

Celebration of Peter Riseley's Contribution to Robe

The Mayor and Councillors are pleased to invite all community members to a morning tea to recognise Peter's significant contribution to the District Council of Robe community over the past 13 years and in particular, his eight years as Mayor.

Peter has asked that this event not be an impost on Council and therefore he has asked Council that the morning tea be provided on the basis of a gold coin donation. This is reflective of his character.

The details of the morning tea are:

Date: 8 October 2019
Time: 10.30am
Location: The Robe Institute

For catering purposes and any dietary requirements can you please let Nat know if you are attending on nat@robe.sa.gov.au or (08) 8768 2003.

Mayor's Report

At the risk of sounding repetitive, it has been another hectic month for the Elected Members! Details as follows:

- The LGA Tourism and Council meeting in Adelaide was really worth the early start to get there. We have had some debate in the past as to whether tourism is actually part of Councils role, given we don't readily align ourselves with other industries in the area. What became very clear was that Council has a definite role in ANY economic driver in the local area and for us, this means a strong focus on tourism is appropriate.
- The CEO and I met with Mark Bolton of Telstra recently to further discuss the positioning of the Telstra tower. Unfortunately, we have not had any success in having it relocated as the development approval had already been granted some time ago. This meant that any change of location would mean they would have to go through the whole development process again (with associated costs) which Telstra were not happy to do, and in reality, had no obligation to do.
- The CEO and I attended the Limestone Coast Local Government Association Strategic Planning Workshop at Penola on 6 September. The group of CEO's and Mayor's from the region worked through some priorities to use as a framework for the future. This is a work in progress and there will be further workshops on this later. The LCLGA is all about building the economic and community strength of the region which in turn, provides the same benefits for all of the Council areas in the SE.
- We hosted the Robe Primary School students from years 4/5/6/7 at Council on Monday 9 September. They were well informed, asked intelligent questions and there were definitely some future Mayors and Councillors in the group. And based on some of the discussions, possibly a couple of lawyers too!
- I attended the Domestic Violence session held by the Kingston and Robe Mental Health Support Group on Tuesday 10 September. 1 in 3 women suffer some form of domestic violence – what an awful and frightening statistic. More on this to follow.
- After recent discussions with our local Ambulance Coordinator, it is plainly obvious that more volunteers are needed urgently. We are down to 8 volunteers which means that the pressure is on to consistently fill the 24 hour roster. We desperately don't want to burn our volunteers out so if you think you may be interested, please contact Michelle Everett ASAP on 0407 818 600.
- We are on the lookout for a young local person to participate in the Limestone Coast Local Government Association Leadership Course. Andrew Brown is a recent graduate and based on his feedback, it is a terrific course for aspiring community leaders. Details available from me if you're keen.
- The sand replenishment on Hooper's and Fox beaches is holding up but the drift fencing is suffering damage constantly. Part of this process was to plant out the dunes to help stabilise them. This hasn't been done as there is no stock available in the short term and it's better to do it at the start of winter. This will be done in May/June 2020.
- Trish at the Post Office is collecting expressions of interest for a Junior & Senior Deb Ball. Please contact Trish on 0417 819 596 for more information.

CEO's Report

150 Year Anniversary of Council

Council is excited to announce that it having it's 150th birthday in October. The District Council of Robe was proclaimed on 28 October 1869. Council is an arm of community, so this birthday is really a community birthday.

To bring the community together there will be two key events to celebrate this milestone:

- Sunday 20 October – a community photo on the foreshore with as many residents as we can get. We have specifically planned it for a Sunday to allow our non-residential ratepayers to be part of this historic photo. The photo will be taken by drone at 10.30am.
- Unveiling of a plaque to recognise the community birthday on 28 October at Royal Circus. This event will also be held at 10.30am

Please put this event in your diary!

Supplementary Election – Candidate Briefing

A supplementary election is being held to fill the vacancy created by Cr Riseley. In support of the people interested in the position, a candidate briefing session will be held in the Chamber on Tuesday 1 October between 6pm and 7.30pm.

This briefing will cover the following topics:

- the election timetable
- who is eligible to be a candidate
- nomination procedures
- candidate profile and photograph requirements
- close of nominations procedures
- the publication of electoral material
- illegal practices and complaint procedure
- the mail-out and return of voting material
- the appointment of scrutineers
- arrangements for the scrutiny and count
- the vote counting system
- concluding the election
- campaign donations returns

Key dates remaining for the supplementary election are:

- Thursday 26 September – Nominations open for candidates
- Tuesday 1 October – Potential candidates briefing at Council Offices
- Thursday 10 October at noon – Nominations close
- Monday 11 November at noon - Postal voting closes

Please contact Nat at the Council office if you have any queries.

Beer Fest – Saturday 26 October

The Robe Beer Fest is moving ahead and we are gearing up for a busy last weekend of October! Ten different breweries will be attending this year, as well as local wineries, food trucks, live music and the annual homebrew competition. The main event will be on Saturday 26 October on the Robe foreshore, but look out for other fringe events throughout the weekend.

A massive thank you to all the volunteers and local businesses supporting the festival, which has proven to turn a sleepy shoulder-season weekend into a busy one. The Festival still needs more volunteers to help out with setting up the site, managing various responsibilities on the day, followed by pack-down and clean up. If you can spare an hour of your time during the weekend, please sign up for a shift with Trish at the Robe Post Office or contact the Beer Fest team at info@robebeerfest.com.au.

For Your Calendar

Southern Ocean Arts Prize opening night - Friday 1 November 2019

Robe Night Market – Friday 22 November 2019 (If you would like to host a stall at the Night Market, please get in touch with Lisa Hall - hello@robe.com.au)

Great Victorian Bike Ride to commence their ride from Robe to Millicent – Saturday 23 November 2019

Robe Boat, Fishing & Leisure Show – 17 and 18 January 2020

Health Harmony & Happiness Festival – 17 and 18 January 2020

Robe Tourism Association

Council would like to congratulate Brad Scott on his election as Chair of the Robe Tourism Association (RTA) at their Annual General Meeting on the 9 September. I would like to share Council's appreciation for all the work that outgoing Chair, Adam Brooks has undertaken in supporting the tourism industry and events within our community for the past two years.

The RTA thanks its members for their support and contribution to Robe's tourism throughout 2018/2019. The new membership year will start in October and if businesses are interested in being part of the RTA and advertising on the www.robe.com.au website please get in touch with Lisa Hall at hello@robe.com.au for membership details.

Optus Tower - Community Land Management Plan Change

Although it is recognised that first class telecommunications are essential, our community were very concerned with the placement of an Optus Tower at the end of Victoria Street and within the historical part of our town. Therefore, Council has been working with Optus to find appropriate alternative sites for the communication tower.

The preference is for the Tower be put located at the Sport Complex. This would mean that the monopole would replace one of the light towers at the northern end of the oval. The lights will still be able to be attached to the monopole and the Football Club would use the existing tower to provide better coverage of the oval.

The initial feedback from Football Club is that they would be supportive of this site. However, please note that we will need to commence a community consultation process to change the Community Land Management Plan for the Sports Complex. I will let you know via the usual channels when this process commences.

Infrastructure Update

Parks and Recreation

The floors of the public tank toilets have been painted throughout the town.

Park benches/ tables and the wooden rubbish bin units are being sanded and tied up.

The CWMS valve chamber connection points have been serviced, this allows Council to connect a diesel pump to most pump stations when we have power outages and breakdowns.

Rural Construction and Maintenance

Roads graded in the last month: were Bog Lane, Longbottom Lane, Boomeroo Park Road, Mt Bruce Road, Morphett Street, Douglas Dawson Track, Evans Cave Road, Fletchers Lane, Frog Island Road, Hermitage Road, Kangaroo Hill Road, Lings Road, Long Island Road, Murra up Road, Nora Creina Road, Nunga Mia Road, Parkers Road, Sandy Lane, Shamrock Road, Wildfield Road, Wrights Bay Road, Eliza Lane and Tonkin's Lane.

Nora Creina Golf Course

Council has received confirmation that the State Government has approved the golf course development at Nora Creina. As many of you will be aware that a development of this size and with state significance has the development approval done at a state level and not by your Council.

Council looks forward to working with the developers and in support of our collaborative approach, the Mayor and myself will be meeting with the developers on 1 November.

Heritage Conference

The National Trust of South Australia and Council partnered to hold a Heritage Tourism Conference at Robe. This free event brought together industry and community members to hear from heritage tourism professionals and to workshop opportunities for the Limestone Coast and Robe.

With 76 state and locally registered heritage buildings, over 30,000 years of aboriginal history and a strong connection with China, the opportunities are significant for Robe and the Limestone Coast. Particularly, as research has found that visitors pursuing heritage and cultural interests often stay twice as long as other visitors. For example, if heritage tourism adds just one extra day to each international visitor's stay in South Australia, this would contribute around \$37 million to the State and regional economies; if the 17 million annual domestic travellers increased their day trips and overnight stays in South Australia by 20% to take advantage of heritage and cultural pursuits, a further \$343 million would be added to our economy, nearly 40% of which would benefit our regional communities, such as the Robe and the wider Limestone Coast.

Key outcomes from the conference were that greater collaboration across the Limestone Coast and with the National Trust is needed to take advantage of this opportunity. Further, training in storytelling is required to allow hosts, businesses and tourism industry people to emotionally connect our history and culture with our visitors. Council and the National Trust are working together to have an experienced storyteller, Helen Lawry, come to Robe in late November (I will let you know when dates have been finalised). Finally, the key priority from the day is to capture and share the aboriginal history of the Limestone Coast.

Fossil Free SA and Exploration in the Bight

Council has made two resolutions in support of protecting the Limestone Coast. Firstly to co-sign the following open letter to the state government on the grounds that we are facing a climate emergency. Fossil Free SA are focusing on *"avoiding the increased climate damage that would result from allowing any new fossil fuel projects, and we note that SA does not need any new fossil fuel extraction and would receive very little financial benefit from allowing it."* Council resolved that:

"... having listened to the delegation, Council signs the Fossil Free SA delegation letter contained in the report."

Secondly, Council resolved to:

"... condemn the granting of new exploration licences for oil and gas exploration and drilling in the Great Australian Bight and write to:

- A. The National Offshore Petroleum Safety and Environmental Management Authority to formerly advise them of our opposition to oil and gas exploration and drilling in the Great Australian Bight; and*
- B. State and Federal Governments and all other South Australian Councils along the coast advising them of Council's opposition and urging them to do all they can to support a ban on oil and gas exploration in the Great Australian Bight, given the importance of the Great Australian Bight to fisheries, tourism, internationally significant ecosystems and some of Australia's most threatened marine life."*

Council has commenced a process to identify what a good research model is to understand our coastal dynamics and to use Robe as the pilot for the model. This is being done so the community has good data and information on which to make evidence based decisions as we face significant challenges along our coastline.

The first step was to hold a workshop with the key players in the sector, including Flinders University, the Coastal Protection Board, our surrounding councils and the Limestone Coast LGA.

The key discussion points from the Workshop are:

- Professor Hesp outlined the three major issues in relation to the coast:
 - ◊ Flooding – particularly due to a changing climate where it is predicted that South East South Australia will have less rain but more intense rain
 - ◊ Sea level rise
 - ◊ Rising ground water
- These issues will combine to place significant pressure on coastal infrastructure through increase saline water
- It was recognised that better data and coherent scientific research is required to make a choice between adaptation, retreat and defend/protect, or when to change tack from one adaptation pathway to another. This is critical because the most difficult component in the process of making decisions on the coastline is people's behaviour
- Very limited funding and finite specialist skills to better understand coastal dynamics, in particular a reduction in capacity and capability at the Coast Protection Board
- Recognised by all parties that there is a lack of data to underpin evidence based decisions, however we should use the available data and transparency around the gaps to commence conversations in our communities
- Need to understand that beaches and dunes are the primary protection for our coast and that natural and human replenishment is critical. The economic value of our coastlines makes the replenishment vital and viable.
- At Robe we have impacted on the natural sand replenishment processes through the removal of dunes and the building of houses on the coast
- Better information for the community to understand the coastline and coastal dynamics is required. Wattle Range Council is seeking funding to create short videos to support raising awareness
- Recognised that we are on a journey and that we will learn as we are managing long term outcomes, e.g. sea level rise to 2100
- Need to manage how homes, beach access created by members of the public and development are chipping away at the dune systems as it is our primary protection
- Is it possible to use cameras to monitor the coastline or to place poles so that consistent photos can be taken?
- Wattle Range Council has a wave meter that has been placed to capture the movement during the storm season and have bathymetry of Beachport
- To be able to make wise decisions today that have long term consequences for future generations, we need step change in our approach to managing the coastline and the ability to identify the tipping points. This may require public/private partnerships and in particular, collaboration with academia
- That the Coast Protection Board are developing a statewide coastal strategy. It will be built through a discussion paper (green paper) and then the development of a strategy (white paper)
- Commence the conversation with the community early

Council will now work with Flinders University to design the model and to seek grant funding for implementation.

Temporary Road Closures—Great Victorian Bike Ride

A reminder that Robe is hosting the start of the Great Victorian Bike Ride in late November with almost 5,000 riders arriving here on Friday 22 November.

With so many visitors from all around Australia joining the event, the Great Vic is an amazing opportunity for the Robe community to showcase our beautiful coastal town.

To support this event, the following temporary road closures will be in place:

1. O'Halloran Street from Davenport Street in the west through to Cooper Street in the east will be closed to traffic between 9.00am, Friday 22 November and 9.00am, Saturday 23 November 2019; and
2. Victoria Street between Robe Street and Davenport Street will be closed to traffic between 3.30pm and 9:30pm Friday 22 November 2019

Australia Day Award 2020 Nominations

The District Council of Robe would like to invite nominations for the 2020 Australia Day Awards, for person(s)/groups who have made outstanding contributions to the community. The three categories are as follows:

Citizen of the Year: To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen.

Young Citizen of the Year: To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen under 30 years of age, as at 26 January 2020.

Community Event of the Year: Presented to the person(s)/group who has staged the most outstanding community event during the year.

Nomination forms and guidelines for the awards are available from Council Office, Royal Circus, or on Council's website. Nominations close 5.00pm, Friday 29 November 2019.

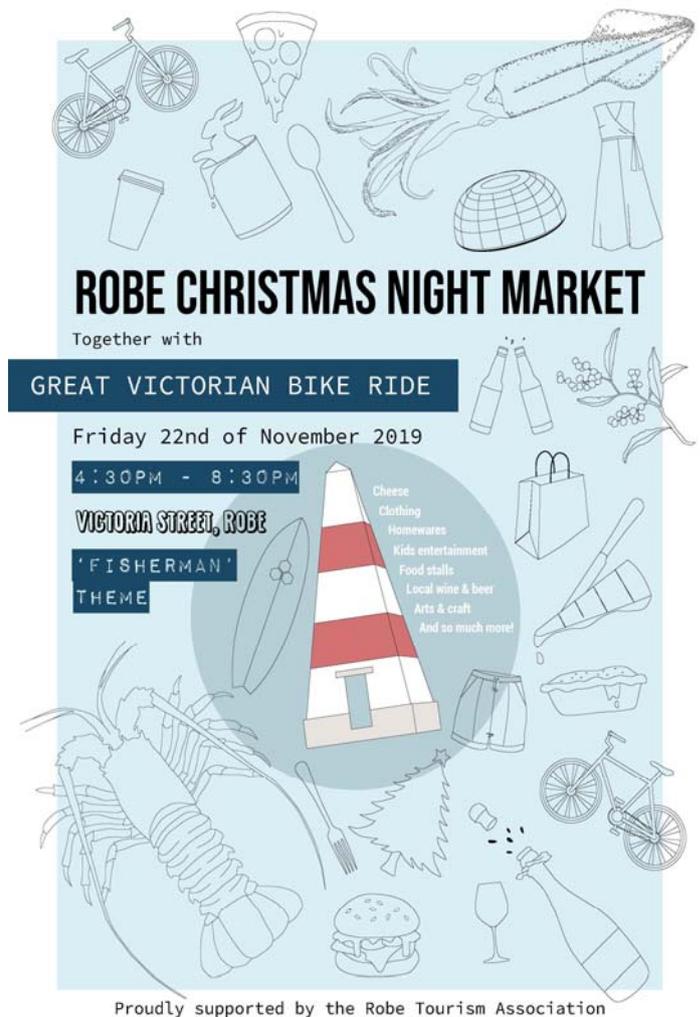
Representation Review

At its meeting held on 11 September 2019 Council made the following resolution:

That the District Council of Robe suspend the current Representation Review and recommence it during the relevant period, being June 2020 to June 2021, being the period determined by the Minister and specified in his notice as published in the Gazette on 1 August 2019.

SA Councils are both able to and are otherwise periodically required to undertake a representation review of the composition of the elected body in accordance with section 12 of the *Local Government Act 1999* ("the LG Act").

At the time that Council commenced the Review, the Minister had not published the "relevant period". After Council's commencement of the Review the Minister published a notice in the Gazette on 1 August 2019. In accordance with the published notice the "relevant period" for the Council to undertake its comprehensive Review is prescribed as between June 2020 and June 2021. Council will recommence the Representation Review in 2020 and submissions already received on the review will be taken into consideration.





Expressions of Interest—Advisory Committee

Robe Child Care on Wheels Service is looking for a member of our community to join our Advisory Committee. The person needs to have a passion for children in our community and surrounds & be willing to have regulatory checks done to ensure they meet the fit and proper standards. Please forward any questions or your details and a short description to Childcare Director, Karla Dew: karla@robe.sa.gov.au

Justice of the Peace Service

A justice of the peace service is available at the District Council of Robe offices each Thursday from 1pm to 3pm. This will ensure the service can be provided at an easily accessible public venue.

Michael Boyd, JP will be available during this time. If any other JP's are available to assist Michael on a roster basis, or to even expand the hours and/or days of availability, they can contact Michael on 0429 388 707.

Pool Operator Course 2019

Facilitated by Shane Ince – Aquatics Information

Length – 2 days

Next course – Thursday 24th & Friday 25th October 2019 – Mount Gambier, Lady Nelson Visitors Centre

Visit <https://www.aquainfo.com.au/index.php> for registration details and other upcoming courses.

Reminder:

- A pool open to the public must be under the control and management of a person who is knowledgeable and competent to operate the plant and maintain the pool water quality.
- If you run swimming lessons in a private swimming pool, you need to have this type of qualification.
- Qualification renewal is required every 5 years (see above web-ite)

If you have any question in regards to the course, please visit the website above or contact Council's Environmental Health Officer, Catarina Santos 0427 330 933.



Robe Summer School Holiday Program **Expressions of interest Form** **January 2020**

Do you have a talent, a workshop, or some fun activities for children to take part in over the Summer School Holidays? Dancing, Gardening, Arts, Crafts, Yoga, Beach Combing, sports clinics, guided walks, etc?

OR – Would you like to be a sponsor?

OR – Have a brilliant idea for activities over Summer in Robe?

Email your expression of interest, or any enquiries to RobeHolidayProgram@gmail.com as soon as possible



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Government of
South Australia

Food Safety

How up to date is your food safety knowledge?

TAFE SA and your local Council are offering this accredited short course designed to help you increase your knowledge of food safety and to enhance the level of professionalism in your region.

Food Safety* topics covered include:

- > Legal requirements of food safety
- > How to prevent food spoilage
- > Pests and waste control
- > Cause and effect of food poisoning
- > Food handling practices
- > Storage of food
- > Personal hygiene

This interactive course is appropriate for anyone involved in food handling.

Location: Council Chambers
29 Holland Street, KINGSTON

Date: Wednesday 9th October 2019

Duration: 1 Day x 10.00am - 2.00pm

Cost: \$30.00 ‡



For further information contact:

Bianca Arkley
TAFE SA Regency Campus
P (08) 8348 4662
E foodsafety@tafesa.edu.au

*Accredited Unit. Use hygienic practices for food safety SITXFSA001

‡State Government funding subsidies apply. Students must meet eligibility criteria.

For details visit tafesa.edu.au/so-funded. Participants who do not meet the eligibility criteria for State Government funding subsidies will be required to pay the full price \$110.

Enrol at tafesa.edu.au/shortcourses 1800 882 661 | shortcourses@tafesa.edu.au

If you are deaf, or have a hearing or speech impairment, contact us through the National Relay Service relayservice.gov.au

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Project Coorong

Community Discussions
October 2019

Project Coorong is the State government's new initiative to restore the health, vitality and visitor experience of the Coorong through environmental projects to get the Coorong back on track.

You are invited to join us at these sessions to learn about key programs *Healthy Coorong*, *Healthy Basin* and *Our Coorong | Our Coast* and offer your valuable thoughts, to shape the work proposed.

Community Discussions October 2019

Meningie - Wednesday 9 October from 2pm - 5pm
Meningie Bowling Club, Princes Highway, Meningie

Goolwa - Thursday 10 October from 2pm - 5pm
Signal Point Gallery, the Wharf, Goolwa

Robe - Wednesday 16 October from 2pm - 5pm
Robe Bowling Club, 1 Victoria St, Robe

Salt Creek - Thursday 17 October from 5pm - 8pm
Salt Creek CFS/SA Ambulance building, 11097 Princes Highway, Salt Creek

Kingston - Friday 18 October from 2pm - 5pm
Kingston Council Chamber, 29 Holland Street, Kingston

Facilitated by Coorong Tatiara Local Action Plan

Program

- Welcome
- Project Coorong introduction
- Our Coorong | Our Coast project

(supported by the South East Natural Resources Management Board, through funding from the Australian Government's National Landcare Program)

BREAK (catering provided)

- Healthy Coorong, Healthy Basin action plan
- Project Coorong Q&A

RSVP essential

on Eventbrite
projectcoorong.eventbrite.com.au

SMS
0427 750 050

or email
projectcoorong@sa.gov.au



projectcoorong.sa.gov.au

LIBRARY/ VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE

Local help to understand the Aged Care systems

A new cost-free service is available in Robe for anyone who would like to learn more about Government Aged Care Supports, including My Aged Care. The Aged Care Information Hub is hosted by local Robe resident and COTA SA Volunteer Aged Care Navigator, Cathy Brewin. The best news is you can conveniently chat to Cathy face to face.

Cathy is available on the following **Mondays** between **10am-12noon** at the **Robe Visitor Information Centre**, just pop by on:

October 7th and 21st
November 4th and 18th
December 2nd and 16th

Future dates from March 2020 onwards will be advertised in the New Year.

Cathy can guide you, your family and friends to register with My Aged Care, help you fill in forms, understand the processes, answer questions & much more. In addition, if you have a social group or club, Cathy can provide a short talk to that group, just liaise with Cathy about planning this.

Do take advantage of this innovative free service in Robe. Similar Information Hubs are also available in Kingston SE, Penola, Naracoorte and Millicent. For more information, call Helen Morley, COTA SA on free call 1800 182 324 or hmorley@cotasa.org.au



NEW BOOKS FOR JULY/AUGUST 2019

ADULT FICTION:

The House Next Door – James Patterson
The Path to the Sea – Liz Fenwick
The Long Flight Home – Laine Anderson
Not Her Daughter - Rea Frey
The Pint of No Return – Ellie Alexander
A Family of Strangers – Emilie Richards
Concerto – Hannah Fielding
Fatal Inheritance – Rachel Rhys
City of Lies – Sam Hawke
The Electric Hotel – Dominic Smith
The Good Sister – Gillian McAllister
The Summer We Lost Her – Tish Cohen
Noble Outlaw & A Distant Land – Matt Braun
Careless Love – Peter Robinson
Cowboy to the Core – Maisey Yates
The Forever Summer – Jamie Brenner
The King's Mercy – Lori Benton
One Small Sacrifice – Hilary Davidson
Retribution – Richard Anderson
State of Fear – Tim Ayliffe
The Secret Mother – Shalini Boland
Ghosts of the Past – Tony Park
A Beggar's Kingdom – Paullina Simons
Lies, Lies, Lies – Adele Parks
The Shelly Bay Ladies Swimming Circle – Sophie Green
A Grave for Two – Anne Holt
Paranoid – Lisa Jackson
Outfox – Sandra Brown
The Possession – Michael Rutger
13 Minute Murder – James Patterson
The peppermint Tea Chronicles – Alexander McCall Smith
A Kiss and a Promise – Kate Flynn
In a Kingdom by the Sea – Sara MacDonald

ADULT NON FICTION:

The Caravan & Campervan Cookbook – Catherine Proctor
20 Twenty to Stitch ... Fabric Buttons – Gina Barrett
Feel Better Fast and Make it Last – Daniel G. Amen, MD
Beaded Embroidery Stitching
The Complete Anti-Inflammatory Diet for Beginners – Dorothy Calimeris & Lulu Cook
The Crow Eaters ... A Journey through South Australia – Ben Stubbs
Dale Vine's Outdoor Reno Guide ... Transform your Garden on any Budget

CHILDREN'S FICTION:

The Naughtiest Pixie in Disguise – Ailsa Wild
Zag Heroez Miraculous ... Lady Wifi
Zag Heroez Miraculous ... Mr. Pigeon
There's a Tiger Out There – Sophie Mason & Ruth Waters
Dirty Bertie ... Slime & Grime – David Roberts
Thomas and Friends ... Hide-and-Seek
The Pepper Party ... Picks the Perfect Pet - Jay Cooper
Rainbow Menagerie – Linda Jackson
Pig the Stinker – Aaron Blabey
Beautiful Bananas – Elizabeth Laird
No Longer Alone – Joseph Coelho
5-Minute Disney-Pixar Stories
The 117 Storey Treehouse – Terry Denton
Click, Clack, Surprise – Doreen Cronin
Calm with the Very Hungry Caterpillar – Eric Carle
Heidi Jeckelbeck Lends a Helping Hand – Wanda Coven
Toy Story 4 ... Made to Play
Puppy Dog Pals ... Luck Pups
Peppa Pig ... Happy Birthday
Flat Stanley and the Bees
Dinosaur Juniors ... Happy Birthday – Rob Biddulph
Peppa in Space
Toy Story 4 ... Movie Storybook
Toy Story ... Welcome to Andy's Room and Beyond
Weirdo 3 ... Extra Weird – Anh Do

COMMUNITY NEWS

Any dead or injured wildlife found
Please contact Narelle Marshall— a representative of
Fauna SA on 0417 304 743
Accepting all native animals including: birds,
marsupials, bats, reptiles and echidnas



FREE PRODUCE SWAP



FIRST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH

ROBE GOLF CLUB 10am

Bring along your excess produce,
home cooked cake or biscuits,
preserves, flowers or seedlings



SWAP IT



EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Next Produce Swap Sat 5th October

ROBE COMMUNITY BUS OCTOBER 2019

The bus drivers for October 2019 will be:

Thursday 3rd October— Janet Fennell: 0488 454 811
Thursday 10th October — Marcia Denning-Wasson 0411 374 274
Thursday 17th October — Robert Cece 0407 601 213
Thursday 24th October — Michael Boyd 0429 388 707
Thursday 31st October — Margie or David Thomas 0407 254 710

The bus runs every Thursday morning for local shopping, Bendigo Bank, Post Office, Library, Foodland, etc. All Robe residents and visitors are welcome to make use of this service. Please ring the nominated driver no later than Wednesday evening before 7pm; if you wish to be included on the Thursday morning run. You will be picked up at approximately 10.00am and returned to your home between 11 – 12:15pm. *The bus run will be going to Mount Gambier on FRIDAY: 25th October 2019*

The driver will be Robert Cece – 0407 601 213

Please ring Robert if you intend travelling on the bus to Mt Gambier. *It is essential that you arrange your booking before 5pm on the TUESDAY prior to the shopping trip date to ensure a seat and to confirm that the trip is occurring as bus will not run with less than 2 passengers.* You will be picked-up at approximately 8.00am and leave Mt Gambier at 3-3:30pm to be back in Robe by about 5-5:30pm.

A contribution [\$] towards the bus running costs of each trip is always appreciated.

Bus Co-ordinator
Phone: 0408 365 660

Robe Art Gallery The Lapwing Gallery



Open daily from 10am to 4pm
Located on the south side of the
Robe Institute.

Paintings, mosaics and drawings by local artists.

All welcome to browse or buy.

Free Admission!!

If gallery is not open, please contact
Bernice: 8768 2114, Cathie 0433036251,
Chris 8768 2594, or Pam 0408365660



Second Chance

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU

The Robe Lions Shop "Second Chance" is looking for more volunteers.

We ask for a few hours of your time: weekly, fortnightly or monthly. The shop's future depends on community volunteers that can help our small group of Lions.

If you would like to help, come into the shop and put your name on the roster OR contact Kerrie on 0418 629 121.

"Second Chance" offers great shopping for both tourists and locals.

We would also appreciate donations of clean clothing and accessories.

PLEASE DEPOSIT ONLY GOOD CLEAN ITEMS IN OUR BIN OUTSIDE THE DOOR.

Giant Pumpkin Competition 2020

Robe Community Garden will be holding the 'Giant Pumpkin' competition again this year.

The official weigh in date will be Easter Saturday, 11 April 2020.

Dates planned to give away giant pumpkin seeds are listed below. The location will be at Centennial Court (outside 'Second Chance—Lions Op Shop')

Dates for collections of free seeds:

- Friday 4 October from 3pm to 4pm

Any queries please contact Robyn 0429 358 797



COMMUNITY NEWS

HOME DELIVERED MEALS ROSTER OCTOBER 2019

	Tuesday 1st	Wednesday 2nd	Thursday 3rd	Friday 4th	
	Di Nolan 0439 876 843 Margie McKay 0429 917 249	Merilyn Fisher 0439 371 110 Kim Kelly 0419 855 537	Jan Fisk 0427 682 139 Helen Lynch 0419 642 598	Sue Evans 0408 843 268 Mary Hay 0418 810 686	Please arrange a swap if you are unable to do your rostered time slot. CONTACT DIANNE OR LORNA IF NO SWAP AVAILABLE
Monday 7th	Tuesday 8th	Wednesday 9th	Thursday 10th	Friday 11th	
No meals Public Holiday	Dianne O'Neil 0408 682 410 Pam Bourke 0428 518 915	Pauline Tomlinson 0408 978 400 Val Aylesbury 0408 838 580	Rosemary Williams 0407 682 388 Barb Powell 8768 2765	Patsy Grummett Neville Grummett 0400 760 500	Lorna Johns 0418 848 792
Monday 14th	Tuesday 15th	Wednesday 16th	Thursday 17th	Friday 18th	
Pat Pex 0411 161 939	Merrilyn Gillespie Peter Gillespie 0427 334 050	Ruth Dening 0439 008 200 Lois Jensen 0447 590 327 Lorraine Dening 0429 333 202	Irene Stratford Harvey Stratford 0417 731 417	Carol Seymour 0427 701 216 Ian Bruce 0429 202 971	Dianne O'Neil 0408 682 410 Standby contacts who may help out if available: Lorraine Kennett 0417 740 938
Monday 21st	Tuesday 22nd	Wednesday 23rd	Thursday 24th	Friday 25th	
Tessa Levinge 0427 799 978 Nesla Boundy 0427 838 785	Sharon Petrovic 0408 852 365 Marlene Kittle 0408 351 662	Jenny Stevenson 0408 308 559 Janet Holmes 0407 799 340	Mary McInerney 0417 829 190 Irene Johns 0429 682 075	Jill Davidson 0431 301 686 Anna Leake 0429 948 238	Kathy Thompson 0409 577 080 Maureen Heinrich 0439 903 314
Monday 28th	Tuesday 29th	Wednesday 30th	Thursday 31st		
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COMMUNITY NEWS

ROBE UNITING CHURCH SERVICES

11am all Sundays except 5th

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ROBE GOLDEN OLDIES SOCIAL GROUP **PROGRAMME for OCTOBER 2019**

Please note that this program is subject to change by the co-ordinator, who will contact clients should changes be required.

MONDAY

14TH OCTOBER 2019 Home Day – pickup at 1pm
Resthaven collects clients.

MONDAY

28TH OCTOBER 2019
Bus outing to Kingston SE – lunch at Crown Inn Hotel – pickup 10am.
Resthaven co-ordinator to confirm bus requirement

If you have any queries please ring: Golden Oldies co-ordinator:

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(Mon –Fri office hours)

OPEN GARDEN DAY

4927 Clay Wells Road, Short Norm & Sandra Smith

Sunday 13 October 2019
Buses will leave the Library at 10am—\$8 per person

Entry is \$10 (children fee), and includes a chance to win one of 3 door prizes.

Lunch will be available for \$5 (baked potatoes with toppings). Afternoon tea with cake \$4.

All proceeds go towards Leukaemia Foundation.

Please find either Robyn 0429 358 797 or Marcia 0411 374 274 to book a seat on our bus from Robe to the garden.

KINGSTON/ROBE MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT GROUP

Next gathering is on Thursday 3rd October 2019

The Parish Centre

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1pm -3pm

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"It is well structured and informative around gambling harm and mental health. It is great to have programs like this highlighting the issues and reducing the stigma associated with gambling harm." - Michelle

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- Recognise the signs that a person may be experiencing harm as a result of their gambling
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HOW DO I SIGN UP?

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DATES October 10th 2019

TIMES 1pm to 5pm

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Joan Oldfield

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MHFA TRAINING BENEFITS

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| KNOWLEDGE
Improves knowledge of mental illnesses, treatments and first aid actions. | CONFIDENCE
Increases confidence in providing first aid. | DE-STIGMATISING
Decreases stigmatising attitudes. | SUPPORT
Increases the support provided to others. |
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LEARN PRACTICAL FIRST AID SKILLS

- Recognise common mental health problems in people engaging in non-suicidal self-injury.
- Help the person stay safe
- Connect people to professional and other supports, and
- Respond in a crisis situation

This is a 4-5 hour educational course, not a therapy or support group.

HOW DO I SIGN UP? Email joan4training@hotmail.com

Training sponsored by Kingston/Robe Mental Health Support Group with funding from the Mental Health Coalition of South Australia.

For more information, visit mhfa.com.au/courses

DATES 3rd October 2019

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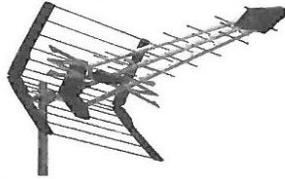
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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
						
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27	28	29	30	31		
						

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