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Welcome to the April 2021 Edition!

Once again, we have been overwhelmed by the positive feedback from our readers, which we are always humbled to receive.

I am excited to have some wonderful contributions once again, starting with the stunning shot of the Domino Cuckoo Bee on page 8! It is very exciting to share with readers pictures of the amazing, and perhaps unknown, parts of our beautiful area. If you have a picture you would like to see on the front cover please feel free to send them in.

With Easter and School Holidays around the corner, we have tried to fill this edition with information and events to help keep you informed and entertained with what is happening in our part of the world. If you have the chance to get out to a fabulous event over the next few weeks, we would love to hear about it!

I hope you enjoy reading our latest edition!

-Joshua Reiter, Editor



ABRA Membership

All residents or institutions who reside in the 5173 or 5174 postcode area (Port Willunga, Aldinga, Aldinga Beach and Sellicks Beach) are welcome to join the Aldinga Bay Residents Association (ABRA).

By becoming a member of ABRA you can contribute to the policies and discussions around what is going on in your local area.

Our current Annual Membership Fees:

Concession/ Senior \$5

Adult \$10

Family/ Institutions \$20

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ABRA strives to generate awareness and community response on local maters, review actions and policy of Government and Institutions and support community projects.

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Alternatively, our Business and Services Listings are currently \$25 per annum and are great way to quickly let our readers know about your business and what you offer our community!

Please note that all Business Listings and Advertisements must be in by <u>5pm Wednesday</u> <u>28th of April 2021</u> to ensure they can be included in our May edition!

ABRA Committee

President Joshua Reiter <u>president.abra.org.au</u> 0438 476 068

Vice President Lorraine Rosenberg

Minutes Secretary Mos Day

Treasurer Nathan Reiter

Other Committee Members:

Bernice Wuttke, Dennis Wuttke, Marianne Stafford, Bernie Stafford, Anne Chittleborough

Congratulations to Lorraine, Mos and Nathan who were recently appointed to fill roles we had been struggling to fill since our last Annual General Meeting. We now have a robust and diverse committee.

Once again a big 'THANK YOU' to Bernie and Marianne Stafford who filled the vacant roles on a temporary basis while we were looking for our successors.

If you are interested in joining our committee, please feel free to speak to any of us!

Local Government Update

Council approves McLaren Vale Upgrade

The City of Onkaparinga has progressed with a plan to spend \$310,000 on the Main Street Plan for McLaren Vale after 69% of consultation respondents indicating they either 'loved' or 'liked' the proposal.

The plan will see upgraded lighting and irrigation as well as the installation of a "major art piece".

A report from the council identified that the expenditure in 2021/2022 will be funded our of an Economic Development Reserve and existing Operations budgets and that future works will be part of the Capital Works process.

While the report noted that Main Road, McLaren Vale is a State-owned road, the project had been designed to "minimise(d) the actions requiring the support and approval of the Department of Transport"

The plan has been referred to as a "five-year action plan" with additional funding required each year culminating in \$155,000 in the final financial year (2024/2025).

Council Survey shows gap in Rates and Debt knowledge in community

Councillors received a report in March which showed the gap in knowledge within the community on the budgeting process within the council as well as how the rate-setting process and debt management is handled on behalf of ratepayers.

Based on the survey, 62% of respondents felt they knew "little or nothing" about how council rates are calculated and 79% reported knowing "little or nothing" about council debt.

The report recognised that council financial documents such as the Annual Business Plan has a high degree of complexity but that as council programs and services "do not change significantly from year to year" the degree of the potential community impact of each budget is low.

The council will now spend \$30,000 on community engagement on the 2021/2022 Annual Business Plan to aid both informing and consulting with the community during the May-June 2021 consultation period.

'Place of Courage' to be created in Seaford

After a long campaign from the Spirit of Woman group, the City of Onkaparinga has released a concept plan for a 'Place of Courage' public art project, which will be open for community consultation until April 12th 2021

The artwork is flagged to be installed in the garden at the Seaford Community Centre after being identified by the Council as a suitable location.

Adelaide Artist Clancy Warner has been engaged to design the artwork. The artwork is expected to cost about \$42,000 however, \$15,000 will come from a State Government grant.

The concept is part of a series of public spaces across South Australia and will be a place for reflection, contemplation and healing that provides an enduring symbol for current and future generations of the lifelong traumatic impact of family and domestic violence. Feedback can be submitted to www.yoursay.onkaparinga.sa.gov.au

Sources: City of Onkaparinga Council website

Onkaparinga Councillors

South Coast Ward

Covering the suburbs of Sellicks Beach, Aldinga Beach, Port Willunga, Maslin Beach, Moana, Seaford Rise, Seaford and the North East portion of Aldinga (using Main South Road as the boundary) Deputy Mayor Simon McMahon Simon.McMahon@onkaparinga@sa.gov.au

Cr Richard Peat
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State Government Update

Another Roundabout set for Quinliven Road.

The State Government has announced a \$9.4 million roundabout will be built on the intersections Quinliven, How and Bowering Hill Roads, as a result of increased risk as the new Aldinga Payinthi College opens next year.

The project will also see the relocation of the existing koala crossing 80 meters east along Quinliven Road and comes in succession to the recently built roundabout on Quinliven Road as well as pedestrianactivated traffic lights, the first traffic lights installed in Aldinga.

The roundabout will be the fifth roundabout along the Quinvlien/Port Road stretch and will be the fourth in the 1.2 km stretch between the Cardijn Galilee School intersection and Main South Road.

The Education Minister, John Gardner MP said "Families will equally welcome these critical safety upgrades that will greatly support managing the increased traffic flow in the area and help keep students safe."

The roundabout which will create 45 jobs during the project is set to be completed before the new school opens.

Myponga Reservoir now open to kayakers

Two years after opening up the Myponga Reservoir to the public, the State Government has opened up onwater access to kayakers.

Since the Reservoir was first opened for public access in April 2019 it is reported that 75,000 visitors have visited, providing a boost to the local community.

It is expected that other Reservoirs will also have increased public access in the coming months.

Ambos dispute continues as ramping crisis deepens

The Ambulance Employees Association (AEA) has continued to pursue its dispute against the South Australian Government in the Employment Tribunal.

In late March the Government offered an additional 50 Ambulance Officers would be funded on the condition that all Industrial Action (including not charging patients for Ambulance Call Outs) be dropped. The AEA has rejected the conditions attached to the offer and plans to hold a rally with the support of other unions on the 1st of April.

The AEA claims that the Government is withholding a report which demonstrates a deepening ramping and under-resourcing crisis.

Petrol Pricing Data goes live

Attorney-General Vickie Chapman MP has welcomed the launch of Petrol Pricing data in South Australia which allows third-party applications to access realtime information on petrol prices at service stations across the state.

Service stations have a 30-minute window to update prices or face fines from \$550 to \$10,000. A data validation service will also be launched to ensure that the data provided is accurate.

For a list of which apps have access to the data head to www.sa.gov.au/fuelprices

Sources: Ministerial Press Releases via www.premier.sa.gov.au

State Election 2022

This month on Page 10 we feature recently selected Liberal Candidate for Mawson, Amy Williams. We will be featuring the Labor Candidate in a similar article soon as well as any independent candidates we are made aware of. ABRA/Coastal Views is apolitical and will offer equal opportunity to all Mawson Candidates.

State Member of Parliament

Electorate of Mawson

Currently covers from Port Willunga across to McLaren Vale and McLaren Flat down through, Willunga, Aldinga, Sellicks Beach, and continues along the Coast to Cape Jervis and Kangaroo Island

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Federal Government Update

MP's call on Tax Relief for Locally Distillers

Federal MP for Mayo, Rebekha Sharkie recently teamed up with Independent MP Andrew Wilkie calling on the Federal Government to provide tax relief to the 300 locally owned distilleries in Australia.

The motion specifically called on the Federal Government to:

- (a) cut the spirits excise rate to the brandy rate;
- (b) freeze spirits and brandy CPI indexation for three years; and
- (c) provide much needed relief to local craft distillers by increasing the current excise refund scheme limit from \$100,000 to \$350,000 for two years, bringing it into line with the rebate offered to small wine producers under the wine equalisation tax.

The industry currently contributes around 5,000 jobs in Australia and indirectly supports further 15,000 jobs. The industry has also received praise for its swift action in producing hand sanitizers during the peak of the COVID-19 outbreak in Australia last year.

Debate on the motion was adjourned to be resumed at a later date.

Rebekha Sharkie calls out Vaccine Price Gouging

Federal MP for Mayo Rebekha Sharkie has called out price gouging from GP clinics charging up to \$90 "vaccine suitability assessments" for new patients booking in at a vaccine clinic.

Those who had reported being charged this amount included Pensioners, which the MP has described as "outrageous" as well as against the requirements for clinics providing the vaccinations.

The Federal Health Minister has stated that the vaccines are free and voluntary and that any associated consultations associated with taking the vaccine must be bulk-billed.

Vaccinations against COVID-19 are available from some local GP clinics for those who are in Phase 1a or 1b. In recent weeks there have been reports of appointments queues spanning a number of weeks.

Ms Sharkie acknowledged that this "appear(s) to be an outlier and that most GP's are adhering to the rules"

Sources: Press Releases from Rebekha Sharkie and Federal Parliament Official Records (Hansard)

Federal Member of Parliament

Division of Mayo

Mayo covers over 9,300 km² ranging from the Barossa Valley in the North, the Adelaide Hills in the East, Victor Harbor in South as well as Kangaroo Island. Mayo also includes most of the Fleurieu Peninsula including the suburbs of Aldinga, Willunga and McLaren Vale

Rebekha Sharkie MP

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Ms Sharkie, along with your State and Council representatives are regularly invited to attend ABRA public meetings

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AN IMPORTANT ABRA COMMUNITY MEETING

MAIN SOUTH ROAD DUPLICATION PROJECT TUESDAY 27th of April 2021 starting at 7.30pm Venue to be announced (via Facebook and abra.org. au)

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, you must register to attend via this link:

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/abra-main-south-road-duplication-tickets-141059437575

Labor and Liberal Politicians have been invited to attend!

IF YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO SAY ON THE MAIN SOUTH ROAD DUPLICATION DO NOT MISS OUT!!!



Domino Cuckoo Bee



Domino Cuckoo Bee (*Thyreus waroonensis*), Aldinga Scrub. Photo by Aidan Bradford.

The Domino Cuckoo Bee follows a female bee back to her burrow and lays a single egg on or near the host's pollen ball. The Cuckoo Bee larvae then destroy the host's egg. The burrow entrance is shut by the host bee which means the Cuckoo Bee doesn't have to dig a burrow or collect pollen. She just goes back to drinking nectar and enjoying the sun-shine!

If we picture the Aldinga Scrub some 150 years ago when Europeans first arrived, the present area stood much as it does now with tall Red Gums (*Eucalyptus camaldulensis*) in the top north-east corner standing in winter in up to 1 metre of water and with a shallow lagoon stretching almost half a kilometre northward. Along the eastern boundary was a swamp which developed to the south of the scrub into a large lagoon known as Blue Lagoon.

The Aldinga Scrub owes its present existence to its boggy nature which made it unsuitable for farming, and to the foresight of the Willunga Council. By 1968 the need to preserve native flora and fauna for its own value was becoming recognised and the conservation movement was gaining momentum.

The Willunga Council resolved not to allow further subdivision of the Aldinga scrub and between 1969 and 1982 about 277 hectares were purchased. In November 1985 the area was gazetted as the 'Aldinga Scrub Conservation Park'. In 1991, an additional parcel of land on the northern boundary was purchased which brings the current area of the Park to approximately 300 hectares.

In 1987, the Friends of Aldinga Scrub was formed by a group of concerned community members to protect the Scrub and to lobby on its behalf. The Friends activities include working bees, propagation, tree planting, educational programs for schools, and monitoring the impact of development adjacent to the Scrub.

If you would like to learn more about Aldinga Scrub or the Friends group, visit: www.friendsofaldingascrub. com.au/

Main South Road Duplication Update

After years of fighting for the full Duplication of Main South Road from Seaford to Sellicks, the State Transport Department has released concept designs.

The designs include two 'scenarios' one which has the full duplication to Sellicks with roundabouts while the other duplicates Main South Road to Aldinga (not Sellicks) with an overpass at the intersection with Tatachilla and Maslin Beach Roads.

Importantly both options include a duplication of Victor Harbor Road to McLaren Vale (option 1 goes to Main Road, with option 2 ending at Tatachilla Road)

The inclusion of Victor Harbor Road in the project has caused a mixed reaction in the community with former Mayor Lorraine Rosenberg (and new Vice President of ABRA) describing the move as "robbing Peter to pay Paul". Lorraine has also urged for the communities to speak up and attend the ABRA Public meeting and to provide feedback to the Department that the community does not support either scenario.

Main South Road Action Group (MSRAG) who have been calling out for overpass options at all major intersections have been vocally criticising the move stating that the Government is down-playing traffic volume numbers on Main South Road and that the State Government has "stolen our money!"

Questions remain as to why money originally promised for Main South Road is now being spent on a combined project and why money provided by the Federal Government for duplication of the Aldinga to Sellicks stretch is being used for other stretches under one of the scenarios.

As a strong supporter of MSRAG, ABRA is calling on readers to support the suggestions to not support either scenario in the mailed-out survey residents would have received and instead provide a comment at the bottom of the survey that the community wants (as expressed in a widely circulated petition) the full duplication and intersection upgrades of Main South Road.

- Ioshua Reiter

For more information and to see the flyer over video head to: https://www.dpti.sa.gov.au/infrastructure/road-projects/fleurieu-connections



Photo: Two Lane Roundabout proposed for Tatachilla, Maslin Beach and Main South Road intersection



Photo: Duplicated Victor Harbor road, which is being included as part of both scenarios



Photo: Instead of a roundabout, the same intersection from Photo 1 could be an interchange, at the expense of full duplication of between Aldinga and Sellicks

Community Consultation is being sought by the Transport Department, via a survey which has been mailed to many households in the region. Consultation is closing on Friday 28th of May 2021

ABRA is organising a public meeting to be held on April 27th ot discuss the project, see page 7 for more!

Liberal Candidate for Mawson, Amy Williams



Amy Williams was raised on the Fleurieu Peninsula – her family's home for four generations. Growing up on the farm, playing local sport and being involved in various community groups has made Amy acutely aware of issues facing our area.

She is experienced, hardworking and determined to achieve good outcomes for the Fleurieu Peninsula and Kangaroo Island. As the Liberal candidate for Mawson for the 2022 State Election, Amy is a committed community leader in the region.

Amy started coordinating local landcare and catchment projects while still at university. Having completed degrees in Science and Law, Amy took on various senior leadership roles within primary industries and the natural resource management sector.

These roles include Executive Officer of Primary Producers SA, the Horticulture Coalition of SA and the former Natural Resources Management Council. More recently she has been a Training and Skills Commission member, chairing the Agribusiness Industry Skills Council, and a member of the Hills and

Fleurieu Landscape Board. She has also chaired the Fleurieu Dairyfarmers Collective Bargaining Group and been the President of the Parawa Ag Bureau.

Her strong background with family businesses is combined with a commitment to sustainability and responsible planning. Without doubt, Amy has the leadership qualities and industry experience to deliver results for the people of Mawson.

"The Fleurieu Peninsula is my home and I also have some strong links to Kangaroo Island. We have a beautiful electorate with great community groups, businesses and industry leaders – and lots of ideas and potential to add to the existing achievements," Amy said.

"The people of Mawson deserve a strong voice in the State Parliament; someone who can work effectively towards the best outcomes for Mawson and South Australia.

"I'm honoured to be given the opportunity to earn the support of the community as the candidate for Mawson and I'm looking forward to meeting many more people in the community as I campaign for the re-election of the Marshall Liberal Government in 2022," she said.

Amy was recently selected to be the Liberal Candidate for Mawson in the 2022 State Election. Other candidates will be profiled in upcoming editions and ABRA looks forward to inviting all Mawson Candidates to an ABRA meeting closer to the March 2022 Election.

Aldinga History

Two cottages in Old Main South Road, Aldinga

These two cottages lie within the Historic Character Area of Aldinga (part of section 400) and are important contributory elements to that character. They are typical of the small residences constructed in the 1860s to 1880s and display simple symmetrical fronted design that was typical of residential buildings, both in the city and in the country areas, during this period. They are constructed of sandstone with brick quoins and door and window dressings. One cottage has had the dressings rendered over to provide a more formal finish. Both cottages retain unpainted stone. It is interesting to note that one cottage has had its elevation sheltered with a verandah while the other remains without a verandah. Both have been reroofed, but the chimneys are intact and original.

In one cottage (number 11) James Alexander Nelson, a carpenter, and his wife Mary Ann Alice (née Coleman) together with their rapidly growing family lived for more than twenty years from early 1888 until 1911 and ten of their eleven children were born in Aldinga between 1889 and 1909. The family had moved to Aldinga before July of 1888 when James was involved in the rescue of the survivors of the Star of Greece shipwreck. In 1889 he was appointed as the Minister's Warden at St. Ann's Anglican Church, Aldinga and he was re-elected in 1890. James Alexander Nelson nominated for, and was elected as, an auditor for the elections for the Aldinga District Council on at least 3 occasions in June 1895, June 1898 and again in June 1908. The Nelson family moved to Goodwood in 1911.

ABRA MEETING

Main South Road Duplication
Tuesday 27th of April 2021 from 7:30pm

Venue to be Announced
RSVP: https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/abra-main-south-road-duplication-

tickets-141059437575

Labor and Liberal Politicians have been invited to attend

The allotment that is now 13 Old Main South Road was purchased by blacksmith George Bradley Cox in April 1885. George had been born in Aldinga on 1 Nov 1860, he had married Elizabeth Hart on 5 May 1883 and they had 7 children. They moved from Aldinga to Victoria in 1888. This move was possibly related to the economic depression of the period and George died in 1892, aged just 31 years, in Beulah, Victoria. In 1887 the property was sold to John Noah Crisp, who would later lease and then purchase the blacksmiths shop on the corner of Old Coach Road and Old Main South Road. John Noah Crisp held the property until his death in 1939 after which it passed to his son Wilton Ray Crisp and then to his grandson Glen Raymond Crisp in 1951.

-Mark Staniforth
Willunga District Walks co-ordinator
National Trust of SA (Willunga Branch)

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Tribe FM Schedule

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12midnight-7am - Music from the Vault

7-9am - Sunshine on Toast with Mel

9-11am - Trev on Tribe

11am-12noon - Trev's Garden

12noon-2pm - Raven Nation with Merrin

2-3pm - Waldorf Salad

3-5pm – The Grapevine with Vivian & Guests

5-6pm - Music Mayhem with Craig

6-7.30pm – Siren to Siren Sports Show with Craig & Michael

7.30-9.30pm - The Check in with Luke, David & Lucy

9.30-11.30pm - The Lost & Found with Richard

11.30pm-12midnight - Music from the Vault

SATURDAY Live to Air

12midnight-2am | REPLAY | The Grapevine with Vivian & Guests

2-5am - Music from the Vault

5-6am | REPLAY | Music Mayhem with Simon & Craig

6-7.30am | REPLAY | Siren to Siren Sports Show

7.30-8am - Music from the Vault

8-10am – The Weekend Wake-Up with Taras, Grace & Martijn

10-12noon - Heartbeat with Anne

12noon-2pm – Skin Beat with Anna- Marie

2-4pm – Lawnmower Music with Charlie

4-6pm - The Kaos Show with Tony, River, Ian & Julie

6-8pm - Vapour Trail with Greg & Elizabeth

8-10pm – Funk Fusion presents Glitterball with Peter & Darren

10pm-12midnight | REPLAY | Raven Nation with Merrin

SUNDAY Live to Air

12midnight-2am - Music from the Vault

2-4am | REPLAY | The Kaos Show with Tony, River, Ian & Iulie

4-9am – Music from the Vault

9-10am – Music with Mitch

10-11am | REPLAY | Short Take with Anna-Marie

11am-1pm - Sunday Brunch with Jen

1-4pm – Inky & Pinky

4-6pm – The Indigo Show with Vivian

6-8pm – The Oz Effect with Wisey

8-9pm - Bleak Frequencies with Ben

9-11pm – Raw Radio with Corey

11pm-12midnight | REPLAY | Vapour Trail with Greg & Elizabeth

MONDAY Streaming Online (tribefm.org.au)

12midnight-1am | REPLAY | Vapour Trail with Greg & Elizabeth

1-2am Music from the Vault

2-4am | REPLAY | The Kaos Show with Tony, River, Ian & Julie

4-7am - Music from the Vault

7-9am | REPLAY | The Weekend Wake-Up with Taras, Grace & Martijn

9am-12noon - The 3E Show with Bob & Merrin

12noon-2pm – The Wave with Marty

2-4pm - The Bubble with Ros

4-6pm – The Retro Show with Tony

From 6pm Monday Streaming Online (tribefm.org.au)

6pm-12midnight - Music from the Vault

TUESDAY Streaming Online (tribefm.org.au)

12midnight-2am – Music from the Vault

2-4am | REPLAY | The Retro Show with Tony

4am-12noon - Music from the Vault

12noon-2pm | REPLAY | Skin Beat with Anna- Marie

2-4pm | REPLAY | Vapour Trail with Greg & Elizabeth

4pm-12midnight – Music from the Vault

WEDNESDAY Streaming Online (tribefm.org.au)

12midnight-2am – Music from the Vault

2-4am | REPLAY | The Retro Show with Tony

4am-12noon - Music from the Vault

12noon-3pm | REPLAY | The Grapevine with Vivian & Guests

3-4pm Music from the Vault

4-6pm | REPLAY | Raw Radio with Corey

6-8pm | REPLAY | Vapour Trail with Greg & Elizabeth

8pm-11pm | REPLAY | Inky & Pinky

11pm-12 midnight Music from the Vault

THURSDAY Streaming Online (tribefm.org.au)

12.30-10am - Music from the Vault

10am-12noon | REPLAY | The Indigo Show with Vivian

12noon-2pm | REPLAY | Skin Beat with Anna- Marie

2-6pm – Music from the Vault

6-8pm | REPLAY | The Lost & Found with Richard

8pm-12midnight - Music from the Vault

Community radio serving the Onkaparinga community with Info and Entertainment. Let Tribe FM keep you up to date with the latest happenings in your area while keeping you entertained with great music and local content.



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Triple Z Schedule

Monday

6:00pm - Hot Stuff with Mark and Cheri 8:00pm - The Thiele Experience with Mark 10:00pm - Bertie's B Side with Robert Dunstan

Tuesday

12:00am - Oz Overnight (100% Aussie tunes)

09:00am - Into The Wind with Pat

11:00am - Tradie's Tunes with Shane

1:00pm - Off The Beat'n'Track with Denis

3:00pm - Tuesday Tunes with Peter

5:00pm - Global Beat with Cheri

7:00pm - Dust Radio with The Dust Brothers

9:00pm - Mikes Mixtape with Mike K

Wednesday

12:00am - Oz Overnight (100% Aussie tunes)

7:00am - Walk Right In with Michelle

9:00am - In Depth with Alan

11:00am - Heart & Soul with Jenny G

1:00pm - Breakfast with Master Thiele

3:00pm - Melting Pot with Dudley

5:00pm - On The Road Again with Robert Dunstan

7:00pm - The Voyage with Sean

9:30pm - The Punk Show with Greg

Thursday

12:00am - Oz Overnight (100% Aussie tunes)

7:00am - Mishmash with Mish

9:00am - Temporary Vacant slot

11:00am - Yacht Rock with Captain John

1:00pm - Sound of Jazz with Robert

3:00pm - Some Folk with David, Julie & Jane

5:00pm - The Electric Drive with Michael Mild

7:00pm - The Local with Kym

9:00pm - Just Joshin' with Josh

Friday

12:00am - Oz Overnight (100% Aussie tunes)

Other Broadcasts (via our stream)

Saturday

7:00pm - The Local with Kym (repeat)

10:00pm - Heart & Soul with Jenny G (repeat)

Sunday

12 Noon - The Goon Show

1:00pm - Heavy Metal Thunder with Dave Metal



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Triple Z 91.1 is a community based radio station serving the Fleurieu Peninsula

Triple Z is governed by the Southern Vales Community Radio Incorporated, a not-for-profit, community organisation

Thank you to Tribe FM and Triple Z for providing us with their program schedules.

ABRA and Coastal Views appreciates their service to the community and would encourage readers to listen in when they can!

Supporting local radio stations is just one way of helping support our local community!

April 2021 Dates

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

Important Dates

APRIL EVENTS

1st- April Fool's Day

2nd- Good Friday **Public Holiday**

4th- Easter Sunday

4th- Daylight Saving Ends @ 3am!

5th- Easter Monday **Public Holiday**

7th- World Health Day

9th-Term 1 Ends

20th- Council Meeting (6.30pm)

25th- ANZAC Day

26th- ANZAC Day **Public Holiday**

27th- ABRA MEETING (Main Sth Rd!) 7.30pm

29th- International Dance Day

April Weather Statistics

Average Temperature: Low 13.7- High 22.4

Average Rainfall: 34.3 mm

Highest Daily Maximum 35.4 (April 2, 2005)

Lowest Daily Maximum 14.1 (April 27, 2008)

Highest Daily Minimum 26.6 (April 2, 2005)

Lowest Daily Minimum 5.9 (April 20, 2015)

Highest Daily Rainfall: 32.4 mm (April 29, 2014)

Source: Elders Weather Records from 2000-2020

Monday April 5th, 4:00pm

Get Into Golf- Willunga Golf Club

Introductory Golf Program for 5-12 year olds. Go to www.willungagolf.com.au for more information.

Saturday April 10th, 10:00am

Snake Awareness Workshop- Willunga Uniting Church

Hosted by the Willunga Environment Centre, presented by Nadia from Radicool Reptiles who will guide you through what to in the event of a snake encounter or snake bite! To book your spot head to:

https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/snake-awareness-workshop-living-in-your-environment-tickets-141392238993?aff=erelexpmlt

Sunday April 11th, 9.30am

Southern Deadly Fun Run-Rotary Park Christies Beach

Registration opens from 9.30am. All fitness levels welcome for 3 or 5 km walk/run and a free BBQ

Check out our back page for more school holiday events!

Source: Council Website

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Anglicare Emergency Assistance	1800 748 149
Centacare Southern Counselling Service	8557 9050
City of Onkaparinga	8384 0666
Communities for Children	8202 5944
Crime Stoppers	1800 333 000
Domestic Violence Helpline	1800 800 098
Drug & Alcohol Info. Service	1300 13 1340
Family & Individual Counselling	8186 8900
Family Relationship Centre	8202 5200
Flinders Medical Centre	8204 5511
Gambling Helpline	1800 060 757
GP Aldinga After Hours Clinic	0410 190 291
GP Plus Aldinga	8557 9500
Legal Advice Line	1300 366 424
LifeLine	13 11 14
McLaren Vale War Memorial Hospital	8323 6600
Mental Health Emergency Service	13 14 65
Noarlunga Hospital	8384 9222
Onkaparinga Youth Services - Aldinga	8557 7555
Parent Helpline	1300 364 100
Poisons Info Hotline	13 11 26
RSPCA SA	1300 477 722
Seniors Information Service	1800 636 368
St Vincent de Paul Assistance Hotline	1300 729 202
Youth Helpline	1300 131 719

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Community Groups

Aldinga Bay Residents Association

Community meetings at Aldinga Library, 7.30pm 2nd Wednesday of every 2nd month.

President: Joshua Reiter 0438 476 068

NOTE- APRIL MEETING is on the TUESDAY 27th (see Page 7)

Aldinga & Surrounds Breast Cancer Support Group

We meet fortnightly on a Wednesday at the Aldinga Medical Centre Conference Room, 89 Rowley Road, Aldinga Beach 10.00 am – 12 noon.

We welcome anyone currently or previously diagnosed with Breast Cancer. This group provides face to face support and companionship over a cup of coffee and a chat. A donation to help cover morning tea is appreciated.

Upcoming meeting dates- 14th and 28th April, 12th and 26th May, 9th and 23rd June.

Aldinga Happy Stitchers

Join the Aust. Sewing Guild branch from 10am – 3pm each 1st & 3rd Thursdays at the Aldinga Institute, Old Coach Rd, Aldinga

Coordinator: Mandy 0422 903 257

Treasurer: 0497 051 538

Aldinga Netball Club Inc.

Enquiries to Secretary: Ellen Ling 0411 590 744

Aldinga Quilters

10am – 2pm on 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month Aldinga Institute, Old Coach Rd, Aldinga Patchwork, quilting, friendship and fun!

President: Hazel Taylor 8556 3787

Secretary: Elizabeth Grocke 8386 1182

Aldinga Senior Citizens Club Inc

Corner Quinliven and Valiant Rds, Pt Willunga

Bridge, Pool & Snooker, Carpet Bowls, Sausage Sizzle last Wednesday of month Enquiries- 8556 5918

Aldinga and Sellicks Spinners, Knitters and Weavers

Meetings at Aldinga Institute Hall and at the Library. For details please contact:

Rosemary Dunbar 0417 823 176

Coast to Vines BUG (Bicycle User Group)

Residents in the coast to vines region, passionate about active transport and advocating for shared-use infrastructure for happier, healthier and more connected communities.

www.facebook.com/groups/
coast2vinesbug/

Email: <u>c2vbug@gmail.com</u>

Down South Craft Group

Meet Thursdays 9.30am – 11.30am BYO craft or learn something new Contact Wendy on 0417 895 502

Fleurieu Harmony Chorus

Male A Capella barber shop singers.

Fridays 9.15am – 12 noon at Lifecare Community Hall, Pridham Bvd, Aldinga

Contact: Gordon Tomlinson 0459 299

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www.fleurieuharmony.org

Friends of Aldinga Scrub

Meetings held at St Ann's Hall, Stonehouse Lane, Aldinga

Secretary: Helen McSkimming 8556 3166 Working Bees: John Edmeades 0488 552 797

Friends of Port Willunga

www.friendsofportwillunga.org.au

Friends of Sellicks Inc.

Public Meetings every 2 months

Find meeting details, post comments and more at www.friendsofsellicks.com or follow us on facebook

Friends of Willunga Basin

www.fowb.net

Ladies Probus Club of the Southern Vales

10am each 3rd Monday of the month-Lutheran Church Hall, Aldersey St, McLaren Vale

President: Evelyn Craik 0416 324 535

Secretary: Sue Hocking 0448 783 261

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A simple bartering system using old methods of exchange and barter in the southern suburbs and Fleurieu Peninsula.

For more information please contact:

Margaret Beed 0417 835 884

McLaren Vale/Willunga and Districts Combined Probus Club

Meetings: 10am 2nd Tuesday of the month at St Pauls Lutheran Church, Aldersey St, McLaren Vale.

Outings/ lunch: 3rd Tuesdays of the month Rosalie Atkinson 0438 261 717

Northern Fleurieu Stroke Support Group

10am – 12 noon on 2nd Tuesday of each month at Noarlunga Health Village (Teaching Room 2), Alexander Kelly Drive, Noarlunga Centre

Enquiries: Will Swart

wil.swart@outlook.com

Ochre Coast Poets

10am – 1pm, 2nd Saturday of the month at the Seaford Library, Grand Boulevard, Seaford

For more information please contact: David 8327 2459 or Tess 8556 3816

Want to be included in our Community Group listing? Send us an email to coastalviews@abra.org.au

Community Groups (continued)

Rotary Club of McLaren Vale

Supports activities in Aldinga, Willunga, McLaren Vale and surrounding districts 6.30pm for 6.45pm start, Monday nights for dinner meetings. For further information please contact President: Briony Casburn 0437 500 251

School for Dogs Aldinga Bay Inc.

All breeds welcome! Come and train your dog. 8.30am – midday Sunday mornings and Tuesday evenings (during day light saving)

Symonds Reserve, Stewart Avenue, Aldinga Bch.

Contact: Jane 0411 473 745

Sellicks Area Residents Association

Meetings 7.30pm first Wednesday of every 2nd month at Sellicks Hall

President: Michael Lee 0451 458 711

Sociable Singles Inc.

Provides an opportunity for single, divorced, widowed or separated persons to attend functions for friendship and companionship.

Ring for a copy of the current 3 monthly program Enquiries to Linda 8184 8427

Southern AC Run Club

Meet every Friday night in the Port Willunga, Seaford, McLaren Vale area.

Beginners to serious runners welcome!

www.facebook.com/ SouthernAthleticClub/events or contact President: Matt 0415 883 117

Southern Vales View Club

10.30am for 11am start on the 2nd Friday of the month at the Alma Hotel, Willunga.

Women of all ages welcome! Enquiries to: Linda Hooper 0425 205 725

Email: linda.hooper@adam.com.au

Southern Vales Wellbeing Group

Meets every Wednesday from 1pm to 3.30pm at St Margaret's Anglican Church Hall, Main Street, McLaren Vale, during school terms

Guest speakers at 1.15pm

Enquiries to: Judy 0409 692 088 or Lesley 0415 818 700

Trees for Life, Willunga District

Meetings held 7.30pm on the 1st Wednesday of each month except January, Eco Classroom at Tatachilla Lutheran College, Tatachilla Road, McLaren Vale.

Contact: Saskia Gerhardy 0412 135 698

Email: saskia.gerhardy@hotmail.com

Willunga Bowling Club

23 St. Peters Terrace, Willunga

www.willungabc.com.au

Social bowls every Tuesday and Saturday. Night Owls on Thursday evenings Pennant or competition bowls Thursday mornings and Saturday afternoons

Contact: Judy 0418 891 228

Willunga District Community Bus

18 Lacey Drive, Aldinga Beach Monday to Friday Enquiries to: 8557 7899 (office 8am – 11.30am) Or leave a message on the answering machine

Willunga Embroiderers

1st and 3nd Tuesday on the month at "The Hub", corner Main Rd and St Peters Tce, Willunga All welcome! Embroidery, friendship and fun Contact: Wendy 8323 7475

Willunga Environment Centre

15 High Street Willunga
P: 85564188 wwwwillungaenviro.org.au
Hours Monday to Friday 10am-3pm
Occasional Saturdays

Willunga Farmers Market

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Enquiries to: Jenni Mitton 8556 4297

Willunga Garden Club Inc.

7.30pm on 2nd Thursday of the month Lutheran Church Hall, Aldersey St, McLaren Vale Guest Speakers. Visitors welcome! Contact: Chris 0419 532 545

willungagardenclubinc@gmail.com

Willunga & District Lions Club Auction

We hold an auction on the last Saturday of each month at Centenary Park, cnr. Binney and Strout Rds, Willunga.

Country market, Swap, Meet and other events throughout the year www.willungalions.com.au

Willunga Quarry Market

2nd Saturday every month, 9am - 1pm at Willunga Recreation Park Oval, Aldinga Rd, Willunga. Craft, produce, plants

www.willungaquarrymarket.com

Willunga Table Tennis Club

Social games played every Wednesday, 7pm – 9pm, with supper afterwards. Willunga Town Hall, Willunga. Cost \$5 Contact: Trevor Bradley 0413 577 304

Willunga Tennis Club

0432 526 793

Social Competition – 6.30pm Tuesdays Cardio Tennis – 8 – 9pm Wednesdays Hotshots – Saturday mornings tennis for kids 5+ Bookings essential Contact:

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Judith's Legacy

Judith's Legacy's aim is to continually raise the awareness that urgent funds are required to develop an inexpensive, non-invasive test for every Australian woman, that can be included in their yearly annual health check.

To date in 2021 a bit over \$7,000 has been raised, from Judith's Breakfast, Rotary Club if Seaford sausage sizzle at Seaford Bunnings, cash donations, and selling of Judith's Walk Raffle, drawn on February 28, 2021 at Judith's Walk where 150 people registered, for the walk.

Over \$30,000 raised has been donated to Cancer Council SA for Ovarian Cancer Research, via

www.doitforcancer.com.au/fundraisers/deanrowe

The money being raised now, will be donated at an Australia's Biggest Morning Tea Event in May 2021, to Cancer Council SA.

Prior to Mother's Day Dean Rowe will be out and about at local Shopping Centres selling Judith's Mother's Day Raffle tickets to be drawn at Judith's Afternoon Affair

People can follow Dean's activities via the facebook page 'Dean Rowe'.

In the 2021 Australia Day Awards Dean was nominated for the Citizen of the Year, receiving a certificate for the nomination.

Judith's Legacy

Supporting Ovarian Cancer Research, by - Proudly supporting





Judíth's Afternoon Affair

- Fork in the Road Wines -

Enjoy an afternoon at a rustic cellar door with delightful food, music and some pampering.

Sunday May 2nd 2021 2:00 pm to 4:30 pm Fork in the Road Wines 18 Sand Rd. McLaren Vale

Bookings: - https://www.trybooking.com/BOSIL

Cost: -\$30.00

includes (on a arrival) - a glass of sparkling wine, beer or soft drink, and finger food.

There will be a raffle, silent auction, samples and products for sale from the Body Shop, purchasing of wine from the cellar door.

All money raised from the day will be donated to Support Ovarian Cancer Research by Cancer Council SA.



Editor's Note:

On Behalf of the Aldinga Bay Resident's Association, I would like to congratulate Dean on his stellar efforts in raising funds toward Ovarian Cancer Research.

I would also like to congratulate Dean on his nomination for Citizen of the Year as part of the 2021 City of Onkaparinga Australia Day Awards. It is very well deserved, and it is great to see Dean recognized for his work.

I'd encourage anyone who can attend the Afternoon Affair to attend and if you see Dean around in the Shopping Centre, please say hello and support his worthy endeavours! - *Joshua Reiter*

Aldinga Development Plan Amendment Update:

Readers may remember our recent article about the consultation around the Amendment to the Aldinga 'Suburban Neighbourhood Development Plan' which would see low to medium density housing, up to the three storeys high!

ABRA along with other community groups provided submissions on concerns about the proposal, including the nature of the housing proposed. The SA Planning Commission will now hold a Public Hearing in Aldinga during April to hear more from these groups about their concerns. ABRA has been invited to speak briefly at this hearing.

For more information head to www.plan.sa.gov.au and search for 'Aldinga'

Church Services

Easter Church Services

Aldinga Bay Baptist Church

Good Friday: 9am

Easter Sunday: 10am

Tatachilla Lutheran College. Tatachilla Rd, McLaren

Vale.

For further information please contact Senior Pastor Andrew Downes on 0416 073 710

Anglican Southern Vales Parish



southernvalesparish.org

GOOD FRIDAY

Seaford Christian Churches, 611 Grand Blvd , Seaford: Ecumenical service, **10:00 am**

Aldinga: St Ann's, 7 Stonehouse Lane: Stations of the Cross, 10:00 am

EASTER EVE

Willunga: St Stephen's, St Andrews Tce: Vigil Eucharist; Blessing of the New Fire, **7:00 pm**

EASTER DAY

Aldinga: St Ann's, 7 Stonehouse Lane, **9:00 am**McLaren Vale: St Margaret's, 99 Main Road, **10.30 am**Seaford: St Nicholas', Seaford Christian Churches, **10.30 am**

Willunga Uniting Church

Good Friday: 9.30am

Easter Sunday: 10.30am includes Holy Communion and flowering of the cross - please bring some flowers or foliage to place on the cross.

33 St Andrews Terrace, Willunga

Regular Church Services

Aldinga Bay Baptist Church

Meets 10am at the Tatachilla Lutheran College Tatachilla Rd, Tatachilla 0416 073 710

www.aldingabaybaptist.org.au

Aldinga Community Church of Christ

Meets Sundays at 10am at the Aldinga Community Centre 7 Stewart Ave, Aldinga Beach

Anglican Churches

St Stephen's, St Andrews Tce, Willunga 5.30 pm Saturday

St Ann's, 7 Stonehouse Lane, Aldinga 9 am Sunday www.southernvalesparish.org



Photo: flowered cross on placed on the church steps at the Willunga Uniting Church for Easter 2020, which used all Australian natives.

The flowered cross was for all to enjoy as all church services in the building ceased due to COVID19.

Thank you for our church contacts for sending through their service times! If your church wishes to advertise your services (including special services) for FREE please contact us through to coastalviews@abra.org.au

Have a safe and happy Easter!

Clarification: Councillor Expenses Article

In our March Edition of *Coastal Views*, we published an article relating to the Councillor Allowances and Reimbursements received by election members during the second half of 2020.

Councillor Richard Peat has contacted Coastal Views seeking the following clarification be published:

"The decision by some Elected Members to not accept the increase in Elected Member's Allowance for the 20/21 financial year was base on our desire to support the community during this Covit period.

But unlike all other Elected Member - I also do not claim any mileage or travel expenses I also do not accept or have meals at the council Chambers on the evenings of Committee and Council meetings. My personal giving, which is greater than any other EM, reflects my personal support for our community"

The information provided in the article was taken directly from the Council disclosure documents which can be found on their website. Coastal Views appreciates the statement by Cr Peat and did not intend for the original article to cause any confusion or misunderstanding.- *Joshua Reiter, Editor*

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Willunga Environment Centre Update

Environment Centre Funding At Risk

The Willunga Environment Centre, along with seven other Environment and Natural Resource Centres of the Hills and Fleurieu and Northern and York Landscape Boards, have been asked to submit applications to the Minister for the Environment, the Hon. David Spiers M.P., for the continuation of core funding for the 21/22 Financial Year, through a submission to the Landscape Priorities Fund.

This funding is essential to the continuing operation of the Willunga Environment Centre, as it pays for our rent, occupancy costs and the wages of our part-time Manager Janine Anninos and our YACCA Coordinator.

The Willunga Environment Centre, and all the other Environment and Natural Resource Centres, have a rich history of environmental activism, community action and conservation/natural resources leadership. The Willunga Environment Centre staff and volunteers, in particular, have been some of the most dedicated participants in and active delivery agents of environmental activities in the local area for many years.

Overall, these community operated centres provide an integral resource to communities across South Australia and we are confident that we'll secure the funding we need from the Landscape Priorities Fund to keep our doors open for another twelve months.

We won't be advised until April 15 whether our application has been successful and, rest assured, you'll be the first to know.

Submission on the Aldinga Development Plan

The Willunga Environment Centre (WEC), along with a number of other local community groups and individuals, has made a submission to the State Planning Commission re the future development and subdivision of the parcel of vacant land bounded by Quinliven Road, How Road and Aldinga Beach Road at Aldinga.

It will be a major, master planned development with approximately 1,000 house sites, and as such we feel it essential that it be developed in the most sustainable and environmentally aware manner possible.

Submissions closed on March 25th

WEC Submission to RENEWAL SA re Aldinga Development Plan:

As one of the leading environmental agencies in the Willunga Basin, The Willunga Environment Centre has a strong interest in the future development of the parcel of land described in the Aldinga Suburban Neighbourhood Development Plan.

We hope to see the successful tenderer for the project adopt suitable measures that will protect the natural environment, contribute to the sustainability of our region and add to the amenity and well being of its future residents.

These measures might include, but are not limited to:

That town gas not be made mandatory;

That all structures should achieve the highest possible sustainability ratings in terms of insulation, alignment, tree cover, etc.;

That proper provision be made for the management of storm-water run-off and the preservation of existing aquifers;

That generous provision be made for street tree planting, including a target for tree canopy and or vegetation cover

That room be allowed for biodiversity and nature in the open space and linear parks;

That lot sizes be sufficient for adequate vegetation cover;

That the utilisation of solar panels be encouraged and that neighbourhood storage batteries be considered;

That a generous proportion of open space and parkland be incorporated into the development, and finally;

That the successful developer consults with local environmental agencies to achieve the best possible outcomes.

South Australia, and in particular the Fleurieu Peninsula, already have an enviable reputation as leaders in environmental legislation. The Aldinga Suburban Neighbourhood Development Plan offers Renewal SA, and the South Australian Government, the opportunity to once again demonstrate national leadership.

- Kerrod Trott, Chair WEC

VIEW Australia's first Patron

VIEW Clubs of Australia (VIEW) is delighted to announce Her Excellency Mrs Linda Hurley as the organisation's first ever Patron.

As a passionate advocate for children's education, and with close ties to communities across Australia as the wife of the Governor-General, Mrs Hurley is the perfect fit to represent VIEW. She joins 15,000 members who give tirelessly in their local communities to support young Australians in need.

VIEW, which celebrated its 60th anniversary in 2020, is a national women's volunteer organisation. More than 300 VIEW clubs across Australia provide members with the opportunity to connect with others in the community, establish lasting friendships and help Australian children experiencing disadvantage through supporting the work of children's education charity, The Smith Family.

"I'm honoured to be VIEW's very first Patron. I have long admired the work VIEW members do in their communities, including their fabulous fundraising events, inspiring monthly lunches, fun-filled social activities and importantly, their generous sponsorship of students in need through The Smith Family," Mrs Hurley said.

"As a teacher, I've seen firsthand the transformational power education has on young people. It really does change lives, which is why what VIEW does to help young people is so important to me."

VIEW National President Anne-Louise O'Connor, said the organisation is extremely proud to announce the new partnership with Mrs Hurley, who demonstrates the qualities of a VIEW member every day in her role.

"Her Excellency is a leader in the community and a champion for women working together, generously giving back to communities with genuine interest and care. With a long career in education, Mrs Hurley is passionate about supporting young Australians in need to succeed at school – a purpose that has driven VIEW members to collectively become The Smith Family's largest community sponsor of students on the Learning for Life program," said Mrs O'Connor.

"Her Excellency's appointment with VIEW will lift our profile and further enhance our continuing growth as we look towards our next 60 years. We look forward to working with Mrs Hurley, who we know will be a valuable supporter of our work now and into the future."

Mrs Hurley and The Governor-General of Australia, His Excellency General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd) have been involved in VIEW's activities over many years. In October 2020, they hosted a small reception for VIEW members and representatives from The Smith Family to celebrate VIEW's Diamond Jubilee 60th Anniversary.



Photo: Ms Linda Hurley, VIEW Australia's new Patron.



Southern Vales View

by Linda Hooper

Our lunch meeting on Friday 12th March was well attended by twenty members and five guests at The Alma Hotel, Willunga.

Members heard about the inspirational women nominated for Community Awards at The Victor Harbor VIEW's 2021 International Women's Day Breakfast which was combined with The Fleurieu Women's Community Awards ceremony. It was well attended by over 100 women and Guest Speakers were Amanda Vandstone, former South Australian Senator and David Basham, Member for Finniss, who hosted the Awards. This year the theme was "Choose to Challenge". Other International Women's Day events were also hosted by The Marion and Gawler VIEW Clubs honouring women from all walks of life.

The Club is planning some fun outings and there is almost a full schedule of interesting Guest Speakers for the year. For the March meeting our Guest Speaker was Phillip Evans from the MFS. Phil gave a very informative presentation on fire safety and demonstrated the best methods for preventing and managing fires in the home if they occur. Fire safety starts with the home owner and he recommended every household keeps a fire blanket in the kitchen to smother any flames. These are very reasonable to purchase at many outlets. Never use water to put out flames on a fat or oil fire. It was a timely reminder to check smoke alarms and fire extinguishers. Smoke alarms are required by law and should be checked every year. Fire extinguishers are not required by law but should be checked every five years. MFS are on call 24 hours every day of the year.

The VIEW National Convention is to be held in Adelaide on 10/12th September and is a wonderful opportunity to meet fellow members from across Australia. Guest Speakers confirmed are Annabel Crabb, Australian Journalist, Sophie Thomson, Gardening Australia Presenter and Isobel Marshall, SA Young Australian of The Year.

We had sad news of the passing of a long standing member, Toni Manfield, and extend our sincere condolences to her family. Toni joined Southern Vales VIEW when it was first started in 2006 and will be fondly remembered.

Our next lunch meeting is Friday 9th April when our Guest Speaker is Krissy from Mid-Coast Styling who will give us fashion tips and have a range of clothes for sale.

We welcome women of all ages to join us on the second Friday in the month, 10.30 for 11.00 at The Alma Hotel.

For further information on joining Southern Vales VIEW please contact Secretary, Linda Hooper Mobile: 0425 205 725

Email: linda.hooper@adam.com.au



Photo: VIEW Members celebrating International Women's Day at Victor Harbor



Photo: President Vanessa & Guest Speaker Phil Evans from MSF



Photo: Amanda Vandstone, former SA Senator and David Basham, Member for Finniss, with winners of Fleurieu Women's Day Community Awards, Alexandra Cervantes-Fuller (Young Female Ambassador), Jenny Fletcher (Community Volunteer) and Lisa Jamieson (Inspirational Business Woman)



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SA Police News

Missing Persons

Police are seeking the support from the public to the below missing person, who was missing at the time of publication.

All active missing persons in South Australia can be found at: www.police.sa.gov.au/sa-police-news-assets/missing-persons

Andre Clay, 13



Andre, 13 was last seen at Huntfield Heights around 6.30pm on Friday 26th of March. He is described as 175 cms tall, 70 kgs with short dark brown hair.

He was believed to be wearing a white t-shirt and a backpack. Police have concerns for his welfare and Andre suffers from a medical condition.

Anyone who has information on the whereabouts of any missing person is asked to contact police assistance immediately on 131 444

Drivers caught speeding on Southern Expressway 29th of March 2021

Police conducting speed detection duties on the Southern Expressway in the early morning of Monday 29th of March 2021 were disappointed with the number of serious speeding offences that occurred in the 80km/hr zone at O'Halloran Hill.

The offenders included a 38 yr old man from Modbury who was caught doing 127km/hr, who lost his license for 6 months and received a \$1,780 fine as a result. Two other drivers received a \$490 fine for going 96 & 97 km/hr respectively in the same location.

During the upcoming Easter long weekend, police will be out in numerous areas across the state targeting road users who choose to disobey the road rules.

Whyalla man charged over McLaren Vale crash 29th of March 2021

Major Crash have charged a driver involved in a serious crash at McLaren Vale in late March.

About 5.40pm Sunday 28 March emergency services were called to the intersection of Main Road and McMurtrie Road after a black Subaru travelling west collided with a Nissan Pulsar travelling south and a grey Subaru travelling north.

Six people were taken to hospital with non-life threatening injuries. The passenger in the Pulsar, a 60-year-old Willunga woman, was airlifted to the Flinders Medical Centre

The intersection was closed for several hours while emergency services and Major Crash were at the scene but has since been reopened.

About 6pm on Monday 29 March, the driver of the black Subaru, a 56-year-old Whyalla man, was arrested and charged with causing harm by dangerous driving and driving without due care.

He was bailed to appear at the Adelaide Magistrates Court on 10 June.

Anyone with information about any crimes committed are asked to call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or online at

<u>www.crimestopperssa.com.au</u> – you can remain anonymous.

Source: SA Police Website

Note from the Editor: If reading these stories causes any distress please contact Lifeline on 13 11 14 or go to www.beyondblue.org.au for support.

- Ioshua Reiter

We have had recent discussions with SA Police about having a local officer attend regular meetings of ABRA again. While we understand that SAPOL is busy we do appreciate the opportunity to connect with local police officers.

Aldinga Police Station: 8556 6541 Open 9am-5pm Monday to Friday

School Holiday Programs at the Aldinga Community Centre



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