually do arrive."

Games will still be able to be played during the construction.

"There will be a small construction area, but everything will still be fully operational with what we are doing,"

*Siteworks for the Strathalbyn Strikers' new changerooms and toilets are expected to start in August.*



Brook said.

"(The builders) anticipate they will take a minimum of three weeks up to – if there are any delays – probably five or six weeks in construction.

"The worst-case scenario is it will take us to just past the end of our season, which is a bit of a shame, but certainly there for our summer series on Monday nights and next year."

The process, which began a good 15 years ago, has been a significant learning curve for the club's members.

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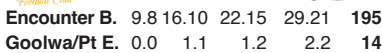
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Best - Encounter B.: Ben Davis, Jackson Savage, Nicholas Marshall, Adam Hurrell, Tyson Neale, Ryan Pearsons. Goolwa/Pt E.: Riley Davis, Levi Baillie, Jett Reid, Dene McKinlay, Fred Nissen, Jay Finlay.

<b>Encounter B.</b>	2.3	6.7	8.10	14.13	<b>97</b>
<b>Goolwa/Pt E.</b>	2.1	2.1	-. -	-. -	<b>26</b>

Best - Encounter B.: Kieran Garrett, Blake Bailey, James Bradford, Oliver Price, Jarran Crabb, Private Player. Goolwa/Pt E.: Chris Lebrun, Denzell Cross, James Ellis, Brad Berresheim, Rory Davis, Aidan Gane.

<b>Encounter B.</b>	1.4	2.5	4.6	4.6	<b>30</b>
<b>Goolwa/Pt E.</b>	0.0	2.0	2.0	4.5	<b>29</b>

Best - Encounter B.: Zane Garrett, Hudson Egan, Ryley Bastalec, Jai Goutier-Perkins, Kobi Williams, Keane Jamieson. Goolwa/Pt E.: Samuel O'Flaherty, Taama Iwao, Jai Bayley, Caden Stoltz, Harry Nott, Patrick Datschke.

<b>Encounter B.</b>	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.5	<b>5</b>
<b>Goolwa/Pt E.</b>	3.0	7.2	9.7	12.10	<b>82</b>

Best - Encounter B.: Jack Lewis, Kobi Williams, Freddie Ray, Declan Rumbelow, William Hambour. Goolwa/Pt E.: Jett Berresheim, Tate Berresheim, Liam Sampson, Jake Lines, Hamish French, Noa Elford.

<b>McLaren D.</b>	5.3	6.5	11.6	16.8	<b>104</b>
<b>Victor Harbor</b>	5.2	7.4	12.9	14.11	<b>95</b>

Best - McLaren D.: Jamie Smith, Brett Ellis, Brodie Long, Tom Fenoughty, Daniel Marr, Billy Chahla. Victor Harbor: Jaidan Kappler, Reece Kleinig, Benjamin Heaslip, Heath Treloar, Rhys Bartram, Sam Overall.

<b>McLaren D.</b>	4.0	9.4	13.8	14.17	<b>101</b>
<b>Victor Harbor</b>	1.1	1.1	3.2	3.2	<b>20</b>

Best - McLaren D.: Jaxon Levins, Brock James, Harrison Evans, Eyre White, Thomas Mills, Jayden Hann. Victor Harbor: Clifford Weetra, Jake Hutchinson, Nathan Brewster, Christian George, Oliver French, Rhys Livingston.

McLaren D.	0.2	3.4	6.8	6.9	45
Victor Harbor	3.2	4.2	4.2	6.2	38

Best - McLaren D.: Brock Grund, Oliver Hill, Dylan Mitton, Hudson Croser, Callan Hamnett, Bodhi Ticehurst. Victor Harbor: Brodie Cross, Blake Vowles, Rory Power, Oscar Mulhern, Macauley Grivell, Righard Bezuidenhout.

<b>McLaren D.</b>	2.4	3.8	3.11	4.11	<b>35</b>
<b>Victor Harbor</b>	1.1	2.2	3.2	3.6	<b>24</b>

Best - McLaren D.: Cody Hastwell, Cambell Hodgens, Kabe Boehm, Harley Finlay, Max Sutton, Joshua Mendham. Victor Harbor: Knox Murray, Tully Kempster-Barry, Jack Green, Byron Krejcir. Hugh McIntosh. Zac C Stringer.

Langhorne Ck	0.3	5.5	8.8	11.11	<b>77</b>
Myp/Sell	4.5	5.8	6.8	9.10	<b>64</b>

Best - Langhorne Ck: Mitchell Cleggett, Matt Dominish, Caleb Howell, Jake Yard, Lachlan Bates, Darcy Clifford. Myp/Sell: Jack Cooper, Anthony Kempster, Hayden Sampson, Mitchell Wilkins, Connor Sampson, Kain Spinks.

Langhorne Ck	3.0	4.0	5.2	6.3	39
Myp/Sell	1.1	4.3	8.7	10.11	71

Best - Langhorne Ck: Matt Richards, Jovi Kotz, Scott Hannam, Tyler Follett, Jaspa Tonkin, Elliot Towk. Myp/Sell: Seth Deacon, Brady Vluggen, Lachlan McKenzie, Troy Johnson, Scott Hunt, Sam Beard.

Langhorne Ck	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Myp/Sell	5.3	10.6	12.10	17.11	113

Best - Langhorne Ck: Kiefer Wundersitz, Luke Slocombe, Lincoln James, Bohdan Jelfs, Samuel Tonkin, Tristan Watkins. Myp/Sell: Cody Heinze, Jack Brown, Nathan Sywak, Lennon Roberts, Tom Gray, Harper Mathewson.

Langhorne Ck	0.0	0.0	0.1	2.2	14
Myp/Sell	2.2	5.5	8.8	12.8	80

Best - Langhorne Ck: Josh Collins, Chayse Horton, Riley Margetts, Harry Burgess, Jack Mcnamara, Ashton Robinson-Shoesmith. Myp/Sell: Ocean Wong, Balian Humphrys, Ethan Leigh, Chace Houston, Jett Hammett, Jack Jones.

Mt Compass	2.0	4.1	6.5	10.10	<b>70</b>
Strathalbyn	5.2	8.4	11.7	14.8	<b>92</b>

Best - Mt Compass: Klaus Simons, Hugh Daniell, Tomas Vitkunas, Tom Pinyon, Adam Hunter, Nathan Schulz. Strathalbyn: Jordan Kenny, Declan Gladigau, Reuben Stutley, Thomas Welk, Jake Stafford, Liam Newton.

<b>Mt Compass</b>	3.2	6.7	7.9	9.13	<b>67</b>
<b>Strathalbyn</b>	1.0	2.3	5.3	6.3	<b>39</b>

Best - Mt Compass: Cody Connor, Peter Hoban, Brady Ohanlon, Brent Creek, Jack Poole, Darcy Boots. Strathalbyn: Mark Tucker, Coen Barnett, Chris Smith, Oliver O'Driscoll, Liam Hutchinson, Josh Kirpensteyn.

<b>Mt Compass</b>	2.0	4.5	6.5	8.8	<b>56</b>
<b>Strathalbyn</b>	2.1	4.1	7.2	9.2	<b>56</b>

Best - Mt Compass: Mason Mullarkey, Braxton Watson, Ashton Pudney, Hunter Bailey-Hill, Jacob Pugh, Sam Oster. Strathalbyn: Geoffrey Eyers, Benjamin Scott, Jock Ness, Samuel Potter, Rowan Eyers, Hamish Eatts.

<b>Mt Compass</b>	0.1	3.1	3.1	4.1	<b>25</b>
<b>Strathalbyn</b>	1.7	3.8	3.8	5.10	<b>40</b>

Best - Mt Compass: Cooper Philps, Darcy Anesbury, Bailey Leech, Parker Fergusson, Calen Lewis, Chase Annand, Strathalbyn: Archie Williams, Hudson Keatley, Evan Sanders, Jayden Mumford, Davis Semple, Tyrian Cousins.

<b>Yankalilla</b>	2.0	4.0	7.1	9.3	<b>57</b>
<b>Willunga</b>	3.3	8.8	14.11	23.15	<b>153</b>

Best - Yankalilla: Lachlan Whittlesea, Jesse Fitzgerald, Samuel Crawford, Jack Fitzgerald, Karlson Kantilla, Michael Thompson. Willunga: Sam Renney, Liam Nye, Nathan Stark, Daniel Nobes, Harry Saunders, Tyson Hoffmann.

<b>Yankalilla</b>	1.2	3.3	4.3	6.3	<b>39</b>
<b>Willunga</b>	6.1	8.6	13.7	14.12	<b>96</b>

Best - Yankalilla: Thomas Bennett, Nathan Ewers, Mitchell Craig, Toby Nolan, Billy Dreissigacker-Ludlow, Joe Vile. Willunga: Caleb Hooper, Tyson Schmid, Ryan Collier, Oliver Brunton, Jack Burns, Jonathan Bousfield.

<b>Yankalilla</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	<b>6</b>
<b>Willunga</b>	5.3	8.7	11.10	14.14	<b>98</b>

Best - Yankalilla: Noah Fulton,  
Jackson Bull, Tadhg Wenham, Kristopher  
Gilson, Judd Thorn, Blake Symonds.  
Willunga: Fletcher Baxter, Max Vardon,  
Kai Genovese, Aden Garner, Patrick  
McDonald, Falakiko Tillman.

Yankalilla	-.-	-.-	-.-	-.-	36
Willunga	-.-	-.-	-.-	-.-	64

Best - Yankalilla: Tommy Aldridge, Leroy Jansen, Judd Thorn, Eli Sauerbier, Lucas Stone, Blake Pope. Willunga: Jayden Carnevale, Noah Gregory, Lachlan Genovese, Hayden Ats, Jethro Butterfield.

A Grade						Reserves						Senior Colts						Junior Colts					
P	PTS	%	W	L	D B	P	PTS	%	W	L	D B	P	PTS	%	W	L	D B	P	PTS	%	W	L	D B

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Gold Coast SUNS  
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St Kilda



TOTAL - 102



## Adrian Pederick

Hawthorn 30  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
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Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
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Collingwood  
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TOTAL - 111

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Western Bulldogs  
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Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
Melbourne



TOTAL - 114



## Sophie Edwards

Hawthorn 17  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Gold Coast SUNS  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
St Kilda



TOTAL - 111



## David Basham

Hawthorn 38  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Brisbane Lions  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
St Kilda



TOTAL - 110



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## Luke Jones

Hawthorn 43  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Brisbane Lions  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
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TOTAL - 118



## Nathan Duffield

Hawthorn 30  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Brisbane Lions  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
St Kilda



TOTAL - 116



## Peter Harrip

Hawthorn 28  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Brisbane Lions  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
St Kilda



TOTAL - 110



## Josh Pegler

Hawthorn 35  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Brisbane Lions  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
Melbourne



TOTAL - 120



## AJ Williams

Hawthorn 17  
Western Bulldogs  
GWS Giants  
Gold Coast SUNS  
Fremantle  
Geelong Cats  
Adelaide Crows  
Collingwood  
St Kilda



TOTAL - 106



## ROUND 20

### Thursday, July 24

Hawthorn vs. Carlton (MCG)

### Friday, July 25

Essendon vs. Western Bulldogs (MRVL)  
GWS Giants vs. Sydney Swans (ES)

### Saturday, July 26

Gold Coast SUNS vs. Brisbane Lions (PFS)  
Fremantle vs. West Coast Eagles (OS)  
North Melbourne vs. Geelong Cats (MRVL)  
Adelaide Crows vs. Port Adelaide (AO)

### Sunday, July 27

Richmond vs. Collingwood (MCG)  
St Kilda vs. Melbourne (MRVL)



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NEXT ROUND GAMES

GSFL JUL 26 - ROUND 14

Goolwa/Pt Elliot v Willunga  
at Goolwa Oval  
McLaren Districts v Langhorne Creek  
at McLaren Vale Sporting Complex  
Myponga/Sellicks v Mt Compass  
at Myponga Oval  
Strathalbyn v Encounter Bay  
at Strathalbyn Oval  
Victor Harbor v Yankalilla  
at Victor Harbor Oval

GSFL JUL 25-27 - ROUNDS

A GRADE WOMEN  
Goolwa/Pt Elliot v Willunga  
at Goolwa Oval  
McLaren Districts v Yankalilla/EB  
at McLaren Vale Sporting Complex  
Myponga/Sellicks v Victor Harbor  
at Myponga Oval  
U17 GIRLS  
McLaren Districts v Willunga  
at McLaren Vale Sporting Complex  
Strathalbyn v Victor Harbor  
at Myponga Oval  
U14 GIRLS  
Strathalbyn v Willunga  
at Goolwa Oval  
McLaren Districts v Goolwa/Pt Elliot  
at McLaren Vale Sporting Complex  
Yankalilla/EB v Victor Harbor  
at Myponga Oval

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GSFLW Round 14 Results


A Grade Women

Yankalilla/EB v Willunga



Yankalilla Memorial Park

A GRADE WOMEN




Yankalilla/EB	0.0	0.0	2.4	2.4	16
Willunga	3.2	5.8	6.8	9.10	64

Goals - Yankalilla/EB: Dani Brown 1; Laura Niejalke 1. Willunga: Tamara Page 3; Sarah Wright 3; Jodie Hunt 1; Emma Leask 1; Bella Rigby 1.


Best - Yankalilla/EB: Czenya Cavouras, Laura Niejalke, Sienna Bull, Rhiannon Gaythwaite-Cotton, Jemima Althorp, Achol Agany. Willunga: Bella Rigby, Caitlin Radbone, Jodie Hunt, Sarah Wright, Emma Leask, Kirstin Remfrey.

Goolwa/Pt Elliot v Victor Harbor



Goolwa Oval

A GRADE WOMEN




Goolwa/Pt E.	0.0	1.4	1.6	1.7	13
Victor Harbor	1.1	1.1	2.2	2.3	15

Goals - Goolwa/Pt E.: Rachel Wood 1. Victor Harbor: Danika Millard 1; Demi Morse 1.


Best - Goolwa/Pt E.: Cassie Burrows, Renee Moon, Ellie Fry, Annabel Cameron, Jessica Bailey, Dana Polmear. Victor Harbor: Tyla Millard, Lucy Rubie, Demi Morse, Olivia Nobbs, Halle Crowe, Zoe Bartholomaeus.

Myponga/Sellicks v McLaren Districts



Strathalbyn Oval

A GRADE WOMEN




Myp/Sell	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	2
McLaren D.	2.1	4.2	6.3	10.4	64

Goals - Myp/Sell: None. McLaren D.: Abby Woodward 5; Mia Hamilton 1; Esther Rayner 1; Caitlin Ross 1; Charlotte Watson 1; Akira Whelan 1.

Best - Myp/Sell: Chloe Boileau, Megan Weetra, Nari Wright, Grace Deacon, Private Player, Cristel Chambers. McLaren D.: Caitlin Ross, Abby Woodward, Charlotte Watson, Josephine Hoare, Makenzie Bryowsky, Jessica Shaw.


U17 Girls

Strathalbyn v McLaren Districts



Strathalbyn Oval

U17 GIRLS



Strathalbyn	1.0	1.0	--	--	12
McLaren D.	2.2	4.5	5.5	5.6	36

Goals - Strathalbyn: Eva Eglitis 1; Rani Putra 1. McLaren D.: Chanel May 4; Lucy Jones 1.

Best - Strathalbyn: Kayla Schubert, Sienna Ballantyne, Ruby Erbsland, Ashleigh Cross, Rani Putra, Jypsi Murphy. McLaren D.: Chanel May, Eva Petrucci, Ella Guinan, Isabella Woodford, Laylah McDonald, Private Player.

GSFLW Round 14 Ladders

A Grade	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	B
Willunga	14	28	87.05	14	0	0	0
McLaren Districts	14	22	71.02	11	3	0	0
Yankalilla/Encounter Bay	14	13	42.15	6	7	1	0
Victor Harbor	14	8	25.84	4	10	0	0
Myponga/Sellicks	14	7	31.11	3	10	1	0
Goolwa/Pt Elliot	14	6	26.25	3	10	0	0
U17 Girls	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	B
McLaren Districts	11	22	92.49	11	0	0	3
Strathalbyn	11	10	31.47	5	6	0	3
Willunga	11	8	48.00	4	7	0	3
Victor Harbor	11	4	22.10	2	9	0	3
Yankalilla/Encounter Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	14

Langhorne Creek vs Myponga/Sellicks



Caleb Howell receives a delivery from Daniel Kropp.



Jackson Howlett tackles Darcy Clifford.



Jake Spinks kicks the easiest of goals.

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1. Dylan Draper (Willunga) 48
2. Joshua Vandermeer (McLaren D.) 42
3. Darren Shillabeer (Myp/Sell) 40
4. Tom Pinyon (Mt Compass) 40
5. Daniel Nobes (Willunga) 40
6. Jarrod Kellock (Langhorne Ck) 36
7. Ben Davis (Encounter B.) 31
8. Tyson Neale (Encounter B.) 29
9. Caleb Howell (Langhorne Ck) 28
10. Connor Fitt (McLaren D.) 27



Langhorne Creek vs Myponga/Sellicks



Jakob Drury lays the perfect tackle on Jack Hall.



Mitchell Wilkins marks from behind over Jake Yard



Jake Yard delivers the perfect ball down the wing.



Myponga-Sellicks Coach Darren Shillabeer rallies the troops.



Darren Shillabeer shows his class with a perfect drop punt.

Photos: Matt Delany

# Hawks overcome the Mudlarks with a strong fightback

The Langhorne Creek Hawks hosted the Myponga Sellicks Mudlarks last Saturday at Hawk Park.

After some showers earlier in the day, the weather remained fine with very little wind for the A Grade game in the afternoon.

At the first bounce, the Hawks had their ruckman Cates up against the Mudlarks' Jurado.

Both teams had opportunities to score early in the quarter, but it was 10 minutes into the game before Mudlarks playing coach Shillabeer slotted the first major of the afternoon.

Not long after, the lively H. Sampson squeezed a goal through from the square as the visitors began to assert some authority on the game.

The Hawks had a couple of scoring chances but only managed points for their efforts.

The Mudlarks held the upperhand from centre clearances, and their work was rewarded with a second goal to Shillabeer.

A long kick-out by the Myponga defence cleared the Hawks' defenders and allowed J. Spinks to boot the visitors' fourth for the term.

The visitors were frustrating the home side with their quick ball movement, linking up players across the ground, which the Hawks were struggling to keep up with.

At the first break, the Mudlarks held a 26-point lead over the home side, who had failed to goal in the quarter.

The Hawks' Coach Gifford must have ignited the players at quarter time, as they broke their hoodoo and came out playing a better brand of football.

However, the first score for the term came from Myponga's J. Spinks, which had the home side behind by 32 points at that stage.

But the tide was about to turn.

Shillabeer kicked a goal after playing on, but he was called back by the umpire and consequently missed on his second shot.

A goal from Dalitz for the Hawks started a strong run of play where they dominated the last portion of the quarter, with goals coming from the boots of Howell, L. Bates and a long bomb from backman Yard that bounced through the

Mudlarks' defence for a major.

The game became physical at times, and Myponga had a player yellow-carded for five minutes.

But the term belonged to the Hawks, who overcame a very poor first quarter to be down by just three points at the main break.

The crowd was anticipating a good final half of footy, and they weren't disappointed.

A long kick from the Mudlarks' Wilkins in the first minute had the visitors pushing on, but it wasn't to last.

The Hawks nailed two goals through Riechelt and Steinke to be in front for the first time in the match.

The Hawks were gaining the upper hand around the ground as they stymied any supply to the Myponga forwards.

M. Cleggett from the Hawks was dominating in the forward lines with a display of strong marking, as Kempster and Hutchinson did their best to hold back the Hawks' tide.

Dominish for the Hawks was getting plenty of

the ball, along with H. Sampson for the Mudlarks.

A late goal to the Hawks' Hall had the Creeks holding a 12-point advantage at the last break.

The final quarter was a fairly even affair.

The Hawks had the first goal on the board through Dalitz.

A quick reply came from Myponga's Cooper, who kicked truly from within the square.

Both teams were raising the bar in an arm wrestle for the finish in which the result could have gone either way.

Another goal to L. Bates gave the home side some breathing space.

Following this, a solid mark and an accurate kick by Kropp on a sharp angle had the Hawks in front for the rest of the quarter.

Late goals to the Mudlarks' Shillabeer and H. Sampson were too little too late, as the home side recorded a 13-point win in what had been an entertaining match for those watching on.



# Roosters dent Bulldogs’ finals hopes

By Perry Jones

On Saturday at Mount Compass the Roosters with superior team work out played the Bulldogs to win by 22 points and dent their hopes of being a late inclusion in the top five.

The Roosters win gave the Dogs a harder chance to reach the finals by removing the Mudlarks who are still a win clear in fifth spot of the Dogs, as they lost to Langhorne Creek, they also still having a shot at a finals berth in drawing level on points with the Dogs, with five games to play.

On Saturday, conditions had fined up from the morning with the wind still going across the oval, as the Roosters had the downhill run to start with.

The Dogs began in good style as Simons, Daniell and Merritt got them going, seeing them post the first goal of the day as Pinyon converted a McKenzie pass.

The Roosters struggled early to penetrate the Dogs defence work from Tolosa, Tom Vitkunas and Hunter before they started to link up better through pace from Fergusson and Gladigau, while Edwards, Wright and Newton constructed useful moves.

While Pegler and Weckert were denying the Dogs access to goal the Roosters started their goal kicking with Stafford, taken high, converting and then Stafford got a pass to Wheaton who had his job made easier with the start of some undisciplined play for the day by the Dogs, giving away a twenty five metre free for the two white flags to be raised again.

The Dogs had trouble going up the hill with stop start play as the Roosters, with Welk having a

good battle with Schulz in ruck, had another goal on the board with Gladigau, set up by Gilbert.

The Bulldogs then had a valuable goal on the uphill track when Pinyon picked up a loose ball but the Rooster determination continued as Wheaton put through a long dob and Stafford, still busy up forward, gathered in a loose ball and with a hook over his sholder saw it go through the big sticks, to give the Roosters a quarter time lead of 20 points.

At the start of the second term the Roosters sprung a surprise on the Dogs’ defence with a quick opening goal as Gilbert fired the ball forward to find Grant out manoeuvre his opponent to mark and convert.

The Dogs took eight minutes to reply to this goal as they lacked a fair bit of team work to make use of drive from Simons and Turner, the former getting the goal when he took the tap out and hooked the ball through the big sticks.

With Schulz spoiling his effort in ruck by giving away frees, the Dogs discipline was lacking again when Nash picked up a free near goal but with Roosters’ Scott being bowled over soon after the umpire reversed his decision.

The Roosters’ tackling and spoiling also hampered the Dogs’ efforts to go forward, seeing the Roosters take their opportunities to successfully test the Dogs’ defence as Gladigau, Gilbert, with pace and attacking kicks, backed up by Scott and Stutley gave the Dog defence led by Endersby and Hunter plenty of work to do.

The Rooster made sure that they were not going to be over run when Stafford found Gladigau who quickly played on to drill a full pointer and then, with Gilbert sending the ball forward, Gladigau was quick to read the ball off

hands to gain possession and bag another goal.

The Dogs managed to get the last goal before half time in getting past defence work led by Weckert and Duffield when Nash, picking up a free, sent the ball to the goal square for Pinyon to mark against three opponents and convert, as they trailed by 27 points.

It was certainly a bit better team work by the Bulldogs early in the third term as they tried to cut their deficit with Daniell, Simons and Hunter getting plenty of the ball, backed up by Schultz in ruck, as Vitkunas and Turner also had their moments.

The Dogs had the first goal on the board after a Pinyon miss, with Simons then making no mistake but the Roosters were not about to let go of their advantage with Fergusson, Gilbert and Cutting all burrowing in to get the ball forward, seeing Gilbert with speed deliver the ball to Grant for the conversion.

The Dogs had the reply to this goal when a fumble by Rooster Stutley allowed Bulldog Vitkunas to gain possession and put the ball through the big sticks.

The Rooster defence, with Pegler standing in the Dogs’ way often, opened the way for them to keep the pressure on with attacking moves, as their opponent tried to find a way out with backward passes, making sure there were no easy way out of the Roosters’ attacking zone.

While Hicks was doing well in defence for the Dogs, as play became a bit scrumbly, it was a loose ball that Stafford gathered in for the Roosters to have the next goal and also the final one before the third term siren when Grant picked up a free and a bit more lack of discipline by the Dogs saw him gain 25 metres for a simple

shot at goal and a lead of 31 points.

The Roosters certainly put the pressure on the Dogs with the first goal in the final term after a good series of handballs, which they had used all match, to set Stafford up for the desired result.

Then the Dogs started to attack through Turner, Simons and Schultz and, despite meeting timely rebound work by Pegler, with his marking and spoiling, backed up by Newton and Fox, they closed the gap to look a definite chance to get up.

It was Brencens taking a spillage that got the Dogs’ first goal for the term, followed by Zimmermann getting a quick pass to Corbett for another conversion.

Just as the Dogs looked to be taking control, the Roosters with efforts from Edwards, Gladigau and Kenny threw a spanner in the works when effort by Gladigau got the ball to Keatley who in turn set up Gilbert for a full pointer.

As Hunter and Watson did the rebound work for the Dogs they came again and after Zimmermann missed from a free shot, Pinyon was awarded a lucky free kick to convert.

Another shot by Pinyon was only a behind, followed by a rushed behind, before Pinyon gained another free to goal and close the gap to sixteen points with time running out.

The Roosters continued to resist and at the twenty five minute mark it was all over when Bulldog McKenzie dumped Rooster Keatley after his kick, for a down field free kick close to goals being awarded to Kenny who made no mistake, to give the Roosters their third win for the season and a chance to perhaps cause an upset against a top five side, meeting all of them before the end of the minor round.

Strathalbyn vs McLaren Districts U17’s



Photos: Deirdre Graham



Strathalbyn vs McLaren Districts U17's



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Strathalbyn vs Mt Compass A Grade Report

Roosters claim outstanding win

Compass welcomed Strathalbyn to Doggy Park amid superb weather conditions suitable for fast and furious footy.

Strathalbyn were first forward with the breeze, but Compass were first to goal off Pinyon's boot within the two-minute mark.

Strathalbyn worked the ball around with well-directed kicking, getting the ball forward where Stafford found himself on the end of a stray Compass kick and goaled from the 45-metre mark.

Strathalbyn threw everything at the contest, presenting plenty of challenges for the Compass backs.

Wheaton, awarded a 50-metre penalty from a mark infringement, converted soon after.

Strathalbyn brought up their third goal in succession through clever work by Kenny, helping Gladigau to a goal of his own.

Eventually, Pinyon broke the drought for Compass, goaling on the run.

However, their joy was short-lived, as Hopkins got his hands on the ball and passed beautifully to Wheaton.

Strathalbyn were on fire, and Compass' casual approach allowed Stafford to snap a beauty from deep in the pocket.

Compass were looking unsteady and tentative.

Fergusson and Hopkins were proving dangerous around the ground for Strathalbyn, while Daniell and Hunter worked hard in the backlines to keep Compass in the game.

Quarter time scores were Strathalbyn 5.2 to Compass 2.0.

Strathalbyn were determined to keep the upper hand, battling the ball out of the centre into their forward line.

A long ball in the direction of Grant, who won a one-on-one battle, saw another goal reward their efforts.

Strathalbyn's no-fuss, down-the-line game was paying dividends.

Finally, having struggled to get the upper hand around the packs, it was Simons who was able to snap a goal to give Compass some respectability on the scoreboard.

But straight out of the centre again, it was Gladigau bringing glory to Strathalbyn.

Sharking cleverly, Gladigau extended the lead further with a lovely tight snap.

Nash, working overtime to make up for some earlier Compass errors, booted deep into the forward line for Pinyon to mark well and kick a much-needed goal.

However, Strathalbyn had their tails up and were contesting everything, with their on-ballers continuing to dominate.

Compass, on the other hand, were forced into poor judgement and errors.

Strathalbyn's taller forward line began to capitalise on their opportunities, with Kenny and Weckert providing plenty of chances.

T. Vitkunas, Hunter and Endersby did all they could to stem the Strathalbyn onslaught.

Half-time scores were Strathalbyn 8.4 to Compass 4.1.

Strathalbyn entered the forward line first after Scott was awarded a free at the centre.

Healy and Camac defended well, using the run of Daniell to get the ball forward where Simons was able to run through a pack and snap a goal under pressure.

The fast-running Gilbert found Grant to bring up a quick reply.

Moments later, T. Vitkunas brought up another for Compass with a strong run through the pack, squeezing through a goal.

Stafford, sharking the contested ball, also snapped a goal to keep the lead four goals Strathalbyn's way.

While Compass were now putting in a much better effort, they could not shake off a stubborn and determined Strathalbyn unit.

Grant, awarded another down-the-ground free for a Compass indiscretion, extended the lead again, putting Strathalbyn in a strong position - six kicks clear.

Stutley and Welk worked hard around the ground to keep the momentum going Strathalbyn's way, while Camac and Daniell provided some respite in the backlines for Compass as Strathalbyn surged forward on numerous occasions.

Three-quarter time scores were Strathalbyn 11.7 to Compass 6.5.

With the score well in Strathalbyn's favour, the game looked all but won - and deservedly so.

However, it was Compass first forward, with Schulz awarded a free in the ruck contest. Strathalbyn's backline stood tall, reversing the direction to find Stafford for a tidy finish.

Brencis, sharking cleverly, goaled to give

Compass some hope, but more was needed - and quickly.

Corbet followed suit with a strong mark 20 metres out.

Strong play through the centre and poor crumbing follow-up from Compass saw the ball run out of the backlines via Keatley to Gilbert, who kicked what could have been a game-saving goal from a set shot.

Now going goal for goal, Pinyon found himself with a rare free kick and goaled to steady the ship.

Compass were finally applying the effort they had lacked in the opening quarter, holding the ball in their forward line for much of the term - but alas, it was too little, too late.

Great defensive work by McKenzie saw the ball into Pinyon's hands again, and he goaled from a free in the marking contest.

Much to the relief of the Strathalbyn crowd, Stutley was awarded another down-the-ground free and kicked Strathalbyn into a winning position.

Strathalbyn ran out winners, leaving Compass slightly stunned.

However, after their lacklustre first three quarters, the result was inevitable.

Pegler, Keatley and Stutley kept up the momentum for Strathalbyn, while Simons, Merritt and Watson had a lively last quarter for Compass.

Final scores: Strathalbyn 14.9 defeated Compass 10.10.



Myponga Netball Club

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With only seven players, the girls prepared themselves for a game of no rest!

They each chose a position for the day, which led to much excitement and an even spread of players.

Myponga kept pace with Langhorne Creek early, with a great run from Piper Davies in centre.

Sienna Davidson and Mackenzie Rumball worked hard in defence, closely shadowing their opponents.

The Creek girls were fast and gradually extended their lead, but Myponga's effort and enthusiasm never waned.

Thanks to the umpires and volunteers.

11&U (2)  
BYE

13&U (1)  
BYE

**13&U (3)**

**Myponga 5 def by Langhorne Ck 17**

In the first quarter, Myponga applied strong pressure over the ball.

The defenders worked hard to keep Creek out of the circle.

Baley played well in WA, leading and helping bring the ball down.

In the second quarter, the pressure continued, and the score stayed close.

Caitlin and Ava combined well in defence, taking good intercepts.

Creek found their rhythm in the final two quarters, breaking through Myponga's defence to score freely.

Thanks to Baley for benching and to Rose Wallace for taking on the reporting duties this week.

Inter 1

**Myponga 39 def by Langhorne Ck 53**

Both teams played a strong first quarter, with Creek taking a four-goal lead at the break.

Myponga's Ruby Tomlinson helped her team with great passing into the circle.

At half-time, Creek led by six and continued to build on this with a tight defensive game.

Creek's Ruby Erbsland collected multiple interceptions, helping her team

finish with a 14-goal win.

Thank you to the umpires, scorers, timer and primary carers.

Inter 2

**Myponga 19 def by Langhorne Ck 37**

It was a wet and chilly morning at Langhorne Creek.

Both teams came out hard with tight defence and accurate shooting.

Myponga displayed excellent gameplay and teamwork, with their training efforts shining through.

Langhorne Creek's shooters were very accurate, making it difficult for Myponga's defence, especially in the final quarter.

Despite this, Myponga never gave up.

Thanks to bench officials and umpires.

Now for a two-week bye - regroup and come out firing.

Let's go Myponga!

Inter 4

**Myponga 24 def by Langhorne Ck 12**

A trip to Langhorne Creek - and they put on Myponga weather - cold and wet! It was a good game to watch, with solid turnovers and intercepts through the midcourt.

Myponga initially struggled to transition through the middle and finish with a goal due to tight defence from Creek.

Eventually, Myponga adjusted and started converting.

The slippery court and wet ball slowed play, leading to some awkward passes, but Myponga finished strong to take the win.

Thanks to the Under 13s who filled in and benched. Thanks also to the umpires.

League

**Myponga 44 def Langhorne Ck 43**

It was a wet one on Saturday as Myponga and Langhorne Creek league teams went head-to-head in what turned out to be a down-to-the-wire match.

Myponga came away with the win by just a single goal in the final minute.

The match started with Myponga hitting the ground running, taking a five-goal lead into the first break thanks to strong defensive work and clean finishing in the ring.

But Langhorne Creek weren't about to let the game slip away.

Their goalies were rock solid, barely missing a shot as they chipped away at the margin and got themselves right back

into the contest.

With the court slippery from the rain, both teams had to work hard through the midcourt, and the pressure was on all game.

It was a real tug-of-war, with turnovers going both ways and plenty of hustle from every player on the court.

The final quarter was a true goal-for-goal battle, with neither team giving an inch.

Myponga held their nerve just long enough to take the win by the slimmest of margins.

Senior 2

**Myponga 62 def Langhorne Ck 31**

Myponga came out firing on Saturday, showing Langhorne Creek their full potential and what they have been working hard on all season.

The defence worked incredibly well together, getting multiple intercepts and keeping Creek to just nine goals after the first quarter.

While this was happening, Myponga's goalies were on fire, shooting 20 goals in the first quarter and creating a strong lead.

This lead continued to grow throughout the game with more intercepts from players across the court, all working hard to capitalise.

A big shoutout to Jasmin Vallance, who played her 100th senior club game - and what a game to do it!

Jaz played brilliantly, showing her quick speed to drive down the court and landing a few cheeky long bombs into the goalies.

A great game was had by all, with Myponga coming away with the win, doubling Langhorne Creek's score.

Senior 3

**Myponga 41 def Langhorne Ck 37**

At 12pm it was time for the Senior 3s to take the court.

Myponga were pumped for a rematch against Creek after being defeated by them in the first half of the season.

The first quarter set the tone with goal-for-goal scoring and very little room for error.

Both teams' goalies came out with great accuracy.

Myponga's attacking line was bolstered by Grace Deacon, playing WA on a game-day voucher, bringing fast pace and athleticism to the line-up.

Their defence was further strengthened by the experience, strength and leadership of Roxie Deacon.

Creek took a one-goal lead into the first break (12-11).

In the second quarter, Myponga increased their pressure and conversion, with attacking combinations linking well and fast ball movement through the midcourt.

They levelled the scores at half-time (21-21).

The third quarter remained tight, with both sides maintaining intensity and pressure.

Myponga took a two-goal lead into the final break (30-28).

In the last quarter, Creek made rolling substitutions to reduce the deficit, but Myponga held on to win by four.

A massive thank you to Roxie and Grace for taking the court, and to Tarnia for benching and her ongoing support.

The Myponga Senior 3s are very grateful to have such supportive club members.

Senior 4

**Myponga 37 def Langhorne Ck 36**

Both teams started strongly, with great transitions of play from defence to attack.

It was a tightly contested first quarter, but Myponga were able to take a three-goal lead at the break due to some outstanding circle defensive pressure from Merridie McLaren and Amy Mathewson.

Myponga carried their momentum into the second quarter to lead by four at half-time.

However, Creek came out firing in the third and had Myponga on the back foot, taking advantage of unforced midcourt and attacking errors to level the scores by three-quarter time.

The final quarter was intense, with every ball fought for.

The patience and valuing of ball possession shown by Myponga in the last minutes was the deciding factor, and they got over the line by one.

Thanks to Sarah for umpiring and Bianca for checking scoring.

Senior 5

**Myponga 20 def by Langhorne Ck 45**

This week, Myponga travelled to Langhorne Creek to face one of the competition's finals favourites.

The game began under cloudy skies,

with rain arriving during the third quarter.

Despite the conditions, both teams played with creativity and spirit.

There were clever plays, quick transitions, and plenty of laughs as the wet ball occasionally slipped over players' heads.

Langhorne Creek showed why they are a top contender.

Their disciplined and commanding defensive efforts - particularly through the midcourt and in the circle - proved too strong for Myponga to consistently break through.

The scoreline doesn't tell the whole story.

Myponga showed incredible resilience, teamwork and sportsmanship.

Their positive energy and never-give-up attitude continue to be a proud feature of their season.

Senior 6

**Myponga 29 def by Langhorne Ck 42**

It was a cold and wet day at Langhorne Creek.

Myponga's Senior 6 team were hunting for their first win, and the early signs were positive.

The match began evenly and Myponga trailed by just one goal at the first break.

There were excellent passages of play, particularly through the midcourt, continually feeding the ball to the shooters.

But Creek's defensive pressure increased, and they pulled away during the second half to win by 13.

Big thanks to Sophie, Deb and Paula for filling in.

Senior 7

**Myponga 22 def by Langhorne Ck 33**

Myponga's defensive pairing of Rikki and Paula set the tone early with disciplined pressure, keeping the margin within two points at half-time.

In the second half, Langhorne Creek found their momentum and stretched the lead, but Myponga's fighting spirit never faded.

With grit and determination, Myponga continued to attack the ball and maintained a strong defensive presence.

Mia and Sienna contributed well, filling gaps where needed.

It was a well-contested game showcasing skill, heart and respect on both sides.

Results for Round 13 Matches

	League	Senior 2	Senior 3	Senior 4	Senior 5	Senior 6	Senior 7	Inter 1	Inter 2	Inter 3	Inter 4	13&U Div1	13&U Div2	13&U Div3	11&U Div1	11&U Div2	11&U Div3
Langhorne Creek v Myponga	43-44	31-62	37-41	36-37	45-20	42-29	33-22	53-39	37-19	-	12-24	-	-	17-5	-	-	-
Mt Compass v Strathalbyn	37-50	46-50	37-32	58-43	47-42	24-40	58-33	21-75	-	29-29	15-59	15-37	9-45	-	17-8	8-12	3-8
Yankalilla v Willunga	71-28	-	62-22	40-42	37-59	33-49	25-51	45-49	26-54	20-42	35-23	14-23	-	13-27	1-26	-	1-3
Encounter Bay v Goolwa	50-43	43-62	-	-	48-37	61-36	34-46	20-68	-	-	35-27	-	32-15	23-9	18-10	4-4	6-8
McLaren Vale v Victor Harbor	47-68	40-47	25-85	49-45	70-39	41-21	44-33	33-51	36-18	21-31	28-43	13-32	17-33	5-31	-	15-4	13-4

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# Argus Netball

## Langhorne Creek vs Myponga



Charlie Clifford waits for Jordan Hooper to fall past her until she shoots the goal.



Kiana Sochacki and Melissa Hedger clash on the wet court.



Stacey Peckover shoots past the outreached Jordan Hooper



Jade Decon and Kiana Sochacki fought hard all match.



Sarah Raper reaches hard to grab the rebound from Emily Tonkin.



Stella Hall passes over Jordan Hooper.



## Strathalbyn Netball Club

### 9&U Green

Our Under 9 girls played an incredible game against Mount Compass, showing great teamwork, determination and skill. Their passing, defence and positive attitude were truly impressive - especially in the cold weather.

### 11&U (1)

#### Strathalbyn 8 def by Mt Compass 17

The girls put in a determined and consistent effort across all four quarters, showing great teamwork, resilience and focus.

From the first whistle, they played with intensity and kept up the pressure, maintaining strong defensive structures and moving the ball well through the court.

However, the weather played a significant role in the match, with windy and wet conditions making it difficult to control passes.

While our team worked hard to adjust, the opposition seemed more accustomed to the conditions.

Despite the challenges, our players showed great spirit and never gave up.

They should be proud of their efforts - well done girls!

### 11&U (2)

#### Strathalbyn 12 def Mt Compass 8

A wet start to the game at Mount Compass saw Compass come out strong, scoring the first few goals - some from long range.

Consistent defensive effort and teamwork allowed Strathalbyn to claw their way back.

The final quarter was the strongest for Strath, with the goalies working well together.

A solid team effort resulted in a well-earned win.

### 11&U (3)

#### Strathalbyn 8 def Mt Compass 3

The girls played a great game despite

the rainy and windy conditions.

It was a scrappy match, but the team battled through and came out on top.

They all played well and should be proud of their win!

### 13&U (1)

#### Strathalbyn 37 def Mt Compass 15

It was an early start in very windy and rainy conditions, making it a challenging game.

The girls were asked to forget the first match and start fresh - playing with intensity from the first whistle.

And they listened!

They created turnovers with great defence and the goalies capitalised, giving us a strong lead by the first break.

Despite a few errors creeping in, the team maintained composure and, with help from our fill-ins, finished with a convincing win.

### 13&U (2)

#### Strathalbyn 45 def Mt Compass 9

Strathalbyn put on a dominant performance with great connections down the court.

A strong all-round team effort and a great win for the girls.

### Inter 1

#### Strathalbyn 75 def Mt Compass 21

Cold and wet conditions meant Strathalbyn had to adjust, playing a slower and more controlled game.

It was great to see some Intermediate 2s step up seamlessly.

The game was played in great spirits by both teams.

### Inter 3

#### Strathalbyn 29 drew Mt Compass 29

An early morning start in wind and rain saw both teams battling it out in tough conditions.

Accurate scoring from Mount Compass kept them in the game despite

strong defensive pressure from Addison Bertholini and Lily Walker.

Maya Weise provided key intercepts to help Strath hold the lead into the final quarter.

Long-range shots from Compass gave them the edge, but Macy Steele provided calmness in the midcourt, and strong work in the goal circle by Lauren Bley and Amarlee Nash levelled the score at full time.

### Inter 4

#### Strathalbyn 59 def Mt Compass 15

Strath started strong, ending the first quarter with a 14-goal lead.

While the second quarter was a little quieter, the goalies worked hard and rarely missed, backed by a strong attacking team.

Defence remained solid throughout, making scoring difficult for Mount Compass.

A strong finish saw Strath come away with a convincing win.

### League

#### Strathalbyn 50 def Mt Compass 37

Strathalbyn kept their winning streak alive with a solid away win in wintry conditions.

It took time to find their rhythm, but the second half showcased their attacking flair.

Mackenzie Cutting was injected into the game after half-time and sparked crisp attacking plays.

Fellow Intermediate standout Kayla Schubert also impressed, forming a strong partnership with Bella Garwood in the circle to ensure high-volume scoring.

Mount Compass stayed in touch with some excellent long-range shooting, but Strath's full-court pressure often forced turnovers before the ball could reach the goal circle.

The game was capped off by Ruby Harbottle making her league debut at goal keeper in the final quarter - showing she's more than ready for the challenge.

### Senior 2

#### Strathalbyn 50 def Mt Compass 46

Strathalbyn took an early lead, capitalising on intercepts and forced errors.

Compass responded with intensity over the next two quarters to gain the advantage.

Strategic changes in the final quarter paid off for Strathalbyn, who dominated the final term to secure a four-goal win.

### Senior 3

#### Strathalbyn 32 def by Mt Compass 37

Compass jumped out to an early five-goal lead.

While Strathalbyn settled and matched them for the remainder of the game, the early gap proved too much to overcome.

Credit to Compass for holding off all comeback attempts.

Congratulations to Jorja Fox for returning to the goal circle after a long break, and well done to Mia Hutchins for pressuring and competing all game.

### Senior 4

#### Strathalbyn 43 def by Mt Compass 58

Compass started strong with a six-goal lead as Strathalbyn tried to find their rhythm.

The second quarter saw Strath settle, conceding just one more goal.

Combinations worked well, but Compass's height in the goal circle and knack for intercepts in defence made it hard to gain momentum.

They increased their lead in the third quarter, and the final term was evenly contested.

### Senior 5

#### Strathalbyn 42 def by Mt Compass 47

In a tough and closely contested match, Strathalbyn went down to Mount Compass in a thrilling encounter.

Both teams showed intensity and determination, going goal for goal for much of the game.

Strathalbyn showed great resilience in the absence of their regular coach, displaying strong teamwork and adaptability.

An unfortunate ankle injury to a key player in the final quarter disrupted their momentum.

In a heartwarming moment, Michelle came out of retirement to fill in, bringing valuable experience and support - highlighting the club's strong spirit and depth.

Despite the loss, Strathalbyn can be proud of their performance and will no doubt bounce back stronger.

### Senior 6

#### Strathalbyn 40 def Mt Compass 24

Strathalbyn started strong, applying pressure across the court and setting the pace of the game.

Their defensive unit consistently disrupted Compass's attacking flow, with key intercepts and rebounds quickly turned into goals.

In attack, Strathalbyn's shooters were composed, capitalising on every opportunity and converting second-chance efforts.

A consistent performance across all quarters saw them take a well-deserved win.

### Senior 7

#### Strathalbyn 33 def by Mt Compass 58

The girls came out with a positive attitude and plenty of youthful energy, thanks to Kaylah Knight and Layla Daws joining the bench.

Strathalbyn stayed close at each break, but some late position changes by Compass proved decisive.

Once again, the final score did not reflect the closeness of the game.

A highlight was the mother-daughter combo of Selena and Kaylah Knight combining beautifully in the goal ring - hard to believe they usually play defence!

Well done, ladies. Let's get to training and aim for a win next weekend. Thanks again to Kaylah and Layla - you're welcome any time!

## GSNA Premiership Table Results for Round 13

League	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Yankalilla	13	24	157.54	12	1	0	0
Myponga	13	22	130.25	11	2	0	0
Victor Harbor	13	18	116.82	9	4	0	0
Strathalbyn	13	16	110.94	8	5	0	0
Langhorne Ck	13	12	101.44	6	7	0	0
Goolwa	13	12	99.63	6	7	0	0
McLaren Vale	13	11	92.92	5	7	1	0
Encounter Bay	13	8	86.75	4	9	0	0
Willunga	13	4	70.35	2	11	0	0
Mt Compass	13	3	66.16	1	11	1	0

Senior 2	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Yankalilla	11	22	144.22	11	0	0	2
Victor Harbor	12	18	116.60	9	3	0	1
Goolwa	12	16	108.70	8	4	0	1
Mt Compass	12	14	104.84	7	5	0	1
Strathalbyn	12	14	97.83	7	5	0	1
Myponga	11	10	104.78	5	6	0	2
McLaren Vale	11	6	91.11	3	8	0	2
Langhorne Ck	12	4	84.63	2	10	0	1
Encounter Bay	11	0	62.09	0	11	0	2

Senior 3	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Victor Harbor	11	22	204.02	11	0	0	2
Yankalilla	12	20	158.18	10	2	0	1
Myponga	12	18	127.27	9	3	0	1
Langhorne Ck	12	14	103.63	7	5	0	1
Mt Compass	11	10	86.59	5	6	0	2
Strathalbyn	11	8	85.92	4	7	0	2
McLaren Vale	12	8	75.74	4	8	0	1
Willunga	12	2	64.85	1	11	0	1
Encounter Bay	11	2	58.52	1	10	0	2

Senior 4	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Goolwa	11	22	166.57	11	0	0	2
Myponga	12	22	138.03	11	1	0	1
Langhorne Ck	12	14	127.62	7	5	0	1
Willunga	11	12	110.44	6	5	0	2
Yankalilla	11	12	98.68	6	5	0	2
McLaren Vale	12	12	90.60	6	6	0	1
Mt Compass	12	6	76.18	3	9	0	1
Strathalbyn	12	2	73.70	1	11	0	1
Victor Harbor	11	2	63.73	1	10	0	2

Senior 5	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Langhorne Ck	13	22	160.50	11	2	0	0
Willunga	13	22	142.68	11	2	0	0
Encounter Bay	13	20	134.71	10	3	0	0
Goolwa	13	18	128.90	9	4	0	0
McLaren Vale	13	16	104.61	8	5	0	0
Mt Compass	13	12	87.01	6	7	0	0
Strathalbyn	13	10	94.92	5	8	0	0
Myponga	13	6	69.19	3	10	0	0
Victor Harbor	13	4	65.95	2	11	0	0
Yankalilla	13	0	60.46	0	13	0	0

Senior 6	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
McLaren Vale	13	22	142.24	11	2	0	0
Encounter Bay	13	20	136.20	10	3	0	0
Willunga	13	20	124.85	10	3	0	0
Yankalilla	13	16	105.51	8	5	0	0
Goolwa	13	12	105.02	6	7	0	0
Mt Compass	13	12	88.06	6	7	0	0
Langhorne Ck	13	11	90.04	5	7	1	0
Strathalbyn	13	9	90.82	4	8	1	0
Victor Harbor	13	8	76.62	4	9	0	0
Myponga	13	0	64.02	0	13	0	0

Senior 7	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Goolwa	13	24	180.06	12	1	0	0
Langhorne Ck	13	22	127.18	11	2	0	0
McLaren Vale	13	20	136.00	10	3	0	0
Mt Compass	13	18	109.38	9	4	0	0
Encounter Bay	13	14	96.48	7	6	0	0
Willunga	13	12	101.71	6	7	0	0
Myponga	13	12	94.59	6	7	0	0
Victor Harbor	13	4	73.73	2	11	0	0
Yankalilla	13	4	67.16	2	11	0	0
Strathalbyn	13	0	60.44	0	12	0	0

Inter 1	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Strathalbyn	13	23	157.86	11	1	1	0
Langhorne Ck	13	22	161.67	11	2	0	0
Victor Harbor	13	18	125.21	9	4	0	0
Willunga	13	16	134.99	8	5	0	0
Yankalilla	13	16	129.98	8	5	0	0
Goolwa	13	14	126.10	7	6	0	0
Myponga	13	10	89.44	5	8	0	0
McLaren Vale	13	9	98.57	4	8	1	0
Encounter Bay	13	2	35.96	1	11	0	0
Mt Compass	13	0	34.25	0	13	0	0

Inter 2	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Willunga	10	20	192.64	10	0	0	3
McLaren Vale	10	16	189.36	8	2	0	2
Strathalbyn	10	12	140.14	6	4	0	3
Yankalilla	10	12	112.91	6	4	0	3
Victor Harbor	10	10	80.83	5	5	0	3
Langhorne Ck	10	6	78.98	3	7	0	2
Myponga	11	4	48.28	2	9	0	2
Goolwa	9	0	50.70	0	9	0	3

Inter 3	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Willunga	11	20	171.00	10	1	0	4
Victor Harbor	10	18	155.38	9	1	0	5
McLaren Vale Red	10	14	145.45	7	3	0	3
McLaren Vale Blue	10	10	113.62	5	5	0	3
Strathalbyn	9	8	96.14	3	4	2	5
Mt Compass	10	5	64.75	2	7	1	5
Encounter Bay	10	5	57.86	2	7	1	4
Yankalilla	10	0	48.26	0	10	0	4

Inter 4	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Yankalilla	13	26	209.25	13	0	0	0
Strathalbyn	13	21	190.88	10	2	1	0
Victor Harbor	13	20	158.43	10	3	0	0
McLaren Vale	13	19	122.16	9	3	1	0
Myponga	13	10	80.83	5	8	0	0
Encounter Bay	13	10	71.79	5	8	0	0
Willunga	13	8	87.29	4	9	0	0
Mt Compass	13	6	74.18	3	10	0	0
Langhorne Ck	13	6	50.61	3	10	0	0
Goolwa	13	4	54.82	2	11	0	0

13&U Div 1	P	PTS	%	W	L	D	BYE
Victor Harbor	9	18	252.76	9	0	0	3
Goolwa	10	16	154.72	8	2	0	3
Strathalbyn	10	14	157.01	7	3	0	2
McLaren Vale	11	14	109.68	7	4	0	2
Willunga	10	10	93.07	5	5	0	3
Mt Compass	10	4	55.60	2	8	0	2
Yankalilla	10	2	47.52	1	9	0	3
Myponga	10	2	46.86	1	9	0	3



# Top 10 finish for Australia at World Dragon Boat Racing Championships

By Deirdre Graham

Australia finished sixth at the World Dragon Boat Racing Championships in Germany last week, with Hindmarsh Island paddler Chris Welch enjoying the experience.

Welch, aged 57, competed in the Senior B division, taking part in all races including open and mixed standard boat categories – 2000m, 1000m, 500m and 200m.

His best finish was a fourth placing.

While he was “not that happy” with his own result – he won four medals at the championships in Thailand in 2023 – it was pleasing to see Australia collect five gold medals, 13 silver medals, and 21 bronze medals, behind powerhouses such as Canada, China and the US who took out the top three positions.

The championships saw several categories – Under 16, Under 18, Under 24, Premiere, Senior A, Senior B, Senior C and Para Dragon.

In total about 330 competitors and officials from

Australia attended the seven-day competition.

Welch said the standard was “very competitive” at all levels.

He had been training for six months in the lead up to the championships.

“This included three weekly gym strength sessions and three on water training sessions, and in addition, I had to do indoor rowing for cardio fitness and single craft paddling by myself in a TK1 kayak,” Welch said.

Despite not doing as well as he would have liked, he took away many positives from the competition.

“This is a fantastic sport for all ages,” Welch said.

“The camaraderie, passion and determination displayed by our men’s team was inspiring.

“We got better throughout the campaign (and) I have made so many new friends by playing this sport.”

The next world championships will be in Hong Kong in October 2027, with Welch hopeful of being in the Senior B team again as a paddler.



Hindmarsh Island dragon boat paddler Chris Welch has returned from the sport's world championships. Welch's best result was a fourth placing.

# Last wave for Goolwa surfer

By Tara Nash

Goolwa surfer John Amos is likely riding his final wave in the 2025 Australian Surf Championships longboard division this week, held at Cabarita Beach in New South Wales.

The 75-year-old – who won the Australian National Titles for over 70 men in 2022 – has represented South Australia in the competition for about a decade, and was a finalist in last year's competition.

“It gets a bit harder when you're competing against younger guys – even five years younger at my age makes a difference,” he said.

“But it's not all about the competition – I love catching up with old mates up here.

“Over 10 years, I've built some friendships, that's for sure.”

Every year, he also enjoys swapping the cold South Australian winters for the warm weather on the east coast.

Amos finds surfing “extremely good exercise”, and has been surfing for about 60 years.

After having a break, he returned to the sport after retirement typically out at Goolwa Beach or Middleton area.

“It keeps me young,” he said.

“I enjoy it that much, it's not often that I'm not in the water nearly every day – if there's surf on, I'm out there.”

He is representing South Australia alongside fellow competitors Priya Jakhwal, competing in Open Women, and Yorke Peninsula's Wayne Gurney, competing in over 60s.

Jakhwal will be competing for a chance to join The Irukandjis Australian National Surfing Team at the International Surfing Association (ISA) World Longboard Championships.

They will join has more than 300 competitors representing all six states competing for the national title.

The Australian Longboard Titles has divisions from U18 to over 70.

“We're a team – giving each other support,” Amos said.

“It's like a surf festival – it's really good fun.”



Goolwa surfer John Amos is returning to the Australian Longboard Titles this week. Pictured is when he won the over 70 men division in 2022, being cheered on by NSW's George Watt and SA's Anthony Ivcevic.



John Amos competing last year.



# Strikers look towards positive future

This year has been one of challenges for the Strathalbyn Strikers A Grade, and Saturday was no different, as top-of-the-table Prince Alfred came to town.

Although highly competitive for most of the match, the Strikers fell to a 2-0 loss courtesy of some well-played corner kicks from the visiting side.

Goalkeeper Jakin Williams pulled off some fine saves, while centre defensive duo Tom Lancaster and Rob Jeffries were outstanding in holding Prince Alfred at bay.

Coach Daniel Moore has endured a horror injury run this season, with prized recruit Ciaran Shouksmith only managing five games so far due to knee and ankle injuries.

Lancaster missed a 10-week patch after a nasty collision in the Cup, while captain Ben Clayton and vice-captain Sam Witt both missed

last week with calf and foot injuries.

Despite this, the team has managed to be competitive in many of their games, despite having managed just the one win and one draw to date.

Single-goal losses to Prince Alfred, Stirling, FC Summit and Murray Bridge earlier in the year have shown the squad is capable of impressive football, but patches of panicked play and unforced turnovers have cost them dearly.

With the large number of unavailable players, others have had the opportunity to develop their game in the first team, with youngsters Hamish Wilson and Noah Bailey both gaining valuable game time in defence.

New recruits Jamie Lee, Alex Olsson, Ryan Nethercott and Liam Ansell have also made substantial progress since arriving.

Because of this, the Reserves have managed

to have their best season in years, already notching up seven wins – and over 30 goals scored – in just over half the season.

In comparison, the previous three seasons combined saw them win fewer games in total.

Newly appointed captain Bill Brooks has been influential, with nine goals and plenty of assists, while the returning Natthawut Supho has made an immediate impact in the attacking midfield role.

Last Saturday was one of the most impressive performances of the season, coming from 2-1 down early in the second half to defeat Prince Alfred – who were third at the time – to win 4-2 thanks to goals from Olsson, Brooks, Howard Petit and Toby ‘Melman’ Graetz.

With 58 players registered for the season – the largest number of senior players ever registered at Strathalbyn – the club has fielded its first C Grade side since 2011.

It has proved a great move for the development of less experienced players, as well as a valuable avenue for older players to continue playing.

New signings Tarkis Cooper and Brad Giffen have both shown incredible progress in their football and were rewarded with game time in the Reserves last weekend.

Currently sitting second from bottom, they have a great chance to record their third win of the season this weekend against cellar dwellers FC Summit.

Although not the season the A Grade had hoped for at the start of the year, there have been plenty of positives so far.

With plenty of football still to be played, Strathalbyn looks ahead with confidence, aiming to secure its second win against Summit at home on Saturday, July 26 at 3 pm.



Henry Thomas.



Ryan Larkin.



Lewis McCabe.

# Strathalbyn Strikers’ long-awaited August upgrade

By Deirdre Graham

Strathalbyn Strikers’ members are looking forward to August when siteworks are finally expected to begin on its approximate \$350,000 worth of upgrades.

The works include two changerooms, four female and four male toilets and a disabled toilet.

Strikers President Nick Brook said it was a relief to know work was able to begin, bringing to an end of having to rely on portaloos at the site.

“We have had a few delays with council approval and a few other slight issues, which is to be expected,” Brook said.

“The buildings themselves have been built, so site works should start in August, and then once we have had the pad cleared, Ausco will bring the buildings up and then look at connecting them up and ... plumbing, power, and away we go.

“We can’t wait for it to be actually there and be operational.

“We had hoped it would be for the start of this season, but (we had) some reasonably significant delays with a variety of different things, so we will be really excited when they actually do arrive.”

Games will still be able to be played during the construction.

“There will be a small construction area, but everything will still be fully operational with what we are doing,” Brook said.

“(The builders) anticipate they will take a minimum of three weeks up to – if there are any delays – probably five or six weeks in construction.

“The worst-case scenario is it will take us to just past the end of our season, which is a bit of a shame, but certainly there for our summer series on Monday nights and next year.”

The process, which began a good 15 years ago, has been a significant learning curve for

the club’s members.

“It has been a steep learning curve, and it has certainly tested the patience and resolve of some people for sure, but we are all the wiser for it,” Brook said.

“We have just three portaloos at the moment, of which one is really not that functional, so we are pretty much using two.

“And then for our end-of-season carnival, for example, we have to hire more portaloos to cope with the demand.”

Brook said only a few changes have been made to the initial plans.

“It is nothing major, just minor tweaks for an access ramp and a couple of tweaks to the wastewater, which has taken time, unfortunately, to get that done, but when you are relying on people to volunteer their time, you have to be a bit more patient,” he said.

Other clubs were also waiting “with bated breath” for the upgrades to be finished.

“It would be a good 15 years that we have

been fundraising and campaigning for toilets, and there has been a lot of setbacks over that time, and a lot of that was born out of us being naïve as much as anything, then trying to find and develop the best way to go about things with little-to-no funding,” Brook said.

“It was probably nearly 10 years ago we took a step back from going ‘we just need something’ to throwing ideas at different people and going ‘this is what we need’ and ‘okay, no one is really going to help us unless we help ourselves’.

“So, that is when we really started to delve into what we actually needed to do and what was going to put us in the best footing, and fundraising like crazy so we could show that we had a stable income and savings in the bank.”

The majority of funding for the Strikers’ upgrades came from a \$239,000 Power of Her Infrastructure and Participation grant – a State Government grant that followed the success of the Women’s World Cup when it was held in South Australia.



# National titles hosted at Goolwa

By Tara Nash

The National Team Sailing Titles were hosted by Goolwa Regatta Yacht Club last week, with four big days of competition including 383 races. Cranbrook was crowned the winner, Hutchins Black came second and Scot 1 in third place. Moreton Bay College won first place for the girls.

“Hosting an event like this is only possible with the support of our volunteer army and the wider sailing community,” Goolwa Regatta Yacht Club posted to social media. “Thank you all for your huge efforts in race management, boat lending, rigging and maintenance, catering, grounds keeping – so many moving parts.”



# Four shoot possibles at 700 metres

A total of 14 shooters competed from 700 metres this past Saturday in the third round of the Murray Bridge Rifle Club's annual championship. There was only one short shower of rain to contend with on the day, but with the wind coming from over the shooters' shoulders to square, competitors had to stay sharp to catch any sudden changes in direction. Four shooters were more than up for the challenge, scoring double possibles on the day. John Cranwell, in F-Open, was the only one of those to come from F-Class, with his 120.10 easily the top off-rifle score, ahead of Mark Nesti's 118.09. It was also enough to win the F-Class handicap

award, even with John's ever-decreasing handicap, ahead of Peter Casley, who was the top off-rifle in F-Standard. In TR, Robert Paech and Greg Traeger topped the card, with Rob's 100.13 claiming first place ahead of Greg's 100.09. Mark Whittle, shooting Sporting Production this week, also "got the lot" with an outstanding 100.16. Swooping past all of them, however, to claim the handicap win was Jasamine Irvine, whose 99.11 off-rifle score gave her an almost two-point buffer at the top. Shooters will be tested next week when competition continues from 1000 yards.



# Macclesfield showdown game of the round

The Macclesfield Black and Macclesfield Red showdown was the game of Round 11 of the Hills Central Table Tennis Winter Competition, played at Macclesfield last Wednesday evening. And it was another nail-biter, with the teams tied at six rubbers each and only four games separating them. In team one, Greg Marlu shone for Macclesfield Red, winning both his singles against Macclesfield Black's Andrew Jones

and David Reynolds. Marlu defeated Jones (for Macclesfield Black) 11-9, 11-9, 11-7, 11-9 in a closely fought encounter, and edged out Reynolds in an even tighter 4-11, 11-4, 11-4, 9-11, 11-9 battle – a true see-sawing tussle decided by just two points in the final set. But Macclesfield Black's gripping six (26) to six (22) victory wasn't the only battle of the evening.

Luck was on Currency Creek's side in its match against the Wanderers, winning four of the five five-setters played. Each of those contests proved decisive, enabling Currency Creek to emerge victorious eight (29) to four (23), and extending the Wanderers' run of close losses. In the final match of the round, Ashbourne also had a fight on its hands against the resurgent Meadows, which fell just short by four games,

losing seven (23) to five (19). Round 12, next Wednesday, July 23, sees the Wanderers face ladder-leaders Ashbourne, Macclesfield Red take on Currency Creek, and Macclesfield Black match up against Meadows. Details of the programme can be found on the HCTTA Facebook page or by contacting the Association Secretary via email at (hcttaexec@gmail.com).

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Alexandrina Bridge Club				
Ranking July 16:				
Pos	Pair Players		Score	%
North-South				
1	1.....	Garry Skuse / Helen Conolly .....	91.00 .....	63.19%
2	7.....	Beryl Liebelt / Val Hay .....	84.00 .....	58.33%
3	5.....	John Elliott / Pat Elliott .....	80.00 .....	55.56%
4=	9.....	Sandra Baker / Craigie Mader .....	73.00 .....	50.69%
4=	6....	Graham Phillips / Bruce Pascoe.....	73.00 .....	50.69%
6	3.....	Beryl Williams / Linda Scholz .....	65.00 .....	45.14%
7	8.....	Erica Schmidt / Valmai Phillips.....	62.00 .....	43.06%
8	4.....	Graeme Crase / Glenys Chapman.....	61.00 .....	42.36%
9	10...	Denise Muhlhan / Norman Bullen.....	59.00 .....	40.97%

Strathalbyn Ladies Golf

Tonya, Helen and Jo top the leaderboard

On Wednesday, July 16, Tonya Merritt won the Stroke competition with a 77 nett to be crowned the Monthly Medallist for July.

Helen Lyon was runner-up with a 78, and Jo Pickhaver took out the putting with 30 for the round.

Other stroke scores were: Marie Kingsbury 79, Jo Pickhaver 80, Di Krutli 81, Pauline Walkom 83, Cara Eastwood and Kerrie Edwards 84, Gill Keane and Dawne Thomas 86, and Mel Johnson 88.

Putting scores were: Di 31, Pauline, Marie, Kerrie and Tonya 32, Helen 33, Mel 34, Dawne 36, Cara 37, and Gill 38.

Sue Phillips returned after a few weeks away and played nine holes.

Nearest the Pin on the 17th hole (second shot) was Cara.

Di scored a gobble on the ninth hole, while Tonya had a birdie

on the eighth.

Stories from the day included Jo P. visiting the dam twice on the same hole - ball retrieved each time!

Marie and Pauline were both excited to report they had not gone into the dam this week.

Good course management, ladies! Di had an eventful finish on the first hole when she pressed right instead of left on her remote control buggy.

It careered into the drain, ejecting all her clubs and paraphernalia.

Her summary: "Hopeless".

Others suggested a continuation of remote control lessons might be in order.

The ladies also celebrated some birthdays with cakes kindly provided by Di and Sue.

Birthday wishes to Pauline, Sue and Jacky Langridge.



Winner Tonya Merritt with runner-up Helen Lyon, Putting winner Jo Pickhaver.



Birthday girls: Pauline, Sue and Jacky Langridge.

Strathalbyn Golf

Condon comes from behind to win

By Perry Jones

It was a par round on Saturday at the Strathalbyn golf course and Mark Condon came from behind after a poor first nine to finish winning the day with +2 on a count back from Darryl Holt in a field of 37.

Mark, going around with Phil Perrin and David Wright, looked to be out of contention to win the day when he had -5 on the front nine to be just ahead of Dave on -6, while Phil was in a good spot in being square, chipping in for a birdie two on the sixth a score matched by Condo on this hole.

On the back nine Mark excelled with 36 off the stick and picked up a birdie on the 12th to have +7 for the nine, Phil quite surprised when he found Mark was right with him on the score card and passed him on the 16th when Phil blotted his copy book when his second shot went into the dam.

After both parred the 17th Phil still had a chance to draw level with Condo on the last but Mark picked up another plus with his par to be +2, while Phil finish square for the day.

David Wright found his score at the other end of the scale when he finished last with -11, he having been a winner only two Saturdays before.

David had a lot of problems when his chip shots fell short most of the time and he couldn't buy a putt, being -6 on the front nine.

Dave did start well with a par on the first but was told that that was not a good omen which turned out to be true as he was trying to recover on the back nine before he had a minus on the last five holes, one on the 16th when his shot over the dam missed the water and the logs at the end of it but hit the rocks by the logs and bounced back into the water.

Gordon Robson with hand problems and not able to use his

normal interlocking grip was lucky with -11 in not collecting last position, saved by the count back.

There were a fair few of the better golfers not scoring that well, Gordon's partner Alan Haberfield having to settle with -5 with just two plus results for the round being -2 on the front nine, while he did pick up two birdies being on the ninth and 16th holes.

Another member of the group in Ken Lester also had -5, and Brenton Welk, also with this group, fired up early, not having played for nine weeks, and was +1 with five holes to play, unfortunately he had a minus on all five of those holes to finish at -4.

Kim Wittwer came in with a solid -1 for the round as he had a par on the first three par three holes but had a four on the 17th par three, he also picking up a par on the last, his favourite hole.

Kim was in line to pick up the prize for nearest the pin second shot (19+) with his ball landing on the ninth green but then just rolled off.

Geoff Hall with a couple of pluses managed to be just -2 after nine holes but ran out of luck on the back nine, having tree trouble on the 14th when going left off the tee, then on the 15th had a short putt for par but missed and then on the 16th found his third shot going into the dam as he finished at -7.

Randall Pitt, in a battle to beat son Garieth made hard work of it with a lot of average shots on the fairway.

Garieth had problems with his putts reaching the hole and when they did the ball went a fair way past the hole.

Off the tee on the par five 12th Garieth's ball went far right to finish on the eighth fairway and then from there hit his ball back over two fairways to finish in the drain near the 11th tee block before going on to salvage a six for the hole.

On the last Garieth made a par putt, while Randal missed his par for

both to finish on -8 for the day.

Also playing with the Pitts was Derek Keane who finished with a reasonable -2, hardly missing a putt all day, which included a couple of long ones going in.

Richardson and Coombe in Captain's Cup final...

After the second round of playoffs, Kirk Richardson and Paul Coombe find themselves playing off for the Captain's Cup.

On Saturday Kirk was headed after nine holes with opponent Des Kelly one up but Des then struck trouble when on the 10th both had six foot putts, Des missing his to then be square.

Des then lost the next two holes as his favourite three wood let him down, his only winner on the back nine being the fifteenth as Kirk went on to win three up with two to play.

Des did mention that in being a veteran he would have struggled to compete with the much younger Paul Coombe who got home in the other qualifier 2-1 against Nick Williams, Des having to give him five shots to start with.

In the final Kirk might have to perform at his best if Paul continues to hit the ball well as he has to give him 11 shots.

Results Par Saturday, July 19

M.Condon, D.Holt +2, B.Clark, G.Spencer, P.Perrin sq, S.Hozier, K.Wittwer, B.Nelson, T.Merritt -1, M.Beasley, D.Keane -2, S.Avramidis, A.Muller, W.Miels -3, A.Love, W.Jones, B.Roberts, Don Bell, A.Anderson, G.Noble, B.Welk -4, K.Nelson, A.Haberfield, K.Lester -5, S.Walsh, G.Perryman. S.Naylon -6, E.Heyns, G.Hall -7, C.Nelson, G.Pitt, Dave Bell, R.Pitt, G.Bertholini -8, L.Jackson -9, G.Robson, D.Wright -11.

Ladies D.Krutli -4, K.Edwards -6, S.Roberts -7, J.Pickhaver -10.

NTP 6th G.Noble, 17th B.Clark.

McLaren Vale Golf Club

Saturday, July 19 Mens Par - 1st Rnd Ashbourne Cup Final competition results

Field size, 32; Members, 30; Visitors, 2; GA, Blue, Men (Par 66).

Mens Division One 0-18

Winner: Terry Payne 2; runner-up: Ben Adams -2; third place: Simon Jackson -3; fouth place:

Trevor Jones -3; fifth place: Seth Jones -4; sixth place: Malcolm Anderson -4.

Mens Division Two 19-36

Winner: Robert Lloyd -2; runner-up: Keith Jones -4; third place: Simon Dillon -4; fourth place: Lex Triffitt -4; fifth place: Leonard Seebohm -5; sixth place: Dennis Knowles -5.

Mens Overall

Player of the Day: Terry Payne 2.

Nearest the Pin

Mens third/12th: John Burger; Mens sixth/15th: Terry Payne; Mens eighth/17th: Lex Triffitt; Mens ninth/18th: Rhys Blackwell.

Birdies Par 3

Peter McMahon.

Last

Tim Lavery.



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THURSDAY JULY 24	6:00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 10:00 Foreign Correspondent 10:30 Back Roads (PG) 11:10 Guy Montgomery's Guy Mont Spelling Bee (PG) 12:00 ABC News 1:00 Silent Witness (PG) 2:00 Parliament Question Time 2:55 Love Your Garden (PG) 3:45 Fake Or Fortune? 4:45 Long Lost Family (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 7.30 (PG) 8:00 Back Roads (PG) 8:30 Griff's Great American South (PG) 9:15 Culture By Design 9:50 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip (PG) 10:40 ABC Late News 10:55 The Business 11:10 Love Your Garden (PG) 12:00 Parliament Question Time 1:00 Long Lost Family (PG) 1:50 rage (MA15+) 3:10 Parkinson In Australia (M s)	6:00 Children's Programs 7:40 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 8:05 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 8:45 Do Not Watch This Show 9:15 Wordsville 9:45 History Hunters 10:25 BTN 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 12:35 Not Going Out (PG) 1:05 Spooks (MA15+) 2:00 ER (PG) 2:45 Doctor Who (PG) 3:35 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 QI (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8:35 Hard Quiz (PG) 9:05 Gruen (PG) 9:45 Shaun Micallef's Eve Of Destruction (PG) Planet America 11:00 ER (PG) 11:45 rage (PG) 12:45 Unforgotten (M l)	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 Your Money & Your Life (PG) 1:30 Border Security - International (PG) 2:00 Better Homes And Gardens 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:50 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:50 9-1-1: Sick Day/ Lab Rats (M v) 10:50 The Agenda Setters 12:00 Gone: Savior/ Family Photo (MA15+) 2:00 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Today 9:00 Today Extra (PG) 11:30 NINE News Morning 12:00 <b>Movie</b> : "Sister Dating Swap" (PG) ('23) Stars: Megan Hutchings 2:00 Pointless (PG) 3:00 Tipping Point (PG) 4:00 NINE News Afternoon 5:00 Tipping Point Australia (PG) 6:00 NINE News 7:00 A Current Affair (PG) 7:30 RBT (PG) 8:30 Emergency (M) 9:30 A&E After Dark (M l) 10:30 Panic 9-1-1 (M v) 11:20 NINE News Late 11:50 Tipping Point (PG) 12:40 Pointless (PG) 1:30 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs 4:30 A Current Affair (PG)	6:00 The Drew Barrymore Show (PG) 7:00 Neighbours (PG) 7:30 Everyday Gourmet 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 8:30 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 9:00 Lingo (PG) 10:00 Entertainment Tonight 10:20 MasterChef Australia (PG) 11:30 Judge Judy (PG) 12:00 Everyday Gourmet 12:30 Family Feud (PG) 1:00 10 News: Lunchtime 2:00 Wheel Of Fortune 2:30 Lingo (PG) 3:30 10 News: Afternoon 4:00 Neighbours (PG) 4:30 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 7:30 Airport 24/7 (PG) 8:30 Law & Order: SVU (M v) 9:30 The Cheap Seats (M l) 10:30 10's Late News 10:55 10 News Plus 11:55 The Late Show (PG) 1:00 Home Shopping 4:30 CBS Mornings	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:05 SBS50 (PG) 2:10 Engineering Reborn (PG) 3:00 Living Black 3:35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw (PG) 4:05 Jeopardy! (PG) 4:30 Letters And Numbers 5:00 Cycling: Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:35 Treasures With Bettany Hughes (PG) 8:30 Cycling: Tour de France: Stage 18 <b>*Live*</b> 1:30 SBS50: Les Murray In Naples (PG) 1:35 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 2:05 World's Most Secret Homes (PG) 3:50 Blue Water Safari (PG)
FRIDAY JULY 25	6:00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 10:00 Poh's Kitchen 10:30 Take 5 With Zan Rowe (PG) 11:10 Little Disasters (M l,v) 12:00 ABC News 1:00 Bay Of Fires (M l,v) 2:00 Muster Dogs: Collies And Kelpies 2:55 Love Your Garden (PG) 3:45 Fake Or Fortune? 4:45 Long Lost Family (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 Gardening Australia: Winter 8:30 Patience (M) 9:20 Hard Quiz (PG) 9:50 Guy Montgomery's Guy Mont Spelling Bee (PG) 10:40 Spicks And Specks (PG) 11:15 ABC Late News 11:30 Silent Witness (M v) 12:30 rage New Music (MA15+) 5:00 rage (MA15+)	6:00 Children's Programs 7:40 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 8:05 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 8:45 Do Not Watch This Show 9:15 Wordsville 9:45 Bitesize Daily 10:35 What's Your Problem? 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 12:35 Not Going Out (PG) 1:05 Upstart Crow (M s) 1:35 ER (PG) 2:20 Doctor Who (PG) 3:50 You Can't Ask That (PG) 4:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8:35 <b>Movie</b> : "Tammy" (M l,s,v) ('14) Stars: Melissa McCarthy 10:10 ER (PG) 10:55 rage (PG) 12:00 Unforgotten (M l) 2:25 Doctor Who (PG)	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 Your Money & Your Life (PG) 1:30 Border Security - International (PG) 2:00 Better Homes And Gardens 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:50 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:50 9-1-1: Sick Day/ Lab Rats (M v) 10:50 The Agenda Setters 12:00 Gone: Savior/ Family Photo (MA15+) 2:00 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Today 9:00 Today Extra (PG) 11:30 NINE News Morning 12:00 <b>Movie</b> : "Falling For The Manny" (PG) (23) Stars: Dana Anderwald 2:00 Pointless (PG) 3:00 Tipping Point (PG) 4:00 NINE News Afternoon 5:00 Tipping Point Australia (PG) 6:00 NINE News 7:00 A Current Affair (PG) 7:30 Police Rescue Australia (PG) 8:30 <b>Movie</b> : "Dog" (M d,l,v) ('22) Stars: Channing Tatum 10:30 <b>Movie</b> : "Gringo" (MA15+) ('18) Stars: Joel Edgerton 12:30 Tipping Point (PG) 1:30 Home Shopping 4:00 Skippy The Bush Kangaroo 4:30 Home Shopping 5:30 Postcards (PG)	6:00 The Drew Barrymore Show (PG) 7:00 Family Feud (PG) 7:30 Everyday Gourmet 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 8:30 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 9:00 Lingo (PG) 10:00 Entertainment Tonight 10:20 MasterChef Australia (PG) 11:30 Judge Judy (PG) 12:00 Everyday Gourmet 12:30 Family Feud (PG) 1:00 10 News: Lunchtime 2:00 Wheel Of Fortune 2:30 Lingo (PG) 3:30 10 News: Afternoon 4:00 House Hunters Australia 4:30 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 7:30 House Hunters Australia (PG) 8:30 Have You Been Paying Attention? (M l,s) 9:30 The Graham Norton Show (M s) 10:30 10's Late News 10:55 10 News Plus 11:55 The Late Show (PG)	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:00 SBS50 (PG) 2:05 Engineering Reborn (PG) 3:00 NITV News: Nula 3:35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw (PG) 4:05 Jeopardy! (PG) 4:30 Letters And Numbers 5:00 Cycling: Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 The Good Ship Murder (M v) 8:25 The Royals - A History Of Scandals 9:20 Cycling: Tour de France: Stage 19 <b>*Live*</b> 1:30 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 2:00 World's Most Secret Homes (PG) 3:45 Blue Water Safari (PG) 4:40 Barnay
SATURDAY JULY 26	6:00 rage (PG) 7:00 Weekend Breakfast 9:00 rage (PG) 10:30 rage Guest Programmer (PG) 12:00 ABC News 12:30 Grantchester (M) 1:15 Patience (M) 2:05 All Creatures Great And Small (PG) 2:55 Great Southern Landscapes (PG) 3:25 Earth 4:25 Spicks And Specks (PG) 4:55 Dr Ann's Secret Lives 5:30 Landline 6:00 Australian Story 6:30 Back Roads (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 Grantchester (M v) 8:15 Midsomer Murders (M v) 9:45 Bay Of Fires (M l,v) 10:40 Little Disasters (M l) 11:25 rage Guest Programmer (MA15+) 5:00 rage (MA15+)	6:00 Children's Programs 8:15 <b>Movie</b> : "Looney Tunes: Back In Action" (PG) ('03) Stars: Brendan Fraser 9:45 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 10:05 High Hoops (PG) 10:35 The Next Step 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Not Going Out (PG) 12:15 <b>Movie</b> : "The Golden Compass" (PG) ('07) Stars: Daniel Craig 2:05 ER (PG) 2:50 Heartbreak High (PG) 3:40 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 The Piano UK (PG) 9:05 Planet America 9:50 Offsiders 10:25 Better Date Than Never (PG) 10:55 ER (PG) 11:40 rage (MA15+)	6:00 NBC Today 7:00 Weekend Sunrise 10:00 The Morning Show - Weekend 11:30 Seven's Horse Racing: Randwick/ Caulfield/ Doomben <b>*Live*</b> 4:00 SANFL: Round 15: Adelaide v Port Adelaide <b>*Live*</b> From The Adelaide Oval 6:00 Seven News 7:00 AFL: Pre-Game 7:30 AFL: Round 20: Adelaide v Port Adelaide <b>*Live*</b> From The Adelaide Oval 10:30 The Great Outdoors (PG) 11:00 Mysteries Of The Pyramids (PG) 12:00 The Disappearance: Burial Grounds (M v) 1:00 Travel Oz: Island Special (PG) 2:00 Home Shopping 4:00 It's Academic 5:00 My Greek Odyssey (PG)	6:00 Getaway (PG) 6:30 A Current Affair (PG) 7:00 Weekend Today 10:00 Today Extra - Saturday 12:00 Surfing Australia TV 12:30 Destination WA 1:00 Great Australian Detour 1:30 Young Sheldon (PG) 2:00 Find My Country House Australia 3:00 Cirque Du Soleil's 'Corteo' From Stage To Arena 3:30 Parental Guidance (PG) 5:00 NINE News: First At Five 5:30 Getaway (PG) 6:00 NINE News Saturday 7:00 Rugby Union: Wallabies v British & Irish Lions <b>*Live*</b> From The MCG 9:30 Rugby Union: Post-Match 9:45 <b>Movie</b> : "Creed: The Rocky Legacy" (M l,v) ('15) Stars: Sylvester Stallone 12:15 My Life As A Rolling Stone (M l) 1:30 Destination WA 2:00 Religious Programs 2:30 Home Shopping	6:00 Camper Deals 6:30 Reel Action 7:00 On The Fly 7:30 Escape Fishing With ET 8:00 l Fish 8:30 Food Trail - South Africa 9:00 Silvia's Italian Masterclass 9:30 Everyday Gourmet 10:00 Luca's Key Ingredient 10:30 Loving Gluten Free 11:00 MasterChef Australia (PG) 12:10 Good Chef Bad Chef 12:30 The Brighter Side 1:00 Buy To Build 1:30 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures (PG) 2:30 All 4 Adventure (PG) 3:30 Farm To Fork 4:00 My Market Kitchen 4:30 Everyday Gourmet 5:00 10 News 6:30 The Dog House Australia (PG) 7:30 Love It Or List It Australia 8:40 Ambulance Australia (M) 9:45 House Hunters Australia (PG) 10:45 Elsbeth (M v) 11:45 Ambulance (M l) 1:00 Home Shopping 5:00 Religious Programs	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:00 Yacht Racing: Sail GP Highlights 3:00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 4:30 Cycling: Highlights 5:30 Such Was Life 5:40 Hitler's American Battleground (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 Great British Cities With Susan Calman 8:25 Cycling: Tour de France: Stage 20 <b>*Live*</b> 12:20 Guillaume's Paris 12:50 Cycling: Tour de France Femmes: Stage 1 <b>*Live*</b> From France 3:20 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 3:50 Blue Water Safari (PG)
SUNDAY JULY 27	6:00 rage (PG) 7:00 Weekend Breakfast 9:00 Insiders 10:00 Offsiders 10:30 The World This Week 11:00 Compass (PG) 11:30 Songs Of Praise 12:00 ABC News 12:30 Landline 1:30 Gardening Australia 2:30 Griff's Great American South 3:15 Nigella Bites 3:40 Martin Clunes - Islands Of Australia (PG) 4:40 Joanna Lumley's Spice Trail Adventure (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Compass (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 Austin (PG) 8:00 Bay Of Fires (M l,v) 8:50 Miss Austen (M) 9:45 <b>Movie</b> : "Gayby Baby" (PG) ('15) Stars: Matt Young 11:10 Take 5 With Zan Rowe (M l) 11:40 rage (MA15+) 1:40 Under The Vines (PG) 4:00 Gardening Australia 5:00 Insiders	6:00 Children's Programs 8:15 <b>Movie</b> : "Looney Tunes: Back In Action" (PG) ('03) Stars: Brendan Fraser 9:45 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 10:05 High Hoops (PG) 10:35 The Next Step 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Not Going Out (PG) 12:15 <b>Movie</b> : "The Golden Compass" (PG) ('07) Stars: Daniel Craig 2:05 ER (PG) 2:50 Heartbreak High (PG) 3:40 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 The Piano UK (PG) 9:05 Planet America 9:50 Offsiders 10:25 Better Date Than Never (PG) 10:55 ER (PG) 11:40 rage (MA15+)	6:00 Better Homes And Gardens 7:00 Weekend Sunrise 10:00 The Morning Show - Weekend (PG) 11:00 The Crows Show 11:30 Sunday Footy Feast 2:30 SANFL: Grand Final: TBC v TBC <b>*Live*</b> From TBA 4:30 Border Security - Australia's Front Line (PG) 5:00 Seven News Adelaide 5:30 South Aussie With Costi 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:20 7News Spotlight (PG) 9:20 Crime Investigation Australia: The Mystery Of The Homestead Murders (MA15+) 10:40 The Crow Girl: She Shoots For The King/ I'll See You There (MA15+) 12:50 Jamestown (MA15+) 2:30 Home Shopping 3:30 Million Dollar Minute 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Hello SA (PG) 6:30 A Current Affair (PG) 7:00 Weekend Today 10:00 Sunday Footy Show (PG) 12:00 Wide World Of Sports (PG) 1:00 Fishing Australia 1:30 Young Sheldon (PG) 2:00 For The Love Of Pets (PG) 3:00 Taronga - Who's Who In The Zoo: Monkey Business (PG) 4:00 David Attenborough's Dynasties II: Elephant (PG) 5:00 NINE News: First At Five 5:30 Hello SA (PG) 6:00 NINE News Sunday 7:00 The Block (PG) 8:55 60 Minutes (PG) 10:00 Swimming: World Aquatics Championships: Day 1 <b>*Live*</b> 10:30 NINE News Late 11:00 The First 48: Childhood Friend/ Magic Bullet (PG) 12:00 Embarrassing Bodies (MA15+) 1:00 Destination WA 1:30 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs	6:00 Religious Programs 7:30 Freshly Picked With Simon Toohey 8:00 Pooches At Play 8:30 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures (PG) 9:30 Are You RV Safe? (PG) 10:00 Australia By Design - Innovations 10:30 10 Minute Kitchen 11:00 Everyday 11:30 Cook With Luke 12:00 MasterChef Australia (PG) 1:10 Good Chef Bad Chef 1:30 Charming China (PG) 2:00 Planet Shapers 2:30 Roads Less Travelled 3:00 My Market Kitchen 3:30 Farm To Fork 4:00 Lingo (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 MasterChef Australia (PG) 8:15 Watson (M) 9:15 FBI (M v) 11:00 10 News Plus 12:00 Home Shopping 4:30 CBS Mornings	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 9:00 Worldwatch 10:30 Cycling: Tour de France Highlights 12:30 Motorsport: ProMX: Round 7 <b>*Live*</b> From Toowoomba's Echo Valley Complex 3:30 Worldwatch 4:00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 4:30 Cycling: Highlights 5:30 Such Was Life (PG) 5:40 Hitler's American Battleground (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 The Lost World Of The Hanging Gardens (PG) (In English/ Arabic) 8:35 The Secrets Of Mount Olympus (In English/ Greek) 9:30 Cycling: Tour de France Femmes: Stage 2 <b>*Live*</b> 11:30 Guillaume's French Atlantic (In English/ French) 11:30 Cycling: Tour de France: Stage 21 <b>*Live*</b> From France 3:55 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG)
MONDAY JULY 28	6:00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 10:00 Dr Ann's Secret Lives 10:30 Midsomer Murders (PG) 12:00 ABC News 1:00 Landline 2:00 Parliament Question Time 3:00 Love Your Garden (PG) 3:45 Fake Or Fortune? 4:45 Long Lost Family (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 7.30 (PG) 8:00 Back Roads (PG) 8:30 Griff's Great American South 3:15 Nigella Bites 3:40 Martin Clunes - Islands Of Australia (PG) 4:40 Joanna Lumley's Spice Trail Adventure (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Compass (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 Austin (PG) 8:00 Bay Of Fires (M l,v) 8:50 Miss Austen (M) 9:45 <b>Movie</b> : "Gayby Baby" (PG) ('15) Stars: Matt Young 11:10 Take 5 With Zan Rowe (M l) 11:40 rage (MA15+) 1:40 Under The Vines (PG) 4:00 Gardening Australia 5:00 Insiders	6:00 Children's Programs 8:00 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 8:45 Do Not Watch This Show 9:15 Odd Squad 9:55 Wow That's Amazing 10:30 Teenage Boss 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 12:35 Not Going Out (PG) 1:05 The Piano UK (PG) 2:05 ER (PG) 2:50 Heartbreak High (PG) 3:35 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8:35 Penn And Teller: Fool Us (PG) 9:20 Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M l,s) 9:40 Spooks (MA15+) 10:35 ER (PG) 11:20 Not Going Out (PG) 11:50 rage (MA15+) 12:50 Tiny Oz (PG)	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 TBA 2:30 Border Security - International (PG) 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 Dancing With The Stars (PG) 8:50 9-1-1: Sick Day/ Lab Rats (M v) 10:50 The Agenda Setters 12:00 Gone: Savior/ Family Photo (MA15+) 2:00 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Today 9:00 Today Extra (PG) 11:30 NINE News Morning 12:00 The Block (PG) 2:00 Pointless (PG) 3:00 Tipping Point (PG) 4:00 NINE News Afternoon 5:00 Tipping Point Australia (PG) 6:00 NINE News 7:00 A Current Affair (PG) 7:30 The Block (PG) 8:40 Footy Classified (M) 9:40 Swimming: World Aquatics Championships: Day 2 <b>*Live*</b> 10:15 Players (M l) 11:15 NINE News Late 11:45 100% Foamy (M) 12:45 Hello SA (PG) 1:15 Innovation Nation 1:30 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs 4:30 A Current Affair (PG)	6:00 The Drew Barrymore Show (PG) 7:00 Neighbours (PG) 7:30 Everyday 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 8:30 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 9:00 Lingo (PG) 10:00 Entertainment Tonight 10:20 MasterChef Australia (PG) 11:30 Judge Judy (PG) 12:00 Everyday 12:30 Family Feud (PG) 1:00 10 News: Lunchtime 2:00 Wheel Of Fortune 2:30 Lingo (PG) 3:30 10 News: Afternoon 4:00 Neighbours (PG) 4:30 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 7:30 MasterChef Australia (PG) 8:40 Have You Been Paying Attention? (M l,s) 9:40 The Inspired Unemployed (Impractical) Jokers (PG) 10:10 10's Late News 10:35 10 News Plus 11:35 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (PG)	5:00 Worldwatch 7:25 SBS50 (PG) 7:30 Worldwatch 8:00 Cycling: Highlights 10:10 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:00 Iceland With Alexander Armstrong (M) 2:55 The Day The Rock Star Died (PG) 3:30 SBS50 (PG) 3:35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw (PG) 4:05 Jeopardy! (PG) 4:30 Letters And Numbers 5:00 Cycling: Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 Portugal With Michael Portillo 8:20 Abandoned Railways From Above (PG) 9:15 Britain's Most Beautiful Road (PG) 10:10 SBS World News Late 10:40 The Andes Tragedy - 50 Years Later (PG) 11:35 Cycling: Tour de France Femmes: Stage 3 <b>*Live*</b> 1:35 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG)
TUESDAY JULY 29	6:00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 10:00 Australian Story 10:30 Compass (PG) 11:05 Miss Austen (M) 12:00 ABC News 1:00 Call The Midwife (M) 2:00 Parliament Question Time 3:00 Love Your Garden (PG) 3:45 Fake Or Fortune? 4:45 Long Lost Family (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 7.30 (PG) 8:00 Foreign Correspondent 8:30 Dr Ann's Secret Lives 9:00 Dr Karl's How Things Work 9:30 Earth 10:30 ABC Late News 10:45 The Business 11:00 Four Corners 11:45 Media Watch 12:05 Lucy Worsley Investigates (PG) 12:55 Parliament Question Time 2:00 Love Your Garden (PG) 2:45 rage (MA15+) 3:40 Parkinson In Australia (M s)	6:00 Children's Programs 7:40 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 8:00 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 8:45 Do Not Watch This Show 9:15 Odd Squad 9:55 BTN 10:30 Science Max! Experiments At Large 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 12:35 Not Going Out (PG) 1:05 Spooks (MA15+) 2:00 ER (PG) 2:45 Heartbreak High (PG) 3:30 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:10 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8:35 Upstart Crow (M s) 9:35 Spooks (MA15+) 10:35 ER (PG) 11:20 Friday Night Dinner (PG)	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 TBA 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 The 1% Club (PG) 8:30 Stranded On Honeymoon Island (PG) 11:20 The Agenda Setters 12:20 Fairly Legal: Bait And Switch/ Shine A Light (PG) 2:30 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Today 9:00 Today Extra (PG) 11:30 NINE News Morning 12:00 The Block (PG) 1:00 Getaway (PG) 1:30 Young Sheldon (PG) 2:00 Pointless (PG) 3:00 Tipping Point (PG) 4:00 NINE News Afternoon 5:00 Tipping Point Australia (PG) 6:00 NINE News 7:00 A Current Affair (PG) 7:30 The Block: Bathroom Week (PG) 8:40 Swimming: World Aquatics Championships: Day 3 <b>*Live*</b> 10:15 La Brea: The Fog (M l) 12:00 Tipping Point (PG) 1:00 Young Sheldon: Baptists, Catholics And An Attempted Drowning (PG) 1:30 Home Shopping 2:30 The Garden Gurus 3:00 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs 4:30 A Current Affair (PG)	6:00 The Drew Barrymore Show (PG) 7:00 Neighbours (PG) 7:30 Everyday 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 8:30 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 9:00 Lingo (PG) 10:00 Entertainment Tonight 10:20 MasterChef Australia (PG) 11:30 Judge Judy (PG) 12:00 Everyday 12:30 Family Feud (PG) 1:00 10 News: Lunchtime 2:00 Wheel Of Fortune 2:30 Lingo (PG) 3:30 10 News: Afternoon 4:00 Neighbours (PG) 4:30 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 7:30 MasterChef Australia (PG) 8:40 The Cheap Seats (M l) 9:40 FBI: Most Wanted (M v) 10:40 10's Late News 11:05 10 News Plus 12:05 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (PG) 1:00 Home Shopping 4:30 CBS Mornings	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:00 Iceland With Alexander Armstrong (M) 2:55 The Day The Rock Star Died (PG) 3:30 SBS50 (PG) 3:35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw (PG) 4:05 Jeopardy! (PG) 4:30 Letters And Numbers 5:00 Cycling: Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 Great Continental Railway Journeys (PG) 8:30 Insight (PG) 9:30 Dateline (PG) (In English/ Chinese - Simplified) 10:00 SBS World News 10:30 Making Sense Of Cancer With Hannah Fry (M l) 11:35 Cycling: Tour de France Femmes: Stage 4 <b>*Live*</b> 1:35 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 2:05 Lady Jane Grey - Murder Of A Child Queen (M)
WEDNESDAY JULY 30	6:00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 10:00 Four Corners 11:00 Antiques Roadshow 12:00 ABC News 12:30 National Press Club Address 1:35 Media Watch 2:00 Parliament Question Time 3:00 Love Your Garden (PG) 3:45 Fake Or Fortune? 4:45 Long Lost Family (PG) 5:30 Antiques Roadshow 6:30 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:00 ABC News 7:30 7.30 (PG) 8:00 Back Roads (PG) 8:30 Guy Montgomery's Guy Mont Spelling Bee (PG) 9:20 Would I Lie To You (PG) 9:50 Austin (PG) 10:20 QI (PG) 10:50 ABC Late News 11:05 The Business 11:20 You Can't Ask That (M l) 12:25 Parliament Question Time 1:25 Love Your Garden (PG) 2:15 Long Lost Family (PG) 3:00 rage (MA15+) 3:40 Parkinson In Australia (M s)	6:00 Children's Programs 7:40 Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir 8:00 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 8:45 Do Not Watch This Show 9:15 Odd Squad 9:55 Bitesize Daily 10:35 Deep Dive Into The Kimberley 11:05 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:50 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 12:40 Not Going Out (PG) 1:10 Spooks (MA15+) 2:05 ER (PG) 2:50 Heartbreak High (PG) 3:35 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 Car S.O.S (PG) 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Claire Hooper's House Of Games (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8:35 Unforgotten (M l) 9:25 Spooks (MA15+) 10:20 ER (PG) 11:05 Friday Night Dinner (PG) 12:10 rage (PG) 1:15 Unforgotten (M l)	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 <b>Movie</b> : "Dead In The Water" (M v) ('21) Stars: Samuel Charles 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 Home And Away (PG) 7:30 The 1% Club (PG) 8:30 The Front Bar (M l) 9:30 Unfiltered (PG) 10:00 Ashley Cain - Into The Danger Zone: Sweden's Teen Gunmen (MA15+) 11:20 Stags: The Monster (MA15+) 12:20 Imposters: My Balls, Dickhead (M l,s,v) 1:20 Touching Evil: Attachment (MA15+) 2:30 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	6:00 Today 9:00 Today Extra (PG) 11:30 NINE News Morning 12:00 The Block (PG) 1:00 Space Invaders (PG) 2:00 Pointless (PG) 3:00 Tipping Point (PG) 4:00 NINE News Afternoon 5:00 Tipping Point Australia (PG) 6:00 NINE News 7:00 A Current Affair (PG) 7:30 The Block: Bathroom Week (PG) 8:40 Swimming: World Aquatics Championships: Day 4 <b>*Live*</b> 10:15 La Brea: The Fog (M l) 12:00 Tipping Point (PG) 1:00 Young Sheldon: Baptists, Catholics And An Attempted Drowning (PG) 1:30 Home Shopping 2:30 The Garden Gurus 3:00 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs 4:30 A Current Affair (PG)	6:00 The Drew Barrymore Show (PG) 7:00 Neighbours (PG) 7:30 Everyday 8:00 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 8:30 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 9:00 Lingo (PG) 10:00 Entertainment Tonight 10:20 MasterChef Australia (PG) 11:30 Judge Judy (PG) 12:00 Everyday 12:30 Family Feud (PG) 1:00 10 News: Lunchtime 2:00 Wheel Of Fortune 2:30 Lingo (PG) 3:30 10 News: Afternoon 4:00 Neighbours (PG) 4:30 The Bold & The Beautiful (PG) 5:00 10 News 6:00 10 News Plus 7:00 Deal Or No Deal (PG) 7:30 Gordon Ramsay's Secret Service (PG) 8:30 Elsbeth (M v) 9:30 FBI: International (M v) 10:30 10's Late News 10:55 10 News Plus 11:55 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (PG)	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 11:00 Cycling: Highlights 1:00 Worldwatch 2:00 Dateline (PG) (In English/ Chinese - Simplified) 2:30 Insight (PG) 3:30 SBS50 (PG) 3:35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw (PG) 4:05 Jeopardy! (PG) 4:30 Letters And Numbers 5:00 Cycling: Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 How Disney Built America (PG) 8:20 Aerial Australia (PG) 9:15 Smilla's Sense Of Snow 10:15 SBS World News Late 10:45 Who Do You Think You Are? (PG) 11:35 Cycling: Tour de France Femmes: Stage 5 <b>*Live*</b> 1:35 Going Places With Ernie Dingo (PG) 2:05 Lady Jane Grey - Murder Of A Child Queen: Time For A Queen (PG) 3:10 Weeks Of War (PG)

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# Weather

## FORECAST

**Warnings**  
See [www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings](http://www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings)

**Mount Barker:**  
Partly cloudy. Winds NW 15 to 20 km/h tending N 15 to 25 km/h early morning.  
Friday. Rain.

**Strathalbyn:**  
Partly cloudy.  
Friday. Rain.

**Murray Bridge:**  
Partly cloudy.  
Friday. Rain.

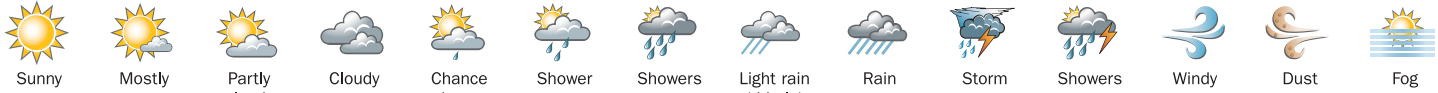
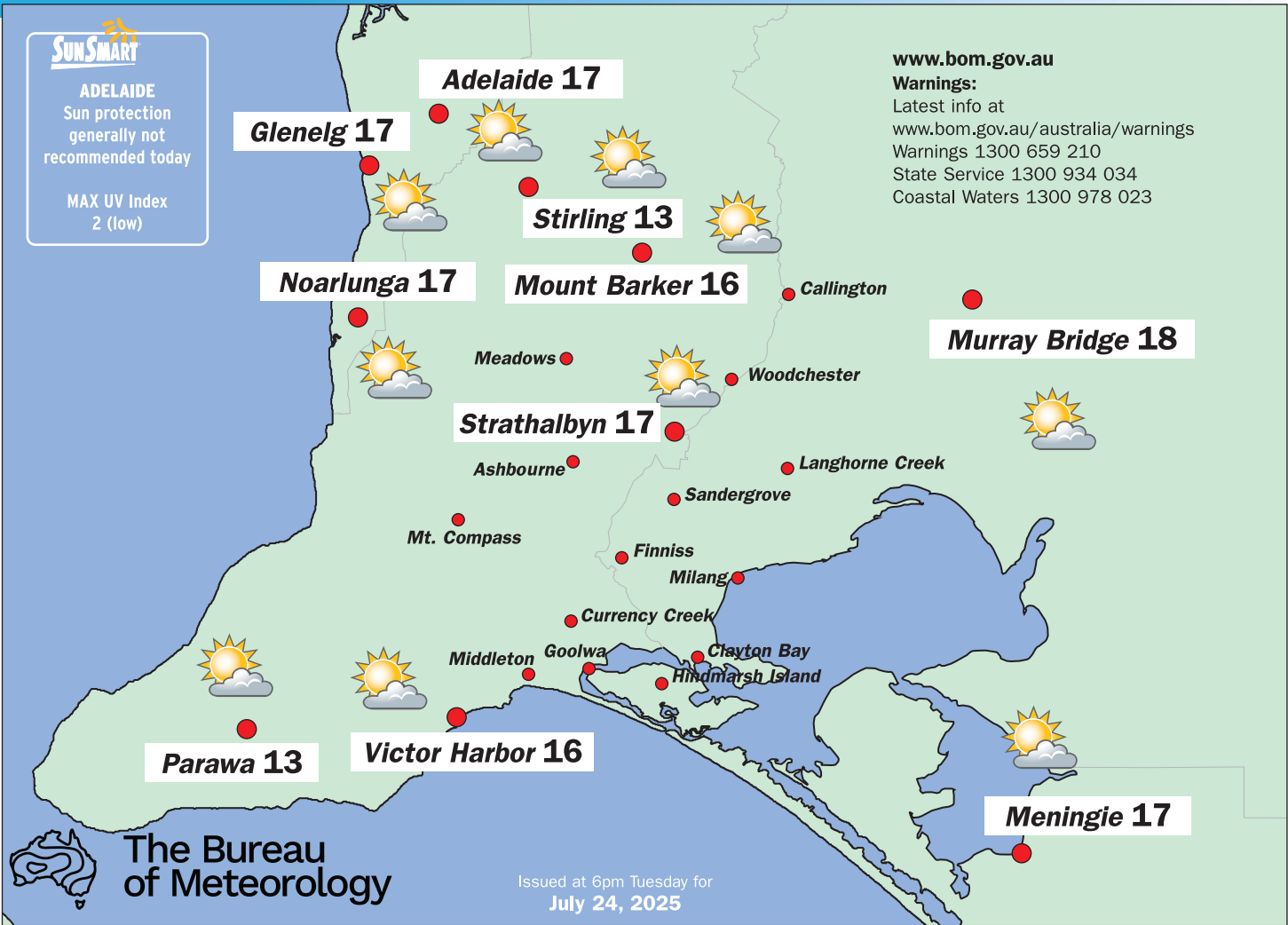
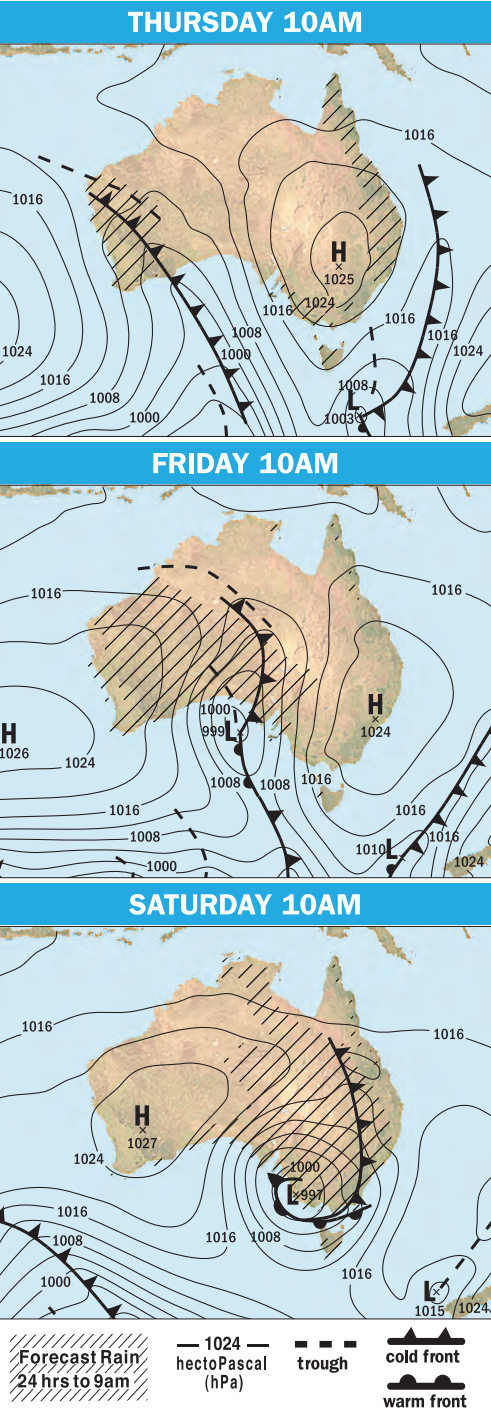
**Mount Lofty Ranges District:**  
Partly cloudy. Winds N to NW 15 to 20 km/h tending N to NE 15 to 25 km/h in the day.

**Murraylands District:**  
Partly cloudy. Patches of frost near the eastern border early morning. Winds N 15 to 20 km/h increasing to 20 to 30 km/h morning then turning NE 15 to 25 km/h late afternoon.

**Upper South East District:**  
Partly cloudy. Light winds N 20 to 30 km/h morning then NE 15 to 20 km/h late afternoon.

**Mid North District:**  
Partly cloudy. Slight chance of a shower at night. Winds N 20 to 30 km/h turning NE late afternoon.

**South Australia:**  
Cloud increasing from the west. Patchy rain developing in the west with isolated showers extending east to reach about Spencer Gulf to Moomba. Remaining mostly dry about central and eastern agricultural districts. Maximum temperatures slightly above average, grading to below average in the northwest. N to NE winds ahead of a westerly change about the western border late evening.



## RECENT RAINFALL

Rain (mm)	Daily	Week	MTD	YTD
Lenswood	20	28	124.8	364.8
Meningie	3/10	33.2	114.5	
Adelaide Aero	6	7	42.2	150.2
Ashton	16	31	131.6	389.0
Balhannah	14	16	72.0	279.2
Belair	12	20	94.5	306.7
Birdwood	16	22	79.9	228.1
Callington			12.8	128.6
Cape Willoughby	1	9	52.4	197.6
Clarendon		12/8	83.1	303.3
Claypans	2	2	4.6	40.3
Cooke Plains	2	6	33.1	107.9
Crafrers West	17	28	120.2	361.0
Finniss		3	32.6	178.1
Greenhill	7	16	57.0	215.0
Gumeracha			45.0	
Hahndorf		3	81.3	327.9
Happy Valley	6	12	68.4	236.2
Hindmarsh Island	2	4	25.8	128.2
Inman Valley	14	23	107.6	330.0
Inverbrackie	11	14	57.8	226.0
Karoonda	2	2/10	14.1	60.5
Kersbrook	17	23	90.6	274.2
Kingscote Aero	2	11	51.4	157.8
Kuitpo	8	25	94.8	304.6
Lameroo	4	6	21.0	80.2
Millbrook Resv	24	30	90.4	287.0
Monarto			11.0	108.2
Mt Barker	13	16	73.0	296.8
Mt Lofty	20	32	120.0	375.0
Murray Bridge	2	3	11.8	86.5
Nairne				
Noarlunga	0	0	27.4	137.4
Nuriootpa	1	6	27.8	108.6
Palmer	4	6	20.5	99.3
Parawa	7	17	127.0	369.0
Parawa West	7	17	127.0	369.0
Parndana	8	21	71.8	290.4
Peake				
Roseworthy	0.8	1	21.4	101.8
Strathalbyn	3	5	23.6	151.8
Taillem Bend		0.2	19.8	98.6
Tintinara		10	32.4	127.5
Uraidla		12	115.8	385.4
Victor Harbor			193.4	
Williamstown	6	12	54.1	191.7
Willunga	9	13	68.9	228.7
Woodhouse	26	34	143.6	433.5
Yankalilla	6	9	77.2	213.2

## SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Thursday	7:16am	5:28pm	6:57am	4:41pm
Friday	7:15am	5:29pm	7:41am	5:52pm
Saturday	7:15am	5:30pm	8:18am	7:00pm
Sunday	7:14am	5:30pm	8:48am	8:04pm
Monday	7:13am	5:31pm	9:14am	9:05pm
Tuesday	7:12am	5:32pm	9:38am	10:04pm
Wednesday	7:12am	5:33pm	10:02am	11:01pm

## TIDES

Outer Harbor				
Thursday:				
5:45am	1.7m	10:11am	1.2m	
4:39pm	2.6m	11:47pm	0.5m	
Friday:				
5:49am	1.7m	10:41am	1.0m	
5:07pm	2.7m			
Saturday:				
12:03am	0.5m	5:53am	1.8m	
11:06am	0.9m	5:29pm	2.7m	
Sunday:				
12:16am	0.5m	6:02am	1.9m	
11:31am	0.7m	5:51pm	2.7m	
Monday:				
12:28am	0.5m	6:19am	2.1m	
12:00pm	0.7m	6:14pm	2.6m	
Victor Harbor				
Thursday:				
2:55am	0.5m	1:01pm	1.4m	
9:36pm	0.5m			
Friday:				
12:21am	0.6m	4:11am	0.4m	
1:30pm	1.5m	9:53pm	0.6m	
Saturday:				
1:02am	0.7m	5:04am	0.4m	
1:58pm	1.5m	10:05pm	0.6m	
Sunday:				
1:39am	0.8m	5:48am	0.4m	
2:23pm	1.4m	10:06pm	0.7m	
Monday:				
2:14am	0.9m	6:28am	0.4m	
2:48pm	1.4m	9:15pm	0.7m	

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Deaths

MARTIN,  
Suzanne Mary:  
  
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Caring sister to Michael and Catherine, Chris (dec.), Jane and Gary, Nick and Kristy.  
Adored Aunt to Annie and Kelly, Chadbourne, Brittany, Abbie and Tyler.  
Loved dearly by Myles, Margo, Murphie and Hari.  
An extraordinary lady, who will be dearly missed.

Funerals

MARTIN,  
Suzanne Mary:  
  
A Memorial Service will be held for Suzanne Martin, at the Langhorne Creek Football Club.  
Friday, August 15 at 2.00pm.

Deaths

MILNE,  
Malcolm Rogers:  
  
Of Goolwa.  
Passed away on June 14, 2025.  
Aged 87 years.  
  
Deeply loved husband of Patricia, for 64 years.  
Together again.  
  
Loving father of Linda, Barbara, Charles (Chad).  
Much loved grandfather of Crystal and Cooper.  
Beloved father-in-law of Paul and Yim.  
Adored great grandfather of Lorelai.  
Uncle Malcolm to Sandra, David, Scott, Ian, Miriam, Cathy, Graeme, Alan, Malcolm, their partners and children  
  
All who knew and respected him, knew his patience and fair mindedness, are deeply saddened by this loss.

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