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Mayor's Message

Dear the Residents and Visitors of Robe,

A very Happy New Year to you all!

As 2023 draws to a close, I want to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy and safe New Year.

It is just over 12 months since our Council was elected and, while we have seen many challenges throughout the year, your Council has worked very hard to make Robe a great place for us all to live, work and play.



Mayor Lisa Ruffell

As we all headed towards Christmas, it was great to see everyone turn out for our exceptional 2023 Christmas Parade. This was such an enjoyable event. Seeing the joy and excitement in our children's faces as they watched the Parade make its way through the town made the efforts of all involved in pulling the parade together worthwhile. I thank them all for their hard work and commitment to making Christmas so special, especially for the children.

I was particularly pleased to have been asked to judge our amazing Christmas Parade. This was a very daunting task as all the floats were of such a high standard. Still, while the standard of all the floats was very high made the decision challenging, I did need to select the top three floats which were:

First Place – Robe Seafood and Takeaway 'KISS' Second Place – Sails Restaurant 'Barbie' Third Place – Caledonian Inn 'The Grinch'

My congratulations to all three winners and thank you to all who built and included a float in the Parade.





In looking forward to 2024, our new Chief Executive Officer Natalie (Nat) Traeger will commence work with us on 2 January 2024. As such, she will be focusing on the finalisation of our scheduled projects including, amongst others, the completion of our funded road upgrades, restoration of the cemetery wall and Customs House and progressing the Robe St upgrade.

In closing, please remember that my 'door' is always open and I am always willing to hear from my Community. I do have a drop-in session every Wednesday and I look forward to hearing from you on any matter.

Wishing you all a safe, healthy and Happy New Year.

Kind Regards Mayor Lisa Ruffell

Mayor, Elected Members & CEO Message

A summary of the outcomes from the December Ordinary Council Meeting is shown below:

•An enforcement police and enforcement notice decision review policy were adopted to guide the enforcement and explation process of those breaching the by-laws.

•The January 2024 Ordinary Council Meeting date was altered to Wednesday 17 January 2024 commencing at 6:30pm.

•The Phase 4 LRCI Part B funding was assigned to the upgrade of Flint Street – associated with the Robe Street Upgrade.

•The draft Lake Butler Marina Asset Management Plan was deferred for further consideration.

•Council approved to issue Mr Scott Gluyas with an extension to his temporary berth fee waiver until 16 February 2024.

•Council approved to commence the process of formally closing and selling a portion of unmade road reserve to D and A Young.

•Council approved the use one Casuarina Lodge unit for short term staff accommodation as necessary and for the CEO to issue a rental subsidy on a case-by-case basis to a maximum of \$150. A report will be brought to the March 2024 Council Meeting for consideration.

•Council considered a fee waiver request from Mr Warwick Hill for hard stand storage fees. The item was deferred pending further investigation and with no interest of fines to be applied to the amounts owed.

•The Ombudsman Final Report on the non-disclosure of a General Conflict of Interest by Deputy Mayor Nicholas Brown was received. Deputy Mayor Brown also made a public apology as per the Ombudsman's recommendation.

•A frequent hire rate \$25 per hour for the Robe Institute was approved (subject to a minimum of 20 bookings per year, with these bookings acknowledging they need to be flexible to reschedule their classes around other event bookings at the Institute.

•The Road Closure for the Australia day 2024 Event was approved. Mundy Terrace, between Smillie/Victoria Street intersection and Bagot Street intersection will be closed to vehicle traffic between 7.00 am and 11.00 am on Friday 26 January 2024.

•The request from Mr Kim Kelly to manage and administer the Tombstone Tourist website was refused. Council have commended Mr Kelly for his staunch advocacy of the recognition of the history in Robe.

•A new fee for the Business Use of Council Land was approved to provide a single use fee of \$15.00 and an annual permit fee of \$150.00.

·Council approved the removal of a single use fee



2024 AUSTRALIA DAY CELEBRATIONS & AWARD RECIPIENTS

The District Council of Robe would like to congratulate the 2024 Australia Day Award recipients who have made outstanding contributions to our community.

Citizen of the Year: Tracey Bainger

Young Citizen of the Year: Ella Mackey

Community Event of the Year: Robe Golf Club's - Tee off for Breast Cancer

Mayoral Award: Kerrie Boyd

All members of the public are invited to join in the 2024 Australia Day Celebrations on Friday 26 January 2024 on the Robe Institute Lawns.

FREE Breakfast served by the Robe Lions Club from 8.00am. Music by AXIS. Official Ceremony to commence at 9.00am.



For further details contact the Council Office on 8768 2003.



THIS EVENT HAS BEEN ASSISTED BY THE AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT THROUGH THE NATIONAL AUSTRALIA DAY COUNCIL - AUSTRALIA DAY 2024 COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM



Temporary Road Closure Notification 2024 Australia Day Ceremony

Notice is hereby given of the following temporary road closure on Friday 26 January 2024 for the Australia Day Ceremony.

The following street will be closed to traffic between 7:00am and 11:00am on Friday 26 January 2024:

Mundy Terrace, between the Davenport Street and Bagot Street intersections.

Should you require further clarification on this matter please contact the Council office on 8768 2003.



Every Wednesday the Mayor will be available in the Council Office and has her door open to our community. If you would like to book some time with the Mayor, please book via:

Executive Assistant, Molly Murdock: molly@robe.sa.gov.au <u>or</u> 08 8768 2003. Appointments will be limited to 15mins, unless longer is required. If you would like other Councillors involved in the meeting, please notify the Executive Assistant when booking.



Short Term Dry Zone 2023/24

Over recent years, following consultation with South Australia Police (SAPOL), Council has put in place two Dry Zone Areas within the township of Robe to cover the weekend leading up to and including NYE to assist in moderating behaviour over the Christmas to NYE period.

The Dry Zone has proved successful in managing the behaviour of visitors to town without having any adverse impact on the businesses within the town and visitors enjoyment of the holiday period. This year the dry zone period for the below areas is as follows:

12 noon, Friday 22 December 2023 until 12 midnight, Monday 1 January 2024.



Speed Limits on South Australian Beaches Reduced

As part of the Malinauskas Government's commitment to the Road Safety Action Plan 2023-25, a review of speed limits on beaches was conducted earlier this year and found clear support from South Australians to reduce the default speed limit.

80 per cent of all respondents were in favour of a reduction to the default speed limit, with the most preferred option being a reduction to 40km/h and 25km/h when within 100 metres of a pedestrian.



Following the consultation run by the Department for Infrastructure and Transport, a decision was reached to reduce the default speed limit to 40km/h and 25km/h within 50 metres of a pedestrian. The change will come into effect on Friday 1 December 2023.

The Speed Limits on South Australians Beaches Community Engagement Outcomes Report can be viewed at:

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Council will be promoting the change to the Community and Visitors to town to remind them of the change.

Community Wastewater Management Scheme - Desludging of Septic tanks

As part of the operating and maintenance of Council's Community Wastewater Management System (CWMS), Council provides a septic tank desludging program to properties within the Robe township that are connected to the CWMS.

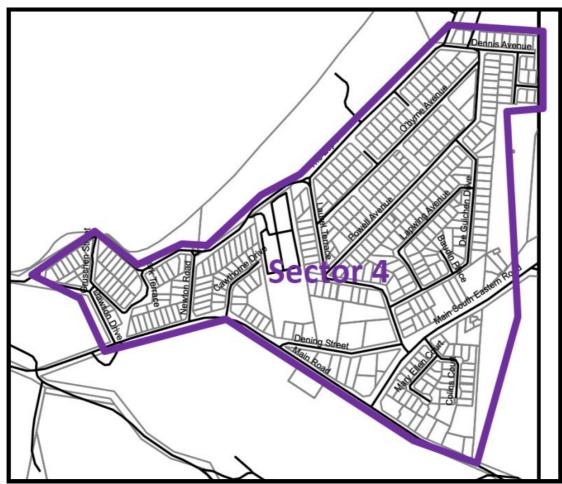
To prevent sludge passing into council's drains, our contractor Envirogen Industrial Services attend each property on a four year cycle to remove accumulated sludge from the tanks. This work is done as an ongoing maintenance program, not as an emergancy call out for plumbing blockages.

The next sector to be desludged is **Sector 4** (see below). Letters have been sent to ratepayers who will be effected. Later in the year, Envirogen Industrial Services will notify rate payers as to when they are required to expose the septic tank. If you fail to expose the tank lid, there will be additional charges.

Are you thinking of building, landscaping, paving or constructing a driveway? It is critical to find out where your tank is and include this in your plan as adequate access to the lid of the tank (not the inspection point) is a must for maintenance and pumping. Construction on or near your septic system could damage the tank, pipes or soil.

Properties that are not connected to the CWMS, which dispose of their effluent to an on-site soakage drain still need to be desludged routinely at the owners expense.

Should you have any questions contact the Council on 87682003.



Robe Township – No free camping sites

A friendly reminder that the District Council of Robe do not have any free camping available. Under By-Law 2, beaches and council reserves are also not open to free campers. Council will again exercise their right to explate for camping on prohibited land under Section 9.12 of By-Law 2.

Robe has a large number of accommodation providers who would love to welcome you! For more information on accommodation options and availabilities in Robe, please visit the Robe Library and Visitor Information Centre on Mundy Terrace, or phone (08) 8768 2465).

Fuel Options in Robe

As we are fast approaching the summer season, I feel it is important to remind our community and visitors of the fuel options in Robe.

For all fuel types, head to Robe Auto and Marine, and for diesel only, head to the K&S selfserve outlook opposite the Council Depot on Robe Street.

Council would also like to note that they share the concerns of the community about the current state of the now closed ex-Caltex fuel station at 12 Main Street. Mayor Ruffell has contacted the owners of the site for a request to improve the tidiness of the premises. We are actively engaged with the property owners to ensure a satisfactory outcome is reached for the community.

REMINDER: Business Bin Collection

To assist our local businesses with Waste Management over the peak season, Envirotec will be doing a daily kerbside waste collection from 26 December 2023 through till 31 January 2024 (Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays included).

To find out if your business is included in this short term daily collection, please contact Envirotec on 08 8762 4719 or email <u>admin@envirotec.net.au</u>

For all other Robe residents, please see the kerbside collection information further on this newsletter to find out the change in collection days over Christmas.

Lake Butler Marina Boat Ramp Tickets

Coming into our busy fishing season boat ramp tickets can be purchased at the following places:

- Robe Public Library & Visitor Information Centre
- District Council of Robe Office
- Robe Auto and Marine
- Via the easy park app: https://easypark.com.au/en_au parking area code 25557

If you have purchased an annual ticket please ensure this is visible to our general inspector. For further information contact council on 8768 2003.

Where can I take my dog?

DOG ON LEASH AREAS

·All ovals and sporting facilities at times when no organised sport or event is taking place; ·Long Beach south of 2nd ramp and Long Beach Foreshore;

·Long Beach north of 2nd ramp to 3rd ramp between 9am and 8pm from December 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

·Fox Beach;

·Karatta Beach;

•Nora Creina Bay Beach between 9am and 8pm from Dec 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

•Boatswain Point Beach between 9am and 8pm from Dec 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

·Town Beach and Foreshore from Post Office to Sea Vu Caravan Park;

·Lake Butler Marina;

·All streets, footpaths, jetties and walking/bicycle tracks within the townships of Robe, Boatswain Point, Greenways.

DOG OFF LEASH AREAS

·Wright's Bay;

·Lipson Park;

·West Beach;

·Long Beach, 3rd ramp to Boatswain Point Beach (excluding Guichen Bay Conservation Park); ·Long Beach, 2nd ramp except between 9am and 8pm from December 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

·Hoopers Beach except between 9am and 8pm from December 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

•Nora Creina Bay Beach except between 9am and 8pm from December1 to after the Easter Long Weekend;

Boatswain Point Beach except between 9am and 8pm from December 1 to after the Easter Long Weekend.



FIRE DANGER SEASON DECLARED FOR LOWER SOUTH EAST: <u>22nd November 2023 - 30th April 2024</u>

For more information, please visit the CFS website: www.cfs.sa.gov.au

Fire Prevention

Property owners are reminded to remove flammable undergrowth from all blocks within the town and settlements. Flammable undergrowth should be controlled on blocks throughout the year not just during the Fire Danger Season.

Property owners and residents are asked to play their part in keeping our community safe, so please ensure that fire prevention work required on your property is undertaken. Inspections have been completed and relevant owners written to, to comply with the required works.

If you require more information please contact Council's Community Safety Team on 8768 2003



Create your own Bushfire Plan: <u>in 3 easy steps</u>

Would you remember a plan that's just in your head if you're surrounded by smoke, heat and flames?

Making a choice when a bushfire threatens is too late. Your safety and survival during a bushfire will depend on how prepared you are and the decisions you make, and a written plan will take the pressure off you and avoid arguments and delays.

So don't wait - create your 5 Minute Bushfire Plan now for you, your family, and your pets and livestock.

Visit: https://www.cfs.sa.gov.au/plan-prepare for further information.



NEED OF VOLUNTEERS FOR THE UPCOMING FIRE SEASON

WANT TO LEARN MORE HTTPS://WWW.CFS.SA.GOV.AU/VOLUNTEERS/VOLUNTEERS/W HAT-OUR-VOLUNTEERS-DO/

CALL JAMIE 0455530344 WITH ANY QUESTIONS



South Australian Country Fire Service cfs.sa.gov.au Contact the Bushfire Information Hotline 1800 362 361 (TTY 133 677) @Countryfireservice @CFSalerts



WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY NEW BOOKS

ADULT FICTION:

Iron Flame by Rebecca Yarros Happily Ever After by Patricia Scanlan Always by Your Side by Julie Haworth Four Weddings and a Christmas by Phillipa Ashley Sunshine Through the Rain by Penelope Janu The Milliner of Bendigo by Darry Fraser The Mystery Guest by Nita Proser The Watchmaker's Hand by Jeffrey Deaver **Tom Clancy: Command and Control by Marc Cameron** The Vault by Michael Ledwidge The Wiregrass by Adrian Hyland West Heart Kill by Dann McDorman The Sewing Factory Girls by Posy Lovell **Unnatural Death by Patricia Cornwell** Angels of the Pacific by Elise Hooper The Cage by Quintin Jardine The Ball at Versailles by Danielle Steel **Emergency Exit Only by Michelle Upton** For Once in My Life by Karly Lane Kill Your Husbands by Jack Heath I remember Paris by Lucy Diamond

ADULT LARGE PRINT: Resurrection Walk by Michael Connelly The Ball at Versailles by Danielle Steel

ADULT NON-FICTION:

Dog Grooming for Beginners by Jorge Bendersky Cronin's Key Guide to Australian Wildflowers by Leonard Cronin

CHILDREN'S PICTURE BOOKS: An Amazing Australian Camping Trip by Jackie Hosking

CHILDREN'S FICTION: Cat Kid: Comic Club Influencers by Dav Pilkey

CHILDREN'S NON FICTION: Minecraft Mobspotter's Encyclopedia: The Ultimate Guide to the Mobs of Minecraft by Mojang BARGAIN BOOKS BARGAIN MAGAZINE BARGAIN DVDS BARGAIN PRICES

FUNDRAISER By The Friends of The Robe Library

Saturday 6 January 10am to 4pm Robe Institute Enquiries 87682465

THE BIG

ANNUAL

ROOK

SALE



Good quality books, DVDs and magazines for our January Book Sale. Just drop off to the Robe Library or call us on 8768 2465 Thank you from the Friends of the Robe Library





GARAGE SALE

13th of January, 8.30am to 2 pm Lions Den at White Street, ROBE

Donated Goods Accepted

All Proceeds to Robe Lions Club's Community Projects. PHONE 0407 842 544 or 0407544344 for further details. CASH ONLY

FIREWORKS **31 DECEMBER 2023 STARTING AT APPROXIMATELY 9.30PM**

NEW YEAR

DISPLAY CAN BE VIEWED AROUND GUICHEN BAY & ROBE FORESHORE



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Robe Professional Fishermen's Association



USEFUL INFORMATION

COMMUNITY **NEWSLETTER**

The Community Newsletter is released monthly by the District Council of Robe. Businesses and Community Members are able to advertise in the Community Newsletter. Advertisements are due by the third Friday of each month.

The Community Newsletter is available electronically from Council, delivered directly to your email inbox each month. Simply scan the QR code below to sign up, or visit www.robe.sa.gov.au/forms/subscribe-to-mailing-list

Printed copies are available from:

- Council Office
- Robe Library & Visitor Information Centre
- Post Office
- Chemist
- Newsagency

FACEBOOK

For the most up to date information visit the 'District Council of Robe' Facebook Page.

Are you looking for staff or looking for employment? Follow Council's 'Jobs in Robe SA' Facebook page! This page can be used for posting all job opportunities available in Robe as well as any job seekers looking for employment in Robe.

MYLOCAL **SERVICES** Council information 24/7. APP

My Local Services is a mobile phone app that allows you to report a problem within the Council area, receive notifications about waste collection days and check Waste Transfer Station opening times. The app is designed to make it more convenient to find

You'll never forget bin day again!

You can also find places 'Near Me' such as parks and playgrounds.

We encourage all residents and ratepayers to download the App. It is very easy to use, and the details are specific to your house location. MyLocal Services App can be downloaded from the Apple App Store and Google Play.

ENOTICES

Please note that the current rates notices contain a new feature, 'Enotice' which will make it easier for our ratepayers to manage their rates. Ratepayers will need to use the reference number, top right of your rates notice, to login and create a new account:

The benefits of Enotice are;

- It is possible to see both current and previous rates notices using this feature.
- You can choose to have your rates notice emailed directly to you rather than posted.
- To allow ratepayers to update their email addresses and add email recipients. (e.g. if more than one person has an interest in the property)
- For ratepayers who own multiple properties this feature will be of great use, as you are able to add multiple assessments to the one account, creating a more efficient way to manage all properties.

Please note that this function does not allow you to update your residential or postal address, this still needs to be sent directly to Council. This can either be emailed to councilerobe.sa.gov.au or posted to PO Box 1, Robe SA 5276.



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Robe Library & Visitor Information Centre PH: 08 8768 2465 Mundy Terrace, Robe SA 5276 visitrobe@robe.sa.gov.au

Valuer-General

Valuation queries and objections process PH: 1300 653 346



MEETING DATES

Please note:

All meetings are open to the public unless otherwise advertised To view Council Agendas and Minutes visit the Council website

January Ordinary Meeting

Wednesday 17th January 2024 at 6.30pm in the Council Chambers, Smillie Street, Robe

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KERBSIDE COLLECTION CALENDAR 2024

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COLLECTION ENQUIRIES, MISSED BINS & BIN REPAIRS Enviro Tec 08 8762 4719

OTHER WASTE ENQUIRIES Council 08 8768 2003 www.robe.sa.gov.au



District Council of

moved to Tuesday 24 Dec Yellow Recycling Bin

Collected fortnightly Collected weekly from 19 December 2024 to 31 January 2025

- Greenways Rural Waste Collected fortnightly
- Christmas collection 25 Dec moved to Tuesday 24 Dec

DON'T KNOW WHICH BIN? HEAD TO THE WHICH BIN WEBSITE





140L & 240L Wheelie Bins for Sale. Replacement lids, spare wheels and lid pins also available. Delivery fee will apply. Phone Enviro Tec Se Pty Ltd -08 8762 4719 14 Brighton Drive - Naracoorte SA admin@envirotec.net.au



Waste Transfer Station Operating Times - White Street OPEN: Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday 10am - 12pm

Boot Load	\$27.90
Single Cab - Below Water Line	\$36.30
Single Cab - Above Water Line	\$59.20
Dual Cab - Below Water Line	\$24.00
Dual Cab - Above Water Line	\$42.20
Trailer (6x4) Below Water Line	\$24.00
Trailer (6x4) Above Water Line	\$47.50
Trailer (6x4) With Cage	\$53.90
Trailer (8x5) Below Water Line	\$58.70
Trailer (8x5) Above Water Line	\$113.10
Trailer (8x5) With Cage	\$135.50
Trailer (10x5) Below Water Line	\$76.80
Trailer (10x5) Above Water Line	\$147.30
Trailer (10x5) With Cage	\$178.20
Cardboard - Boot load	\$8.90
Cardboard - Car/Van/ Ute Load	\$16.80
Cardboard - 6x4 Trailer	\$16.80
Cardboard - 8x5 Trailer	\$22.30
Cardboard 10x5 Trailer	\$55.90
Single Items - Mattress	\$32.60
Single Items - Sofas/Lounge Chairs	\$19.80
Single Items - Car Bodies	\$63.80
Single Items - White Goods (eg Washing Machine/Fridge)	\$25.00
Small Trucks (Single Axle - Max 4 Tonne)	\$257.40
Putrescible Waste (Bag)	\$3.70
Opening Waste Transfer Station (Outside Operating Hours)	\$280.50

Green Waste Fee

Normal Fees will apply to any Green Waste Products that requires mulching, however, Green Waste products that are segregated and do not require mulching (lawn clippings and leaves only) can be dumped free of charge. E-waste: no charge Municipal Household Waste: \$3.40 per bag applicable.

Meals on Wheels Roster

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Please sign on pick I	up	MEALS AVAIL	ABLE FOR PICK UP FROM	11:15AM at ROBE COUN	ICIL OFFICE	

Robe RSL Community Bus

January 2023 "Welcome aboard!"

Date	e	Service	Driver	Phone Nr
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Monday	1st	Coffee and Cake	John & Jan	0418849994
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Thurs	4^{th}	Local Shops	Sue Ling	0417825515
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Thur	18 th	Local Shops	Jill Davidson	0431301686
Fri	19 th	MT Gambier	Andy Baird	0408809830
Thurs	25 th		Tony Stevenson	0407180647
			Trent	
Reserves		M Dening	F Wasson	Margie Thomas

** Coffee & Cake Date

Everyone Welcome 10.

10.30am in the Hall

Bus Co-ordinator Marcia 0411 374 274

If you are a regular pick up for the local shops run, and **do not** require a pickup on any day, please let the rostered driver know. **NB Mt Gambier CHANGE OF WEEK JANUARY ONLY**

Mt Gambier seats can be booked up until Thursday 18thth January by contacting the rostered driver.



Millicent Bottles and Cans - January Operating Hours Phone Matt: 0477 376 967

Millicent Bottles and Cans are relocating to Robe Waste Transfer Station!

The Robe Depot of Millicent Bottles and Cans is relocating to reside within the District Council of Robe Waste Transfer Station from the 4th of January, 2024.

The hours of operation will be the same as the current Waste Transfer Station hours of operation, which are:



The new location, accessed via White Street, Robe, is shown below:





Native Trees For Sale at FRIENDS OF LITTLE DIP Community Nursery





Drooping Sheoak (Allocasuarina verticillata).

The drooping sheoak is a native tree recognized for its unique, evergreen, needle-like foliage that forms a drooping canopy. This hardy tree, generally reaching 5-10 metres in height, is adaptable to a wide range of soil types. It has distinct woody cones and seasonal reddish-brown flowers. Requires planting during the autumn months and can be used as a windbreak. The initial years require consistent watering. The sheoak can be planted in either full sun or partial shade.



Brown Stringybark (Eucalyptus baxteri).

A medium-sized tree that is native to the southeastern Australia. It has rough, stringy bark and a curved adult leaf. Beautiful green to yellow flower buds form in groups. Note: this tree can grow to a height of 40 metres. It is recommended that it be planted in a large sized garden or block during autumn. The seeds are an important source of food for the endangered south-eastern red-tailed cockatoo.





A South Australian native small tree which can grow to 1 - 8 metres in height. This will grow well in frontline coastal situations as well as inland regions. Required planting in alkaline soils during autumn. Flowers are white or cream in large clusters and flower during the summer months. The Dryland tea tree is a hardy plant which will grow on loam soils, brown, grey or white sand, limestone ridges, coastal cliffs and dunes.

Trees are available for purchase on Sundays at 3pm at the FOLD nursery on White st. Price is \$5.00 per tree.

http://robefold.org | 0466072076 - Roland Friends of Little Dip Conservation Park | Robe Coastcare







11 AM START









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in caring for Robe's wild spaces and pristine coastline

All are welcome

Hands-on activities and learning experiences for both adults and children, including:

- park and trail maintenance and upgrades
- beach cleanups
- collecting seeds of native trees
- · growing and caring for seedlings
- · propagating native plants from cuttings
- · revegetation of dunes and conservation areas
- protecting shorebirds
- · learning about local native flora & fauna
- recognizing and removing invasive plants
- nursery upkeep activities

How to participate:

Join us on Sundays at 3.00pm @ FOLD Nursery on White Street, Robe (across the road from Mike's Beef Jerky)

We meet every Sunday Receive our weekly newsletter for updates on activities:

Write to friends@robefold.org

Call Roland 0466 072 076 or Helen 0404 505 065

Our wild coastal spaces are an important part of our community. They provide a natural buffer for our homes and businesses from the powerful forces of the southern ocean, they allow us to immerse ourselves in a beautiful, dynamic and exciting environment, and they are special ecosystems supporting a wide range of native plants and wildlife.



We are community volunteers, working for the preservation and conservation of these unique wild spaces. www.robefold.org



PROGRAMS

Adelaide Strikers Holiday Program- Robe 9:30am-12:00pm Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd January 2024 Robe Oval



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Cost: Your \$50 donation per family will help us feed and care for these injured or orphaned native animals.



ROBE COMBINED PROBUS

Box 571, Robe SA 5276

Robe Combined Probus Club meets monthly every 3rd Tuesday, 10am at the Robe Bowling Club Rooms Visitors and New members are welcomed. Probus is an association for those no longer working full time, to join together to enjoy life. It is a way of keeping your mind active, interested and healthy. We do not fundraise or have working bees, but just enjoy friendship and fun, having various guest speakers and occasional trips.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 20th February 2024@ Bowling Club Christmas lunch @ 12 o'clock 12th December

> All membership enquiries to Marilyn Gribble 0418842199 or Cathy Brewin 0402145317



SUMMER TWILIGHT BOWLS

WEDNESDAY DEC 27[™] & THURSDAY 28[™] 2023

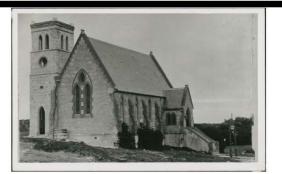
JANUARY 2024 WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY NIGHTS

BBQ AND RAFFLE AVAILABLE

Names in by 5pm for 6pm Start

Names to be put up in foyer of Robe Bowling Club

\$10 per person. If names have been put up and you wish to cancel please phone club on 87682022 between 5pm- 6pm



ST PETERS' CHURCH

Call out to any interested community members who would like to chat about what the future looks like for the church, kirk and grounds.

Further info available 0411374274



Robe Uniting Church Services Tarooki Camp Site Main Road Robe SA Services Sundays 11am Except 5th Sundays

Robe History Group

Meeting Monday afternoons in the Kathleen Browne Room inside the Robe Institute Building the Robe History Group care for the Community History Collection. The group meet regularly 2-3.30pm.

We are especially interested in adding to the collection and would welcome the opportunity to either acquire or copy documents or photographs relating to the history of our community.

> If you have an interest in our history or stories to share please contact : Marcia (0411374274) or Robyn (0438 848 545)

The Free Presbyterian Chaple – Sturt St – The Wee Free, The Kirk, Scots Kirk



The Free Presbyterian Chapel stands besides St Peter's Anglican Church, it is one of the most important early building so the town. The Kirk is the second church build in the district. Built in 1858 for the Presbyterians it has been widely used by all Protestant denominations. Besides a place of worship, it was also well utilised as a meeting place by many other groups including Robe Temperance Society (1862) and the Mechanics Institute (1862-68). During this time, it was a venue for many lectures and social events as well as housing a library including British newspapers and books. A Museum was opened in the building in 1865 and a school in 1869, and in more recent times it was used as a Sunday school.

The building fell into disrepair as the town's prosperity declined. In 1984 a group of enthusiastic locals gained permission (but not financial assistance) from the Anglican Church to restore the building. As a result of community support and fundraising the building as brought back to life.

The Kirk is State Heritage listed

The large Huon pine table – the statement piece of the building – was originally housed in the Mechanical Institute Library.



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ROBE HISTORY GROUP

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Meeting each Monday in the Kathleen Browne Room 2.30 – 4 pm

Working in partnership with District Council of Robe More information available from <u>Marcia 0411374274</u>

September 2023 focus Photographs Tommy Hales Donations Policy & procedure





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Chris McLay, together with his daughters Rhiannon and Stevie, wish to convey their appreciation for the love and support provided, in addition to the beautiful memories shared by the Robe Community and beyond following the passing of their beloved Anne.

An extended thank you to the following amazing operators: Adam Brooks, Anna Heffernan & the team at Sails at Robe Rebecca Starling, Starling Flowers Woodsoak Wines Samantha Matthews, EssEmm designer Annabel Fisher, Go Fish Social Robe Hotel District Council District Council of Robe Jade Martin, funeral celebrant Wattle Range Funerals

The Mc Lay family

RTA promoting growth of Robe township through tourism development

In the heart of Robe, a group quietly works to ensure our town stays vibrant. The Robe Tourism Association (RTA) is a dedicated committee working to preserve and enhance our community's spirit.

You might be surprised to learn just how much the RTA contributes to the charm of Robe. They play a crucial role in underwriting insurance and sponsoring for a range of events that define our calendar. From the lively Beer Festival to the prestigious Southern Ocean Art Prize, the rejuvenating Health and Harmony Weekends, the thrilling Boat Show and bustling ad hoc events that happen throughout the year.

Ever wondered who's behind updating robe. com.au, the Robe event board and keeping us all connected on social media? It's the RTA, investing in the heartbeat of our town. They've got dedicated paid professionals working to make sure the world knows about our hidden gem. "Our website and social media presence are our first point of call," says Adam Gould, RTA's Vice Chairperson. "We want everyone to feel the warmth of Robe before they even set foot here."

But the RTA's efforts don't stop there. They actively lobby the council on business issues that affect us all. In fact, it was their initiative that pushed for the appointment of the Tourism and Events Manager on the council, ensuring a unified effort to make Robe even more attractive to visitors. The impact of the RTA's work extends throughout our community. More visitors mean increased stays in local accommodations, more customers at food outlets, and consistent business for beverage establishments. This, in turn, fosters a thriving local economy and ensures year-round employment opportunities, as our charming town becomes a haven for those seeking the perfect blend of coastal beauty and community.

The driving force behind the RTA? A team of volunteers with a shared passion for seeing Robe thrive. These individuals give their time and energy selflessly, embodying the true spirit of community.

In the end, the RTA's commitment to Robe goes far beyond events and websites. It's about fostering a sense of pride in our town and ensuring its growth for generations to come. So, next time you find yourself at one of the fantastic events or enjoying a stroll through our picturesque streets, take a moment to appreciate the unseen efforts of the Robe Tourism Association. Cheers to our town's continued success. Wishing you all a fantastic Summer Season from the RTA.





from all the Robe Tourism Association members!

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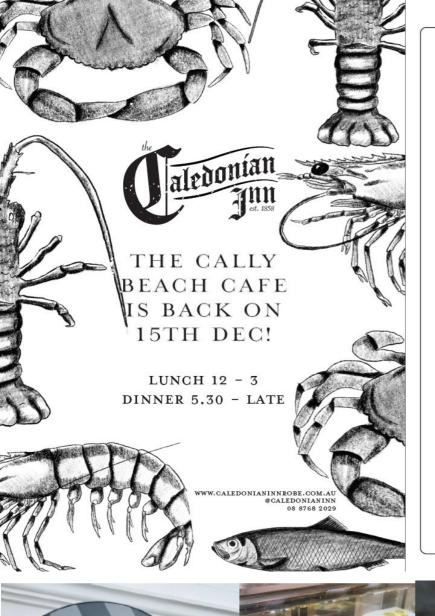
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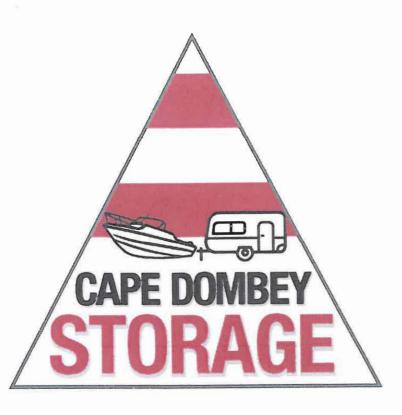
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