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Strathalbyn Tourism Association's Norma and Rex Keily with the Heritage Tourism award they received at the Alexandrina Council Heritage Awards last Thursday for their celebration of 185 years of Strathalbyn. Photo: Giorgina McKay

Heritage Awards 2025

## Goolwa's Customs House to remain in council hands for now...

#### **By Giorgina McKay**

Community calls to save Customs House from being sold have been heard. As previously reported in *The Southern Argus*, the Goolwa site has been vacant for almost a interest from businesses, organisations and sole traders for the site, prompting it to propose selling the building in favour of a hotel.

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But the proposal was put on hold in March after public consultation revealed overwhelming opposition to the sale, forcing the historic building and site at a workshop.

Following the workshop, the matter was brought back to the chamber last Monday night, where it was decided to not consider the sale or future use of Customs House until a refreshed review of opportunities is undertaken or activation proposal at the heritage-listed building until council has in place a robust collaborative methodology – otherwise known as a Service Review Framework – which will be considered at the July meeting.

decade, despite Alexandrina Council seeking councillors to revisit council's objective for for the site, and to delay any service change







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Kerry Crowden, Greg Harding and Merawyn Percy having a wonderful time, sharing a cuppa at the morning tea. Photos: Giorgina McKay

# Meadows morning tea goes out with a bang

#### By Giorgina McKay

Meadows celebrated its final Biggest Morning Tea last Wednesday.

The Meadows-based Biggest Morning Tea has been run by Kerry Crowden in its current format for two decades, raising thousands for the Cancer Council over the years.

Last Wednesday, May 21, a handful of

residents congregated at the Meadows Uniting Church for raffles, a silent auction, and a choir performance by local primary school students, all while enjoying a cup of coffee or tea and baked goods.

It was a bittersweet morning for Ms Crowden who announced it would be the final morning tea she would host.

"I didn't want to say (there would be one) next year and just do a no-show," she said. "If I did call it this year, I could then thank people for their support over the years.

"It kept growing and you had to maintain it, but now I can pull back and who knows what it might look like?"

This year's morning tea raised a couple of thousand dollars for the Cancer Council, with \$500 coming from a donation by the Battunga Lions and some from the Well Lived Opportunity Shop's takings.





Nicole and Lorraine Carse with Helen Smith (centre) celebrating the Meadows morning tea.



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# Lions launch recruitment drive



Strathalbyn resident Jan Walmsley turned 79 last year and marked the occasion by joining the Strathalbyn Lions Club.

Mrs Walmsley is no stranger to volunteer work.

This year she will reach 39 years as a volunteer across a wide range of causes.

"I started out when I moved to Middleton in 1986, where I brought Al-Anon, which is a help group for people who live with somebody who has alcoholism," Mrs Walmsley said.

"Then I was told by somebody that I would never become a local until I had been there for more than 20 years, so I fixed that.

"Having worked in the main street of Goolwa and realising that the ambulance had no ambulance station and no auxiliary, I made them \$200, called a meeting. and started off their first auxiliary, and that is how I became a local quick.

"Do something for a volunteer group and you are a local."

In 1995 she moved to Strathalbyn, taking on the role of President of the Strathalbyn Concert Band, along with volunteering for the then council-run Community Connect, where she maintained contact with people unable to get out of their homes much and driving them to and from appointments.

Despite Mrs Walmsley's many years of volunteering, she hopes to do much more with Lions.

"I have found all of them very rewarding, and even though I am 79 and joining Lions, I have lots more to do," she said.

"I love the friendship in the actual organisation, and (knowing) the help that you can bring people and the knowledge that I have gained I can use when somebody says 'Do you know?' and I can point them in the right direction.

"With Lions, it brings a team together... and funnily enough being in the catering van is totally up my alley, as I have always been in the food industry and serving across the counter.

"Because of the catering, we are now being asked to do things like the clearing sales, and the van has been modified a lot more now and is very well-looked after.

"The volunteer numbers were down, and Kevin Johnson came along and he wanted numbers up, and (now) the new ones are bringing newer ones in again."

While being a Lions volunteer requires a commitment, she said the rewards made up for that.

"It suits somebody that doesn't have a timetable, but we are all able to retain our own lives," Mrs Walmsley said.

"I would honestly urge anybody that has a bit of free time to think about not just becoming a Lions member, but becoming a member of something.

"I really want to put across that there is a lot of volunteers in this town that do a great job and without them things would not happen."

In the year she has been a Lions member Mrs Walmsley has already been involved in the Need for Feed program, which will allow 40 truckloads of hay to be delivered to struggling farmers across the Fleurieu in June, and is looking forward to the introduction of the Lions Eye Health Program at local schools.

The screening program is conducted free of charge to any school, sporting club or community group which aims to detect vision problems early, as one in five children have an undetected vision problem.

The Strathalbyn Lions meet on the first and third Monday of the month – on the first is a business meeting held at the Den on 5 Walsh Avenue, and on the third is a dinner meeting with a guest speaker.

### Lions programs and history

• Began in 1968.

• In the 1970s developed Lions Park in Coleman Terrace which included landscaping, erecting barbecue shelters, seating, and the toilets – now maintained by council.

• 1972 – built the public toilet block opposite the Strathalbyn Post Office, now maintained by council.

• 1988 to 1999 developed the Thomas Adams park at the railway station – 2000 man hours and \$20,000 went into this project.

• Food catering for community functions, with donuts the signature product.

• Cropping and sheep agistment projects were successful fundraising projects in early years.

• Miss Personality Quest

• Demolition of the old Strathalbyn Nursing Home in 1988 with materials sold at auction.

- Flood relief in 1992.
- Roadside clean-ups.

• Providing wood to the elderly.

• Laundering linen at the Strathalbyn Hospital during an industrial dispute in 1975.

• Collection of old spectacles and collection and renovation of bicycles for East Timor in 2000.

• Health screening programs for eye health, diabetes and hypertension,

and promotion of the Red Cross Blood Donor program.

• Tractor pull in 1981.

Other fundraising activities have included Heart Foundation Cyclethons, Walkathons, sale of Christmas Trees, sale of oranges, picking grapes, almond knocking, Lions Christmas Cakes and Mints, charity golf and bowl days, cabarets and charity balls.

Development and support of the town's youth has seen the Youth of the Year, Youth Exchange, Blue Light Discos, and sponsoring young people to go on training sailing ships and YMCA youth camps.

Financial support has gone to local organisations such as St Johns Ambulance, Strathalbyn and Woodchester CFS, Strathalbyn SES, Strathalbyn Swimming Centre, Strathalbyn Kindergarten, Strathalbyn Little Athletics, Strathalbyn Hospital, Strathalbyn Nursing Home, local sporting clubs and identities, book awards for school speech nights, Strathalbyn RSL, and the Miss SA entrants.

Support nationally and internationally has included Mary Gattum's house for poor students in India, numerous medical and health research foundations, camps for the disabled, Hart Walkers for the disabled, disaster relief appeals, Lion Clubs International Foundation, Lions Sight First appeals, Lions Hearing Dogs, and supporting the Hearing for the New Born project.

### Lions donate to Need for Feed

The Strathalbyn Lions Club has added a \$1200 donation to the Goolwa Lions' push for the Need for Feed program.

Need for Feed, in conjunction with Goolwa and Victor Harbor Lions Clubs, is planning a hay convoy over the June long weekend to assist farmers in the Fleurieu region who are experiencing drought.

The hay will be available free of charge to farmers within a 100km radius of Goolwa.

The Strathalbyn club raised its \$1200 at an Elders clearing sale on the Grivell

property last Tuesday. The club was kept busy at the Langhorne

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Creek Road sale from 9am to 2.30pm, selling sausages, steak sandwiches, egg and bacon sandwiches, ham and cheese toasties, and cold and hot drinks.

"The Lions van was invited by Elders to cater for it, so we did and we announced that all our proceeds from that event are going to be donated to Need for Feed as a Lions project," Strathalbyn Lions President, Kevin Johnson, said.

"It will go to Goolwa Lions who are coordinating it all."

Farmers can register by going to (www.needforfeed.org) and filling in an assistance application form.



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# HERITAGE HOPE: Customs House to remain in council hands for now

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The news was welcomed by Goolwa Community Centre Manager Di Gordon who had been strongly against the sale.

"While they haven't rescinded the motion, there is hope moving forward that that will eventually happen," she said.

"But they're keen to make sure Customs House is very much seen as part of the Wharf Precinct, so that's a positive step forward."

She would still like council to consider the centre's application to activate the site for community use with workshops, personal development and social connection programs, as well as "celebrating local history" while having it open on weekends.

However, Ms Gordon was just happy council was allowing the community a voice.

"The main thing is they are going to be working with key stakeholders moving forward, so that the community will have a voice in the future directions of the Wharf Precinct, which includes Customs House," she said.

The delay to any service change or activation proposal at the heritage-listed building also applies to any proposal for the South Coast Regional Arts Centre in the Old Police Station and the Goolwa Visitor Information Centre in the Old Post Office.

The framework – which is being developed by council administration – seeks to ensure

a considered, consistent and collaborative approach to reviewing council's services and determining any future direction or changes in service delivery.

Once the framework is adopted, council will work with key community stakeholders such as Cittaslow, The Friends of Little Scotland, and all parties who submitted an Expression of Interest in the last two years to review the Goolwa Wharf Precinct holistically.

Alexandrina Council Chief Executive Officer Andrew MacDonald said the Goolwa Wharf Precinct was a historically significant area, and it was important to "get this right".

"Council has decided to take a deep breath, pause, and make sure we take a strategic look at the opportunities for all parts of the Precinct," he said.

"Council recognises the community's passion for Customs House and the Precinct.

"The Precinct's future success will depend on strong collaboration with key stakeholders and the broader community.

"Adopting a Service Review Framework approach will ensure we have adequate time to move progressively, yet thoroughly, through a review process, ultimately determining how to bring each of the elements and opportunities of the Precinct together."

This review is expected to be completed by December 2025.



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Heritage enthusiasts have been left outraged over the removal of historic doors from the Strathalbyn Town Hall. Photo: Giorgina McKay

### Historic doors removed from town hall

Outraged heritage enthusiasts have voiced their dismay over the removal of the Strathalbyn Town Hall's historic doors as part

By Giorgina McKay

of Alexandrina Council's nearly completed revitalisation project. The town hall has been undergoing upgrades to transform the local heritagelisted building into a "modern, multifunctional facility that can cater to a diverse

range of activities, events and user groups while staying authentic to its heritage". These upgrades include installation of air conditioning in the main auditorium, reconfiguring of the front foyer and balcony areas, new A/V and stage lighting, disability and accessibility compliance enhancements, including a platform lift to the stage and accessible toilet modifications, refurbishment of existing toilets, roof and floor structure repairs, an extension to the existing stage, and installation of a solar power system.

Most recently, the historic front doors of the building were removed and replaced with glass ones.

Their removal drew outrage from heritage enthusiasts who were made aware of the works by the Help Save South Australia's History from Demolition Facebook page.

Alexandrina Council Chief Executive Officer Andrew MacDonald told *The Southern Argus* the doors are currently being stored onsite in the event they are required or can be used in the hall.

He said the new doors improve the hall's accessibility, offer greater security, and allow groups who hire the venue to see who is entering and leaving the front foyer area.

"As part of the modernisation of the building and improvements to accessibility, the project



In line with the heritage conditions of the development approval, the hall's original historic doors have been carefully removed, securely wrapped to prevent damage, and are now stored onsite...

#### "

#### - Andrew MacDonald

also included consideration of the original doors and the introduction of glass doors for the front entrance," Mr MacDonald said.

"This change was assessed and approved by the Local Heritage Advisor through the development approval process.

"The glass doors were included to improve functionality, access, and safety.

"In line with the heritage conditions of the development approval, the hall's original historic doors have been carefully removed, securely wrapped to prevent damage, and are now stored onsite in the event they are required or can be used in the hall at a future date."

As council enters the final stages of the building's handover, it is looking to hold a soft opening in July and is exploring options to provide opportunities for the community to come and see the "wonderful work" that has been done.



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# HISTORY MONTH: Discovering an iconic Strathalbyn stonemason

The Southern Argus is publishing a series on Donald Sutherland for History Month, a stonemason/ builder of early Strathalbyn and districts, with this week being the final segment.

It is researched by Strathalbyn historian Carolyn Tucker with support from his descendant Kaye Sheehan, spotlighting a man responsible for several of Strathalbyn's earliest stone buildings, yet who was previously missing from local history books.

#### **By Carolyn Tucker**

**1870s troubling times: the exodus** While the 1860s experienced a building boom in Strathalbyn and district, the late

boom in Strathalbyn and district, the late 60s heralded an exodus, led by farmers and followed by those of many occupations.

The farm soil was exhausted, there were no fertilisers and red rust fungus in wheat.

This coupled with poor seasons drove hundreds of families to newly-opened parts of SA and Victoria during 1870s.

Strathalbyn's economy would not start to recover until late 1890s.

Donald had been Leasing Section 3372 at Lake Plains, east of Bremer River, Hd. Freeling and owned by Matthew Rankine of Woodburn, Angas Plains.

He paid £94 pa for the lease which expired April 1871.

Mr Rankine advertised his many land holdings for sale in August 1869.

#### March 1871 - First clearing sale

Donald first advertised an auction sale in *The Southern Argus*, due to an "expiration of lease and leaving district."

Donald and Janet were living at New Hamburg (now Willyaroo).

In *The SA Chronicle*, 1871, it was reported that Donald had a "serious accident" spraining his ankle severely on loose stones while at East Wellington erecting a building.

The couple appeared to have remained in the district following the clearance sale, from reports in *The Southern Argus*.

#### February 1872 - Second clearing sale

James Close had an auction at Donald's farm, in consequence of his leaving for Victoria, according to *The Southern Argus*. Research has not found any land owned

by Donald in New Hamburg.

An article in *The Southern Argus* indicates he occupied land 100-150 yards from William Potter Smith whose land was on west side of River Angas and about 100 yards across the Angas from Jacob's Tannery.

The size of Donald's farm is unknown but it was most likely on Blocks 84 or 85 or Part Section 2712, Hundred of Bremer.

#### 1870s - Leaving Strathalbyn

Donald and Janet's two married eldest daughters, Harriett McBeath of Hindmarsh Island and Jessie Yates of the Morning Star, Wistow, remained in South Australia as the rest of the Sutherland Family prepared to move to Victoria in 1872.

From 1842 to 1872, Donald had spent his life from ages 27 to 57 years, building and farming while raising 11 children with wife Janet in Strathalbyn and surrounds. Janet spent ages 19 to 49.

#### The move to Victoria

By October 31, 1872, the family were in the Parish of Tutegong, two miles from Winchelsea, near Geelong, Victoria.



Janet Sutherland.

Donald had 480 acres of land and dwelling. Donald selected 320 acres of land at Wee Wee Rup in 1874.

They settled where Gunbower Creek and the Road met, about five miles SE of Cohuna, between Kerang and Echuca, about four miles south of the Murray River, on a cattle droving route.

#### 1870s - Settling in northern Victoria

Donald made bricks on the edge of the creek and built a hotel, store and stables, then a gum slab post office at the hotel where he was Postmaster.

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At the creek, he established a blacksmith, cattle yards and a slaughterhouse.

The hotel at Wee Wee Rup was a popular venue for dances where Janet and her daughters were well-known for their wonderful teas and suppers.

In 1883, Donald was listed as a Publican in the Shire of Swan Hill probably for the Echunga Hotel at Wee Wee Rup.

The name was changed to The Black Bull Hotel.

In 1864, their second daughter Jessie married Edward Yates at The Black Bull Inn, Hindley St. Adelaide.

The Sutherland Family were the first European settlers in the area and were highly-esteemed.

Donald built a home which he named 'Strathalbyn', about five miles south of Cohuna in an area known as McMillan's.

No longer standing, it was near the junction of Drydens and Majors roads and about seven miles by road WSW of Wee Wee Rup.

In 1896, at 73 years of age, Janet Sutherland died on March 29.

Donald, then 81 years old, went to live with his daughter Margaret at Gray's Bridge, Cohuna.

In 1909, at 94 years of age, Donald died on August 15.

He and Janet are buried in the Cohuna Cemetery.

### 2000 – Descendants honour and remember Donald and Janet Sutherland

On October 29, 2000, a dedication of an historical marker was denoted where Donald and Janet built a hotel at Wee Wee Rup which he named the Black Bull Hotel.

A post office was adjoined.

The special event was attended by up to seven generations of descendants.



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Alexandrina Mayor Keith Parkes (centre) with Heritage Award winners and commendation recipients (back) Philip Shaw, Diana Keach, Sophie Mintz, Belinda Whittam, Rex Keily, Mark and Jen Watts, Robert Fuller, Sacha and Gordon Ure, (front) Michael Veenstra, Sally and Suzie Porter, Isabella James with daughter Auguste, and Jesse Zilm. Photos: Giorgina McKay

### **Town history triumphs at Heritage Awards**



#### By Giorgina McKay

A celebration of Strathalbyn's 185 years of European history and the ongoing dedication of one local historian towards keeping the past alive were among the projects and people praised at Alexandrina Council's Heritage Awards last Thursday.

Hosted by council's Heritage Advisory Committee, the awards celebrate the region's rich heritage and recognise the work being undertaken to preserve it through the categories of Heritage Tourism, Conservation Practice, Adaptive Re-use, Heritage Gardens and Fencing, Historical Research and Lorraine Pomery Service to Heritage.

About 70 people attended this year's event, which was held at the Goolwa Centenary Hall as part of the SA History Festival and hosted by organiser Sarah Longden.

Alexandrina Mayor Keith Parkes opened the night by acknowledging the work both council and the community have made towards protecting the region's steep heritage.

"I think the good thing about tonight is to celebrate the passion, care and efforts people in our community go to look at properties and work on them with their own money, and their ideas to restore the heritage, and protect the beauty and history of some of these assets," he said.

"People come down here to visit this region for lots of reasons, but... entangled amongst all that is this steep history and heritage we have."

Journalist and author Lainie Anderson was the night's guest speaker, who dedicated her time to educating the audience on two forgotten South Australians.

The first was Semaphore-born Ross Smith,



Alexandrina Council Chief Executive Officer Andrew MacDonald, organiser Sarah Longden, guest speaker Lainie Anderson and Alexandrina Mayor Keith Parkes at last Thursday night's awards.

are making your community richer."

A collaboration between the Strathalbyn Tourism Association (STA) and *The Argus* was one of the catalysts for the STA receiving its award for Heritage Tourism on the night.

Strathalbyn celebrated 185 years of European history in 2024 and as part of this, a group of representatives from various community organisations and businesses joined together, led by the STA, and prepared a calendar of events during the year to recognise and celebrate Strathalbyn's history and its people, which was commemorated with a dedicated footure prepared by The Argue 21 Arthur Street at Port Elliot.

In Heritage Gardens and Fencing, Belinda Whittam was commended for the restoration undertaken at her Swale Street residence, while Diana Keach took out the award for the construction of her fence and restoration of a drystone wall at her Currency Creek property.

Similarly praised for their stone work was the Shaw family for their restoration and transformation of their dilapidated 180-year-old stone stable into the cellar door 'Home of Plenty'.

But the night's major winners were owners of Port Elliot's Mulberry Cottage Suzie and Sally

#### 25 YEARS AGO from the files of the Southern Argus

#### THURSDAY, MAY 25TH, 2000

West Park Nursing home and Hostel at Gool wa has been recognised as the bestaged care facility in South Australia. The 50-bed home took the title after an inspection of all South Australian care facilities by the Federal Government's Standards Accreditation Agency. Mr. James Taggatt, the Executive Manager, Residential Care Division of ACH, said West Park was the first nursing home in South Australia to achieve four commendable ratings in the new accreditation process. Lyn Coleshill, manager, Kathleen Branton, careworker/Lifestyle Support and Lynne McKenzie, Team Leader High Care, are proud to be part of the West Lake team.

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On Sunday, May 21, Jeremy Moore, local Strathalbyn and Victor Harbor lawyer for 15 years, was pre-selected as an ALP candidate for the South Australian Legislative Council for the fifth winable spot on the ticket. Jeremy strongly believes rural and regional Australia should have access to proper services and that the ALP should be out there even where it can not win seats. Jeremy is a son of a farmer and grew up on Kangaroo Island.

#### **50 YEARS AGO** from the files of the Southern Argus

#### THURSDAY, MAY 29TH, 1975

On Saturday night the Strathalbyn Rotaract Club received its official Charter as a member of District 250. Presentation was made by District Governor Geoff Evans to David Blackmore, president of the new club. Keith Pearce District 250 Rotaract chairman of Committee said Rotaract is one of the greatest things Rotary has done. Ken Knights, Strathalbyn Rotary President, presented the club with its new furniture.

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Could widespread rain at the weekend mean the breaking of the drought which farmers throughout the country have been waiting for? The Strathalbyn gauging of 12.6mm last Saturday was the highest since March. So far this month, 38.7mm has been recorded. The April total was only 16.2mm of rain. The highest reading for any month this year was March when 41.6mm fell.



The evening mail for the southern towns will in future come by the rail motor car, not as now by the later train, arriving at Strathalbyn by 5.30 instead of about 8.45. When the train runs through to Victor Harbor on Friday nights, an exception may be made on that night but it is understood the intention of the Railway Department is to run the car every day right through the year.

who accomplished the great feat of travelling by plane from Great Britain to Australia in under 30 days, and the other was Moontaborn Kate Cox, who became Adelaide's first policewoman and the first policewoman in the British empire to be employed on the same salary as men in 1915.

Ms Anderson, who is also a History Guardian for the History Trust of South Australia and was named the 2023 Emerging Historian of the Year by the History Council of South Australia, applauded the efforts of council and the nominees.

"I want to thank you all for cherishing and championing history in this area," she said.

"Local heritage and looking after heritage I know is not always the easiest option – it takes commitment, perseverance, resilience and lots of your own cash – but your efforts

feature prepared by *The Argus*.

Currency Creek's Merrilli 1885 and Spirit of Australia Cruises' M V Maranui gin flight cruise were also commended in this category. One of the contributors to the feature was local historian Brian Simpson who was also presented with the Lorraine Pomery Service to Heritage Award for his work on

Strathalbyn history.

He has written several books on the town's history, including its institutions and clubs, and is considered as the 'go-to person' for any person seeking information on the matter.

The history of other towns was also celebrated in the Historic Research category. A commendation went to the Middleton Town and Foreshore Association for its Blue Plaques Project, with Sacha and Gordon Ure taking out the award for their research on Porter who took home not only Conservation Practice – Large Scale, but the Mayoral Award.

"Once again, the Heritage Awards evening was a success, showcasing a range of highlevel projects and practices from across the region," Mayor Parkes said.

<sup>4</sup>It's excellent to see community members continuing to support the annual Heritage Awards and most importantly celebrate our rich heritage and history.

"I was extremely impressed by the winner of the Mayoral Award and Conservation Practice, The Mulberry Cottage, located in Port Elliot. "It's excellent to see how these works really brought this heritage cottage back to life." No award was handed out for Conservation Practice – Small Scale, but Port Elliot's Tamarisk was commended in this category.

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A gloom was passed over the district on Wednesday last when news spread of the death of Mr. Benjamin Taylor of Red Creek who had lived around the district the whole of his life. Mr. Taylor never took any active part in affairs of the town but confined his time and energy to his own farm, which is indeed was a model grazing farm. He was a great lover of sheep and was very successful in breeding up some quality animals, topping the market on many occasions.

### Waterways project helping to make healthy habitats

#### **By Giorgina McKay**

A new three-year environmental project focused on restoring and enhancing vital watercourses and wetlands across Mount Barker and the Fleurieu South Coast – two of South Australia's fastest growing urban regions – has been launched.

Run by Second Nature Conservancy, the ambitious Healthy Urban Waterways project will improve over 45 hectares and 10.8 kilometres of riparian and aquatic habitat across priority locations in Mount Barker, Goolwa, Port Elliot, and Victor Harbor.

Works will include the removal of invasive weeds, replanting of local native vegetation, and the creation of specialised habitats to support key native wildlife, including the nationally threatened Yarra Pygmy Perch.

For Goolwa, the focus is on the Kessell Road wetland ponds, which will receive some biodiversity on-ground works involving weed control and planting, while in Mount Barker, infill planting will be undertaken within existing areas of the Laratinga system.

"(The Goolwa wetland ponds on Kessell Road) is a lovely public urban site that people access for walking and bird watching," Senior Project Officer, Ben Simon, said.

"At the moment those ponds are dry but that gives us a good opportunity to manage woody and grassy weeds with the intent of coming in in 2026 and planting the area extensively with local native plants.

"Mount Barker is undertaking infill planting within existing areas of the Mount Barker Creek Laratinga System to offer a greater diversity of native plants and subsequent roosting, feeding and breeding opportunities for a range of native birds, butterflies, insects and other wildlife.

"There will be some management of some environmental weeds in those particular areas to improve it."

The main aims of the project are to:



Senior Project Officer Ben Simon with some of the seedlings that will be used as part of the Healthy Urban Waterways project. INSET: A part of the Kessell Road site that will be restored. Photos: Giorgina McKay

• Restore degraded streambank and wetland habitats through targeted weed control and native revegetation.

• Improve microclimates and reduced evaporation by establishing canopy vegetation along currently exposed sections of watercourses.

• Establish a dedicated surrogate breeding wetland for the endangered Yarra Pygmy

Perch, helping to increase populations for future reintroduction to the wild.

• Enhance conservation knowledge and capacity among local land managers and property owners.

• Cultural events and activities with Ngarrindjeri Aboriginal Corporation.

• Propagation and planting of more than 22,000 local native seedlings, grown

at community nurseries managed by Second Nature in Mount Barker, Goolwa, and Clayton Bay.

 Ongoing assessment and ecological monitoring of restored sites.

In terms of community benefit, the project works will help town aesthetics and address fire risk and erosion concerns.

"They're beautiful sites but often have weeds and other challenges which limits how healthy they are and also that directly relates with how nice it is to be around," Mr Simon said.

"This work is going to improve the aesthetics of the area in question, so it will receive works that are pleasing to the eye and more favourable for native wildlife such as birds in particular, and will make areas less of a fire risk in some incidences in terms of the removal of weeds that can potentially add to those concerns.

"Other benefits are things like shading of watercourses with the use of revegetation.

"We'll also be undertaking plantings that will help to reduce the risk of erosion in watercourse."

The project will be delivered in collaboration with local councils, community groups, and key environmental partners, with long-term maintenance supported by Local Government land managers and community volunteers.

It is funded by the Australian Government's Natural Heritage Trust under the Urban Rivers and Catchments Program, with the support of Second Nature Conservancy.

"We're proud to deliver this critical investment in nature in rapidly growing urban areas," Second Nature Conservancy General Manager, Ross Oke, said.

"Healthy urban waterways support biodiversity, cool our towns, and offer a vital connection to nature for local communities."

It is hoped the improved sites will act as an example of what can be done more widely through watercourses in catchment systems.

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# **Police News / Emergency Services**

# **Guard rail replacement delayed by road works**

A guard rail damaged by a cattle truck roll-over near Mount Compass earlier this month will have to wait to be replaced until other road works are completed.

Work recently commenced to upgrade an additional 2.91km of Nangkita Road using a mix of Lightly Bound Cement (LBC) and Foam Bitumen Stabilisation (FBS) treatments to enhance the pavements of heavily waterimpacted road segments.

Once the pavement upgrade is completed, a temporary bituminous surface will be applied until the final bitumen surface is applied later this year.

To ensure Nangkita Road achieves its design life, there is a delay between the pavement upgrade and applying the final surface bitumen to allow the specialised pavement materials to cure properly.

This work will need to be completed before Alexandrina Council can address the significant damage caused to some of the guard railing during a recent cattle truck roll-over.

Council is undertaking an insurance claim and assessment, and asked all road users to take care until repair works are complete.



A guard rail was damaged by a cattle truck roll-over earlier this month.

### Wild weather surge creates windy conditions

It was a busy morning for emergency service volunteers on Monday, with damaging winds and wet weather wreaking havoc across the state.

South Australian State Emergency Service (SES) attended more than 230 weather-related requests for assistance from midnight, particularly due to forecast damaging winds gusts, which impacted a number of coastal areas from around 9am.

The strongest wind gust recorded was 83km/h at Murray Bridge.

SES Chief of Staff Robert Charlton thanked dedicated SES volunteers and the support



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received from the Country Fire Service and Metropolitan Fire Service in responding to the requests for assistance.

"Calls for assistance to the SES began steadily increasing from 10am, with some calls relating to minor flood damage, while the majority of call-outs were related to trees down on roads and property," he said.

"Thankfully, most were minor in severity. "However, this also resulted in a number of power outages across the state, with South Australian Power Networks reporting over 16,000 customers losing power at some point."

Mr Charlton also took the time to thank the public for taking proactive steps against the potential impacts of storm damage caused by extreme winds and falling trees. "It was our first blast of winter for storm season, and hopefully, this is a timely reminder for people to help prepare their properties for the upcoming winter season," he said. To prepare for severe weather and storms,

the SES advises:Trim trees and branches that could fall

on the home or property.

• Clean gutters and downpipes of leaves and debris.

• Fix any damage to roofs.

• Park vehicles away from trees and under cover.

Check and clear drains on the property.
 Secure loose items in the yard, including

outdoor furniture and play equipment.

- Check adequacy of insurance coverage.
- Be prepared for power outages.

For emergency storm assistance, people should call 132 500, and for life threatening emergencies, call Triple Zero (000).

To learn more about how to prepare for storms, visit (www.ses.sa.gov.au/storm).

### Warning delivered ahead of wet weather

With parts of the state seeing some rain for the first time in months, motorists are warned to drive to the conditions.

Almost one in five crashes on high-speed roads occur when the road is wet, compared

with just one in eight on lower speed roads. One of the worst high-speed corridors for problems as soon as possible.

"Remember to turn on your headlights when visibility is reduced – it helps other drivers, riders and pedestrians to see you from both the front and back.

"Drivers should be extra vigilant to leave a safe distance between themselves and the

### Solar battery ruptures at Woodchester

One person was hospitalised after a solar battery system ruptured at a Woodchester property last Tuesday.

Just before 1pm on May 20, volunteer Country Fire Service firefighters on two trucks, supported by the Metropolitan Fire Service, were called to Avondale Road after a lead acid battery system shorted out and ruptured in a residential shed.

Firefighters wearing breathing apparatus neutralised the product – which had been spilled – and ventilated the area.

No active fire was reported.

One person was taken to hospital by SA Ambulance Service for treatment.

### Driver fined for close ride

#### **By Giorgina McKay**

A local woman was fined for tailgating which caused a collision at Finniss last Thursday.

Just after 2pm on May 22, police were called to the intersection of Alexandrina Road and Reserve Road after a Mazda CX3 and Mazda B4000 collided.

The Mazda CX3 driver, a 78-year-old Goolwa woman, was issued a fine for travelling too close and her car was towed from the scene.

The other driver was uninjured.

### Driver crashes into fence at Hindmarsh Island

#### **By Giorgina McKay**

A local driver was issued an expiation notice after crashing into a fence at Hindmarsh Island last Wednesday.

Just after 7am on May 21, police and emergency services were called to Pullen Road following reports a Hyundai sedan had crashed into a fence.

The driver, a 22-year-old Hindmarsh Island woman, was fortunately uninjured. She was issued an expiation notice for inattention and due care.

### **Risky drivers fined**

Two drivers were fined for performing a risky overtake at Currency Creek earlier this month.

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www.davidbasham.com.au 08 8552 2152 finniss@parliament.sa.gov.au wet weather crashes is the South Eastern Freeway, which is why the RAA is reminding motorists to leave a three-second gap between them and the car in front and to turn headlights on if visibility is low.

"With rain returning after a long dry spell, the roads will be extra slippery due to the build-up of oil and other substances on the road," RAA Senior Manager of Road Safety, Charles Mountain, said.

"If you're driving at 80km/h it will take your car almost 90 metres to come to a stop when it's wet compared with 64 metres if it's dry – these distances are even greater when your tyres are worn.

"If you haven't done so already it's time to do some pre-winter checks on your vehicle, particularly on tyres, wipers, lights and general mechanical condition and fix any vehicle in front, especially if you're travelling at higher speeds."

Staggeringly, crash data also shows 51 per cent of fatal crashes on wet roads in SA involve either drugs or alcohol.

A mind-blowing 38 per cent of fatal crashes on wet roads involved drug use between 2019-23 while 16 per cent involved alcohol, compared with 17 per cent and 18 per cent respectively in dry weather.

"If you're driving under the influence – you're putting the lives of other road users at risk," Mr Mountain said.

"Even small amounts of alcohol can and will affect your driving ability and increase your chances of being involved in a serious crash.

"The fact more than half of fatal crashes in wet weather involve drugs or alcohol shows this is a recipe for disaster." At about 1.30pm on Monday, May 12, dashcam footage captured a Kia sedan and Renault van dangerously overtaking a large truck driving along Goolwa Road, which caused a Holden SUV travelling in the opposite direction to be forced off the road.

Thankfully, the Holden driver was uninjured.

Following an investigation by Victor Harbor Highway patrol, a 24-year-old Edwardstown man and a 36-year-old Flagstaff man were each issued fines totalling \$1030 and four demerit points. Anyone who witnesses unsafe driving is urged to contact police immediately by calling 131 444.

### **Schools in Brief**

#### Eastern Fleurieu R-12 School

On May 27, 21 Eastern Fleurieu First Nations GO scholars had the privilege of attending the GO Foundation Day at the Living Kaurna Cultural Centre.

The day began with a traditional Welcome to Country and a smoking ceremony, before EFS scholars learned the Emu Dance from the renowned Bangarra Dance Company.

Following the dance session, students embarked on a bush walk through the centre, where they learned about bush tucker and ovens.

The day concluded with a creative session of Aboriginal art, where students painted boomerangs to tell their own stories.

#### Goolwa Secondary College

After attending Op Flinders last year, Goolwa Secondary College student Nuala has recently returned to the program in a volunteer role as a Peer Group Mentor.

The school was proud of Nuala for challenging herself and giving back to the Op Flinders community in such an amazing way.

#### Tyndale Christian School

Last week, 32 athletes from Tyndale Christian School journeyed to Carisbrooke Reserve at Salisbury Park to participate in the SACSA Cross Country event.

The school was proud of the way students competed with great sportsmanship and team spirit.

#### Meadows Primary School

Meadows Primary School student Airlie recently competed at the state interschool championships.

Her results were first place in Novice 2.2, Novice 2.3 and Elementary 3.3, and sec-ond in Elementary 3.2.

She was also the Novice Primary Champion and Reserve Elementary Champion, making her the overall primary state dressage champion, which she also won in 2023 and was runnerup for in 2024.

### Shark patrols extended again

Aerial shark patrols along the state's coastline will be extended until the June long weekend following unseasonably warm weather and an increase in shark sightings at beaches.

The two-week extension of fixed wing shark patrols – which were due to end last weekend – will support community safety, with fine conditions forecast leading up the long weekend.

It is the second extension this season amid sustained aquatic activity and shark sightings in populated areas, making this patrol season the longest recorded in South Australia.

Shark surveillance aircraft – operated by Platinum Aircraft Charter with crew trained

by the SES – will continue to monitor beaches on weekends on the south coast of the Fleurieu Peninsula between Waitpinga Beach, east of Victor Harbor, and the Murray Mouth.

Further support for regional coastal areas through the State Government's \$500,000 package is also being delivered.

Increased use of drones and drone training, education programs for school and community groups, and an expansion of the Westpac Lifesaver Rescue Helicopter Service to regional community aquatic events form part of the investment.

The government will continue to work with Surf Life Saving SA on implementing mitigation measures following a post-season review.

### Letters to the Editor

Honouring our volunteers who advance our work towards zero prostate cancer deaths

Dear Editor, last week was National Volunteer Week, with the theme being 'Connecting Communities'.

Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia pays tribute to the hundreds of volunteers who dedicate their time to PCFA Prostate Cancer Support Groups around the country, and to the volunteers of our MatesCONNECT and Life Force Programs, who work tirelessly to advance our work towards zero deaths.

Their exemplary service keeps us connected to your community, ensuring that high-quality prostate cancer care and support is accessible to all men, giving them every chance of detecting prostate cancer early and beating it.

We thank them for their remarkable service.

Men and families can connect with our friendly vollies by calling 1800 22 00 99 or by visiting (www.prostate.org.au).

Anne Savage, Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia

#### It's time for an overhaul of Local Government behaviour

I refer to the Behavioural Standards -Section 75E Local Government Act 1999.

Latest reports include two councillor resignations and a mayor on long-term health leave (after being told to quit), along with multiple accusations of bullying ('Twin Attacks Rock Adelaide Hills Council', The Advertiser, May 24, 2025).

Dismissing bullying claims by declaring a "zero-tolerance approach to bullying and

harassment" ignores factional bullying hiding behind weaponisation of the current Behavioural Standard.

Especially if claims are kept confidential within a council.

At its Behavioural Management workshop in March 2025, the Australian Local Government Women's Association SA Inc (ALGWA SA) heard multiple examples of bullying.

It highlighted significant flaws in the current system.

To date, only one complaint has gone through the full process to the Independent Statutory Panel (allegedly a legal, expensive and time-consuming process).

Too often, council members (men and women) decide resignation is the only answer to stop ongoing harassment impacting on their time, health and families.

This frequently results in expensive supplementary elections.

Often, the elected members cannot afford large legal fees to defend themselves.

Council administration and the accuser can be provided with lawyers at ratepayers' expense.

ALGWA SA supports Local Government Association SA's new initiatives including an early intervention panel.

The community expects council members to put personal differences aside and engage with each other and council employees in a mature and professional manner, working together to benefit the communities they serve.

ALGWA SA calls for a 'clean-up of council behavioural culture'.

Stop the bullying and manage poor standards of behaviour now.

Interested councillors can contact ALGWA SA at (algwasa.org.au).

Bronwyn Lewis, State President ALGWA SA Inc.

# **Our View** Thursday, May 29, 2025

# The importance of history

Alexandrina Council celebrated its Heritage Awards last Thursday, recognising the region's rich heritage and recognising the work being undertaken to preserve it.

Some might wonder why celebrating history is so important?

In a world where social media rules, and fact checking more challenging by day, having an accurate account of our history is more important than ever.

Having an accurate history shapes an understanding of how and why we got to where we are.

Tracing accurate history takes, as award night speaker Lainie Anderson who is a History Guardian for the History Trust of South Australia says, commitment, perseverance, and resilience.

She says we only need to look at current global politics to see why history matters and what happens when history is allowed to be forgotten, when we take advantage of history and take it for granted, and when we allow the most powerful to shape and twist it into what they want history to be.

Locally, as Mayor Keith Parkes says, the event was a chance to celebrate the passion, care and efforts community members go to to look at properties, working on them with their own money, protecting the beauty and history of assets across the council area.

Awards were given out for Heritage Tourism, Conservation Practice, Adaptive Re-use, Heritage Gardens and Fencing, Historical Research and the Lorraine Pomery Service to Heritage.

Strathalbyn and surrounds are blessed to have many residents who are passionate about Indigenous, European or migrant history, or all three.

Some of these include the Strathalbyn Tourism Association, whose celebrations marking 185 years of European history earned them an award for Heritage Tourism, and well-known Strathalbyn historian Brian Simpson, who was presented with the Lorraine Pomery Service to Heritage Award.

About 70 people attended this year's Heritage Awards, united by a passion for the past and shaping the future.

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### The know in the **FLEURIEU**...

We asked patrons at the Heritage Awards: What is your favourite heritage building or place?

Sue Scheiffers, Morphett Vale



"The Angas Mill in Strathalbyn. It's a significant building."

Fiona McMahon, Goolwa Beach



"The (old council chambers) in Port Elliot." Jo Scheiffers, Morphett Vale



"The Strathalbyn Post Office."

Belinda Whittam, Strathalbyn



"The Laucke Mill. I'm excited to see what happens with that."

# Langhorne Creek trailblazer honoured with the 'Women of Inspiration' award

A renowned trailblazer in the Langhorne Creek community was presented with a 'Women of Inspiration' award last Wednesday for her work in promoting and advocating for rural women, and inspiring change within male dominated environments.

At the Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders' Handover Dinner last week, Jessica Chandler was recognised and presented with a certificate and financial award as the successful winner of the club's 'Woman of Inspiration' Award.

She was nominated for the award by Zonta Club of Adelaide Flinders Vice-President Cintra Amos who heard about Ms Chandler after she received Alexandrina Council's Active Citizenship Award at the start of the year, and was impressed with her achievements.

"I nominated her for an award and was delighted when she was successful," Ms Amos said.

"She is a real trailblazer and brilliant role model."

The fourth-generation dairy farmer grew up near Langhorne Creek with four brothers who 'made her tough', contributing to the resilient person she is today.

Ms Chandler went to university, where she graduated with a Bachelor of Animal Science, and then decided to move back to the family farm to work, where her experience in a masculine environment from a young age enabled her to proactively confront the adversities and unique challenges that face rural women. The local resident has always been

inspired to contribute to her community, and in 2021, became the youngest and first female President of the Langhorne Creek Football Club, where her family has a strong connection through several generations.

In this voluntary position in a male dominated setting, she actively advocates for diversity and equal opportunities, encourages the inclusion of female leaders, and is working towards her small country town having its own womens team.

In the meantime, Ms Chandler takes great satisfaction watching the junior girls kicking with the boys and has been involved in coaching the Auskick Program.

For the past two years, she has also been instrumental in gathering a group of like-minded women to organise the International Day of Rural Women event in Langhorne Creek to celebrate women in agriculture, which is typically attended by more than 120 rural women in the community.

This enables valuable connections for often isolated rural women, and empowers them to be proud and embrace everything great about being a rural woman.

Ms Chandler freely admits her journey has had its scary moments, feeling concerns about her capabilities, but with community support along the way, she can now confidently say her role has led her to become the strong female leader she is today.



Murray Bridge resident Kai Martin on the trail, running for domestic violence prevention and awareness.

A Murray Bridge man has pulled off what many would deem impossible by running 325km for domestic violence prevention and awareness in three days.

In the early hours of Friday morning, 26-year-old Murray Bridge resident Kai Martin set off on the extreme challenge of running the Lavender Federation Trail to raise money for the Murray Bridge Regional Collaboration on Violence against Women and Children, which will go towards domestic violence prevention and awareness initiatives in his hometown.

He had aimed to complete the journey in 60 hours but ran into some complications

along the way, leaving him to finish the run just before 3am on Monday morning.

Mr Martin ended his run at The Place of Courage, where a group of supporters waited in the cold for his arrival.

Mobilong Rotary Inc was among those in the crowd and provided a sausage sizzle, with all money going towards the cause.

The aim was to raise \$25,000, but as of Monday night, the local runner had surpassed that, accumulating nearly twice the amount for his chosen organisation.

People can continue to donate by visiting (https://www.mycause.com.au/p/369854/kais-run-for-dv).

## **Entertainment**

#### Swamp



#### **Pic Puzzle**

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Strathalbyn farmer Lyn Gale welcomed the recent rain. Photo: Deirdre Graham

### **Rain welcomed by farmers**

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By Deirdre Graham

Local dryland farmers welcomed the rains that fell at the start of the week following heavy dust billowing across the district on the weekend.

According to the Bureau of Meterology, Strathalbyn recorded 17.4mm of rain over the 24 hours from 9am Monday to the same time on Tuesday morning.

Wind gusts also reached 61kmh on Saturday.

As of about 4pm on Monday, Strathalbyn farmer Lyn Gale had 13.5mm on one property and about 10mm on another.

He said the downpours were "fantastic follow-up rain".

"After the last few days of pure dust, it is very welcome," Mr Gale said.

"It is probably the biggest rain we have had this year in one day, and I am sure it is not finished.

"I would hope there would be more, but it is very welcome what we have got."

He said more rain – hopefully about 25mm would be appreciated over the week.

"My son was telling me that next week (also) looked pretty promising, so that is probably excellent if that turns out," Mr Gale said.

'We need to get a good rain, and for our remaining cropping country, we need to then spray off the weeds that are coming up.

"Sprays are always expensive, (but) we

We need to get a good rain, and for our remaining cropping country, we need to then spray off the weeds that are coming up...

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– Lyn Gale

haven't done any knock down sprayings this year, which has been quite a saving if there are any good sides to bare ground.

"Any rain is good when we are battling to get a crop up.

"A lot of that dry sowing we have done hasn't all germinated, so if we can get a good rain and get all that dry sowing to germinate, that would be excellent."

Mr Gale was happy to see the rain after the wind and dust over the weekend.

"We went up to feed the sheep and along one road there we could not see at all, it was totally drifted to the point of zero visibility in our ute," he said.

'So, when a bit of rain came, I was so happy to see it stop drifting."

A 30 per cent chance of more rain exists for today and Friday.

# **New In Business**

### Strathalbyn clinician helping residents to 'blossom up'



#### Zita Stark-Prior

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Zita Stark-Prior, who heralds from Queensland, was enrolled in a clinical aromatherapy diploma course when she came across GW Founder Anna McBride and the "highly relaxing and re-energising" facial modality she had created.

"I signed up and it blew my mind... and I was so eager that every time they posted about a new course, I was among the first to sign up," she said.

'I have a condition in my ear that it is wreaking havoc in my face, so I should have a drooping face, but it was a great blessing in my life that I met Anna because the methods that are in this modality are so powerful that here I am, you wouldn't say I would be sick in that way.

"It's a proven, unique natural modality that equally helps beauty, health and wellness."

Mrs Stark-Prior's own business 'Blossom Up', where she delivers these modality services, is based out of her Lime Street residence.

She moved to Strathalbyn at the end of August and is already in love with the town.

"I'm really happy to be able to honour the people of Strathalbyn with this," Mrs Stark-Prior said.

"We had two reasons to move from Queensland - to find a cooler climate, but we also wanted to find warmer hearts.

"I expected it to be a little bit of a honeymoon period then I would start to see the faults... but (the residents) haven't ever, so both my husband and I are totally in love with the community and we hope it stays like that."

She is also a state licensee who trains future practitioners and stocks GW products in South Australia, Victoria, WA and Tasmania.

While still in its beginning stages, Mrs Stark-Prior was keen to share the message of GW's success

"It's not just a facial, it's the next level," she said.

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#### **By Tara Nash**

Sessions to support farmers are being called for in the Mount Barker District Council region during one of the driest periods on record.

Council staff will ask the Department of Environment and Water (DEW) and Department of Primary Industries and Regions (PIRSA) to conduct sessions with local farmers in relation to water security issues and drought conditions.

This is in response to a motion moved by councillor Rebecca Hewett who said for many farmers "times have never been tougher".

Support sought for farmers

"Drought doesn't just dry out the land - it drains livelihoods... and places enormous pressure on families who are already working sun up to sun down just to keep going," she said.

"We owe them more than just praise we owe them support."

Council has also been working with the State Government on supply of potable water to residents not connected to mains. The State Government is investing

millions to support farmers affected by drought, including through grants for infrastructure and for mentors and counsellors.

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## **Faces & Places**



Tim Owen, Ben Sebastiano, and Sam Scanlon from Chace Agencies at the Langhorne Creek Wine Show on May 9. Photos: Deirdre Graham



Macclesfield Young at Heart's Kim Crawford, Pam Shaw, Jill Uellendahl and Sandi Hogben helping organise the Biggest Morning Tea on May 14. Photos: Tara Nash





Marc and Meryl Brehin with Mark Evans at the Wine Show earlier this month.



Derren Bayer, Jane Kuchel and Bev Bryant at Macclesfield's Biggest Morning Tea earlier this month.



Madison Martin and Ester Harrington in the kitchen ready to prepare the lunch on May 13. Photo: Tara Nash



Janet Gunther and Sue Fitzharris having a laugh at the Macclesfield morning tea this month.









Jane Campbell, Jodie Jaensch, Jane Littlejohns, and Christine Allen at the 'Welcome to Strathalbyn' event earlier this month.

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David and Sue Haeusler, Denisha Bormann and Narelle Datson chatting at the recent Wine Show.



**Beauty and the Beast** 

#### RATING



It's a tale as old as time and one that I've seen again and again - only this time in theatre.

Performed at the Adelaide Festival Centre, the Australian Beauty and the Beast production sticks close to the Disney interpretation, making it easy to follow and for audiences to love.

Visually, it's outstanding, particularly when it comes to lighting, costumes and choreography, which was exceptionally showcased in the big 'wow' numbers Be Our Guest, Gaston and The Mob Song, where the effects stunned you and the dancers thrilled you.

All the actors had vocals for days, but it was Jackson Head as Gaston who really stole the show with his baritone and oozing charisma that perfectly embodied the well-known villain.

Equally, taking the limelight were the production's core five – Lumiere (Roĥan Browne), Cogsworth (Gareth Jacobs), Mrs Potts (Jayde Westaby), Babette (Hayley Martin) and Madame (Alana Tranter) - who provided endless humour.

The main stars Shubshri Kandiah as Belle and Brendan Xavier as Beast performed their jobs accordingly, albeit boringly.

While Kandiah is a talented actress, I felt she was better suited for her previous role as Jasmine in Aladdin than Belle.

Similarly, Xavier had the vocals, but failed to embody the Beast's character, switching between over-thetop aggressive or a himbo – neither of which felt like the character I remember for my childhood.

This caused them to be overshined by the secondary characters and, though the production lived up to its expectations, it wasn't a 'must-see' and is why I can only give it 3.5 stars.



production was as expected.





Penny Farthing Cycle Club of SA member Theresa Stephens, and Ray Warren from Gilbert's Motor Museum with a tradesman bike made to look like one featured in the Open All Hours TV show. Photos: Deirdre Graham

# Strathalbyn travels through time

#### **By Deirdre Graham**

History buffs were in their element on Sunday with the staging of the Travel Through Time event at the Strathalbyn Oval.

Promoted by the Strathalbyn Tourism Association, attractions included historical motorcycles, blacksmiths, penny farthing bicycles, mystery objects from the heritage museum, items from the Gilbert's Motor Museum, model vehicles, and whittling by the SA Scout whittling team.

Despite weather predictions impacting on crowd numbers, spokesperson Norma Keily said the day was a "great networking opportunity" for those featured, and plans are already afoot for future events using the different groups who attended.

'We were lucky to get the people that we

did," Mrs Keily said.

"The Penny Farthing people put on such a good show, and it is such a unique thing that people were really delighted.

"I loved the blacksmithing and I really liked the penny farthings, but it was all good. "It was great to see the local museum

bringing out their treasures for people to examine and wonder what they were." While Mrs Keily hopes to have a similar

event next year, it likely won't be in the same format.

"What I would like to do is perhaps see something happening more down in the history museum," she said.

"They have some really nice areas where the blacksmiths can move into the forge and get that working, and their back grassed area could have things happening there."







James Knight from the SA Scout Whittling Team working on a ball in a cage.

Bruce Colwell and Ian Hese with Bruce's 1954 Vincent Black Shadow. It was once the fastest bike in the world, with an engine designed by Australian Phil Irving.

washing machine and a washing machine believed to have been manufactured in the 1910s to 1920s.

### Education & Enrolments



2025/26

## **Enrolments open at Eastern Fleurieu**

Eastern Fleurieu R-12 School (EFS) continues to thrive as a dynamic and vibrant multi-campus community.

With its commitment to fostering academic success and personal growth, EFS offers a diverse and inclusive environment where students of all ages can explore, create, and achieve.

"From our youngest reception students to our senior year 12s, EFS is a place of exploration, discovery, and achievement," Principal, Ian Kent, said.

"We are incredibly proud of how our students continue to embrace opportunities for learning and growth."

EFS stands out with its unique multicampus structure, which includes five campuses – Ashbourne R-6, Langhorne Creek R-6, Milang R-6, Strathalbyn R-6, and 7-12 Campus – allowing for a more personalised educational experience at each campus while creating a strong sense of unity and community across the school.

At EFS, education also goes beyond academic achievement.

"We prepare our students not just for school success, but for life beyond the school gates," Mr Kent explained.

"Our curriculum extends far beyond traditional learning, including programs in agriculture, arts, sports, food and hospitality, outdoor education, music, science, mathematics, and future pathways."

Students regularly come together for learning opportunities, providing them with chances to develop teamwork, leadership, and resilience. They also engage in hands-on learning across various fields, including STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics), nurturing their creativity and critical thinking.

EFS integrates modern technologies into the curriculum, allowing students to design, build, and create projects that reflect their understanding and creativity.

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The Future Pathways Program at EFS ensures students are ready for life after school, offering options in vocational training, apprenticeships, and university pathways.

This program, combined with an expanding network of industry partnerships, gives students the skills they need to succeed in a variety of fields.

The school's strong community spirit plays a crucial role in student success.

"We are proud of how our students grow beyond the classroom," Mr Kent said.

"This success wouldn't be possible without the dedication of our staff, the enthusiasm of our students, and the unwavering support of our families and the broader community."

As 2025 enrolments open, EFS invites families to explore the wide range of opportunities available at its five campuses.

With a focus on academic excellence, personal development, and preparing students for future success, EFS is the ideal place for your child to grow and thrive.

For enrolment enquiries or more information, contact EFS at 8536 2455.





Clarry Fisher is circulating a petition to gain support for a rail bypass of Adelaide. Photo: Deirdre Graham



A Strathalbyn local is seeking support for his idea for a rail bypass from Tailem

Bend to Port Augusta. Clarry Fisher, who is a former Manager of Building, Health and Compliance at both the Rural City of Murray Bridge and Coorong Councils, believes his idea would provide an improved and more efficient transport system, save on fuel costs, improve safety through the Mount Lofty Ranges, and reduce traffic congestion into Adelaide from the east.

"It is to decrease the amount of traffic coming down the freeway and through the tunnels, the problems associated with the Glen Osmond junction, and take a lot of traffic off Port Rush Road, but also provides an alternative for those trucks that don't need to come down to Adelaide, and trains that are heading off towards Perth or coming back," Mr Fisher said.

"The whole idea is to provide a more efficient way of transport, especially if they are going to put in 40,000 homes in Murray Bridge and Mount Barker – it would alleviate a lot of pressure on that particular area.

"This proposal goes through semiarid sort of farmland and it would mean another bridge across the river, but it would alleviate having to put another bridge at Murray Bridge for the traffic.

"As far as rail is concerned, it would be able to double stack, so you could put two lots of containers on top of each other like they do up north, and also it opens up the area for development and would help a lot of the little towns that are struggling at the moment along the actual route itself." Mr Fisher has gathered about 300 signatures on a petition for his proposal so far and would like to increase that to 1000.

He doesn't have a costing for his proposal or an exact time frame for constructing the rail bypass.

"I do know it would be a lot cheaper than running (a bypass) through Monarto, and the savings overall would be greater than what it is costing us in accidents and time and what (the government) are going to have to do in the future to overcome the problem through the tunnels and at Glen Osmond," Mr Fisher said.

"It would take them a while to survey – maybe five to 10 years we are talking about.

"The good thing about this is, while they are building this, it is not interfering with the freeway."

Mr Fisher has allegedly put forward his idea to Minister for Infrastructure and Transport Tom Koutsantonis.

"Piggyback rail movements were popular between Port Augusta and Perth prior to the sealing of the Eyre Highway in the 1970s, but declined in following decades due to their relative inefficiency," Mr Koutsantonis wrote in letter of reply to Mr Fisher.

"Rail currently has a major share of the Melbourne to Perth freight market, with industry feedback suggesting that a significant proportion of road operators servicing this market pass through Adelaide in order to either drop off or pick up freight.

"Double stack container loading does provide increased efficiencies but would need to occur from the point of origin in Melbourne or a major freight origin such as Adelaide to be competitive."

Mr Fisher said his petition would be available at the barber on High Street, The Vault and Pestka's Bakery.

> The proposed route. Quondong Danggali





Antique Caterpillar Machinery Owners Club President Trevor Scott and Barry Potts, from the Eastern Hills Antique Tractor Society, in front of a Holt 45. Photos: Deirdre Graham



### **Celebrating a century of Caterpillar**



By Deirdre Graham

Organisers of the 100 Years of Caterpillar event at Hartley declared it a success, despite wild wind and dust making an impact across the weekend.

About 150 people attended on Friday, about 1000 on Saturday, and an additional 300 on Sunday.

Antique Caterpillar Machinery Owners Club President and Spokesperson Trevor Scott was "pleasantly surprised by the crowd". "The conditions were horrendous," he said.

"We were getting absolutely sandblasted out there... but (the crowd) stayed there and watched the grand parade do the two laps (on Saturday)."

While the parade was one highlight from the three days, Mr Scott said there were plenty of others.

"Just the fact we had 76 Caterpillar items in one location in South Australia, with the majority being tractors, is without doubt the other highlight," he said.

"And to see them working like they used to be working... for people it was something they don't get to see very often.

"Another highlight would have to be the steam traction cable ploughing, using the reversible plough.

"We actually had three steam traction engines here – the two doing the ploughing plus a third.

"One of those doing the ploughing is actually the oldest working steam traction engine and it turned 150 this year."

Other popular displays included Holts tractors that predated Caterpillars, a rare Caterpillar R2, Caterpillar D7M, and Caterpillar models 10, 15, 20, 25, 30,



Lyndall McMahon, from Lynmac Metal Art at Bute, displaying her creations at the 100 Years of Caterpillar event.

40, and 50.

Despite the weather conditions, Mr Scott said organisers received plenty of positive feedback.

"The only downside to the event was the dust, and that was a combination of the drought we are in and the wind we experienced over the weekend," he said.

<sup>4</sup>Friday was an absolutely beautiful day, but unfortunately, on Saturday and Sunday, at the peak time of people being here, the wind was at its worst."

The weekend was staged by the Antique Caterpillar Machinery Owners Club and the Eastern Hills Antique Tractor Society. Mr Scott thanked sponsors and donors.







Daish Irrigation and Fodder Murray Bridge workers Will Phillpott and Lual Kelei with Coonara's Settler C500 and Aussie Legend heaters. Photo: Deirdre Graham

# Best way to warm up the home this winter

With cold days and nights ahead, Daish Irrigation and Fodder at Murray Bridge has your heating covered, with a range of Coonara woodheaters available.

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"While our major display is at Murray Bridge, we have the parts," Daish Irrigation and Fodder Strathalbyn Fodder Manager, Greg Tucker, said.

"They are very efficient these days.

"Most of them have fans and so-forth for that side of things.

"We deliver and we have got an installer that we use... he comes out of Adelaide, but both us and Murray Bridge use the same installer."

Mr Tucker reminded people who already have a woodheater to remember to have them serviced to keep them clean, efficient and safe during winter.

"We have the literature and the pricing here, which is pretty competitive," he said,

"But I emphasise, if people need to see them physically, the Murray Bridge showroom is the place to go as they have a multitude of heaters on display."





Robbie Osborne, of Berri, and Barry Andrew, of Summertown, with a 1909 Fowler Single Cylinder Steam Traction Engine.

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families, outdoor enthusiasts, and anyone who values open green space, fresh air, and the gentle pace of life in a natural setting. The generous size of the block offers ample

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The perfect entertainer

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#### The heart of the home is the spacious openplan family and meals area, where a stunning Rinnai gas log fireplace creates a warm and inviting ambiance.

Extending seamlessly from this space is a large sunroom, bathed in natural light and designed for year-round enjoyment.

Whether you're unwinding with a book, hosting friends or simply soaking up the sunshine, this beautiful space adds an extra layer of comfort and charm to the home.

At the heart of the home lies the stylish and well-appointed kitchen – a true culinary haven designed for both functionality and flair.

With abundant cupboard space and a convenient walk-in pantry to keep essentials neatly organised, this kitchen ensures everything is within easy reach.

Modern appliances make cooking effortless, while the expansive bench space invites creativity, turning meal preparation into an enjoyable experience rather than a chore.

A full-length pergola extends the versatility of the outdoor area, providing endless possibilities for relaxation or entertaining.

Just beside the carport, a chic casual space with artificial lawn and generous seating creates the ideal setting for gatherings with family and friends, making outdoor living effortless and enjoyable.

Take your outdoor living to the next level with the impressive, fully equipped outdoor kitchen, complete with plenty of space for your BBQ and outdoor dining table.

Whether you're hosting vibrant gatherings or savouring a peaceful alfresco meal, this space is crafted for effortless entertaining, making every occasion feel special.

Sustainability takes centre stage in this home, with a high-quality solar system designed to reduce energy costs while lowering your carbon footprint.

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Internal features:

- 2020-built
  - · Four spacious bedrooms
  - Formal lounge
  - Rinnai gas log fireplace
  - Ducted evaporative cooling system

**External features:** 

- 734sqm allotment
- · Solar 6.57kW
- Pergola 3.45 x 7.60m

Step inside and you'll find four generously sized bedrooms – each thoughtfully designed for both comfort and style.

The master suite is a true sanctuary, featuring a private ensuite and a spacious walk-in robe.

The remaining bedrooms are just as inviting, offering ample space and ceiling fans to ensure year-round comfort for all.

Bedroom two, with its built-in robe, is perfectly positioned at the rear of the home, providing easy access to the main bathroom and making it an ideal space for guests.

Designed for effortless living, this home offers three distinct living areas - each thoughtfully designed for comfort and versatility.

At the front of the home, the formal lounge provides a private retreat, perfect for quiet relaxation or entertaining guests. storage space.

 $Enhancing the home's \, comfort, \, the \, ducted$ evaporative cooling system maintains the perfect temperature year-round, creating a refreshing and inviting atmosphere.

Whether you're cooking up a feast, sharing meals or making memories with loved ones, this thoughtful addition ensures every moment is as enjoyable as it is effortless.

Step outside and immerse yourself in your own private outdoor oasis.

A lush lawned area and easy care gardens create a serene setting where you can unwind without the hassle of constant upkeep.

The thoughtfully designed landscaping ensures you spend more time enjoying your home and less time maintaining it.

For added convenience, the double carport offers secure parking and plenty of extra

long-term savings, making everyday living more efficient and cost-effective.

Adding to the home's modern conveniences is a continuous flow gas hot water system, ensuring you'll never run out of hot water.

New plantation shutters adorn every window, offering a timeless touch of elegance, while sheer curtains on the sliding doors enhance privacy and style.

Every detail has been thoughtfully considered to create a home that is as energy efficient as it is effortlessly beautiful.

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• Shed 3.10 x 4.20m

• Low maintenance gardens

Nearby Features:

- Two-minute drive to the Milang Pier Hotel
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# Size, space and style

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As you step inside, you're immediately greeted by an inviting open-plan living area. The spacious lounge room, with its picturesque view of the manicured front

yard, creates a warm and welcoming ambiance. The recently updated kitchen is both

stylish and functional, featuring sleek stainless-steel appliances, ample cupboard space, and a well-appointed dishwasher to make clean-up a breeze.

This home offers four generously sized bedrooms, providing plenty of room to cater to all your needs.

Bedroom two also includes a built-in robe for added convenience and storage.

Comfort is a priority, with a split-system air conditioner strategically placed in the heart of the home, and ceiling fans to ensure those balmy summer nights are a breeze.

Step outside and you'll find a beautifully landscaped, spacious allotment, perfect for

outdoor enjoyment.

The lush lawn provides ample space for kids and pets to play, while the established gardens add a touch of charm.

The large undercover pergola offers the ideal setting to unwind after a long day or entertain friends and family with a summer BBQ.

Internal features:

- 1960-built
- Four spacious bedrooms
- Built-in robe in bedroom two • Open plan living
- Split system air conditioning
- Renovated kitchen
- Dishwasher

**External features:** 

- 1022sqm allotment
- 3 x 7.2m garage
- Low maintenance gardens

- Pergola
- · Rainwater tanks

Nearby features:

- One-minute drive to Strathalbyn Football Oval
- One-minute drive to the local shopping district
- Three-minute drive to Strathalbyn local schools
- Three-minute drive to historic Strathalbyn High Street

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.

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<b>By Deirdre Graham</b> Strathalbyn pickleballer Grant Diggins fini on the podium in two events at the SA Pickl Championships over the weekend. Diggins took home a silver medal in the 60 above 3.5 ability level singles after being be	eball D and		
by Queenslander Paul Breen, and a bronze n with Catherine Griffen in the 60 and abov ability level mixed doubles. Meanwhile, he and Kevin Stone lost the plus doubles category bronze medal in three Diggins was particularly pleased with the r doubles result with Griffen. "The competition was really strong, so we happy to get a medal in the mixed," he said "We beat the pair that got through to the medal match in the rounds, but we lost to the get to the gold medal match, so that was prol the one match we didn't play real well in. "But we won the bronze medal match in sets, so that was good, and they were a s	hedal 4.0 iri 50 sets. hixed were gold em to bably n two	EME VZ.16	

pair as well, so I'm really happy. "We went up a grade to 4.0 and above which is pretty strong pickleball, previously playing 3.5 and above."

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Strathalyn pickleballer Grant Diggins and team mate Catherine Griffen won a bronze medal at the weekend SA Pickleball Championships.

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Best - Goolwa/Pt E .: Oliver Koop, Cruz Walsh, Oscar Dorset, Marlin French, Tate Berresheim. Myp/Sell: Daniel Adams, Joshua Healey, Balian Humphrys, Austin Alldritt, Ocean Wong, Charlie Ormond.

Judd Thorn, Hunter James, Otto Hunt, Jack Little, Flynn Lambert-Reynolds. McLaren D.: Lachie Kleinig, Kabe Boehm, Eddie Everton, Cody Hastwell, Luka Labuschagne, Brodie Clancy.

Best - Strathalbyn: No results provided. Victor Harbor: Jack Green, Rory Martin, Tully Kempster-Barry, Ethan Hood, Arlo Kempster-Barry, Ryder Basham.

**GSFL Round 7 Ladders** 

provided Best - Encounter B .: No results provided. Langhorne Ck: No results provided.

Best - Willunga: Tommy Aldridge,

Tyler Brown, Tyler Garner, Hayden Ats, Riley Lavender. Mt Compass: James Paech, Calen Lewis, Bailey Leech, Parker Fergusson, Kodis Miller, Chase Annand.

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<b>Thursday, May 29</b> Brisbane Lions	VS.	Essendon (G)
Friday, May 30 Collingwood	VS.	Hawthorn (MCG)
<b>Saturday, May 31</b> Gold Coast SUNS GWS Giants Sydney Swans	VS.	Fremantle (PFS) Richmond (ES) Adelaide Crows (SCG)
<b>Sunday, June 1</b> Melbourne West Coast Eagles		St Kilda (TP) Geelong Cats (OS)

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

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#### A GRADE WOMEN

Myponga/Sellicks v McLaren Districts at Myponga Oval

Victor Harbor v Goolwa/Pt Elliot at Victor Harbor Oval

Willunga v Yankalilla/EB at Willunga Recreation Reserve

> **U17 GIRLS BYE ROUND**

#### **U14 GIRLS**

Yankalilla/EB v Goolwa/Pt Elliot at Myponga Oval Victor Harbor v Strathalbyn at Victor Harbor Oval

Willunga v McLaren Districts at Willunga Recreation Reserve



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# **Demons Down Dogs**

Willunga Oval was affected by a strong cross breeze which, at times, resulted in messy, closeguarter football.

The Mount Compass players were fired up to play a tough brand of football - a win could ease them into the top five.

Despite their tenacity, the more skilful Willunga team came out winners

The Demons' defender Schmidt kicked the opening goal of the match at the seven-minute mark of the first quarter.

He seemed keen to pass the ball off, but his run and carry brought him within range and he dobbed a long goal.

Nash got it immediately back for the Bulldogs after a downfield penalty was awarded to him in the goal square.

Shirvington and Hams combined to deliver the ball to Draper, who went back from 45 metres and boomed home a long goal despite the blustery conditions.

Endersby and Daniell defended well for Mount Compass and restricted Willunga to a five-point lead at guarter-time.

Schulz bullocked his way clear from the centre and hit up Pinyon, who kicked a major less than a minute into the second guarter.

Willunga's smalls, Jake Renney, Carnevale

and Miegel, popped up everywhere in the second guarter and used the ball effectively to allow Draper to mark and kick his second.

Nash, Poole and Endersby were busy for the visitors. A skilful ruck-to-rover tap by Bass to Starke enabled Hams to mark in space, go back and kick a long goal on his non-preferred side.

Endersby got it back two minutes later before Hams kicked his second for the quarter with a kick equally as difficult as his first.

Lee got another for Willunga after hard running from the wing to the goal square.

Both defences tightened and goals were hard to come by.

Late in the quarter, when Sam Renney burst from the centre square, and was fouled after disposal and taken to the goal square, Willunga were able to open up a four-goal lead going into half-time.

The third quarter opened with a flurry of goals in the first five minutes to the Bulldogs' Boots, then Willunga's Draper and Seb Hoek.

The following 20 minutes was mostly a dull affair. Willunga kept the Bulldogs trapped in the northwest pocket where, because of the crosswind, it was difficult to score.

Just when it seemed no one could score another goal for the quarter, Mount Compass moved their

#### **GSFLW Round 8 Results**

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1. Victor Harbor: Demi Morse 1. Best - Yankalilla/EB.: Halle James, Czenya

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Cavouras, Rhiannon Gaythwaite-Cotton, Jaimi Griffen, Tyler Rigney Garrett, Amelia Bilney. Victor Harbor: Jaimee Millard, Skye Kartinyeri-Sumner, Demi Morse, Danika Millard, Zoe Bartholomaeus, Lauren Cousins



Best - Goolwa/Pt E.: Annabel Cameron, Elena Earl, Jessica Bailey, Indi Miller, Carin Kappler, Ellie Fry. Myp/Sell: Grace Deacon, Tayte Mathewson, Kimberley Gilbert, Private player, Eden Coleman, Caroline Scott.

attack to the top side where they were able to create

Pinyon, who had been well held by McDonald,

When Mount Compass kicked their third goal

Hunter presented himself front-and-centre to kick a

Bass got it back for the Demons, but it was the

He snapped two with his left foot - both swirled

It was the hard work of Miegel, Shirvington and

Hard running by Hunter, Peters and Daniell

The last 10 minutes of the game was not pretty

Starke that got the ball into position for Draper to

almost created a Mount Compass goal, but Scanlon

football, but by the final siren Willunga had run out

drifted back and marked on the goal line.

six-pointer for the visitors and keep their hopes alive.

brilliant goal kicking of Draper that enabled Willunga

high in the fluky breeze before drifting through.

took two strong pack marks late in the quarter and

goaled after fast ball movement created by Simons,

in five minutes and reduced the three-quarter time

deficit to 13 points, the game was in the balance.

The last quarter was another hard slog.

to establish a match-winning lead.

space for their forwards.

Turner and Hunter.

show his talents

victors by 21 points.

# Mouse Cup returns to the stables

Strathalbyn Football Club's Mouse Cup scurries back this weekend faster and furrier than ever.

Five races fielding five mice will be held throughout the evening on Saturday from 8pm, with winners taking home a cash prize and enjoying free alcohol and snacks in the winner's circle until the next race. Strathalbyn Football Club's Lachie

After a four-year hiatus, the Fox, who had pushed for the event, said it's "always good fun".

"There was a lot of talk around getting back the last few years and it just hasn't really happened," he said. "Myself and Tom Ferry were really

pushing for it this year and got it through.'

People are asked to come dressed for the races.



A Grade Women McLaren D. 1.1 1.1 14 1.1 5.2 7.2 7.5 Willunga 47 Goals - McLaren D.: Natalie Elton 1; Abby Woodward 1. Willunga: Jessica Kirk 6; Bella Rigby 1. Best - McLaren D.: Mia Hamilton, Charlotte Watson, Layla Rogers, Caitlin Ross, Eva Petrucci, Abby Woodward. Willunga: Cleo Guilfoyle, Jessica Kirk, Sarah Wright, Jodie Hunt, Kirstin Remfrey, Bella Rigby. **U17 Girls McLaren Districts v Willunga** 

McLaren D. 1.1 1.5 2.8

1.1 2.2

Halle Crowe 1; Chantel Johnson 1.

Victor Harbor 1.0 1.1 1.1

0.0 0.1 0.2

Ella Walden, Tayla Young, Bailey Gill, Dakoyta Davis.

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Willunga

Strathalbyn

Willunga: None

McLaren Vale Sporting Complex

**U17 Girls** 

Goals - McLaren D.: Laylah McDonald 2; Krystal Boileau 1; Zahli Grund

Best - McLaren D.: Krystal Boileau, Laylah McDonald, Ava Elliker, Eva

Petrucci, Ella Guinan, Amy Bloss. Willunga: Isabelle Cameron, Marley Watson,

**Strathalbyn v Victor Harbor** 

Encounter Bay Recreation Reserve

U17 Girls

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1. Joshua Vandermeer (McLaren D.) 29 2. Dylan Draper (Willunga) 29 3. Darren Shillabeer (Myp/Sell) 25 4. Tom Pinyon (Mt Compass) 25 5. Daniel Stock (Victor Harbor) 22 6. Tyson Neale (Encounter Bay) 22 7. Jarrod Kellock (Langhorne Creek) 21 8. Caleb Howell (Langhorne Creek) 19 9. Benjamin Heaslip (Victor Harbor) 17 10. Samuel Basham (Victor Harbor) 17

Best - Strathalbyn: Kayla Schubert, Quba Verwey, Mackenzie Cutting, Dee Kartinyeri, Ruby Erbsland, Sienna Ballantyne. Victor Harbor: Jemma Liddell, Latika Swain, Danika Millard, Halle Crowe, Zoe Bartholomaeus, Ava Turley

Goals - Strathalbyn: Tamika Cook 1; Sienna Ballantyne 1. Victor Harbor:

#### **GSFLW Round 8 Ladders**

A Grade Women	Ρ	PTS	%	W	L	D	В	
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Strathalbyn	•	8	33.33	4	3	0	•	

Winners of the last Mouse Cup in 2021 with their victory mouse 'Gar Fish and Chips'.

#### Goolwa/Pt Elliot vs Myponga A-Grade







Photos: Grant Petras

# **Roos survive pressure from the Roosters**

#### **By Perry Jones**

The unbeaten top team, Victor Harbor, certainly copped plenty of resistance from the bottom, winless home team, Strathalbyn, last Saturday, only able to open up a winning margin in the final term to record a 29-point win in windy conditions.

The Roos were without a couple of key players as the Roosters kept the pressure on them, with the strong wind ensuring that it was going to be tough to get goals on the board for the game.

The Roosters went with the crosswind first up as Welk started his dominance in ruck for the day, allowing Fergusson and the speedy Gladigau to put pressure on the Roos' defence, led by Dylan Kleinig and Brook, who stood up well to the constant Rooster attacks.

with Heaslip, Mayes and Wiese in the thick of things, but their disposal was a bit sloppy, allowing the Roosters to repel through Pegler, Hartshorne, Brook, Dowling, Miller and Priddle. Fox and Duffield.

a kick out of the pack by Dowling went through the big sticks, before the Roosters, with Gilbert in the right place, were set up for a major by Ballantyne.

While many spectators had plenty of trouble picking out the numbers on the Roos' guernseys, their players had no problems, as they looked like to an attacking role - gaining possession in the they might get away from the Roosters.

It was a goal to Vincent after taking a Dowling handball, and then Basham picked up a free at close range for another.

for the ball and, as Grant was shaking off a Roo at the end of the third term. tackle, his kick brought up the two white flags.

They then had trouble judging the wind for three behinds in a row, to trail by two points at thanks to the efforts of Wiese, Elmes, Dowling the first change

In the second term, it was a chance for the Roos to use the wind to advantage and leave the Roosters behind, but they had a battle on their hands to shake off the constant, annoying Roosters.

The Roos attacked through Steele, Priddle, Dowling and Heaslip, but the Roosters' defence stood firm as they hustled the Roos into mistakes and defended well via Scott, Stafford and Pegler.

The Roosters had Fergusson, Gladigau and Edwards still battling to get them into attack, but they were limited into the wind, as Bartram led the Roos' defence and held the damage to just two behinds.

However, the Roos' attacks were successfully bottled up by the Roosters getting to most contests and, as a result, the Roos got no goals for the term - just behinds to Cooper, Elmes, Heaslip, and Cooper again after the siren - as they had their nose in front at half-time by four points.

In the third term, the Roosters did most of the attacking as Welk continued on his way in ruck, allowing Gladigau to break clear with his pace, The Roos were better at attacking the ball and Fergusson continued to show courage at ground level, backed up by Kenny and Edwards. The Roos started well thanks to the efforts of

After misses by Elmes and Kappler, it was The Roos, however, did get the first goal when Elmes from the goal square getting a major, which turned out to be their only one for the term, against defensive work from the Roosters' Fox and Pegler.

> The Roosters, with their ground-level play, kept the Roos under pressure and, after Grant hit the post, it was Gilbert - much better suited goal square and quickly getting the ball on the boot for a major

Then it was another shot by Grant that hit the post, and Stafford had a miss, followed by another Not to be denied, the Roosters kept going in behind, seeing the Roosters just two points down

> In the final term, the Roos, needing to be revved up by coach Cross, started to combine better good rebound.

> The Roos quickly had a goal on the board as Basham pulled in the mark to convert, and then Stock picked up a free to goal again.



Then Mesecke chimed in for a goal and the writing was on the wall for the Roosters.

Fergusson continued to burrow in for them and, through Hann-Barke, Kenny, Duffield and for their goals.

Unfortunately for the Roosters, they saw Stock pull in a one-handed mark to keep the Roos creeping away with his goal as time went on.

Then, as Elmes trapped a loose ball to goal, the Roos were assured of victory.

The Roosters had one last say for the day when Gilbert, running around the boundary and taking and Heaslip, while Miller and Bartram gave them Stutley, they continued to make the Roos work a bounce, shot for goal, seeing the ball lob in the goal square and bounce the right way for a full pointer to end the day's proceedings - after a solid effort from the Roosters -while the Roos will be looking for better to keep their winning run going.



#### Victor Harbor vs Strathalbyn







Photos: Rowan Sims

# **Argus Netball**

#### 9&U DRAW

This week's training focus was defence, with a treat on offer for demonstrating new shadowing skills.

However, the first quarter was all about attack, with Piper Davies and Harper Healy scoring seven goals.

Alayna Pratt and Ebony Hutchinson were solid in defence, keeping Goolwa from scoring.

The newer players showed confidence and strength in their positions.

Thanks to all umpires and volunteers!

#### **11&U (2)** Myponga 9 drew with Goolwa 9

The Mudlarks headed straight to Goolwa ready to "eat some Pies for breakfast!"

Bonnie scored first in what was the team's best first quarter of the season. Sienna defended deep while Summer

and Chloe created space.

Mae nailed an equaliser and then another to take the lead.

Willow from Goolwa put up a fight, but Olivia and Bailey responded with courage.

Alinta was everywhere!

At the final break, scores were level 6-6.

In the last quarter, Bonnie and Sienna combined for key scores, and Chloe and Olivia made timely intercepts.

The match ended in a thrilling 9-all draw.

Coach Ros was thrilled with the team's effort and said this was a dogged draw of determination.

#### **13&U (1)** Myponga 4 def by Goolwa 38

Goolwa started strong with precision passing and court movement to build a dominant early lead. and delivered some great passages of play in the second quarter. Goolwa maintained their pressure and

Myponga reset after the first break

ran out convincing winners. Full credit to the Myponga girls who never gave up.

#### 13&U (3)

**Myponga 18 def Goolwa 8** On a windy but dry morning,

Myponga's goal attack opened scoring. The defenders made strong intercepts and turnovers to dominate the first quarter.

It was a tighter second term, with good leads and pressure from both teams.

Goolwa struck first in the third quarter, but Myponga recovered well.

Both sides fought bravely in the last, with Myponga finishing on top.

#### **Inter 1**

Myponga 41 def Goolwa 36 In very windy conditions, both teams

worked hard to maintain possession. Scores were level at 10 apiece at the

first break. A tight second quarter from Myponga saw them up by three at half-time.

Some positional changes and accurate shooting extended the lead to five at the final change.

Goolwa's Evie Simpson applied pressure on Myponga's shooters, while Sienna Tomlinson worked hard in wing attack and moved well around the circle.

Myponga held on to win by five. Thank you to the umpires, scorers, timer and primary carers.

**Inter 2** 

#### Myponga 38 def Goolwa 30

Myponga took time to adjust to the

windy conditions.

Chelsea, Alicia and Jasmine kept a tight defence, picking up many loose balls.

Mia and Rose drove down the court with speed and precision.

Sienna, Emma and Sophie combined well in goals to give Myponga a convincing win.

#### **Inter 4** Myponga 35 def Goolwa 25

Myponga had only six players, so thank you to one of our 13 Division 1s for filling in – and what a fill-in she was!

Down by one at quarter time, Myponga regrouped and came out winners.

Players adapted to different positions and coped well against a tough Goolwa attack line.

Both teams' defences did well in the blustery conditions.

Well done to both sides and thank you to the volunteers and umpires.

#### League

#### Myponga 39 def Goolwa 31

An incredibly windy day saw Myponga take on Goolwa in tough weather conditions.

With a flying first quarter, Myponga scored the first six goals, with Sarah Raper and Abby Stock fighting well against the wind and making use of the midcourters on the circle edge.

Goolwa fought back hard during the middle quarters, reducing the deficit to just two at three-quarter time.

However, Myponga responded well, with Jordan Hooper, Mel Hedger and Georgia Bates rotating through the defensive circle, fighting for rebounds and getting crucial touches to move the ball into Myponga's scoring circle.

Keeping the ball steady in the final quarter, Kristen Rothwell, Jade Deacon and Ella Anderson did well to deliver to the goalies and maintain possession through the centre.

In a low-scoring game due to the conditions, Myponga held strong to secure an eight-goal win.

#### Senior 2

#### Myponga 42 def by Goolwa 48

Both teams put up a great contest in extremely windy conditions, making for a tough day on court.

The match saw plenty of hustle from both sides, with Myponga staying in the fight until the end.

Rachelle Rothwell was a standout in centre, taking some impressive intercepts and helping to pressure Goolwa's attack.

At three-quarter time, Myponga trailed by 13 goals but fought hard in the final quarter to close the gap, eventually going down by six.

A great effort from the whole team, who showed plenty of determination across the court.

#### Senior 3 Bye

#### **Senior 4** Myponga 32 def by Goolwa 51

Despite a strong start and solid defensive pressure, Goolwa capitalised on key turnovers and gradually extended their lead

Tarnia, Nicole and Merridie worked hard in the circle, applying strong defensive pressure on Goolwa's shooters.

Myponga delivered some wellstructured plays and moments of brilliance, but Goolwa's consistency and ability to convert Myponga's errors proved decisive.

#### **Senior 5** Myponga 15 def by Goolwa 29

#### Myponga had a challenging day against Goolwa in difficult scoring

conditions due to strong winds. Both teams applied constant defensive pressure down the court.

Myponga fought it out but could not bridge the gap, going down by 14.

#### **Senior 6** Myponga 21 def by Goolwa 51

Thank you to our Senior 7s – Deb, Rikki, Helen, Paula and Lucy – for stepping in, and to Rick for coaching.

Both teams played well, showing great long-range shooting and strong defensive pressure.

However, Goolwa's defence and attack ultimately proved too strong for Myponga.

#### **Senior 7** Myponga 21 def by Goolwa 45

Despite a determined effort, Myponga Senior 7s fell to a well-drilled Goolwa side.

From the outset, Myponga battled hard against Goolwa's relentless defence.

The midcourt worked tirelessly to create openings, with strategic ball movement and strong drives.

Myponga's shooters remained composed in the windy conditions, capitalising when they could.

The defensive unit disrupted Goolwa's rhythm and forced turnovers, ensuring the scoreline did not reflect their effort.

Although the margin widened late, Myponga never gave up.

It was a performance built on heart and perseverance, and while Goolwa claimed the win, Myponga's fighting spirit was undeniable.

**GSNA Premiership Table Results for Round 7** 

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### Myponga Netball Club

# **Argus Netball**





Goolwa vs Myponga League

Photos: Grant Petras

#### 9&U Gold

We were back on our home courts this week

We had a wonderful crowd to show the talents of these enthusiastic young netballers to.

The sun was shining through and was a welcome change from the previous week.

Thanks for a great game, Victor Harbor

#### 11&U (1)

#### Strathalbyn 4 def by Victor Harbor 23

Despite a strong effort and determination throughout the game, the girls fell short against a well-drilled and disciplined opposition.

From the first whistle, it was clear the opposing team had come prepared executing set plays with precision and maintaining relentless pressure in both attack and defence.

Our team showed resilience and moments of great teamwork but struggled to match the consistency and structure of their opponents.

While the result was not in our favour, it was a valuable learning experience and the girls remain motivated to improve and bounce back in the next match.

#### 11&U (2)

#### Strathalbyn 10 def Victor Harbor 5

Both teams started strongly with the ball moving back and forth for the first few minutes. Strathalbyn were first to find their

groove and good connections through the court saw them leading by seven at the main break

Victor rallied in the second half, adding another four goals to their tally. Well done to everyone.

#### 11&U (3) Strathalbyn 18 def Victor Harbor 1

Slick and speedy movement and strong hands over the ball saw Strathalbyn jump to a nine-goal lead at half-time

Credit to Victor, who fought hard but found it difficult to get the ball to their goalies

The score did not reflect passages of play that were strong for Victor - a gallant effort under strong defensive pressure. Well done to both teams.

### **Strathalbyn Netball Club**

13&U (1)

Strathalbyn 24 def by Victor Harbor 37

a tough game and we needed to put in

our best effort, but some unplanned late

arrivals meant an unsettled start.

lift and to bring their heads up.

by three at the main break.

going into the last quarter.

a bit rattled

winners.

helped.

Strathalbyn knew it was going to be

Victor started well and our girls looked

At the first break Strathalbyn were

The second quarter saw the girls

Lots of encouragement and a few

The Strathalbyn girls were asked to

down, but we asked the girls for a big

applying lots of pressure and they

clawed their way back to be only down

necessary changes saw Victor capitalise

and push ahead to hold a handy lead

run it out and keep their heads up and

they managed to create a more even

contest in the final term, but Victor

were too good, running out comfortable

13&U (2)

Strathalbyn 29 def Victor Harbor 19

Strathalbyn girls came out strong from

passing got Strathalbyn the lead early.

the first centre pass

and feeling confident.

of the game.

Cottle for filling in.

With a tough match-up expected, the

Accurate shooting and some great

By half-time they were 10 goals up

Victor lifted in the second half, but

Thank you to Zoe Martin and Estelle

Our game day voucher winner was

Chloe Potroz, who worked tirelessly for

all four quarters in centre with strong

13&U (3)

Strathalbyn 12 def Victor Harbor 7

coming back from four down in the first

Inter 1

Strathalbyn 55 def Victor Harbor 28

A hard-fought win by Strathalbyn,

All the girls played hard until the end.

leads - a true asset to the team.

quarter to take the win!

Strathalbyn were able to maintain their

lead as play remained even for the rest

Thanks to the Division 2 girls who

First game with a full team for Strathalbyn and it showed! Well-executed defence and strong conversion in attack.

A great team game with everyone executing their role.

#### Inter 2

#### Strathalbyn 45 def Victor Harbor 22 Another great game played this week,

with the girls able to get the win over a very skilled Victor Harbor team.

Á great first half saw Strathalbyn with an 11-goal lead.

This was extended in the third quarter, which saw an 11–3 run

The girls finished off well in the last - a good end to a great game.

#### Inter 3

#### Strathalbyn 24 def by Victor Harbor 33 Victor Harbor started the game strong

with a five-goal lead. Strathalbyn turned the tables in the second quarter with strong work in the

goal circle from Lauren Bley Strathalbyn's defence held firm, with strong pressure from Addyson Bertholini and fill-in Kayla Knight allowing the shooters to outscore Victor.

In the end, Victor's goalie was too strong, with Victor taking out a nine-goal win.

#### Inter 4

#### Strathalbyn 33 def Victor Harbor 24

It was a tough game for Strathalbyn, battling both a determined opposition and challenging windy conditions.

The team took a while to settle, only finding their rhythm in the final quarter. Catherine was a key player in attack,

delivering an exceptional performance with 100% shooting accuracy in the second and third quarters - a major boost in tight moments.

Strathalbyn's persistence paid off in the final term, where everything clicked. Strong defence, confident passing, and composed shooting saw the team

dominate the last quarter, securing a 13-goal turnaround and a solid win. A gritty and rewarding game - well

done, Strathalbyn!

#### League

Strathalbyn 37 def by Victor Harbor 42 A game of two halves.

Strathalbyn got the early lead through safe and direct play, going into the main break five goals up. Victor would not go away, and

unfortunately Strathalbyn lost some key possessions, allowing Victor to take the lead and run out five-goal winners.

#### Senior 2 Strathalbyn 48 def Victor Harbor 42

A huge turnaround from last week! Strathalbyn were able to play consistently for all four quarters, capitalising on intercepts and playing smart through the attacking end.

#### Senior 3

#### Strathalbyn 29 def by Victor Harbor 56

Tash Joy provided good leadership from GA and worked well with Olivia at GS to get six goals on the board at the break

Victor's fast style of play got them off to a strong start, doubling Strathalbyn's quarter-time score.

Strathalbyn struggled to slow Victor's transitions through the midcourt and break their defensive zone, with Victor pulling away in the second quarter with 12 unanswered goals.

Changes in the third helped alter the rhythm of the game.

Strong defensive pressure from Leanne Maxwell (GK) and Jade Taylor (GD) led to a more competitive quarter.

Midcourters Mia Hutchins and Bridget Eyers ran hard and kept contesting, restricting Victor to just five more goals for the term.

### Senior 4

Strathalbyn 38 def by Victor Harbor 40 Strathalbyn faced a challenging

encounter with a depleted squad and players returning from injury.

The team was also up against the wind in the first half, which made scoring difficult

Victor capitalised and built a strong lead.

The opposition continued with accurate play in each quarter, while

Strathalbyn worked to find their rhythm. In the final quarter, Strathalbyn mounted a strong comeback, cutting a double-digit margin down to just two goals.

Time ran out on what could have been a remarkable comeback.

A few key errors proved costly, but

there were many positives to build on. With improvements in accuracy and discipline, Strathalbyn will be better prepared for the next challenge.

#### Senior 5

#### Strathalbyn 51 def Victor Harbor 32

Strathalbyn's Senior 5 side continued their proud tradition of being consistently inconsistent, with another week of lastminute changes.

Huge thanks to Chelsea and Ella for stepping up once again.

Victor stayed with Strathalbyn for three quarters.

Strathalbyn's defence was airtight, with Emily and Sara claiming every rebound.

The game began with a bang, thanks to our mysterious GS, who racked up double digits in the first quarter

In a moment of coaching brilliance (or mischief), Emily was moved from defence into goals, proving effective at both ends.

Kym was shuffled between WA and WD for good measure.

Final word: the wind was wild. Victor were experienced, but Strathalbyn were superior.

#### Senior 6

#### Strathalbyn 24 def by Victor Harbor 32 Victor came out strong with tough

defensive pressure. Combined with shocking wind

causing dust storms across the court, Strathalbyn were overwhelmed early.

Despite moments of power through the second and third quarters, the effort was not enough and Strathalbyn lost by eight goals.

#### Senior 7

#### Strathalbyn 32 def by Victor Harbor 48

It was a tightly contested game with both teams showing determination and skill from the first whistle.

Victor gained an early lead, but Strathalbyn's resilience began to shine. Strathalbyn's defence worked

tirelessly, with multiple intercepts shifting the momentum. Matilda was a standout in the backline.

Up front, Tiana and Kate kept the scoreboard ticking over.

Heading into the final quarter, the game remained close.

However, Victor managed a late surge to pull ahead and secure the win.

	Results for Round 7 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
Goolwa v Myponga	31-39	48-42	-	51-32	29-15	51-21	45-21	36-41	30-38	-	25-35	38-4	-	9-18	-	9-9	-
Strathalbyn v Victor Harbor	37-42	48-42	29-56	38-40	51-32	24-32	32-48	55-28	45-22	24-33	33-24	24-37	29-19	12-7	4-23	10-5	18-1
Willunga v Mt Compass	39-40	-	40-51	53-43	57-29	48-37	30-36	75-25	-	50-27	26-19	13-9	28-4	-	20-5	15-1	2-15
Yankalilla v McLaren Vale	61-33	45-33	37-25	30-28	29-33	42-37	20-46	46-28	25-47	8-51	46-29	13-30	-	21-6	-	-	5-2
Encounter Bay v Langhorne Creek	46-56	40-47	36-46	-	43-34	60-29	31-42	23-73	-	-	42-17	-	32-17	13-18	29-4	-	17-3



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# **Argus Netball**









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# **Argus Sport**

# **Podium finish for Diggins**

#### **By Deirdre Graham**

Strathalbyn pickleballer Grant Diggins finished on the podium in two events at the SA Pickleball Championships over the weekend

Diggins took home a silver medal in the 60 and above 3.5 ability level singles after being beaten by Queenslander Paul Breen, and a bronze medal with Catherine Griffen in the 60 and above 4.0 ability level mixed doubles.

Meanwhile, he and Kevin Stone lost their 50 plus doubles category bronze medal in three sets

Diggins was particularly pleased with the mixed doubles result with Griffen.

"The competition was really strong, so we were happy to get a medal in the mixed," he said.

"We beat the pair that got through to the gold medal match in the rounds, but we lost to them to get to the gold medal match, so that was probably the one match we didn't play real well in.

"But we won the bronze medal match in two sets, so that was good, and they were a strong pair as well, so

I'm really happy.

"We went up a grade to 4.0 and above which is pretty strong pickleball, previously playing 3.5 and above."

The championships, played over three days at the Lights Community and Sports Centre from May 23 to 25, attracted 288 participants from across Australia.

"There were quite a lot of interstate players come down for it, and the level we were playing at were for Australian rankings points, so sort of the top level underneath the Opens," Diggins said.

"The Opens are for the people who are the champion pickleballers and then underneath that is the rankings in age groups, and we were playing in the 60 plus age group.

"It was by far the biggest SA Championships that we have had.

"I think it was pretty much double what they normally get.' member of, sent a large contingent, with much success.

Diggins was away in the Kimberley region in the lead up to the weekend event and was only able to have a couple

of hits before the tournament.

He said the large numbers on the weekend was proof of how popular pickleball has become in Australia.

"I think it is a sport that anyone can play really, and because you compete in your own age group and ability level, it is great for that, so lots of people who might not think they are great at pickleball, can still play in competitions if they want to," he said.

"There are grades from 2.0 up to 5.0, so there's a big range of opportunity for people to be able to play.

"I used to play A Grade tennis, and then I went to golf and played golf for about 20 years, but when we moved down here, I found pickleball and it is a great game.

"You do move a lot and it is great for that, but it is not as hard on your body.

"It is more low impact, not serving The Southern Sharks, who Diggins is a overarm like tennis, so people who have got dodgy knees or shoulders can still compete.'

> Pickleball is played on Monday nights at the Tyndale Christian School gym from 7pm to 9pm



won a bronze medal at the weekend SA Pickleball Championships. Diggins also took home silver in his singles category.









#### Strathalbyn Angas Go Kart Club

Photos: Bill Stevens

# Argus Sport

## Hollywood swings into stardom at Strathalbyn

Many characters from the Hollywood world deciding the best dressed pair and single players. were seen playing golf at Strathalbyn on Friday May 23, from Supergirl to Puss in Boots, Morticia and Wendy, to Aladdin and Marilyn Monroe.

It was Strathalbyn's Gala Day, with 64 ladies from 12 clubs playing a Pinehurst competition. For the first time in three years, the ladies had

perfect weather to play their round.

The chatter after the round included the fact that the course was in great condition considering the season.

However, some found the greens very tricky, with the slopes and turns sending the ball scooting past the hole and setting up another difficult putt.

Debbie Decelis and Wendy O'Connor from North Adelaide won the day with a gross score of 89.

They won by two from Jenny Carter and Ingrid Svilans from Thaxted Park, who scored 91.

The nett winners were Jennifer Edwards from Thaxted Park and Gayle Parsons from Links Lady Bay with 71.12, with runners up from Thaxted Park, Sally Jeremic and Tracy Coath, finishing with 71.5 nett.

NTP on the 17th hole for the A Grade players was won by Di Krutli from Strathalbyn, while the B Grade NTP on the ninth hole was won by Jennifer Edwards from Thaxted Park.

The longest drive on the third/12th hole for A Grade was won by Ingrid Svilans from Thaxted Park, with Jennifer Edwards from Thaxted Park winning the B Grade section.

On the second hole, a fun shot included being closest to the star in the middle of the fairway.

That prize went to Tracy Coath from Thaxted Park

The ladies from Thaxted Park certainly had a day out at Strathalbyn, collecting many prizes in the Pinehurst competition.

The winners of the pair section were 'Ma and Pa Kettle' (Susette Kreutzer and Mary Parkyn) from Oakbank, while Elayne Sanders, also from Oakbank, took out the individual best dressed as an Avenger.

Thank you to all the ladies who helped in the kitchen for producing a delicious and scrumptious morning tea, soup and lunch.

The ladies enjoyed a delicious meal of chicken, beef or vegetable pies with salad, and apple crumble with cream and ice-cream.

Well done to the trading table helpers as most of the produce was sold.

Congratulations to the raffle organisers - the ladies who won went home with a very nice prize.

Thank you to all who contributed to them, with the Strathalbyn ladies sourcing donations from

local businesses. The Port Hole once again proved a great

success

Thank you to all the men who contributed to the fun, especially for the music, retrieving balls from the creek, and giving golfing guidance to the ladies at the hole.

Well done to everyone who worked both inside and outside the clubhouse to make the day as special as it was.

Let's see what can happen next year.

Meanwhile, on Wednesday May 21, 14 ladies played a Stableford competition with Mandi Vardon having a win with 37 points.

She was followed by Kerrie Edwards on 35 and Carol Pelle on 33.

Next came Penny Geue on 30, with Jo Cullen and Marie Kingsbury both scoring 29 points.

Sue Pryor finished with 28, while Ann Semple and Sue Phillips shared 27 points.

Di Krutli and Pauline Walkom both scored 25, Gill Keane finished on 23, and Helen Lyon and Jo Then the difficult part of the day occurred - Pickhaver brought home the field with 22 points.



A story from the day started with Sue Pryor and Jo Cullen deciding to hit off tee block eight, both whinging about their aches and pains and how many painkillers they had taken before the game.

Both had reasonable drives, with Sue's second shot landing 25 metres short of the hole.

She casually hit the next shot to the green and was gobsmacked to see it rattle into the hole, giving her a birdie/gobbler and five Stableford points for the hole.

Sue then drove the ninth, a par three, and

landed at the back of the green.

She proceeded to putt out to score another three Stableford points.

What a cracking start to the day.

NTP winner with her second shot on the 17th hole was Gill Keane.

Gill hit a wonderful drive that landed on the green within two metres of the hole.

As mentioned previously, Sue scored a birdie/ gobbler on the eightth and Mandi had a birdie on the fourth



Best Dressed Individual winner - one of the Avengers - Elayne Sanders (Oakbank) with Margaret Dewhurst Strathalbyn Patroness.



Winners of Best Dressed Pair - Ma and Pa Kettle - Susette Kreutzer and Mary Parkyn from Oakbank.



Nett winners Gayle Parsons (Links Lady Bay) and Jennifer Edwards (Thaxted Park) with Margaret Dewhurst.

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# Argus Sport

### **Ashbourne and Macclesfield Black dominate the tables**

Round Three has seen Macclesfield Black and Ashbourne surge to the lead of the Hills Central Table Tennis Competition, with both remaining undefeated.

Playing away, Ashbourne came up trumps against Currency Creek, winning seven (23) to five (21).

The clincher for Ashbourne was young Barnaby Bruer's emphatic win in the reverse singles

Playing at Number Four against Currency Creek's Kym Trebilcock, Barnaby dominated with his shock-and-awe tactics, leaving Trebilcock to lick his wounds

Trebilcock usually plays Number One but played at Number Three for Currency Creek especially for the tie against Ashbourne, to make way for another top-seeded player.

In the other close match, the Wanderers fell short again, this time going down by four games to lose five (18) to seven (22) against Macclesfield Black, despite Sue

Gunter playing her heart out to win both of her singles, as well as her reverse doubles. notching up three of the five Wanderers' rubbers

The final match of the round had Meadows pitted against a formidable Macclesfield Red team, which took advantage of the continuing absence of Meadows' key players to come away victorious with a 10 (31) to two (13) win.

Round Four next Wednesday, May 28, has Ashbourne up against Macclesfield Red at Meadows, while in another double-header at Macclesfield, Currency Creek will be attempting to halt Macclesfield Black's guest to dominate the tables and the Wanderers will be seeking to regain some pride against Meadows

Details of the programme can be obtained from the HCTTA Facebook site or by contacting the Association Secretary by email at (hcttaexec@gmail.com).

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Ranking May 21:		
Pos Pair Players	Score	%
1 4 Val Hay / Beryl Liebelt	167.78	69.91%
2 11 John Elliott / Pat Elliott	152.22	63.43%
3 5 Craige Mader / Garry Skuse	139.00	
4 1 Sandra Baker / Colin Elix	134.44	
5 9 Sue Caddy / Helen Conolly	132.22	
6 7 Mary Rowley / Glenys Chapman	122.22	
7 3 Graham Phillips / Bruce Pascoe	105.56	
8 2 Tom Hughes / Lizzie Hughes .	103.33	
9 10 Mike Robertson / Malcolm Twartz	92.22	
10 8 Raelene Lines / Graeme Crase	90.00	
11 6 Erica Schmidt / Myriam Keoghan	78.89	

#### **McLaren Vale Golf Club**

#### Saturday, May 24, 2025 Mens Par Barry Richardson -3.

#### **Preliminary competition results**

Field size, 34; Members, 33; Visitors, 1; GA, Blue, Men (Par 66). Mens Division One 0-18

Winner: Trevor Jones 1; Runnerup: Lance Kotz -1; 3rd Place: Rhys Blackwell -4; 4th Place: Rory Kappler -4; 5th Place: Andrew Jarvis -4; 6th Place: Wade Goldsmith -4.

#### Mens Division Two 19-36

Winner: Tim Lavery 1; Runner-up: Bob Crossman -2; 3rd Place: Ian Fox -2: 4th Place: Dennis Knowles -2; 5th Place: John Burger -3; 6th Place:

shooters this weekend as Murray Bridge Rifle Club shot the 28th round of its championship from 600 metres. Strong winds blew downrange and

swirled sand into eyes and equipment. Andrew Heard and Greg Traeger shot the best rounds of the day, scoring 48 in their first and second rounds respectively in TR.

Andrew won the day, however, finishing with 94.05 to Greg's 93.03. Andrew also pipped Greg in the

handicap, making it another successful day at the range.

in F-Class was The best score

Mens Overall

Winner: Trevor Jones 1; Runnerup: Tim Lavery 1; 3rd Place: Lance Kotz -1; 4th Place: Bob Crossman -2; 5th Place: Ian Fox -2; 6th Place: Dennis Knowles -2.

#### Nearest the Pin

Mens 3rd/12th: Robert Lloyd; Mens 6th/15th: William Rosser; Mens 8th/17th: Tim Lavery; NAGA: Robert Mevers.

#### **Birdies Par 3**

Lance Kotz; Leonard Seebohm; Rhys Blackwell; Graham Dellow; Robert Lloyd.

#### Murray Bridge Rifle Club

Difficult conditions challenged 53 from Frank Marshall in the second round, to finish on 99.00.

However, Peter Casley found the centre ring two more times to edge out Frank with a 99.02

Peter also won the F-Class handicap award.

There were several birds shot on the day, but the "Magpie" honours went to Robert Paech in TR with three, and Gordon Harrison in F-Class with two.

Shooters are hoping for much fairer weather at 700 metres next week when the Club hosts the Bruce Moulds Momorial Match

## Strathalbyn Golf **Ben McLeod blows them** away in Par round

#### **By Perry Jones**

It was certainly not the best conditions for golf on the Strathalbyn course on Saturday, May 24, but Ben McLeod mastered the strong winds and rubbish and dust blowing everywhere to win the Par competition with +3.

Ben, with his super effort, was accused of setting the course up for his game the day before when, working for FPAG, he was given the job of spreading fertiliser over the course.

He knew where all the lumps of fertiliser had spilled onto the greens, scoring +1 on the front nine and +2 on the back.

Another bonus for Ben was that the day was being played from the normal red ladies' tees.

He had 76 off the stick, with 39 on the front nine and 37 on the back.

The wind was not too bad in the early morning hours when he, Henry Kelly and Ben Clark - both finishing with -2 - were first to tee off for the day, but it certainly picked up for their back nine.

Ben had four chances to pick up an eagle on the day but missed all of them, finishing with three birdies and plenty of pars.

He and Henry, from the red tees on the fourth, drove the 260 metre distance to both land on the green thanks to the wind assistance, but both had to settle for birdies.

On the par five seventh, after a long drive, Ben was staring at an albatross when his second shot hit the pin.

However, after all that excitement, he went on to have three putts and a par

Captain Graeme Bertholini finished in second place after a countback from Des Kelly at +2.

The wind was so strong when Graeme reached the par three over the creek on the sixth that he took out his driver for his tee shot.

He then managed to hit the ball just over the creek and watched it run all the way up to the green and over the back to finish with a four, saying he intended to keep the ball low.

Des Kelly, also with +2, says he is not keen on hitting off from the red tees, but again excelled from those distances.

It was mentioned that perhaps he should be wearing a skirt.

Des reckons he should have won the day but for his efforts on the ninth and 18th holes, having had

added another two putts.

putt, backing up partner Geoff Hall's earlier comment after a missed fourhis good work through his putting.

Speaking of Geoff, he also wasted a noles, despite wiping the second.

Things deteriorated on the back nine as he only holed out four times finished on the side of the dam. on his way to -4.

land in trees to the right.

Thinking he could get through a gap, he warned Des and Nobby further up near the drain to keep an eye on his ball.

tree and the ball crashed into Nobby's time without touching it. buggy, at least stopping it from going into the drain.

Geoff picked up.

group, finished with -6, Nobby - who nearly rolled into the dam. looked weather-beaten in the end went from +1 on the front nine to -1 after 18, having played some good golf including a birdie and three pars in a row to start.

On the par five seventh, Nobby's tee his way two holes earlier. shot ended up just past the gobble bush but on the upslope of the dam wall.

Geoff and Des had good approach shots, but Nobby upstaged them with his second shot just off the green.

However, the wind upset his chip, which went only five feet, and he finished with a bogey six, as Des smiled, picking up a plus.

Des, contending with all the rubbish and fertiliser lying around, joked that he had a blower in his cart to clear a path for his ball - although his partners his shot go only two feet. wondered if that was legal.

Des no doubt needed it on the 16th, when after yet another good approach shot, he had a six-foot putt for birdie but settled for par.

Brenton Welk handled the were no winners. conditions well to finish at -1, but his partners were not too happy as he turned up late - and by then the conditions had deteriorated.

with Amanda Vardon finishing at -3, B.Welk, G.Noble -1, B.Clark, H.Kelly and Kym Nelson and Alan Haberfield both at -7.

last for the day, with -3 on the front K.Lester, B.Clements, T.Merritt and -8 on the back for -11, but was saved from last spot by Wayne Miels, G.Robson, K.Wittwer -6, N.Williams, who had -7 on the front and -5 on the L.Jackson, M.Beasley, K.Nelson, back for -12.

His third, a very soft shot, went On the last, he missed another birdie straight into the wire netting around some trees, and he picked up.

On the fifth, the wind affected his footer on the 12th that he was wasting tee shot, sending it way right among the trees.

He hit a provisional that went far good start with two birdies after three left onto the fourth fairway, but luckily found his first ball and carried on.

On the 16th, off the red tee, John

After his second shot went about On the 13th, Geoff saw his tee shot two metres, his third went over the back of the green.

While lining up his next shot, the wind blew his buggy in front of him.

Instead of pushing it behind him, he moved it to the side, only for the buggy He then managed to hit another to be blown over the ball again - this

Eventually, in frustration, John took a big swing to putt the ball onto the green, losing his grip in the process While Kim Wittwer, also in this and muttering a few words as the ball

> On the 18th, John's tee shot hit his buggy, which was parked near the seventeenth green

Partner Brian Simpson asked if that was payback for the buggy getting in

Speaking of Brian, his tee shots were excellent, missing only one fairway

However, he could not putt to save himself - he was on the green in two on the 13th and again on the 15th but had four putts both times, finishing at -4.

Kingsley Handke, playing with the above two, struck trouble on the seventh when his third shot ended up on the side of the dam.

Thinking he could chip out, he saw

Another attempt also failed, and he picked up.

The lucky cards for the putting jackpot went to Amanda Vardon, Kirk Richardson and Nobby, but there

#### Results Par (red tees) Saturday, Mav 24

B.McLeod +3, G.Bertholini, D.Kelly This threw them off their game, +2, D.Wright sq, P.Coombe, D.Keane, -2, G.Spencer, M.Condon, M.Clarke, P.Perrin, A.Vardon. K.Richardson -3, John Owen did his best to come G.Hall, B.Simpson -4, D.Holt, R.Pitt, -5, S.Walsh, D.Nettle, K.Shepley, A.Haberfield -7, C.Beasley, G.Ewins His partner Andrew Muller fared -8, W.Jones, G.Perryman -9, A.Muller



Frank Marshall and Gordon Harrison shoot in tough conditions while Rob Paech and Peter Casley score.

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the chance to add to his two birdies. On the ninth, he had a simple fourfoot putt for a birdie but missed, then



On the second, John had two good shots to be just below the green on 15th K.Lester, 17th P.Coombe. the path next door, taking a free drop.

-10, J.Owen -11, W.Miels -12. NTP 6th K.Nelson, 9th A.Haberfield, Nearest 2nd 10th D.Nettle.



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THURSDAY MAY 29	00 News Breakfast 9:00 ABC News 1:00 Stuff The British Stole (PG) 10:30 1:00 Weekly With Charlie Pickering 11:00 1:00 The One That Got Away (M I) 2:00 1:00 The One That Got Away (M I) 2:00 1:00 Externation Australia (PG) 3:00 Claire 1:00 Charles 3:30 Love 1:00 Charles 3:30 Love 1:00 Charles 3:30 Love 1:00 Charles 3:30 Love 1:00 A Bite To Eat With Alice 5:30 1:00 A Bite To Eat With Alice 5:30 1:00 Charles 7:00 ABC News 7:30 1:00 (PG) 8:00 Grand Designs (M I) 8:50 1:01 Clares - Islands Of The Atlantic G) 9:35 The Kimberley (PG) 10:25 ABC 1:00 the News 10:40 The Business 11:00 1:00 Ve Your Garden 11:45 Long Lost 1:01 (PG) 12:35 rage (MA15+) 1:25 1:01 Ve Vour Carden 11:45 Long Lost 1:01 Ve Vour Carden 11:45 Ve Vour Ca	6:00 Children's Programs 8:45 GG: Spawn Squad 9:00 Yarrabil Bula: First Nations Songs 9:35 Know It Alls 10:10 Bushrangers 10:25 BTN 11:00 Car S.O.S (PG) 11:45 Not Going Out (PG) 12:15 Heartbreak High (PG) 1:45 ER (PG) 2:30 Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M I) 2:50 Doctor Who (PG) 3:40 A Bite To Eat With Alice 4:05 QI (PG) 4:40 MythBusters (PG) 5:30 George Clarke's Old House New Home 6:15 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent 7:05 Hard Quiz (PG) 7:35 QI (PG) 8:05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 9:05 The Weekly With Charlie Pickering (PG) 9:35 Gruen 10:15 Planet America 11:50 ER (PG) 12:35 rage (PG) 1:40 IMovie: "Paul Kelly: Stories Of Me" (MA15+) ('12) Stars: Paul Kelly	6:00 Sunrise 9:00 The Morning Show (PG) 12:00 Seven Noon News 1:00 Movie: "Abduction Runs In The Family" (AKA 'A Mother's Terror') (PG) ('21) Stars: Jessica Morris 3:00 The Chase UK (PG) 4:00 Seven News At 4 5:00 The Chase Australia (PG) 6:00 Seven News 7:00 AFL: Round 12: Brisbane v Essendon "Live" From The Gabba 10:00 AFL: Post Game 10:30 Kick Ons 11:00 Farmer Wants A Wife (PG) 12:20 Raines (M h,v) 1:30 Travel Oz (PG) 2:00 Home Shopping 4:00 NBC Today	NINE New's Morning 12:00 Movie: "Trapped In The Farmhouse" (M v) ('23) Stars: Jenna Michno 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 Aftair (PG) 7:30 RBT (M I) 8:30 Emergency (M) 9:30 A&E - Crash Scene Emergency (M) 10:30 NINE News Late 11:00 Panic 9-1-1 (MA15+) 11:50 Tipping Point (PG) 12:40 Pointless (PG) 1:30 Home Shopping 4:00 Religious Programs 4:30 A Current Affair (PG)	6:30 The Project (PG) 7:30 Taskmaster Australia (M.,s) 8:40 Law & Order: SVU (MA15+) 9:40 The Cheap Seats (M I) 10:40 10's Late News 11:05 The Project (PG) 12:05 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (PG) 1:00 Home Shopping	5:00 Worldwatch 7:00 Cycling: Giro d'Italia Highlights 8:00 Worldwatch 9:55 First Australians (PG) 10:50 The Australian Wars (M v) 12:00 Worldwatch 2:00 Milpirri - Winds Of Change (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: Giro d'Italia Highlights 6:00 Mastermind Australia (PG) 6:30 SBS World News 7:30 Our Medicine (PG) 8:40 Killing Sherlock With Lucy Worsley (PG) 9:40 Sherlock & Daughter (M v) 10:35 SBS World News Late 11:05 Carmen Curlers (MA15+) (In Danish) 1:20 Pagan Peak (MA15+) (In German) 3:05 Along Ireland's Shores (PG) 4:05 J Schwanke's Life In Bloom 4:35 Bamay
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Classifications: (G) General, (PG) Parental Guidance, (M) Mature Audiences, (MA15+) Mature Audience Over 15 Years Consumer Advice: (d) drug references, (s) sexual references or sex scenes (h) horror, (l) language, (mp) medical procedures, (n) nudity, (v) violence

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#### KURLTA KAUWANGGA (MOUNT TERRIBLE) -CULTURAL MAPPING PROJECT

The Attorney-General's Department, Aboriginal Affairs and Reconciliation (AAR) is undertaking a cultural mapping project to better understand Aboriginal heritage and cultural values associated with Kurlta Kauwangga (Mount Terrible) and surrounds.

AAR is seeking to speak to and work with Aboriginal people who have traditional, historical and/or heritage interests in the study area.

For more information, or to get involved in this project, please visit www.agd.sa.gov.au/cultural-mapping or call (08) 7424 6674.

**PROPOSAL TO INSTALL TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITY ON AN EXISTING MOBILE PHONE BASE STATION AT KANGARILLA** 1. Vodafone (part of the TPG Telecom Group) is proposing to install

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telecommunications equipment on an existing mobile phone base station at Grimwood Hill, Saddlebags Road, Kangarilla SA 5157 (540325 Clarendon).

2. The proposed installation will consist of:
Installation of three (3) new 4G antennas

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  Installation of three (3) new 5G antennas
- Installation of a 3-bay outdoor unit
- Installation of new ancillary equipment
- In accordance with Section 7 of the Industry Code C564:2025 Mobile Phone Base Station Deployment, we invite you to make comments about the proposal.

 Please direct comments to Shreya Rekhapalli at Indara, 02 9495 9000, community@indara.com

or Level 1, 110 Pacific Highway, St Leonards NSW 2065

by Monday 16 June 2025. For more information

about the proposal, scan the QR Code or visit www.rfnsa.com.au/5157004/consultation

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#### ALEXANDRINA COUNCIL Community Consultations

Council seeks community feedback on the following two (2) consultations. Please direct all written submissions via **mysay.alexandrina.sa.gov.au**, email **alex@alexandrina.sa.gov.au** or by post to the Chief Executive Officer, PO Box 21, Goolwa SA 5214. For further information, please call Council's Manager Property and Procurement Services on 8555 7000.

#### The Natural Burial Ground Trust of Australia Draft Lease

Council seeks community feedback on a proposal to enter into a 42-year lease with the Natural Burial Ground Trust of Australia for the purpose of establishing a not-for-profit natural burial ground within the unused portion of the Goolwa Cemetery.

Submissions will be accepted by Council until 5 pm, 20 June 2025.

#### Strath Neighbourhood Centre Draft Lease

Council seeks community feedback on a proposal to enter into a 10-year lease with the Strath Neighbourhood Centre Incorporated for ongoing occupancy of 6 and Lot 5 Parker Avenue Strathalbyn, in order to deliver wellbeing support services to Strathalbyn and the wider community.

Submissions will be accepted by Council until 5 pm, 20 June 2025.

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