

# ROBE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

NOVEMBER 2023



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## *Mayor's Message*

It has been another busy month as Mayor and I have a lot to update our Community on.

Most importantly, an answer to the question that you have all been waiting for: Who has been appointed as the Chief Executive Officer of the District Council of Robe?

I am pleased to let you all know that Ms Natalie (Nat) Traeger has been appointed as our CEO. Ms Traeger will commence her employment with Robe on 2 January 2024.

I encourage you all to have a read of the joint Media Statement with Kingston District Council regarding the appointment of Ms Traeger.



*Nat Traeger*

## Meeting with Minister for Health & Wellbeing, Chris Picton MP

On Thursday 26 October 2023, the Chief Executive Officer (Acting) and I accompanied Community representatives responsible for the development of the Petition, Nick McBride MP Member for Mackillop, Dr David Senior and Robe Paramedic Liam McKay and others from the Limestone Coast Health Board to a meeting with Minister for Health & Wellbeing, Chris Picton MP. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the GP Shortage and address the issue around the Paramedics position ending on 31 December 2023.

I am please to notify our community that Minister Picton has extended the Community Paramedics position to 30 June 2024.

We are still pushing for a permanent Community Paramedic position to be allocated to Robe, and I look forward to keeping you all updated as I know more.

## Police Remembrance Day 2023

On Friday 29 September 2023, I attended the 2023 Police Remembrance Day Ceremony in Mount Gambier, South Australia.

This was a day for police to pause to honour officers whose lives have been lost in the line of duty. It is also a time to remember those officers who have sadly lost their lives due to illness or other circumstances.

I was honoured to lay a wreath on behalf of the Robe Community and pay my respects to the officers who sadly never came home. It was also an opportunity to acknowledge the dangers of policing and the unquestionable dedication of police members.



*Left to right: Mayor Lisa Ruffell (District Council of Robe), Mayor Kylie Boston (District Council of Grant), Mayor Lynette Martin (City of Mount Gambier).*

## Country Cabinet

The Country Cabinet visited the Limestone Coast on Thursday 26 and Friday 27 of October 2023. Country Cabinet visits are an opportunity for Community Members, the Premier, the Cabinet, Government heads and Councils to come together at a forum to discuss the challenges and opportunities that are unique to their area.

A Community BBQ and Open Forum were held in Naracoorte on the Thursday 26 October which was an opportunity for the Limestone Coast Community to come together and address the Cabinet on issues concerning our region that they may not be aware of. This was brilliant session with a lot of really good points being raised.

On Friday 27 October 2023, Chief Executive Officer (Acting), Pauline Koritsa and myself attended the Cabinet Meeting in Bordertown which was an opportunity for the Limestone Coast Mayors and CEO's to be addressed by the Cabinet.

## Country Cabinet (continued)

The Limestone Coast Mayors and CEO's were also given the opportunity to present to the Premier and Government Ministers in attendance. The Mayors presented on the following topics:

- Coastal
- Health
- Sustainability
- Housing
- Childcare
- Roads

In addition, I was given the opportunity to personally present to the Premier and Government Ministers on our General Practitioner Shortage, the Paramedic position and short term workers accommodation issue.

Overall, this was a brilliant opportunity for the Acting CEO and I to put Robe on the map and raise important issues with our State Government Representatives.



*Left to right: Mayor Lisa Ruffell and The Hon. Peter Malinauskas, Premier of South Australia*

## Meeting with Department Infrastructure and Transport regarding Road Issues in the Limestone Coast

On Monday 16 October 2023, Chief Executive Officer (Acting), Pauline Koritsa, Works Manager – Outdoor, Brad Roach and myself went over to Naracoorte to meet with the CEO of the Department Infrastructure and Transport to discuss the road issues in and around the Limestone Coast region.

The session was extremely valuable and I look forward to seeing the progress of our road networks in the Limestone Coast.

## Business Owners Meeting

On Tuesday 24 October 2023, I hosted a meeting with the Business owners in Robe to discuss the upcoming Summer period, specifically Parking and accommodating visitor food needs. The meeting was well attended and some brilliant ideas and suggestions were thrown around the room.

I do want to highlight to the community and business owners that Council has worked with the school again to provide parking at the back of the school oval (entry via Squires Drive). We ask that business owners please encourage their staff to utilise this parking to help free up the parking spaces in the main street.

## Community Connections, Country Wellness Connections and Carers SA Session

I would also like to use this report to update you all on the Community Connections, Country Wellness Connections and Carers SA Session which was facilitated by Skylight in Robe on 18 September 2023. The following is contact information for referrals for any person, young or old, who you identify as needing some assistance in their lives:

1) Country Wellness Connections - Provide support for people experiencing mental health challenges. One to one coaching to help achieve self identified goals, support recovery, support connection with health care, family, and community.

Phone: 08 8378 4100 Email: [skylight@skylight.org.au](mailto:skylight@skylight.org.au) Website: [skylight.org.au](http://skylight.org.au)

2) Community Connections - For people experiencing social isolation. Provide a 12 week program supporting people living in SA who are experiencing loneliness and disconnect in their lives.

Phone: 08 8378 4100 Email: [skylight@skylight.org.au](mailto:skylight@skylight.org.au) Website: [skylight.org.au](http://skylight.org.au)

3) Carers SA: This group looks after carers in our community. Will provide support, advice, peer group connections, help with respite etc. Will help with anyone who has a family member or friend who has a disability, dementia, mental illness, is frail, long term health condition, and alcohol or drug related issues.

Phone: 1800 422 737 Email: [info@carerssa.com.au](mailto:info@carerssa.com.au) Website: [www.carerssa.com.au](http://www.carerssa.com.au)

4) Red Cross: provides transport ( medical appointments, etc ), home welfare visits.

Phone: 08 8725 3622 Email: [samountgambier@redcross.org.au](mailto:samountgambier@redcross.org.au) Website: [www.redcross.org.au](http://www.redcross.org.au)

Individuals and organisations can refer people to these agencies, and people can self-refer.

## Thank you to Chief Executive Officer (Acting) and Staff

Lastly, the Elected Members and I would like to say a huge thank you to the CEO (Acting) and staff for all their incredible work over the past few months. They have all been working so hard to address your concerns and have done a fantastic job at keeping the wheels turning. Over the coming months, we will see lots of projects start and come to life which have been in the planning stages behind the scenes for quite some time now.



Kind Regards  
Mayor Ruffell

## **JOINT MEDIA STATEMENT**

DATE: 13 October 2023

### **DISTRICT COUNCIL OF ROBE APPOINTS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**



*Photo: Nat Traeger, currently Chief Executive Officer, Kingston District Council*

Following an extensive recruitment process, Mayor Ruffell is pleased to announce the appointment of Ms Natalie (Nat) Traeger as the new Chief Executive Officer at the District Council of Robe, with this decision confirmed at Council's 11 October 2023 meeting.

Growing up in country South Australia, Ms Traeger has enjoyed an impressive 36-year career in Local Government. Developing her earlier career at the Coorong District Council, Ms Traeger progressed to a senior level having demonstrated a solid track record of success, heavily focussed on Human Resources, Corporate and Community Service areas.

After many years at Manager and Director level, Ms Traeger became CEO at Kingston District Council. In her time as CEO, Ms Traeger has been instrumental in the delivery of major capital projects, bringing about a closure to all joint contractual obligations with the Cape Jaffa Development Company as well as the development and implementation of a Coastal Adaptation Strategy.

*Mayor Ruffell said, "particularly of benefit to Robe, Ms Traeger has always had a strong affinity with regional and rural locations, and really appreciates what is needed both personally and professionally to succeed in this environment".*

*"Her strength in team building, delivering community results and excellent understanding of local government at both an operational and strategic level makes her well equipped to lead our Council".*

While Ms Traeger currently lives in Kingston, she intends to relocate to Robe so will become a valuable member of our community as well as to Council.

Ms Traeger will commence with the District Council of Robe in the coming months. Although Kingston District Council are sad to see Ms Traeger leave, they wish her all the very best with her new role at Robe.

Congratulations Nat, the Robe Community look forward to getting to know you.

- ENDS -

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## Nominations still open for Australia Day Awards

Don't forget to nominate for the 2024 District Council of Robe Australia Day Awards.

The three categories are:

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Community Event of the Year

Nominations close on the 24th November 2023 at 5.00pm.



**2024 NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN**

**DISTRICT COUNCIL OF ROBE  
AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS**

The District Council of Robe would like to invite nominations for the 2024 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:** This is presented to someone making an extraordinary contribution to the community and may recognise outstanding service over a number of years. To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen.

**Young Citizen of the Year:** This is presented to an inspirational role model who is making a difference in their community. To be eligible, the person must be an Australian Citizen aged over 16 years and under 30 years of age on January 26, 2024.

**Community Event of the Year:** This is presented to the person/group who has staged the most outstanding community event during the past year. To be eligible, the person or group must be Australian Citizens.

Nomination forms and guidelines for the awards are available from the Council Office or on Council's website: [www.robe.sa.gov.au](http://www.robe.sa.gov.au).

**Nominations close 24 November 2023 at 5.00pm.**

## ***Mayor, Elected Members & CEO Message***

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

- Discretionary Rate Rebate Request – Robe RSL: The Elected Members resolved to provide the Robe RSL with a discretionary rate rebate of 100% for their land.
- Child Care on Wheels Service Group Terms of Reference: The Terms of Reference for the Committee were resolved and updated. Existing Committee Members were reappointed to the Committee.
- Lake Butler Marina Hardstand Security Gate: Elected Members considered a request from the Marina Advisory Committee to investigate opening the Hardstand area during the summer period to provide more parking. It was resolved that Council do not open the Hardstand area due to safety concerns and that the administration investigate if installing a temporary fence around the work area would satisfy the safety concerns from Safework SA.
- Code of Practice for Access to Meetings and Documents Policy – the draft policy is currently out for public consultation and can be viewed on Council's website here: [www.robe.sa.gov.au/community/public-consultation](http://www.robe.sa.gov.au/community/public-consultation) Interested persons are invited to make written submissions to the CEO by 12pm on Friday 3 November 2023 by email [council@robe.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@robe.sa.gov.au) or by post PO Box 1, Robe SA 5276.
- Cr Duncan Young Marina Advisory Committee Resignation: Elected Members considered Cr Young's resignation from the Marina Advisory Committee and resolved to accept his resignation and reappoint him to the Committee.
- Policy Revocation – Asset Capitalisation Policy: Elected Members revoked the Asset Capitalisation Policy as its contents were merged into the Asset Capitalisation & Materiality Thresholds Policy and therefore was a duplicated policy.
- Hardship Policy: Elected Members considered and adopted the updated and reviewed Hardship Policy.
- Delegations Update: Council considered proposed delegations to the Chief Executive Officer under Act's which have recently been updated. The Report and Recommendation was adopted by Elected Members.
- Procurement Policy: Elected Members considered and adopted the updated and reviewed Procurement Policy.
- LCLGA Charter: Elected Members considered the Limestone Coast Local Government Association Charter and approved it.

- Finance Report September 2023: The monthly Finance Report was adopted by Council.
- Treasury Management Policy: Elected Members considered and adopted the revised Treasury Management Policy. It should be noted that this policy will be brought back to the next Council Meeting including the Marina Sinking Fund provision contained within.
- Cruise Tender Boats Fee Waiver for Unloading/Loading Passengers: A fee waiver of \$140.70 per day for the tendering of Cruise Tender Boats until June 2026 was approved.
- Robe Run 2024 Sponsorship Request and Road Closure: In-kind support and a road closure was approved by Council for the 2024 Robe Run event. Mundy Terrace/Victoria Street from Bagot Street to Union Street will be closed between the hours of 7:00am and 9:30am on Saturday 10 February 2024.
- Heritage Advisory Group Expression of Interest: Mr Kim Kelly was appointed as a Community Representative on the Heritage Advisory Committee.
- Audit and Risk Management Committee Expression of Interest: The matter was deferred to the November 2023 Ordinary Council Meeting.

## 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 Australian Beaches Community Engagement Outcomes Report can be viewed at:

[https://yoursay.sa.gov.au/speed-limits-on-beaches/news\\_feed/consultation-report](https://yoursay.sa.gov.au/speed-limits-on-beaches/news_feed/consultation-report)

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



## Employment Opportunity with Robe Child Care on Wheels Service!

The Robe Child Care on Wheels Service are seeking Diploma Qualified Child Care Educators to join the team.

If you are interested, please send through a resume and cover letter to the Director Childcare, Karla Dew via email [karla@robe.sa.gov.au](mailto:karla@robe.sa.gov.au)

If you have enquiries regarding the employment opportunities within Child Care, please give Karla a call on 0429 682 002.



## Have you downloaded the MyLocal Services app yet?

We encourage you do so! You will be blown away by it's features and functionalities!

Not only does it remind you when bin day is, but it also contains information on upcoming events, latest news (such as the announcement of our new CEO!), latest edition of the Community Newsletter AND our favourite feature of all....'Report It'.

The 'Report It' function allows you to select the exact location of a problem, snap a photo, and send us a description of the issue. Your report will then come straight through to our customer service team for actioning!

Download the app now in the Apple Store or Google Play



District Council of  
**ROBE**  
**Mayor Lisa Ruffell**  
**in Office on Wednesday's**

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](mailto:molly@robe.sa.gov.au) or 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.



District Council of  
**ROBE**

**APPLICATIONS  
OPEN  
1 NOVEMBER 2023  
AND CLOSE  
18 DECEMBER 2023  
AT 9AM**

**COMMUNITY  
ASSISTANCE FUND  
APPLICATIONS  
NOW OPEN**

For eligibility, guidelines & application forms visit  
[www.robe.sa.gov.au/community/community-assistance-fund](http://www.robe.sa.gov.au/community/community-assistance-fund)  
or contact the Council office on  
08 8768 2003 or  
[council@robe.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@robe.sa.gov.au)

## Heritage Conservation Grant

The District Council of Robe has been successful in their grant application process for the project entitled 'Robe Historic Cemetery - Restoration Works' on behalf of community. The Department of Environment and Water will contribute \$20,000 towards the restoration works as part of the new Heritage Conservation Grants Program.

This program provides a total of \$2.5m in grant funding during the next decade - up from \$1.25m provided under the previous program initiated in 2018. South Australia has a rich heritage that contributes to our quality of life and connects us to our history and stories. Since 2018, the Heritage Grants Program has been funding conservation works with benefits including adaptive reuse of heritage buildings, support for heritage trades, and support for State Heritage Places in rural and urban areas across South Australia.

All Heritage Conservation Grant applications are

assessed by a Heritage Conservation Grants Assessment Panel and the grant has been endorsed by the Minister for Climate, Environment and Water.

We look forward to delivering this project to community over the financial year.



**FRONT BEACH  
PUBLIC TOILETS CLOSED  
FOR REPAIRS**

Monday 6 November 2023  
to  
Thursday 23 November 2023



**ROBE**



### Temporary Road Closure Notification 2023 Robe Christmas Parade

Notice is hereby given of the following temporary road closures on Sunday 17 December 2023 for the Robe Christmas Parade.

The following street will be closed to traffic between 3:30pm and 5:00pm Sunday 17 December 2023:

- Victoria Street between the Robe Street/Squire Drive intersection and Davenport Street.

The following street will be closed to traffic between 3:30pm and 7:00pm Sunday 17 December 2023:

- Mundy Terrace between Davenport Street and Bagot Street.

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

# FIRE DANGER SEASON DECLARED FOR LOWER SOUTH EAST:

## 22nd November 2023 - 30th April 2024

### Summer Ready

#### Robe Institute

7th November 2023 2.00pm-4.00pm

Join the Limestone Coast Community Resilience Roadshow to learn practical tips about how best to prepare for the Fire Danger Season.

Hear from specialists in their field about being prepared and disaster readiness in community.

This is a free event supported by SA Country Fire Service, SAPOL, Disaster Legal Support Program, and NBN.

For further information, please contact:  
Megan Hurrell  
0429 411 374  
Megan.Hurrell@eso.sa.gov.au

### LIMESTONE COAST

## "SUMMER READY"

Community Resilience Roadshow

### Practical tips and tricks about how to best prepare for the Fire Danger Season.

<b>How to protect yourself and your property.</b>	<b>Where to find important information and updates.</b>
<b>Fire Danger Ratings, laws, and restrictions.</b>	<b>How to connect, how (and what) to back up, and how to stay safe online</b>
<b>Road closures during a bushfire.</b>	

**and... where to get help when you need it.**

6 - 10 NOV 2023



NARACOORTE, BORDERTOWN, KEITH, ROBE, LUCINDALE, MILLICENT, PENOLA, PORT MACDONNELL & MOUNT GAMBIER

For location dates and times scan the QR code or go to the CFS website.



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### Upcoming fire prevention block inspections

The District Council of Robe prioritizes resident readiness for bushfires.

Essential preparations include fuel reduction, vital in the upcoming weeks as understorey grasses, scrubland, and forestry areas dry out.

Effective fuel reduction involves clearing dead branches, undergrowth, pruning low tree limbs, and cutting grass under 10 cm within 20 meters of your home.

**Council will begin property assessments in November.  
Non-compliance may result in Council intervention and fines.**

Contact Council's Community Safety Team at 8768 2003 for bushfire prevention inquiries, or visit [www.cfs.sa.gov.au](http://www.cfs.sa.gov.au)

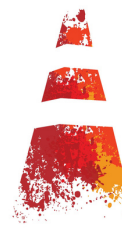
**URGENT: CFS Volunteers required!**  
**Contact Jamie on 0455530344 for more information**



# EXHIBITION OPENING NIGHT

Robe Institute  
FRIDAY 3 NOV 2023 6.30PM  
\$10 Entry - Paid on the night

ENTRY INCLUDES:  
Music, nibbles, complimentary drink on arrival along with the Award Winners presentation



**KARATTA  
WINES**  
**SOUTHERN  
OCEAN  
ART PRIZE**  
*Robe SA*

# \$10,000 Southern Ocean Art Prize 3 - 6 November 2023 Robe Institute

Opening night with awards announced -  
3 November 2023 at 6.30pm

Supported by:



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Robe & Districts



*James Leab's Family*

For more information email: [soapartprize@gmail.com](mailto:soapartprize@gmail.com)  
To register go to [www.tinybooking.com/CDZF](http://www.tinybooking.com/CDZF)  
Entries close: Friday 20 October, 5pm

@KarattaWinesSouthernOceanArtPrize  
@SouthernOceanArtPrize



# VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**THE ROBE CFS ARE CALLING OUT FOR THE URGENT  
NEED OF VOLUNTEERS FOR THE UPCOMING FIRE  
SEASON**

WANT TO LEARN MORE

[HTTPS://WWW.CFS.SA.GOV.AU/VOLUNTEERS/VOLUNTEERS/WANT-OUR-VOLUNTEERS-DO/](https://www.cfs.sa.gov.au/volunteers/volunteers/want-our-volunteers-do/)

CALL JAMIE 0455530344 WITH ANY QUESTIONS

**Dog bite safety**  
awareness and education  
materials for councils



## Good dogs have bad days.

Last year, over 500 South Australians were admitted to hospital for dog bites. Over 2,000 attacks and harassments were reported to councils. Together let's educate people about dog behaviour to get these numbers down.

**This campaign pack contains**

- 500 leaflets
- pop up banner
- 2 signs suitable for dog parks

download social media content from  
[www.dogandcatboard.com.au/campaign](http://www.dogandcatboard.com.au/campaign)

**Scheduled advertising**

**July-30 September:** Youtube, Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, Broadcast video on demand (7Plus, 9Now, 10Play, SBS on Demand, Foxtel or KAYO) digital and native internet banner advertisements

**August-30 September:** Radio and TV advertisements, bus shelters, large format digital billboards and mobile billboards.



"Our pup wouldn't hurt a fly."

From dogs we don't know to the cuddliest family pet, any dog has the potential to bite for all sorts of reasons. So it's vital we know the situations when and why dogs bite and how we can interact with dogs safely.

**Safety tips:**

- ▲ Always supervise children around dogs at home or in public.
- ▲ Never enter a dog's territory, like their bed, yard or toy box.
- ▲ Never startle a dog.
- ▲ Never touch a dog while it's eating.
- ▲ Never touch a dog's puppies without the owner's permission.
- ▲ Never disturb a sleeping dog.
- ▲ Never put your face near a dog's face.
- ▲ Teach children to always ask the owner's permission before approaching a dog.
- ▲ Remind children that dogs can bite when they're tired, frightened or annoyed and teach them the signals to look for.
- ▲ When approaching a dog, slowly reach to touch its chest from the side. If it retreats, it's time to back off.



Government of South Australia  
Dog and Cat Management Board

# Coates

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# ROBE

## BOAT SHOW

17 & 18  
FEB  
2024

**SATURDAY**  
9AM TILL 7PM

**SUNDAY**  
9AM TILL 4PM

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ENTRY:  
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OVER 12'S

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# Robe Christmas Parade

Parade to finish at the Robe Institute were you will find...

- Meet & Greet Santa
- Jumping Castle
- Face Painting
- Best Float Prizes
- Sled Raffle Drawn
- Robe Lions BBQ
- Donuts Drinks
- Bar Available
- Strictly No BYO

**Sunday 17 Dec 2023**

**4.30pm Victoria St ROBE**

This event is proudly brought to you by...

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**SOUTH EAST EXCAVATIONS**

Community Bank  
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**ROBE**



GEORGINA BARNETT  
"The colour of music"

JOJO SPOOK  
"A different view"

PAUL BLAKE  
"Shades of Summer"

## THREE PERSPECTIVES

AN EXHIBITION

Karatta Wine Room Gallery

5 Victoria Street Robe SA Telephone 08 8762608

Opening Sunday 24 September at 2pm

Exhibition dates 24 September to 30 November 2023



**KARATTA**  
WINES

# ROBE ROD RUN



**2 DECEMBER 2023**

**10AM - 2PM**

**ROBE FORESHORE**

**HOT RODS & CLASSIC CARS  
CAR DISPLAY**

# WHAT'S NEW AT THE LIBRARY

NEW BOOKS in 2023

## ADULT FICTION:

The Caretaker by Gabriel Bergmoser  
The House Hunt by CM Ewan  
The Night House by Jo Nesbo  
The Last Devil to Die by Richard Osman  
Assassin Eighteen by John Brownlow  
Sisters under the Rising Sun by Heather Morris  
The Disappearance of Astrid Bricard by Natasha Lester+  
Outback by Patricia Wolf  
Black Sheep by Judy Nunn  
12 Months to Live by James Patterson  
Darling Girls by Sally Hepworth  
Clive Cussler Condor's Fury by Graham Brown  
Before We Say Goodbye by Toshikazu Kawaguchi  
The Wake Up Call by Beth O'Leary  
Sit, Stay, Love by Amy Hutton  
Everyone and Everything by Nadine J Cohen  
The Running Grave by Robert Galbraith  
One of us is Back by Karen McManus  
23 ½ Lies by James Patterson  
Cult by Camilla Lackberg  
Weirdo by Sarah Pascoe  
Code Red by Vince Flynn & Kyle Mills  
Loyalty by Martina Cole with Jacqui Rose  
The Seven by Chris Hammer  
Gum Tree Gully by Mandy Magro  
The Defector by Chris Hadfield  
Blood Lines: Conspiracy Runs Deep by Nelson DeMille  
Second Act by Danielle Steel  
Stop Them Dead by Peter James  
Lola in the Mirrow by Trent Dalton  
Back on Track by Tricia Stringer  
Against the Fire by Kat Martin

## ADULT LARGE PRINT:

12 Months to Live by James Patterson & Mike Lupica

## ADULT NON-FICTION:

Fearless: finding the power to thrive by Jelena Dokic  
The Scrap Iron Flotilla by Mike Carlton  
Curlews on Vulture Street by Darryl Jones

## CHILDREN'S PICTURE BOOKS:

Where's Bluey at Christmas? A Search - and - Find Book  
Just Because by Matthew McConaughey  
The Three Billy Goats Gruff by First Readers

## CHILDREN'S FICTION:

Pokemon: Sword & Shield by Hidenori Kusaka  
Always Isn't Forever by JC Cervantes  
Ratbags: Take Flight by Tim Harris  
The Boss of Everyone! By Danny Wallace  
Princess Minna: The Best Princess by Kirsty Applebaum  
The Bad Guys 18: Look Who's Talking by Aaron Blabey  
The Chalice of the Gods by Rick Riordan  
Sherlock Bones and The Mystery of the Vanishing Magician by Tim Collins

## CHILDREN'S NON FICTION:

Guinness World Records 2024  
Lego Harry Potter Ideas Book by DK

**Happily accepting  
quality book donations  
all year round!**

The Robe Public Library  
and Visitor Information Centre  
presents

# STORY CORNER

Half an hour of fun aimed at book familiarity, crafting, music, rhymes and rhythm. Sensory sessions throughout the term.

Suitable for parents, grandparents and carers & children aged 0-4 years.

WHEN - TUESDAY'S 10.30 - 11.00  
DURING SCHOOL TERMS

WHERE - Robe Public Library & Visitor Information Centre Mundy Tce

For any questions phone 8768 2465

District Council of  
**ROBE**

## WANTED

**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**

# 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](http://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 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 Council information 24/7.

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 [council@robe.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@robe.sa.gov.au) or posted to PO Box 1, Robe SA 5276.

# MEETING DATES

## **Please note:**

All meetings are open to the public unless otherwise advertised

Meetings start at 6.30 pm

To view Council Agendas and Minutes visit the Council website

## **November Ordinary Meeting**

Wednesday 8th November 2023  
in the Council Chambers,  
Smillie Street, Robe

## **Community Forum**

Wednesday 15th November 2023  
in the Robe Institute,  
Mundy Terrace, Robe

## **Contact Us**

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mayorruffell@robe.sa.gov.au  
0422 445 605

Cr Kylie Peel  
crpeel@robe.sa.gov.au  
0427394268

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crwright@robe.sa.gov.au  
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# THE ROBE REEL



## ROBE SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

EDITION 1  
SEPTEMBER 2023  
PETER FRANKCOM

### Robe Community Garden

Est. 2018



All Welcome

Regular get togethers in the garden

Wednesdays from 10am

Sundays from 10am

You will find us at the rear of the Jenny Mathews playground.

Contact Robyn 0429 358 797 or Marcia 0411 374 274



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.

We would like to hear your thoughts  
Please drop in for a cuppa and chat on

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November**

**2 – 3 pm in the Kirk**

Further info available 0411374274



ROBE & KINGSTON

## BOWEN THERAPY

*Treating The Communities for 25 Years*

Naomi Hutchison Dip. Bowen (BAA, BTFA)




- ✚ Neck, Back, Shoulder, Elbow, Knee & Hamstring problems
- ✚ Sporting Injuries
- ✚ Respiratory Problems
- ✚ Body Balancing

**08 8768 2720**

**CLAIMABLE ON SOME PRIVATE HEALTH**

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Specialising in alterations and  
adjustments

Anne Yates 0417 816 075  
anne@sewrobe.com.au  Find us on Facebook

# KERBSIDE COLLECTION CALENDAR 2023

## JANUARY 2023

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**COLLECTION ENQUIRIES,  
MISSED BINS & BIN REPAIRS**  
EnviroTec 08 8762 4719

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



- **Red Waste Bin**  
Collected weekly
- Waste collection on 25 Dec moved to 22 Dec 2023
- **Yellow Recycling Bin**  
Collected fortnightly  
Collected weekly from 21 December 2023 to 26 January 2024
- Recycling collection on 7 April moved to 6 April 2023
- **Greenways Rural Waste**  
Collected fortnightly

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



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

**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](mailto:admin@envirotec.net.au)



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

NOVEMBER	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	HOME DELIVERED MEALS - ROBE
			1	2	3	<b>PLEASE ARRANGE A SWAP FROM THE ROSTER OR ASK A STANDBY CONTACT BELOW. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO FIND ANY REPLACEMENT FROM THIS LIST PLEASE PHONE</b>
			Meryl Fisher 0439 371 110	Jan Fisk 0427 682 139	Sue Evans 0408 843 268	
			Kim Kelly 0419 855 537	Nesla Boundy 0427 838 785	Mary Hay 0418 810 686	
	6	7	8	9	10	<b>Shirley Stoner 0407 799 351</b>
	Sally LeCornu 0400 183 564	Di Nolan 0439 876 843	Shirley Stoner 0407 799 351	Anne Sneath 0409 672 400	Wendy Leopold 0438 876 822	
	Pam Robinson 0419 804 019	Margie McKay 0429 917 249	Marilyn Gribble 0418 842 199	Joanne Ludwig 0418 503 326	Angela Jauncey 0407 617 934	
	13	14	15	16	17	<b>Standby Contacts</b> Valma Jennings 0419 842 396 Di Stuart 0429 310 052 Doug & Rita Baker 0400 293 871 : 0439 683 154 Margie Sinclair 0448 402 401 Rosemary Williams 0407 682 388 Jan Cook (Dec-April) 0419 842 790 K. Thompson 0409 577 080 I Stratford 0417 731 417
	Janet Fennell 0488 454 811	Dianne O'Neil 0408 682 410	Ruth Dening 0439 008 200	Irene Stratford 0417 731 417	Carol Seymour 0427 701 216	
	Mary Weir 0437 797 607	Pam Bourke 0428 518 915	Lois Jensen/L.Dening 0447590327/0429333202	Harvey Stratford 0417 731 417	Di Stuart 0429 310 052	
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	Pat Pex 0411 161 939	Merrilyn Gillespie 0427 334 050	Jenny Stevenson 0408 308 559	Veronica Muir 0417 856 014	Jill Davidson 0431 301 686	
	Robyn Bateman 0429 358 797	Peter Gillespie 0427 334 050	Cathy Brewin 0402 145 317	Marilyn Gribble 0418 842 199	Anna Leak 0429 948 238	
	27	28	29	30		(Continued from Standby Contacts)
	Tessa Levinge 0427 799 978	Sharon Petrovic 0408 852 365	Valma Jennings 0419 842 396	Doug Baker 0400 293 871		
		Carmel Hayes 0448 876 824	Nesla Boundy 0427 838 785	Rita Baker 0439 683 154		
Please sign on pickup		MEALS AVAILABLE FOR PICK UP FROM 11:15AM at ROBE COUNCIL OFFICE				

## Robe RSL Community Bus

November 2023

"Welcome aboard!"



Date	Service	Driver	Phone Nr
<b>November Monday 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Morning Tea</b>	<b>Tony and John</b>	<b>0407 180 647 &amp; 0418849994</b>
Thurs 9 <sup>th</sup>	Local Shops	Jill Davidson	0431 301 686
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Remembrance Day	Tony Stevenson	0407 180 647
Thurs 16 <sup>th</sup>	Local Shops	Sue ling	0417 825 515
Thurs 23 <sup>th</sup>	Local Shops	Robert Cece	0407 601 213
<b>Fri 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Mt Gambier</b>	<b>Marcia Dening</b>	<b>0411 374 274</b>
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Local Shops	Andy Baird	0408 809 830

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.

Mt Gambier seats can be booked up until Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> by contacting the rostered driver.

LIMESTONE COAST  
VETERANS' HUB



DVA Queries? Home Services?

Service Pension?

**WELLBEING ADVOCATE**

- **LIZ WHEELER** -

0488 528 709.

**November Monday 13th**

10:30am - 2:30pm

**Robe RSL**

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month.

*Doorway to Help – Veterans and their Families*

***Feel free to drop in for a cuppa and chat***



**RSL**  
Robe Sub Branch

**Remembrance Day Service**

War Memorial - Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Please assemble from 1030 for commencement of service at 1045

Wreath laying

Followed by a Sausage Sizzle at the RSL Sub-branch Hall

ALL WELCOME



**Remembrance Day**

— *Lest we Forget* —



# Millicent Bottles & Cans

**Opening Hours:**  
**9.30am-12.30pm**

## NOVEMBER



SAT 11th

TUES 14th

SAT 25th

TUE 28th



Matt still available for pick ups  
for local businesses

**Matt: 0477 376 967**

ROBE GOLF CLUB

# COME AND TRY GOLF

TUESDAY'S • 9.30AM

Ladies are invited to meet at the Robe Golf Club to 'come and try golf'

- No Skills are needed
  - No equipment is required
- Members will be there to help you



There is no pressure to play a given number of holes, if you haven't tried golf before, a member will be available to give you basic instructions.

Phone Robe Golf Club or 0417 968 532

# ELDERS CHRISTMAS WISH TREE

Drop a new unwrapped gift off under the Christmas Tree at the Elders Robe or Kingston SE branch by Friday 8th December. Gifts will be given to the less fortunate local families to unwrap on Christmas Morning. Ages 5 to 14 years  
Contact our office on  
Robe 8768 3100  
Kingston 8767 4000

**Elders** Real Estate

## GET INTO GOLF.

JOIN AN INTRO GOLF PROGRAM TODAY



Our Golf Program is geared for Secondary students and young adults, looking to increase their weekly physical activity on the golf course and learn some new skills at the same time.

Small group sessions with an emphasis on fun and challenging learning, while familiarising yourself with the golf course and all its facilities.

Time: Sunday 9.30-11.00am, November 19, 26 December 3, 10 and 17

Cost: \$60 for 5 sessions

Equipment: provided free of charge

Facilitators: Community Instructors: Anne, Kerry and Heather

Book and pay online: Golf Australia and click on Get into Golf programs near me



## *SA Rural Women's Gathering Robe Committee*



### *Relax to the Crayfish Crawl*

16-10-23

An active team of Robe ladies have generously offered their time and expertise to host the 29<sup>th</sup> SA Rural Women's Gathering in Robe to take place over the weekend of September 13<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

South Australia held its first Rural Women's Gathering at Murray Bridge in 1996, attracting 180 women from across the state. At the conclusion of the first gathering the committee was very keen to ensure that this Gathering tradition continue. The Gathering offers opportunities for all rural women, no matter whether they want agricultural, business information, personal development or social recreational opportunities to gather in one place over a fun filled weekend.

The local organising committee become part of the Foundation Body "SA Rural Women's Gathering Assoc Inc." (SARWG) and will follow the guidelines set by the association.

This is a fantastic opportunity to showcase Robe in all its glory and raise funds that will be injected back into the community.

The format for the weekend includes, concurrent practical workshops, guest speaker sessions, a gala dinner, social and shopping time. Lots of fun.

This weekend will be a wonderful opportunity for local businesses, organisations and individuals to be involved.

With the influx of possibly 200 plus women to Robe for the weekend, the Committee are actively recruiting people to volunteer to:

- Share skills as a workshop leader.
- Tell your story as a local artist.
- be a caterer for morning & afternoon teas, Friday evening meal, Saturday gala dinner, Sunday packed lunch
- Sponsor the event. [In appreciation of your sponsorship, acknowledgement, via advertising for your business will be displayed in different ways giving guests the opportunity to visit and support your business.]
- Being part of the committee or volunteering to assist in the running of weekend.

Please consider this great opportunity to put Robe on the map for a special weekend of educating, learning new skills, socializing and having a great time.

For further information, or to discuss sponsorship. Please don't hesitate to contact a committee member:

Chairperson: Heather Gibbons (0407 978 335)

Committee members:

Cathy Brewin	0402 145 317	Robyn Bateman	0429 358 797
Helen Lehmann	0407 554 344	Marcia Dening-Wasson	0411 374 274
Elise Lehmann	0438 202 342	Veronica Muir	0417 856 014
Sue Ward	0417 342 850	Valma Jennings	0419 842 396
Nesla Boundy	0427 838 785	Anne O'Loughlin	0477 011 956



ROBE BOWLING CLUB PROUDLY BRINGS YOU

# Corporate Bowls



**WEDNESDAYS DURING NOVEMBER, COMMENCING 8<sup>TH</sup>**

**6PM START, TEAMS OF 4, \$60 PER TEAM**

**BBQ INCLUDED AND WEEKLY PRIZES**

**REGISTER BY 31 OCTOBER**

**NESLA 0427 838 785 [boulderby@bigpond.com](mailto:boulderby@bigpond.com)**

**VALMA 0419 842 396 [vjennings@bigpond.com](mailto:vjennings@bigpond.com)**

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## Robe Bowls Club

### Xmas Holiday Twilight Bowls

Wednesday and Thursday nights  
Names in by 5pm for 6pm start

\$10 per person  
BBQ available



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

## ROBE LIONS SECOND CHANCE

### OP SHOP



### NEEDS A HAND

Volunteering supports your community, grows your skills and gives you a sense of purpose, knowing you are donating your time to supporting those in need.

If you would like to contribute some time to the Second Chance Op Shop, whilst meeting new people and being a part of our team,

Please consider giving us a hand.



For more information regarding ways you can assist

Please phone 0458 548 674



## 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.

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Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 21st November. 10. a.m @ Bowling Club  
Guest Speaker Pat Moseley

All membership enquiries to  
Marilyn Gribble 0418842199 or Cathy Brewin  
0402145317

# 2023 Robe Community Garden High Tea

Robe Community Garden hosted its fourth High Tea on Sunday 15 October at Robe Football Clubrooms.

The theme was Pearls and Lace.

This year we were thrilled to have 3 sponsors to make this day possible

- Robe Football Club
- Woodsoak Wines
- Robe Lions Club

Our fashion parade was hosted by 2 fashion houses in Robe

- The Shak of Robe
- Retail Therapy.

Many thanks to Deb Varcoe and Met Riseley for their help selecting clothing for 9 models who all did a wonderful job !

We really appreciated the music played by Ned Wright, Dick Mackey and Ian Bell which helped us enjoy another successful fundraiser again.

Robyn Bateman  
Robe Community Garden





# Robe Knitting Club



Meets every Wednesday.  
1:30pm onwards  
Mahalia Coffee  
Social Knitting for charities or knit your own project.  
Beginners and experienced knitters all welcome.  
Donations of wool always kindly appreciated.



## FREE PRODUCE SWAP

**FIRST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH**

at the ROBE GOLF CLUB 10.am

Bring along your excess jams, vegetables, cakes, herbs, seedlings, plants, flowers and swap with something you don't have.

Everyone welcome



## ROBE HISTORY GROUP

New members are welcome.

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

Working in partnership with District Council of Robe  
More information available from Marcia 0411374274

September 2023 focus  
Photographs  
Tommy Hales  
Donations  
Policy & procedure

## Lapwing Gallery

### Robe Art Group



Open Friday to Sunday 10-3 pm

Local artists exhibiting work

Always looking for new members

Ask us how to join



Phone Anne 0477 011 956

Email [lapwinggallery@bigpond.com](mailto:lapwinggallery@bigpond.com)



# South Australian Regional Bridge Upgrades

Reedy Creek and Thornlea, Princes Highway

## BOAT LICENCE COURSE

Surf Life Saving SA (SLSA) is South Australia's major coastal water safety, drowning prevention and rescue authority. Surf Life Saving creates a safe environment on and off our beaches, through patrols, training programs and education. Surf Life Saving is a unique not-for-profit charity and community service that exists only through community donations, fundraising, corporate sponsorship, and government grants. Our vision is ZERO preventable drowning deaths in South Australian Waters.

### NEW COURSE LOCATIONS | \*SPECIAL OFFER - \$129

**Monday 6th November – Murray Bridge**

**Tuesday 7th November – Berri**

**Monday 13th November – Port Vincent**

**Monday 20th November – Port Augusta**

**Tuesday 21st November – Whyalla**

**Wednesday 22nd November – Port Lincoln**

**Monday 27th November – Beachport**

**Tuesday 28th November – Mount Gambier**

*(All courses run from 5:00pm - 8:00pm)*

Anyone who operates a recreational vessel with an engine in South Australia, including a personal watercraft (PWC) is required to have a boat operators' licence. We are the approved and recognised State Government provider for SA Boat Licence Courses. Don't pay hundreds of dollars elsewhere.

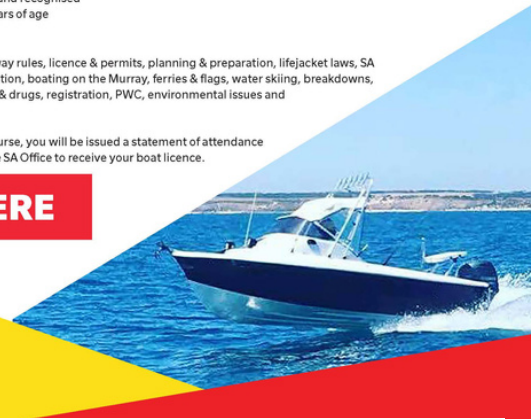
- Face to Face education & training presented by experienced presenters
- Presentation and assessment conducted in the one 3-hour workshop
- SA Government approved and recognised
- Participants must be 16 years of age

### Course contents include

Boat terminology, collision & give way rules, licence & permits, planning & preparation, lifejacket laws, SA water & weather conditions, navigation, boating on the Murray, ferries & flags, water skiing, breakdowns, emergencies, speed limits, alcohol & drugs, registration, PWC, environmental issues and conservation.

On successful completion of the course, you will be issued a statement of attendance which can be presented at a Service SA Office to receive your boat licence.

**BOOK HERE**



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  - CDBS & SA Dental Services Schemes
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PO Box 37

Robe SA 5276

**T 08 8768 2130**

**F 08 8768 2064**

**E [vistreetdental@outlook.com](mailto:vistreetdental@outlook.com)**

We are upgrading a series of bridges and culverts across regional South Australia to extend the service life of the structures and improve safety for road users.

### When

Tuesday, 31 October 2023  
until late November 2023.

### Hours of operation

Between 7am - 5pm  
Monday to Saturday.

### Where

Drain L on the Princes Highway, Reedy Creek

Stormwater crossing on the Princes Highway, Thornlea.

### What's happening:

Main works are now complete with finishing works currently underway. We expect the works to be fully finished at both sites in late November 2023 (weather permitting). Before speed limits can be fully reinstated, final pavement spray sealing, and final line marking are required.

### How this affects you:

During work hours there will be changes to traffic conditions to keep everyone safe at both sites. Following completion of the pavement works, reduced speeds will be required at all times until the final line marking is complete. Please follow traffic management directions while works are in progress. Slower speeds will be required in the work area until line marking is complete.

### For further information:

- Visit [dit.sa.gov.au/SARegionalBridges](http://dit.sa.gov.au/SARegionalBridges)
- Email [DIT.Engagement@sa.gov.au](mailto:DIT.Engagement@sa.gov.au)
- Call 1300 794 880



Australian Government



Government of South Australia  
Department for Infrastructure and Transport

South Australian Regional Bridge Upgrades  
25/10/2023

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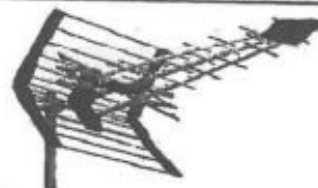
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