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Community Library Relocation

If you are an avid reader, want to listen to an audiobook for a long drive, keen to catch up on some movies, or thinking of starting a new hobby, then head to the Community Resource Centre to borrow some library items.

In April 2021, Council resolved to relocate the Shire's library service from the Shire Administration building to the CRC, which was subsequently approved by the Library Board of Western Australia in July.

CRC Centre Manager, Jodi Nield is excited to add the library to the list of services offered to the Boyup Brook community and looks forward to the opportunities it brings. "We are keen to offer activities for all ages, such as rhyme time for children, author talks, themed events and e-resources."

She added, "I would like to thank the Shire Council and staff for their support of the relocation and also to the CRC staff and member volunteers who assisted with the packing, sorting and shelving of the library items."

The library will be open during the regular CRC office hours, 9am to 4pm weekdays, at 86 Abel Street.



New Choppers for RFDS

If you heard the arrival of a helicopter to town on the morning of Monday, December 6, you can rest easy that it was only a training flight for the Royal Flying Doctor Service and familiarisation for local emergency crews.

The RFDS have acquired, with sponsorship from Fortescue Metals Group, two Airbus EC145 helicopters for patient transport to supplement their fixed wing fleet.

The primary role of these helicopters is for patient transport (hospital to hospital) which is different to the existing DFES (RAC) helicopters, whose primary role is search and rescue. These helicopters will pick up at the town oval for Boyup Brook patients and deliver directly to the helipad at a Perth hospital.

Travelling at 220 kilometres per hour, they can reach 250 kilometres from Perth and return for high acuity patients that would normally travel by road.

Boyup Brook St John Ambulance volunteers and WA Police officers were given a close up look at the helicopter, met the crew and also discussed how transfers will happen when the service begins early in the new year.



SHIRE OF BOYUP BROOK 2022 AUSTRALIA DAY CELEBRATIONS

Wednesday, January 26 2022 Sandakan Park - 8:00am

Flag raising ~ Free Breakfast and an Award Ceremony with presentations made to:

Citizen of the Year; Sportsperson of the Year; Young Achiever of the Year; Kevin Henderson Memorial Award

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My Inbox....

Kaya, wandjoo to the January Gazette and a brand new year. I hope you all had an enjoyable festive season and were able to spend time with family and friends.

There are many people on holidays, and it is great to see a number of tourists and caravanners taking the time to stop in town. If you are travelling for work or holidays, take care.

2022 is set to bring lots of community events and activities, new beginnings, as well as new challenges.

With the pending opening of the WA state border, please take the necessary precautions regarding COVID-19 to keep you, your family and community safe. Please remember to check-in to premises, practise good hand hygiene, socially distance, monitor for symptoms and wear a mask if required. Vaccinations are available from both the Medical Service and Pharmacy.

If you are in town on January 26th, be sure to head to the Shire's Australia Day celebrations at Sandakan Park for an 8am start.

*Until next month,
Stay safe, stay well, stay connected
Cheers Jodi*

The Boyup Gazette acknowledges the Kaniyang people of the Noongar Nation as the traditional custodians of this land on which we live and work.

We pay tribute to elders past, present and emerging and recognise the contribution they have made, and continue to make, to our community.



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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JANUARY

- 1 Social Tennis @ 4pm
- 3 CoMHAT Recycled Art project @ Skate park see pg 15
- 8 Cricket Boyup v Forestry @ home
- 8 Social Tennis @ 4pm
- 10 CoMHAT Recycled Art project @ Skate park see pg 15
- 10 Red Hatter Natter Lunch @ Treehouse 11:30am
- 13 School Holiday Activity Lego Day @ CRC 10am-12pm
- 15 Social Tennis @ 4pm
- 17 CoMHAT Recycled Art project @ Skate park see pg 15
- 17 Kahoot Quiz @ CRC 10-11am
- 22 Social Tennis @ 4pm
- 26 Australia Day Public Holiday
- 26 Australia Day Celebrations @ Sandakan Park 8am
- 27 School Holiday Activity Sock Puppets @ CRC 12:30-3:30pm
- 28 Art Awards Early Bird Entries due
- 29 Social Tennis @ 4pm
- 29 Cricket Boyup v Northcliffe away
- 31 Start of School Term 1

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Storm in a Teacup

Rylington Park and the Boyup Brook Co-Op would like to invite all the ladies to our eleventh annual women's day: "Storm in a Teacup – Women in Uniform" on Friday, March 25 at Rylington Park in the shed. The Boyup Brook Co-Op has kindly agreed to be our main sponsor for the eleventh time.

Tickets will be available from the middle of January from the Boyup Brook Co-Op, the Boyup Brook CRC and Treehouse Coffee Lounge. You can also book your tickets by calling Erlanda on 9765 3012 or 0429 375 609 or email rylington@activ8.net.au.

Tickets are \$60 each which includes morning tea, lunch by our own Treehouse Coffee Lounge, a glass of wine from local Beulah Wines, a goodie bag, a variety of market stalls to walk through and all the entertainment. Give Erlanda a call to book your ticket now.

This year we are focussing on the various uniforms some of our women wear – school, nursing, ambulance, parliament, sport, etc. We have asked a variety of ladies to share with us their "uniform" stories.

We all wear different uniforms during different times of our lives – from a school uniform, to deciding what we want to do with our lives and which uniforms we will be wearing into the future, to wearing the "mum" uniform while raising our children and later the grandma uniform. We are looking forward to hearing about everyone's uniform journey and how they cope with the storms in their teacups.

Don't forget to bring a wallet – doesn't have to be yours as long as you can use it - and make sure you support the market stalls. We will again have "proper" coffee on sale, thanks to the Treehouse Coffee Lounge who will bring The Bean Machine.

Pictured is this year's logo image, created by local artist Janet Winter. The artwork will be auctioned off on the day with proceeds going to a nominated organisation. Definitely your chance to have a women's day painting to hang in your house.

Buy or book your ticket and make sure you don't miss out on the Rylington Park and Boyup Brook Co-Op's eleventh "Storm in a Teacup" day.

To keep our "storm" brewing for more years to come – book your ticket and share the day with us. (Please call Erlanda for stall inquiries).



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Your Boyup Brook Shire Council Matters

Welcome to the latest Council news items and information on 'what's going on at your shire'!



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Public Agenda Briefing Session for 2021

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Agenda Briefing Session which commences at 6.00pm in the Council Chambers.

3 February 2022	18 August 2022
24 March 2022	22 September 2022
21 April 2022	20 October 2022
19 May 2022	17 November 2022
23 June 2022	8 December 2022
21 July 2022	

Ordinary Council Meeting for 2021

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Ordinary Council meeting which commences at 6.00pm in the Council Chambers.

10 February 2022	25 August 2022
31 March 2022	29 September 2022
28 April 2022	27 October 2022
26 May 2022	24 November 2022
30 June 2022	15 December 2022
28 July 2022	

Australia Day Celebrations

Council will host an Australian day Breakfast on 26th January 2022. An open invitation is extended to all residents. The breakfast will start at 8am with a flag raising ceremony in Sandakan Park.

The activities will include a presentation to the winner of the Citizen of the Year, Sportsperson of the Year, Young Achiever of the Year, and the Kevin Henderson Memorial Award for volunteers.

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Shire Council Matters are printed as received and no changes are made or edited. Only formatting has occurred to fit the space.

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POLICE NEWS

BOYUP BROOK POLICE

Happy new year from Boyup Brook Police.

We have now seen the end of a busy year, with the new one sure to bring bigger challenges. Now more than ever we need to work collectively as a community to make everyone safe.

Over the Christmas and New Year period and through to the start of the new school term many families are away on holidays. Make sure you leave your home or property secure and let someone responsible know where you are going and when you will be back. If you see something not quite right or someone acting suspiciously, please let us know.

By us, I mean if urgent call 000. If not urgent but you require police attendance call 131 444. If you would like to speak with us at Boyup Brook Police specifically call 9762 1666. It is possible that the phone may be diverted to Bunbury Police Station.

If that is the case, do not hang up, advise the call taker you would like to speak with us and they will send us an email with your contact details. We will always call you back.

I stress, do not contact us directly via email, Facebook, mobile phone etc unless it has been previously arranged.

The reason for this is simply because contacting us through this way may lead to the message being missed. The information may be important to both you and us.

A strong focus of the WA Police Force is reducing the impact and harm of illicit drugs in the community. We rely on community information to enable us to prosecute and disrupt offenders from bringing this scourge into our community.

If you have information, no matter how insignificant you think it may be, please let us know. You can remain anonymous by calling Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or going online at www.crimestopperswa.com.au.

Anti-social behaviour will be another focus of Boyup Brook Police over the holiday period. If you are having a party, please be considerate of your neighbours.

If you witness or are experiencing unsociable behaviour please let us know. If for whatever reason we cannot attend straight away, we will follow it up. We will always take into consideration what is reasonable, and if the behaviour is not, then expect action to be taken.

Boyup Brook Police have dealt with a number of family violence related matters over the past month. We will continue to have a no tolerance approach to any family violence. Family violence does not have to be violent and can include emotional abuse.

We as a community need to say it is not ok. By knowing this is happening to someone and not doing anything about it, it is accepting the behaviour. Contact us or one of the many support networks available.

Remember, Boyup Brook Police will be out and about on the roads throughout the summer. Slow down, enjoy the drive and make sure you get where you're going safely.

*Sergeant Phil Huggins
Officer in Charge
Boyup Brook Police*

9762 1666 – Boyup Brook Police Station

131 444 – Non-Urgent police attendance

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– general inquiries**

Boyup Brook Medical Services



Dr Mildred Chiwara

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reception@boyupmedical.com.au

Ph: 9765 1026 for an appointment

COVID-19 – Boosters & Child Vaccinations

The medical centre is now offering Pfizer vaccinations to all children aged 5 to 11 from 10 January 2022.

Booster doses are available to everyone 18 years and over who have had both doses of their primary course of a COVID-19 vaccine at least 5 months ago.

'Evidence suggests that a booster vaccine increases antibody levels substantially and this will likely offer protection against both Delta and the new Omicron variant.,' (ATAGI 12/12/2021) and is recommended to maintain immunity against COVID-19.

Please provide proof of both vaccinations when booking for your booster.

The Medical Centre will be holding Pfizer clinics starting in January 2022.

**Phone 9765 1026 for
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Deadline - 20th of each month

email gazette@boyupbrook.org or drop into the CRC.
Please ensure photos have names attached.

ABOUT TOWN

CONDOLENCES

Trigwell, Gerty

On 26 November 2021, Gerty passed away in Albany. She was in her 101st year. Now in the arms of Jesus. Loving friend to many in Dinninup and Boyup Brook.

POSITION VACANT

The Boyup Brook CRC has a position available for a Trainee Library and Administration Officer. Applications close January 10. See page 17 for details.

Classified Rates and Letters to the Editor

Births, Engagements, Thank You, Wanted etc. - FREE
 All other notices (For Sale, Employment, AGM etc.)
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Boyup Brook's Weekly Events

- Monday:** Generation Gap Ukulele
Swim Club @ 3:30pm
- Tuesday:** Croquet @ Lodge 9am
SEA (Seniors Exercise) 10-11am, Town Hall
Boyup Brook Choir 4:30pm @ St Saviour's
- Wednesday:** Town Rubbish Collection (recycling fortnightly)
Museum Open 10am-3pm
Gentle Gym (65+) & Social Club - 9am
Badminton, Town Hall
Swim Club @ 3pm
- Thursday:** Transfer Station Open 10am-2pm
St John Ambulance Sub Centre Open
Craft Hut
Museum Open 10am-3pm
Senior Cricket Training 5pm
Junior Tennis @3:30-5pm
Men's Shed meets 5:30pm @ Flax Mill
- Friday:** Croquet @ Lodge 9am
Museum Open 10am-3pm
Junior Cricket training @ 3:30pm
- Saturday:** Transfer Station Open 10am-2pm
C4C Open 10am-2pm
Church services
- Sunday:** Transfer Station Open 11am-2pm
C4C Open 11am-3pm
Church services

Please email gazette@boyupbrook.org to include your activity

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Red Hat Natter

Monday, January 10– Lunch– 11:30am Start
 Red Hat Country Hatters are welcoming new members to our Red Hatting chapter for Fun, friendship & frivolity, please come along and join us at our Social Natters. Held the 2nd Monday of each month.
 Please call Lorrene Sambell-Sayer 0429653705 or email lorrene@iinet.net.au for more information.

Garden Club AGM

The Boyup Brook Garden Club will meet for its AGM on Tuesday, February 8, 1pm at Helen & Reuven's property - 16 Inglis Street, Boyup Brook.
 Please come along with a chair and mug if you are interested in joining our garden club. It is a great way to meet like minded people.
 Further enquiries please call Helen Rice 0421 581 636 or Margaret Nield 9765 1192

Quacking Frog

Much more than teapots at the Quacking Frog!
 It has been my privilege to enjoy Ray and Ruth's hospitality with several groups lately. If morning and afternoon teas are a scrumptious spread, an Indian Curry lunch adds another dimension to what the Quacking Frog has to offer.
 Check it out Boyup Brookians.

Claire

THANK YOU

Boyup Brook Craft Hut

Thank you to all who supported our Christmas raffle in early December, and many thanks to IGA for providing the space for so many community groups.

Congratulations to Orange E42 ticket holder Sue Wallace winning the first prize and Green E88 ticket holder Nic winning the second prize.

The craft hut group continue to meet on Thursday mornings from 9 -12, and a sewing group bring their machines on a Tuesday from 9 – 3 ish.

Please feel free to come and check us out, join in and craft or sew the day away.

For any queries contact our President Ivy 0400 194 160, or Treasurer Jenni 0428631060.

We will get back to usual days mid-January.

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 ~ Anniversaries and Special Occasions
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St John Ambulance Awards

St John Ambulance Boyup Brook held their end of year celebration and awards night on Saturday, November 27 to wind up the year and to recognise officers who have gone over and above in this year.

This is a difficult task as the whole team does an amazing job for the community, as recently recognised in winning sub-centre of the year for 2021.

The 2021 award winners, pictured below, were :

Officer of the Year - Malcolm Armstrong

Quiet Achiever - Darren King

Trainers Award - Annette Alexander

Congratulations to the recipients and to the whole Boyup Brook St John team, thank you for your dedication and support to the Boyup community and beyond.




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Festival Line-up First Release

The Boyup Brook Country Music Club has announced the line-up for the 2022 Country Music Festival presented by LiveLighter on February 18 to 20.

This year's music festival line-up is like no other, bringing something special and unique, catering to country music lovers across all genres.

With more than 50 local WA artists and bands on the bill, highlight names include The Little Lord Street Band featured on Double J and Triple J, along with singer song writer Connie Kis Anderson and indigenous artists Phil Wally Stack Band.

"We are thrilled to have the country music festival back after two years of COVID troubles," says the Shire President Richard Walker.

"This event means a lot to the people of our town, as it allows everyone to get involved and come together as a community for a single purpose."

Even the town's most well-respected baker and coffee maker, Barbara from the Boyup Brook Tree House Café is thrilled about the event returning to Boyup Brook for the 35th year. She says, "It's an exciting time for the community [as] it gives us an opportunity to showcase our talents to the visitors coming from all across WA."

A real treat will be Sally Jane, while for the kids Kate Hindle featuring her new album "Broken Mind" will be a favourite (for the adults too!).

For the older heads, the likes of Peter Bush and The Honky Tonk Heroes provide plenty of variety for the ultimate music milkshake.

"An important step in the journey towards February has been realised today with the event line up going live," event organisers said.

"We're very excited to share our 2022 line-up with you. We're extremely proud of this fine bunch of artists and we thank them for believing in us and committing to joining our little party in Boyup Brook next February.

"Your support in purchasing a ticket to this year's event means the world to us, and to everyone who works in our struggling arts and events industries, from the artists themselves to the stage and sound crew, the food trucks and of course the Boyup Brook township.

"We look forward to seeing you all in Boyup Brook next February."

Tickets are available to purchase as single day passes and as the full three-day weekend passes.

Boyup Brook Country Music Festival 2022 Line-up: The Little Lord Street Band; Connie Kis Anderson; Phil Wally Stack Band; Kathy Carver with Desert Road Band; Codee Lee and Band; The Little Lord Street Band; Kate Hindle; JoKeria; Magnificent 7; Honky Tonk Heroes; Sally Jane; Peter Busher and the Lone Rangers featuring Lucky Oceans.

Local Wines Awarded

Boyup Brook wine producer, Dickinson Estate has taken out the Breight Group Best Blackwood Valley Red Wine at the 2021 WA Boutique and Single Vineyard Wine Show held on November 24 and 25 in Nannup, for its 2019 Limited Release Shiraz.

This event attracted 332 wines from across many of the state's wine regions, with an astonishing 69% of these wines being awarded a medal.

The annual Wine Show is the feature event on the calendar of the Blackwood Valley Wine Industry Association and aims to showcase the quality wines that are produced in the Blackwood Valley region, as well as providing an opportunity for small producers and wines produced from a single vineyard, across Western Australia, to be judged by leading critics, this year headed up by highly regarded independent wine writer, Erin Larkin.

The Blackwood Valley Wine Region was well represented with ten producers submitting entries across the nineteen different classes. As well as Dickinson Estate (trophy pictured below), other Boyup Brook wine producers awarded medals include Beulah Wines, Blackwood Crest and Curlew Estate. Nannup producer, Nannup Estate was the Most Successful Blackwood Valley Exhibitor and also collected the Multi-Color Corporation Best Blackwood Valley White Wine for their Rolling Hills 2020 Chardonnay.

Brash Road Vineyard from the Margaret River wine region was awarded the coveted Shire of Nannup Wine of Show, for their 2019 Syrah, which also took out the Best Shiraz and Best Red Wine awards.

The Wines of WA Best White Wine was won by Driftwood Estate for their 2020 Single Site Chardonnay.

Swan Valley producer Faber Vineyard was the Shire of Nannup Most Successful Boutique Exhibitor with two gold medals, four silver and seven bronze.

Blackwood Valley Wine Industry Association President Craig Nield thanked the sponsors for their continued support, the judging panel, exhibitors and the team of volunteers who all made the event such a success.

For Show results visit blackwoodvalleywine.com.au/wine-show.



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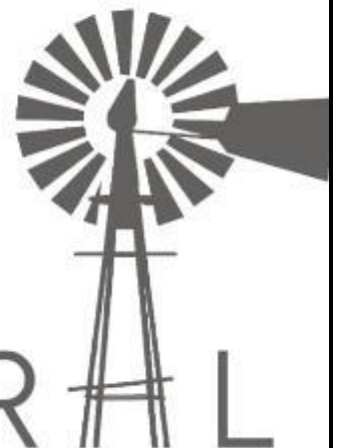
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February Fox Shoot

The Boyup Brook Community Fox Shoot is only five weeks away and will be held during the weekend of 4-6 February.

With harvest finished or almost finished in some cases, we see more pests around as they can't hide away as easy without the covering. Let's hope they stay as naïve until our fox shoot weekend.

Registrations will open during the third week of January. Teams can be registered at the Boyup Brook Co-Op or you can phone Erlanda on 9765 3012 or 0429 375 609.

The counting/weighing will be at 9:00am on the Sunday morning at the Boyup Brook Pistol Club, who will again put breakfast on for all. Please bring full bodies for the count.

We are looking forward to seeing you (and your critters!) on Sunday, February 6 at the pistol club. Be safe, have fun and let's make it a big one again for Boyup Brook.

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Artists Encouraged to Enter Awards

After a COVID-19 enforced hiatus in 2021, the Boyup Brook Art Awards return in February 2022. The event will be held alongside the annual Boyup Brook Country Music Festival from February 17 to 20 at the Boyup Brook Town Hall. It is a celebration of Western Australian artists and grows an appreciation for cultural arts events amongst regional people.

Entries are now open to all artists and it presents an opportunity to have your work viewed by a large audience and potentially be sold, as all artwork is for sale during the exhibition. Thanks to the generosity of local business sponsors, the prize pool has increased in value to over \$4,000 for the first time.

There are five categories to enter, including Works on Canvas / Board; Works on Paper; Mixed Media; Textiles and 3D Sculptures. Prizes are awarded in each category, with additional awards for Indigenous artists; Young artist (U/21); the Packer's Prize; People's Choice Award; Early Bird Prize and the prestigious Open Prize.

To be in the running for the Early Bird prize (your entry fee refunded), send your entry form in by January 28 2022. The final date for entries is February 4. The conditions and entry form are available from the Boyup Brook CRC (86 Abel St), or visit www.boyupbrook.crc.net.au/boyup-brook-art-awards.

The event is coordinated by the Boyup Brook Community Resource Centre and is supported by a large team of volunteers creating a wonderful vibe around the exhibition. If you would like further information, or to lend a hand during the event, please contact the Boyup Brook Community Resource Centre on 9765 1169 or email artawards@boyupbrook.org. Event information and updates will also be posted on the Art Awards Facebook and Instagram pages.



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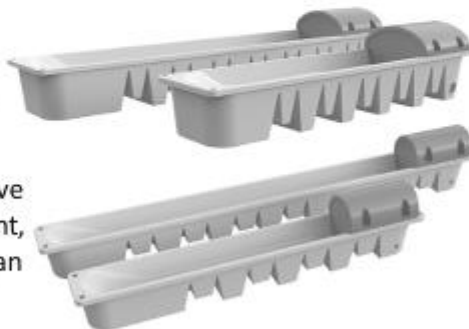
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Boyup Brook District High School, From the Principal



Below is an excerpt from the speech presented by Mr Bernard Beatty, Principal Boyup Brook District High School at the recent Year 10 Graduation Ceremony:

"Welcome to our 2021 Year 10 Graduation and I must say while our Year 10 class is small they do look amazing and ready to take on the next phase of their education.

While I am obviously much, much, older than you, I do still vividly remember my own time here at Boyup Brook DHS and can just say that school was not that exciting in my time and there was no where near as many opportunities that you all have today. We certainly had nothing like the graduation you have tonight.

So what are these opportunities. Shortly you are going to hear from our guest speaker Jimina Shaw who graduated in 2004. Since then she has become a successful manager and educator. She was able to complete a psychology degree with a double major, all by studying externally. That is an amazing achievement and if you look at our schools core values of Resilience, Respect and Striving for Success her journey since leaving this school has definitely incorporated all three of those core values in bundles.

The important message I have to you as graduands is like Jimina take those opportunities. Ensure you know yourself and what you really stand for. As much as you can be your Best Self ie energetic, optimistic, helpful, self sufficient, flexible and loyal, always appreciate what you have and remember your aren't always the most important person in the room and my final piece of advice is that, it takes years to build a reputation, but only seconds to lose it.

I know that our school Boyup Brook District High School has well prepared you for your next step. It is now up to you and no one else, to be successful.

As a great example of taking opportunities I would like to spend a few minutes mentioning our Head Girl from 2020, Brooke Nield. Brooke was one of eleven Year 10s to graduate last year and all have gone on to be extremely successful whether in an ATAR program, general course, or VET throughout Year 11. There is a belief by some in our community that students need to leave our school at the end of Year 9 to be successful. Well, Brooke stayed through to Year 10, as did ten other students, all achieving sound results throughout Year 10. Brooke is very fortunate in that she was given the opportunity by her parents to attend a prestigious private school, Penrhos College for Year 11 and 12. Brooke joined a class of over 90 students in Yr 11 for the start of the 2021 school year, 30 more students than what's in our High School. Penrhos was the fourth top ranked ATAR school in WA in 2020. Putting that in perspective, there are some very smart girls in that Year 11 class, many of which would have attended Penrhos since primary school. Most of those girls would have, at the very least, spent their high school life at Penrhos College.

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So, our country girl Brooke starts the 2021 school year at Penrhos College, having been enrolled at Boyup Brook DHS from Kindy to Year 10, and now having to live away from home for the first time and cope with developing new friendships and boarding life.

I come back to our core values that go through every part of our school here at Boyup: Respect, Resilience and Striving for Success. I am very confident that these core values are ingrained into Brooke's life and these values have allowed her to achieve at the highest level in Year 11.

She was awarded the following at the Penrhos Awards ceremony:

- The top student in ATAR Human Biology (out of 40+ students)
- Top ATAR student Design Photography
- Two academic excellence awards (One in each Semester for a minimum of four A Grades)

Sporting success also included:

- Runner up Yr 11 Champion Girl at the interhouse athletics
- Representing the school in tennis, hockey, netball, cross-country and athletics

While no one will argue that Brooke has some talent academically, she is not brilliant in terms of her academic performance. She has had to work hard and show resilience and determination, as have all of our other Year 11 students from Boyup, who have been so successful. But importantly BBDHS gave her a solid foundation from which to launch her successful Year 11 results.

My final point to our graduands is if you stay true to BBDHS's core values as others have done, you will be successful.

Thank you to all our High School students for making 2021 such a great year.

I wish you all a safe and happy Christmas.

Boyup Brook DHS - Primary School Award Recipients



	AWARD	DONOR
<u>Kindergarten</u>		
Burt Di Cicco Cohan Harding Chelsea Dalton	Striving For Success Award Most Resilient Award Positive Behaviour All Rounder Award	Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch Boyup Brook Farm Supplies Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch
<u>Pre-Primary/ Yr 1</u>		
Addison Muir Cora Jones Hendrix Beatty	Striving For Success Award Most Respectful Award Most Resilient Award	Hales Electrical Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch
<u>YEAR 1/2</u>		
Indy Johnston Willow Michell Ella Mader	Outstanding Academic Achievement Award Student Integrity Award Most Resilient Award	Bluestone Cafe Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch Harvey Dickson
<u>YEAR 3</u>		
Indianna Windsor Callum Lee Steere Ruby Ryder	Academic Excellence Award Striving For Success Award Most Improved Award	Treehouse Café Lounge BBDHS P&C Shire of Boyup Brook
<u>YEAR 4</u>		
Grace C Emily Bleachmore	Graham Calley Reading Award Bob Price Memorial Award	Graham Calley J Walton, F Walmsley & C Latham
<u>YEAR 4/5 AWARDS</u>		
Clancy Westphal Maddie Gardiner Owen Lee Steere	Striving for Success Respectful Award Resilience Award	Hon. Jane Kelsbie MLA Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch
<u>YEAR 6 AWARDS</u>		
Lily C Henry Wallace Chyann Lintott Mylee Pekin Maggie Hazlewood Zach Philipps	Sportsperson Award Citizenship Award Lions Scholarship All Rounder Science Award Science Award	Helen Hack - Boyup Brook Physiotherapy Hampton Partners Boyup Brook Lions Club Bridgetown Masonic Lodge & Mr Rick Wilson Scitech Scitech
<u>SPECIALIST AWARDS</u>		
Molly Keogh Jessie McNair Yasmine Michell Samantha Waller Clayton Hicks Yasmine Michell	Vocal Award Music Award Art Award Library Award Sports Award PBS Award	Boyup Brook Tyre Service Boyup Brook CWA CM Dalton Transport Boyup Brook Concrete DM Dalton Transport Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch

2022 Primary School Captains

Clancy Westphal & Yasmine Michelle

2022 Primary School Student Councillors

Jesse Windsor, Owen Lee Steere,
Rachel Corker & Hannah Lisser

2022

SCHOOL STARTS

31st January - Pre Primary to Yr 10

1st February - Kindergarten

Admin Offices open 27th & 28th Jan for
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Boyup Brook DHS - Middle School Award Recipients

AWARD NAME

RECIPIENT

DONOR

Year 7 Awards

Outstanding Achievement Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Options Award

Eloise Bagshaw
 Henry Simpson
 Duncan Turner
 Shae Knapp
 Finnley Ruffino
 Indi Forbes

RSL of Australia Boyup Brook Sub Branch
 Boyup Brook Tyre Service
 Creek Family
 Boyup Brook Farm Supplies
 Hales Electrical
 Harvey Dickson

Year 8 Awards

Outstanding Achievement Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Options Award

Sydney Wallace
 Madeline Ritson
 Megan Ivey
 Naomi Clark
 Jiselle Hayward
 Imogen Mead

RSL of Australia Boyup Brook Sub Branch
 Bluestone Cafe
 Shire of Boyup Brook
 Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch
 Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch
 Treehouse Café Lounge

Year 9 Awards

Outstanding Achievement Award
 Meritorious Award
 Meritorious Award
 Options Award

Nicole Turner
 Zac Knapp
 Anne Deas
 Zac Knapp

CM Dalton Transport
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 Bridgetown Masonic Lodge
 Boyup Brook CRC

SPECIAL AWARDS

AWARD NAME

RECIPIENT

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Miranda Gibbs Library Award (Open)
 Year 9 Shire President's Scholarship
 Rylington Park Scholarship

Caitlyn Imrie
 Kyren Lintott
 Brayden Murphy
 Xaver Webb

Darryl & Robin Gibbs & BBDHS P&C
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John Roberts Memorial Music Award
 PBS AWARD (Open)

Zac Knapp
 Nicole Turner
 Shianne Gratton-Wilson

Boyup Brook Tyre Service
 Boyup Brook Concrete
 Bendigo Bank - Collie Branch

Year 10 Options Award

Rory Inglis

IPG Advisors

Year 9/10 IPG Scholarship

Danni Hazlewood

Schreurs Family

ADF Year 10 Powertrak Scholarship

Kelsey Powell

Hampton Partners

Year 9/10 Ampol All Rounder

Anne Deas

Mayanup Progress Association

Year 9/10 Citizenship

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Danni Hazlewood

Schreurs Family

Student Council 2022: *To be elected in early 2022*



Above: The Boyup Brook District High School Year 10 graduating class of 2021, with Mr Ridley.

Water Supply in a Bushfire

While leaving high-risk bushfires is the safest option, if you plan to stay and defend your home, you must have an INDEPENDENT water supply and pumping capability. This typically requires water tanks of at least 20,000 litres, pump and generator.

This is required as mains water supply and pressure cannot be guaranteed during a bushfire due to the risk of power cuts, fire damage and extreme demand.

Use the Department of Fire and Emergency Services resources to develop your personal bushfire survival plan: mybushfireplan.wa.gov.au.

You can also download the My Bushfire Plan app via the App Store or Google Play to access your bushfire plan anytime—even without an internet connection.

To support bushfire plans, if you have groundwater bore access to surface water, you can take and store emergency water without it counting against your annual entitlement.

For more information on this, and for the location of emergency bushfire water supplies in dryland agricultural areas, visit the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation website: water.wa.gov.au/fireplanning.

Drinking water

We recommend you keep a supply of drinking water on hand throughout summer in case your water supply is interrupted.

Assistance for customers affected by bushfire

After a bushfire, we can assist you with issues such as damaged water meters and payment difficulties. If you have been affected by bushfire please call us on 13 13 85.

The Emergency WA website emergency.wa.gov.au/ provides emergency information and community safety warnings.

Call 000 in a life-threatening emergency or the SES 132 500 for emergency assistance.

CWA Christmas Hamper

Huge congratulations to Annie Jones for being our winner of our Christmas Hamper Raffle on November, 26.

The Boyup Brook CWA is currently and actively fundraising for seating at our local skate park (behind town hall), as there are none.

We would like to thank the Boyup Brook community, as we were able to raise \$699.10.

Another fundraiser is planned for after Christmas.

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St Mary's Primary School

Everyone at St Mary's School wishes everyone a very happy new year and a prosperous 2022.



Save the date: St Mary's community movie night 2022: Saturday, March 12 2022!

The popular St Mary's movie night returns this year and we would like to extend an invitation to everyone in the community to come and enjoy a relaxing evening under the stars (hopefully!). This will take place on the school oval on March 12. The movie and other details will be confirmed soon and advertised around the community. Looking forward to another great night.

Students to return to new rooms:

Students will return to St Mary's on Monday, January 31 2022 to brand new upgraded classroom facilities. The final phase of the build will finish up in late January just in time for our students. This will coincide with two new staff members joining our school, Mr Michael Chambers to teach 5/6 and Mrs Miki Glisenti to teach French. We will introduce them in next month's gazette.

Important dates in term one:

We have lots of exciting things happening throughout the term starting off with our P&F run Big Splash at the Boyup Brook swimming pool on Friday, February 4. From 4-6pm there will be a chance for kids to swim, parents to mingle, a sausage sizzle and maybe even a bombie contest!

Other dates include: Pupil Free day: Friday, February 18. Swimming Carnival: Friday, February 25. Interschool swimming: Friday, March 11. Outdoor movie night: Saturday, March 12. Year 6 camp: Monday, March 29 – Friday, April 1. Official opening of the school renovations: Friday, April 8.

2022 marks 65 years of St Mary's school:

This year we will be celebrating our history and heritage with lots of different events. The school was established in 1957 by a group of nuns from the Presentation order.

Our school has a rich history in Boyup Brook and continues to provide a top class education with dedicated teachers, excellent playground facilities, newly renovated classrooms and low school fees. We will kick off our celebrations on Friday, April 8 when we officially open our newly renovated learning spaces.



Above: The first group of students at St Mary's School in February 1957.

CoMHAT



CoMHAT will be in Boyup at the skate park on the following Mondays – 3rd Jan, 10th Jan and 17th Jan for a sausage sizzle and a recycled art project.

Send the kids down around lunch time.

Sponsored by ADF – Local Drug Action Team Program



Containers for change – Please help the kids of Boyup Brook raise money for the Mountain Bike project. The code to use when taking your cans and bottles to the recycling facility is: C10538269.

We have had a few donations already – follow CoMHAT on Facebook to keep updated.



CoMHAT will be open on Mondays and Tuesdays next year – pop in and see Belinda at the CWA building.

24 hour Emergency and Crisis Contacts

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Boyup Brook Medical Centre	9765 1026
Boyup Brook Police	9762 1666
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Mensline 24hr	1300 789 978
Lifeline	13 11 14
Mental Health a/hours - Rural Link (a/hours)	1800 552 002
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2022 BRINGS A NEW ERA FOR CRC

Welcome to 2022 and what an exciting time it is for the CRC as we enter a new era, delivering library services to the Boyup Brook community. We thank our volunteers who assisted in the set up and welcome you to come in for a look at the new library space.

Along with the library service, we are excited for another full year of events and activities, including the return of the Boyup Brook Art Awards, Makers in May, Plastic Free Morning Tea, What's Your Angle Photography Competition, Seniors Forum and more! Did you know it is World Poetry Day on March 21? Stay tuned for the next Gazette for details of a special event on this day.

We are also very pleased to again be successful in obtaining a grant from the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development to employ a trainee for 2022-23. Please see the position vacant advertisement on the opposite page.

And please remember, the CRC is for you, the Boyup Brook community, so if there is anything that you would like the CRC to arrange (training, workshops, services etc), please give us a call.



RECYCLING HUB — REDCYCLE NO LONGER ACCEPTED

Unfortunately the Recycling Hub is not accepting REDCYCLE soft plastics until further notice.

This is due to an inundation of this item and a lack of volunteers helping to cart a backlog of bags to a Woolworths or Coles.

Please continue to collect your soft plastics for recycling, but transport them yourself to a nearby town with a supermarket participating in the REDCYCLE program.

If you are able to take more with you, please drop into the CRC to help with the back log of bags.

Please consider reducing the amount of soft plastics you consume by following some of the following tips:

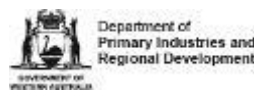
- Use your own reusable produce bags
- Don't buy fruit and vegetables wrapped in plastic
- Use beeswax wraps and Tupperware instead of gladwrap
- When buying meat or cheese from the deli, ask to use your own containers

The CRC recycling hub is accepting:

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| * Nespresso coffee pods | * Household batteries |
| * Mobile devices | * Bread tags |
| * Plastic bottle lids | * Writing Instruments |
| * Hair Care / Colour Packaging | * Oral Care Products |
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COMING UP...

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITY
 ~ LEGO DAY ~**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 13
10am-12pm

Boyup Brook CRC, 86 Abel Street



Bring your imagination down to the CRC this school holidays to build and play with LEGO!

All ages welcome, \$2 per child or \$6 for a family of three or more children. Permission slips required.

Phone 9765 1169 to register, or email boyupbrook@crc.net.au

**SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITY
 ~ SOCK PUPPETS ~**

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27
12:30-3:30pm

Boyup Brook CRC, 86 Abel Street

Bring along an old sock and Create a Sock Puppet at the CRC!

\$5 per child, or \$15 for a family of 3 or more.

Children in Year 1 and above welcome
 Permission slips required.



Phone 9765 1169 to register, or email boyupbrook@crc.net.au

KAHOOT! QUIZ

MONDAY, JANUARY 17
10:00 - 11:00 am

Boyup Brook CRC, 86 Abel Street

- * Multiple choice questions about different topics
- * Fun, laughs, friendly competition



Please bring your own smartphone, tablet or laptop if possible. If you don't have one, the CRC has devices to borrow.

\$5 per person - morning tea provided.

Phone 9765 1169 to register

BE CONNECTED IS BACK!

A free program designed for those Over 50 who would like to feel more confident about using computers and the internet.

1-on-1 support is available by appointment.
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The applicant must be a highly motivated person who is well presented and keen to commit themselves to a traineeship for a period of 12 months, during which time they will receive both on and off the job training across a wide range of activities.

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 phone: 9765 1169

Applicants must have proof of COVID-19 vaccination, a recent Police Clearance and Working with Children Check.

Written applications addressing the selection criteria must be submitted by **4pm Monday, January 10 2022.**

COMMUNITY DIRECTORY AVAILABLE

Over the past twelve months, the Community Connector project has provided people with important connection to services, agencies or community activities.

As part of the project, a Services and Support Directory has been created and is available on the CRC's website. It includes local community and sporting groups, as well as support for youth, seniors, disability and emergency contacts.

This is a living directory and will continually be updated with additional supports. If you know of a service to add, or change of contact details. A physical copy is also available at the CRC.

www.boyupbrook.crc.net.au/service-and-support-directory



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Upper Blackwood Agricultural Society (Inc.) - 2021 Trophy Winners

SECTION A – MERINOS

Red Hill Olivia, D & C Muir Trophy	
Most Points Merino Sheep Classes 1-28	HiView
EV Gibbs Memorial Trophy	
Grand Champion Ram	HiView
A E Henderson Memorial Trophy	
Grand Champion Merino Ewe	HiView
Dyson Jones Wool Marketing Services Trophy	
Best Pen of Merino Lambs	Olboa Merinos

SECTION A – BRITISH & AUSTRALASIAN BREEDS

Michael Giles Trophy	
Most Points Classes 29-37	Brimfield Poll Dorset
Wesfarmers Federation Insurance Trophy	
Most Points Classes 38-39	Olboa Merinos
Upper Blackwood Stud Breeders Association Trophy	
Grand Champion	Brimfield White Suffolk
Bob Price Memorial Trophy	
Best Exhibit Overall	Moss Hill Farm

SECTION B – CATTLE

Fred Piper Memorial Trophy	
Most Points Overall	Venturon Livestock
Zoetis Australia Trophy	
Most Points Commercial Cattle	Venturon Livestock
Jurox Animal Health Trophy	
Runner Up Most Points Commercial Cattle	N Derricks
Saxon Industry Trophy	
Most Points Registered Cattle	Venturon Livestock
Venturon Livestock Trophy	
Runner Up Most Points Registered Cattle	Mt Barker
Boyup Brook Co-Op Trophy	
Grand Champion Male	Venturon Livestock
Boyup Brook Farm Supplies Trophy	
Grand Champion Female	Venturon Livestock
Zoetis Australia Trophy	
Supreme Led Beef Cattle Exhibit	Venturon Livestock
Elders Bunbury Trophy	
Champion Unled 2021 Born Bull Calf	Venturon Livestock
Jurox Animal Health Trophy	
Champion Unled 2021 Born Steer or Heifer Calf	Venturon Livestock
Southern Forest Machinery Trophy	
Champion Unled Cow & Calf Unit	Venturon Livestock
Belle of the Bail Junior Interbreed Beef Female	Venturon Livestock

SECTION F – WOOL

Dyson Jones Wool Marketing Services Trophy	
Supreme Fleece	Olboa Merinos
CE Smith Memorial Trophy	
Grand Champion Farmers Class	Daniel Williams
Benbrook Grazing Trophy	
Grand Champion Fleece, Open Classes	Olboa Merinos
Dyson Jones Wool Marketing Services Trophy	
Most Points Farmers Classes	Kevan Chambers
LG Quartermaine Memorial Perpetual Trophy	
Most Points Open Class	Olboa Merinos
Elders Limited Trophy	
Champion Fleece, Local Exhibitor	Olboa Merinos
Elders Limited Trophy	
Best Pair Commercial Value	Olboa Merinos

Boyup Brook Farm Supplies Trophy	
Best Pair Ewe or Wether Fleeces	Olboa Merinos
Boyup Brook Farm Supplies Trophy	
Best Non-Merino Fleece	Lachlan Chilwell
Elders Limited Trophy	
Best Lamb's Fleece	Olboa Merinos

SECTION G – AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE

Hannaford Seedmaster Trophy	
Most Points Section G	Brody & Angus Thompson
R Knapp Trophy	
Most Points Runner Up Section G	Heath Staniforth-Smith
BBDHS P&C Trophy	
Most Points Section G Junior	Brody & Angus Thompson

SECTION H – POULTRY

Dave Strike Memorial Trophy & P Corker \$50 Prize	
Best Bird in Show	Tim Lynch
Boyup Brook Co-Op Trophy	
Most Points Overall	Joe & Anne O'Brien
Avenel West Trophy	
Best Soft Feathered Bantam	James Hughes
T & F Mead Trophy	
Best Hard Feathered Bantam	James Hughes
Solar Equip, D MacFadyen Trophy	
Best Modern Game Bantam	Tim Lynch
Hon WN Stretch Trophy	
Best Light Breed	Joe O'Brien
The Quacking Frog Trophy	
Best Heavy Breed	Harris Thompson
Jamann E Corker Trophy	
Best Soft Feathered Large Bird	Harris Thompson
Dan Fraser Trophy	
Best Soft Feathered Bird	Harris Thompson
Richfeeds Rural Supplies Trophy	
Best Hard Feathered Large Bird	James Hughes
Eric Gibbs Memorial Trophy	
Best Hard Feathered Bird	James Hughes
Harry Williams Trophy	
Best Game Bird of Show	James Hughes
P Strike Trophy	
Best Display Trio	Margaret Fraser
Boyup Brook IGA Trophy	
Best Water Fowl	Joe & Anne O'Brien
Oxley Family Trophy	
Best Rare Trophy	Margaret Oxley
Kettridges Stock Feeds Trophy	
Best Turkey	Joe & Anne O'Brien
Kettridges Stock Feeds Trophy	
Best Goose	Joe & Anne O'Brien
Paul & Jacquie Broockmann Trophy	
Best Junior Exhibitor	Cooper Skraha
Anne Ritson Trophy	
Most Points Junior Exhibitor	Cooper Skraha

SECTION I – FRUIT & VEG

Mrs Audrey Hales Trophy	
Most Points Section I	Tara Reid
Donnybrook Fruit Barn Trophy	
Runner Up Most Points Section I	Kevan Chambers
Mrs E Marshall Trophy	
Most Points gained by Junior Exhibitor	Paige Reid

Upper Blackwood Agricultural Society (Inc.) - 2021 Trophy Winners

SECTION J – Roses

Laurie & Noreen Tuckett Family Trophy Most Points in 'Roses'	Jodi Nield
Boyup Brook Physiotherapy Trophy Runner Up Most Points in 'Roses'	Rosina Mogg
Mrs S Wallace Trophy Champion Rose	Jodi Nield
Mrs D Thompson Trophy Champion Container of Roses	Rosina Mogg

SECTION J – Floral Art

Proctor Family Memorial Trophy Most Points in 'Floral Art'	Pauline Caldwell
C E Chambers Memorial Trophy Most Outstanding Exhibit in 'Floral Art'	Pauline Caldwell
Mrs L Robinson Trophy Most Points Arrangements Classes 27-32 (Professional)	Olivia Caldwell

SECTION J – Cut Flowers

Carolyn, Peter Reid & Family Trophy Most Points in 'Cut Flowers'	Glenda Bock
Mrs F Mitchell Trophy Runner Up Most Points in 'Cut Flowers'	Jodi Nield
Mrs S Wallace Trophy Champion Iris (Classes 51-53)	Jan Corker

SECTION J – Pot Plants

Mrs J Bardoe Trophy Most Points in 'Pot Plants'	Glenda Bock
Boyup Brook Florist Trophy Runner Up Most Points in 'Pot Plants'	Genevieve Lloyd
Boyup Brook Garden Club Trophy Most Points Overall in Section J	Jodi Nield

SECTION K - Cooking

Mondy & Co Trophy Most Points Classes 1-9	Anne Ritson
Mrs R Knapp Trophy Most Points Classes 10-16	Kelly Mader
Francke Family Trophy Most Points 17-34	Anne Ritson & Lyn Jennings

SECTION L - Preserves

Mrs M Hester Trophy Most Points Classes 1-12	Anne Ritson
B & D Twigg Trophy Most Points Classes 13-25	Anne Ritson
DJ & SM Nield Trophy Most Points Classes 26-36	Kirsten Skraha
Mrs A Ritson Trophy Most Points Junior Exhibitor Classes 1-36	Penny Nield

SECTION M - Eggs

Peter Strike Trophy Best Hen Egg	Anne Ritson
N & R Parker Trophy Most Points Classes 1-7	Harris Thompson
Harry Williams Trophy Best Duck or Turkey Egg – No Entry, Given to Best Coloured Egg	Lochie Skraha
Mrs W Samwell Trophy Most Points Classes 8-15 Junior Exhibitor	Grace Lee-Steere & Addison Muir

SECTION O – Home Industries

Mrs M McLaughlin Perpetual & Memorial Trophy Most Points Section O	Denise Burton
Fairbrass Family Memorial Trophy Most Points Classes 1-9	Francine Ryder & Lorraine Robinson
Mrs J Peaty Trophy Most Points Classes 10-14	Carol Rowe
Boyup Brook CWA Trophy Most Points Classes 15-28	Denise Burton
IPG Advisor Prize Most Outstanding Exhibit	Carole Rowe

SECTION P - Craft

Y & M Beatty Trophy Most Points Section P	Glenys Atherton
C Burton Trophy Runner Up Most Points Section P	Ray Gorman
Boyup Brook Craft Group Trophy Most Outstanding Article	Ray Gorman

SECTION Q - Photography

JS & EN Bagshaw Trophy Most Points in Prints	Janet Roney
Blackwood Excavations Trophy Most Points Runner Up in Prints	Colin Roney
Merino Enterprises Perpetual Trophy (The Late G Jago) Most Outstanding Print	Dan Sayer
St Mary's Catholic Primary School Trophy Most Points Junior Section in Prints	Sienna Mead
Boyup Brook Pharmacy Trophy Runner Up Most Points Junior Section Prints	Imogen Mead

SECTION R - Art

K Maddams Trophy Most Points in Section R	Carolyn Reid
Mrs P Caldwell Trophy Runner Up Most Points Section R	Amelia Foster
Bridgetown Masonic Lodge Prize Best Water Colour	Carolyn Reid
Bridgetown Masonic Lodge Prize Best Oil/Acrylic	Jacquie Broockmann
T Blechynden Trophy Best Monochrome, Any Medium by Novice	Amelia Foster
T Blechynden Trophy Best Colour, Any Medium by Novice	Amelia Foster
L Martin Trophy Most Popular Exhibit	Kevan Chambers

SECTION S – Children's Art & Craft

Mrs M E Gibbs Trophy Most Points Kindy – Pre Primary, Classes 1-10	Bailey Gifford
F & A Staniforth-Smith Trophy Most Points Years 1-3 Classes 11-28	Emma Lloyd
Hampton Partners Trophy Most Points Years 4-6 Classes 29-50	Max Thompson
YouanMe Trophy Most Points Years 7-10 Classes 51-65	Amelia Foster

SECTION T – Children's Flowers

E & L Willett Trophy Most Points Pre School-Year 3	Brentley Cailes
Mrs J Goerling Trophy Most Points Year 4-6	Amalia Cailes
Mrs J Inglis Trophy Most Points Year 7-10	Ruby Bock

UBAS - 2021 Trophy Winners

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SECTION U – Children's Cooking

Richard & Robyn Duke Trophy Most Points Classes 1-6	Addison Muir
PR & SM Corker Trophy Runner Up Most Points Classes 1-6	Jasper Twigg
Mrs M Nix Trophy Most Points Classes 7-13	Heath Staniforth-Smith
HiView Merino Trophy Runner Up Most Points Classes 7-13	Penny Nield
Ashleigh Clark Trophy Most Points Classes 14-23	Thomas Ivey
Kulikup SDA Church Trophy Runner Up Most Points Classes 14-23	Amalia Cailes
Mrs C Creek Trophy Most Points Classes 24-33	Megan Ivey
Kulikup SDA Church Trophy Runner Up Most Points Classes 24-33	Eloise Bagshaw

OVERALL TROPHIES

St Mary's Catholic Primary School Trophy Most Points Overall Girls	Amalia Cailes
H Trealar Memorial Trophy Most Points Overall Boys	Heath Staniforth-Smith
Farm Weekly Trophy Most Points Overall Ladies	Anne Ritson
Farm Weekly Trophy Most Points Overall Mens	Kevan Chambers

Show Got Back on the Road

It was just the best to have our unique Melbourne Cup Day, Dinninup Show, back on the road again. Our point of difference is widely recognised and has contributed to the show's success for many years.

There was a concern that missing a year might translate to a significant loss of momentum but, overall, it was not noticeable.

In fact, attendance was slightly up on our previous show. Entries in some areas were down a little but others were up. The horse show jumping was operating at full capacity and, along with the other horse events, a wonderful spectacle was provided.

A great line up of sheep and cattle were present with cattle exhibitors coming all the way from Albany and Mount Barker. Although the Speed Shears event was absent, the Clean Shears had a very high and very exciting participation. Speed shears will be back next year.

The dogs in the high jump competition were absolutely brilliant and the log chop events, as always, demonstrated amazing skills.

The children's art was once again a highlight, and a local "dark horse" won the popular choice in the senior art division.

There was a good display of poultry and produce and the vintage machinery men turned out with a great variety of machines. A record number of Agricultural College students attended to participate in the junior judging competitions.

The show was busy and vibrant with much to see and do, just as a country show should be. The volume of positive feedback was very encouraging.

I would like to publicly thank the UBAS committee members for the many hours of work willingly given so the community could enjoy a good show.

A huge thank you also to the show stalwarts who are not on the committee but show up and pitch in, day after day, running up to the show. These people make the show possible and make it the great country show it is.

Encouragement must be given to younger members of the community to become involved with the show. I would suggest anyone interested in a particular section of the show, consider just being a helper.

Thank you also to the local organisations and businesses that reliably contribute, in a variety of ways, to the success of the show each year.

As I approach the end of my term as President, I would like to thank all those who have helped, supported and encouraged me in my endeavours to re-energise the Dinninup Show. It has been a privilege.

*David Corker
President*

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SHOWING THE BEST OF BOYUP BROOK

Getting to Know Barbara Treloar

with Sharon Lampard

Before Barb Treloar, along with husband Murray, say goodbye to Boyup Brook in early 2022, it felt very fitting to sit down with her and get to know all about her beautiful life.



Barbara Treloar was born in Unley, South Australia in October of 1946 to parents Marjorie Jean and Cecial Gordan Tester. She was their fourth and last child, and was born quite a bit later than her older siblings John, Margaret and Bill.

Her father was a sign writer and Barb remembers he had a quick temper and was the head of the house.

Her mother was more placid and stayed at home looking after her children who were always put first in the Tester household.

Every Sunday, Barb went on outdoor adventures, "We'd take our lunch and we used to get on the tram lines and ride our bikes and end up at a pond. We were always told we weren't allowed to go near the river or the pond, so we did! We'd play for hours there," she recalled.

Very sadly, when Barb was only nine years old, she lost her older sister Margaret in a tragic car accident which also took the lives of Margaret's husband and two young children.

From then on, her mother never missed a Friday visiting their graves and she also took flowers on their birthdays as well.

Barb said she has very nice memories of time spent with her sister, particularly visits to her place at Easter, "It was sad to lose her and I [still] have many thoughts of her."

School was not really Barb's favourite thing, but she did love sport and started to play netball and basketball from an early age.

After high school, she wanted to get into nursing, so in preparation she had to take an Invalid Cooking class afterschool. This displeased her father who did not want this career for her, but it didn't stop him from eating all the meals she made in class!

Despite her father's disagreement, she commenced nursing at Wakefield Street Private Hospital in January 1964, at age 17. She spent four years there and then went onto Queen Victoria Hospital for midwifery training before returning to Wakefield for a further six months. Her father would eventually accept her work and she knows he was very proud of what she achieved.

Barb then enlisted to nurse with the Royal Australian Army Corps, and soon she was called up to work at Two Military Hospital, Sydney.

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There she nursed the Australian soldiers who were injured in the Vietnam War, a harrowing experience she said will never forget.

It wasn't all bad though because it was where she met future husband Murray Treloar, who was a National Service Man based at the same hospital.

Although they were not supposed to date fellow workers, it didn't stop these two hitting it off and sneaking away to share days off away from the hospital.

When Murray completed his time east, there was never any doubt that he was heading back to the farm in Boyup Brook, and so when the time came, Barb transferred to Swanbourne Special Air Service in Perth.

Shortly after this, a nursing and midwifery job came up at the Boyup Brook Soldiers Memorial Hospital, which saw her first move to town in 1970.

Despite loving every minute of her time nursing, when Barb and Murray married two years later, she happily stopped working to stay home and care for her children as they came along.

Kylee was born in 1973, and then came Damon in 1974, Nadine in 1976 and lastly Jeremy in 1980.

Life would then get very busy for Barb who supported her children in all of their endeavours such as Brownies, hockey, football and guides as well as doing the household duties and helping with the farm.

She was also playing, coaching and umpiring for the Boyup Brook Netball Club, and spent three years holding the role of president for the club.

"I've always loved my netball," said Barb who had played all through her time nursing and beyond. It was also how she made quick friends in Boyup Brook as she was asked to join the local team in her first week at the hospital.

Barb loved living in Boyup Brook as it was small and she liked knowing everyone. "You make friends and you have them for a lifetime when you're here," she said.

When the kids were a bit older, Barb went back to work and this is when she noticed there were no services available for senior citizens in Boyup Brook. Home and Community Care (HACC) was running in Bridgetown and Barb was soon employed by Anthony Collier who had worked hard to get the same service to Boyup.

For the next thirty years, starting in 1988, Barb enthusiastically held the position of HACC co-ordinator. The services they ran for seniors included gardening, transport, social club, respite, exercises, monthly trips out of town, tuck in services and Meals on Wheels.

She really relished this role, enjoyed teaming up with Nicki Jones and was also very thankful for the support that HACC received from the current president of the Multi-Purpose Service, Terry Ginnane who would check in with them weekly.

In retirement now, she misses it so much, that she still likes to volunteer each Wednesday at the seniors Social Club sessions.

When Barb turned fifty, she celebrated with a friend by taking a trip to Bali. She has also visited England and many cities in Europe, including a trip along the Rhine River.

She would love to travel around Australia sometime soon, but will keep her eye on the COVID-19 pandemic and perhaps stick to some travel around Western Australia in the meantime.

Barb has parented in the same fashion as she was taught growing up, by always putting her children first. She now loves watching her grandkids grow up, with her eldest now 25 and youngest only just born in early December 2021.

She has watched as things have changed over the generations and has noted that life has become very fast paced. She reminisced about her life as a young adult and chuckled remembering, "I had an ironing table as my kitchen table for a long time, because that's all we could afford!"

Looking ahead to the big move to Bunbury, Barb is a little apprehensive, but she already has some plans to join volunteer groups to meet new people and to keep active by joining gym classes. She also hopes to start travelling very soon!

They will have a place to stay when they come back to visit Boyup Brook, and after spending some time getting to know Barb, I am most positive she and Murray will be welcome back anytime!

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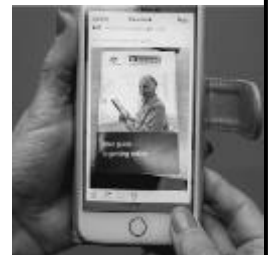
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Boyup Brook Aero Club

A meeting was held recently at the Boyup Brook Airstrip to outline some plans for developing the strip and providing an aero club so members of the community could learn to fly.

Shire CEO Dale Putland scheduled the meeting to discuss the future of the airstrip. Also in attendance were Roland Ritson, Ted Willet, Noel Klopper, Darren King, Brian Cailles, Carolyn Reid and Ronan Kelly.

Boyup Brook used to have an aero club until the early 2000's and many local pilots learned how to fly through the club. Many pilots in the area are members of the Bunbury Aero club.

An active aero club can help create some action at the local airstrip which can in turn lead to further upgrades of this very important facility.

Plans are afoot to install a proper boundary fence around the airstrip and have some lessons available from Bunbury Aero Club in the future, as well as host a "fly in" at the strip. If you would like any more information please contact Roland Ritson on 0427 653 053.





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Above: The bobtail that inspired the poem in Wellington Forest.

Poem: BOBTAIL

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A bit along the way
I met an ancient bobtail
I stopped to say good day

He asked me was I passing
Or was I here to stay
For he'd met many creatures
Who'd come then gone away

"Because," he said, "I've lived here
For two hundred million years
While many other creatures
Have had rather short careers"

I said to him quite meekly
"I'm afraid we're rather recent
In fact to call ourselves a species
Is hardly even decent

Three million years is all we claim
For our life upon this earth
Compared to you Oh Bobtail
That has very little worth"

"Oh well," he said, "I'll think of you
When you have passed along
Because I am quite confident
I'll still be going strong"

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Numbats Spotted

Please keep your eyes peeled and take care on Scotts Brook and Mayanup—Tone Bridge Road in the summer months. Numbats have been spotted on both roads in mid-December.

These cheeky little marsupials reach their peak condition in summer, prior to breeding, and the young are born in January and early February. The Numbat is under threat from habitat loss and introduced predators like foxes and feral cats. With an estimated population of fewer than 1000 individuals Australia wide we need your help to protect the future of this unique native animal.

Perup: Nature's Guesthouse is the best place in WA's South West to see numbats and other native wildlife. It's also a great base for other adventures such as bushwalking and bird watching. Accommodation options are also available. Website: perupnaturesguesthouse.com.au



Books from the Brook

Did you know our Visitor Centre has a selection of books for young and old? Written about places or events in our south west, by local authors or authors with connections to our beautiful area. We also have our own range of handy little booklets to help you identify wild flowers and orchids in the Shire of Boyup Brook. Drop in to the Visitor Centre soon to see the range and maybe pick up a good read for you or someone special.

Volunteers Needed

Do you have a few hours spare each month? If so we would be delighted to hear from you as we are actively looking for more volunteers to assist with the running of the Visitor Centre. Our volunteers love the sense of community gained by volunteering their time and promoting Boyup Brook, and sharing its history with both local residents and visitors. If you are interested please phone 9765 1444 or email: bbvisitor@wn.com.au. (Covid double vaccination required)

Sell your products at the Visitor Centre

We are always looking for more items to add to our vast range of local product for sale. Whether you make hand knitted products, delicious gourmet relishes, woodwork, artwork, or anything along those lines please get in contact with us to discuss selling your items here.

Sun Safety

Summer is here! Don't forget to protect your skin from our harsh Australian sun. Before going outdoors consider the 5 S's of sun safety. Slip. Slop. Slap. Seek. Slide.

- **Slip** on a long-sleeved shirt or sun protective clothing
 - **Slop** on broad-spectrum sunscreen of SPF 30 or greater, and re-apply every two hours
 - **Slap** on a hat, the wider the brim the better
 - **Seek** shade or shelter during peak sun exposure times, generally from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 - **Slide** on UV-protective sunglasses to protect the eyes
- And drink plenty of water to stay hydrated.

IGA Notice Board

The IGA notice board has been provided by Anne Thompson for the community's benefit. Locals as well as visitors take time to see what's on and what's available in the town. However, there are times when the board has past events left on it, other posters are put over the top of others and generic posters are faded.

It's up to us, the community, to keep it up to date. If you have put a poster up, please go back and take it down when the event has passed. If you display a generic poster, please keep it updated and fresh. If the board is full maybe a little rearranging will solve the problem of placing posters on top of other information.

Membership

The BBTA continue their effort in promoting local tourism. We are calling on your support by taking out a membership - Associate \$15 or Business \$65.

Although we receive support from our Shire, we rely heavily on the commitment of volunteers and members alike to ensure the Visitor Centre is manned and maintained so your contribution by way of a membership is greatly appreciated.

For more information please email: bbvisitor@wn.com.au or drop in to Visitor Centre to collect a membership form.

Sharing Memories on Lost Boyup

LOST Boyup Brook is a Facebook page engaging current and former residents by sharing memories of days gone by and we welcome your contributions of photos, newspaper articles, or stories.

Email them to boyupbrook@crc.net.au or post to the Boyup Brook CRC, 86 Abel St, Boyup Brook WA 6244.



Real Estate Sales Growth Set to Continue

Have rising construction costs left your property underinsured?

We have all seen construction and related costs rise dramatically over the past 18 months. What is driving this trend! 2021 has seen a 27% increase in approvals for new buildings (ABS) plus COVID 19 impacts such as:

- supply chain delays due to freight disruptions limiting availability of materials
- inflated costs of materials as a result of shortages
- border closures restricting access to labour and freight movements
- current state infrastructure projects placing stronger demand on materials
- the HomeBuilder grant promoting growth in the residential sector
- new residential building approvals,
- health and safety lockdowns further contributing to delays.

What do rising construction costs mean for property insurance?

Industry reports predict the Perth construction markets will record cost hikes of more than 15% in 2022. Other sources suggest these predictions may be conservative. Industry is reporting huge shortages of steel & timber plus skilled labour, with huge price rises.

These increasing cost margins mean that the price of repairing or rebuilding if your property is severely damaged is likely to be greater than calculated when you took out the policy or didn't review the sum insured at renewal time, leaving you under insured.

If your sum insured for your property isn't adequate to cover its replacement you will be left to carry the difference between your claim pay-out and the actual price, which could be substantial, considering the rapid increase in construction costs.

To ensure the sum insured for your property's rebuild value will cover the cost at today's rates – and tomorrow's – it's well worth reviewing your cover and regulatory updates with your broker before fire/flood/cyclone/storm season in your area. Don't be caught short!

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St Saviour's Snippets

Community Carol Service

The Christmas Carol service was held on Sunday, December 19 at St Saviours Anglican church. More than 50 people attended with folk from all the community churches participating – so wonderful to see the loving interaction between everyone at this special time of the year.

The theme – Jesus came to rescue mankind out of darkness to light – was highlighted by the Girl Guides, pictured below, performing “The Christingle Nativity” sketch which demonstrated aspects of the birth of Jesus and repeated the theme refrain. Well done Guides!

Everyone loves carols so there was some lusty singing! To add to the celebration, the Boyup Brook Choir also sang several carols fitting in with the theme. Thank you everyone for attending this time-honoured celebration of the birth of Christ and making it sooo special.

To complete this joyous occasion, supper was served on the Rectory lawn.

Anne Ritson



2021 Christmas Hampers

St Vincent de Paul, the Combined Churches and community organisations of Boyup Brook donated and packed 16 hampers for the Boyup Brook community this year. The hampers consisted of all the essentials needed for a wonderful Christmas meal and family celebration.

Every year the students of St Mary's and their families give generous donations to the hampers and some give up holiday time to help with the packing of the hampers.

Thank you to The Boyup Brook CRC, Lions Club, IGA, the churches and the community groups who came together this year to support this event. It is heart-warming to see how generous our community is. Thanks also for the community donations that were placed in the collection box at IGA. It all helps make someone's Christmas a little brighter. Thank you Boyup Brook.

Sharon Nield

St Vincent de Paul – Boyup Brook



Direction for Our Times

We continue our cycle of monthly messages for 2021 with the message for December 1, 2005 for our prayer groups and personal reflection.

December 1, 2005

Jesus

Dear children, you were each created by the Father. The Father takes the greatest joy in watching your progress as you learn how to love during your time in the world. You experience difficulties in this regard, but you overcome these difficulties and you grow and advance. This process of learning to love and rejecting all that is not love is the real point of your time on Earth.

If you were told that you would be coming to Heaven soon, how would you treat the people around you? How would you view them differently if you knew that your time with them was limited?

Well, little souls, I remind you today that your time with each of the people around you is finite. Time will pass and your time with that person will be over. If you love each person in your life, you will be at peace when your time together is finished. You will feel satisfaction because you will know that you tried to love them, despite challenges that made it difficult at times.

These difficulties or obstacles to love originate from two sources. One source of difficulty is your own failings and the other source of difficulty is the failings of the other person. These difficulties, which are expected, must be overcome so that you can treat each other with the pure love that you will experience in Heaven.

When you find another person unlovable, remember that you will be with that soul in Heaven and you will love each other perfectly there. It will greatly please and console the heavenly Father if you begin treating others this way on Earth.

If you had to do this alone, you would surely struggle and possibly find yourself without the forgiveness necessary to love each other as we love in Heaven. But you do not proceed alone. You proceed with all of Heaven and with me, Jesus Christ.

I have given you many examples of how I loved during my time on Earth. Read about me in Scripture, dear apostles, and then be gentle as I was gentle. Be kind as I was kind. Be respectful as I was respectful. Be forgiving as I was forgiving. I am with you in each moment and you may ask me for the grace to love each person in your life. I will send you this grace and together, you and I will prepare you to love like a resident of Heaven. In this process, you will find great joy. This joy is only the very beginning of my reward to you. Be at peace. God created you to love. I will teach you how to do so.



Submitted by Anne Staniforth-Smith

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Be Still and Know..... God

Become willing to change

'If only they were wise and would understand this and discern what their end will be!' Deuteronomy 32:29

Unless you're willing to change, in a few years from now you'll be exactly the same as you are today, except you'll be older, with less time and fewer options. The Bible says, *'If only they were wise and would understand this and discern what their end will be!'*

How do you *become* willing to change? *Recognise that change will happen whether you like it or not.* If you do that, you'll be prepared. John Maxwell writes: 'The only thing certain about tomorrow is that it will be different from today. If you doubt that, consider this: My grandfather had a farm, my parents had a garden, and I've got a can opener!

It's a different world than it was twenty years ago, and it will be different in another twenty. But the good news is, that the world changes so fast that you couldn't stay wrong all the time if you tried!

The difference in who you are today and who you'll be twenty-five years from now depends largely on three things: the books you read, the relationships you build, and the time you spend with God. Do you want to be wise? The Bible says, *'The Lord gives wisdom; from His mouth come knowledge and understanding.'* (Proverbs 2:6 NKJV) Do you want to be happy? *'Blessed are those who find wisdom, those who gain understanding.'* (Proverbs 3:13 NIV)

Do you want to feel fulfilled in life? *'Be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.'* (1 Corinthians 15:58 NKJV)

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Sports News

The place to list your club's upcoming sporting event, games roster or publish results.

Boyup Brook Cricket Club

The Boyup Cricket Club had a mixed bag of results in December, with one win, one loss and a washout.

On December 4, Boyup travelled to Pemberton. Batting first, Boyup were in trouble at 2-16, but when Tristan Mead (81) and Braydon Ridley (48) put on a 114-run partnership, Boyup were back in control.

From then on Boyup batted sensibly, with Todd Carroll (30), Cameron Marsh (16) and Jacob Maw (14) all contributing as they finished their innings at 9-224.

In reply, Boyup bowled and fielded well to restrict Pemberton to 9-185. Cameron Marsh completed a fine match taking 3-13. Jacob Maw took 2-20 and young Oscar Twigg took his first senior wicket, as Boyup won by 39 runs.

The following week Boyup hosted arch rivals Bridgetown. Sent into bat, Boyup were reeling at 2-1. Tristan Mead (12) and Todd Carroll (8) tried to get Boyup back on track, but another almighty collapse had them in serious trouble at 7-47.

David Johnston (77) and skipper Jacob Maw (41) came to the rescue, as they combined for a 106-run partnership to bring up the 150 for Boyup. After both their dismissals, Boyup were quickly bowled out for 157 in the 38th over.

In reply, Bridgetown lost their openers cheaply and were struggling at 3-25. A 107-run partnership put the game back in Bridgetown's favour at 4-132. Three quick wickets and with the score at 7-152, it was still either teams game.

Unfortunately for Boyup, the Bridgetown tail wagged as they steered Bridgetown to victory, finally dismissed for 195 in the 42nd over. Jacob Maw completed a fine match taking 3-30.

That evening the Boyup Brook Cricket Club then held a very successful quiz night in the clubrooms, with around 100 people in attendance. Thank-you to everyone that attended, as well as all those who sponsored awards and prizes, and of course everyone that ran the event.

The last game before the Christmas break saw the 3rd placed Boyup take on the 2nd placed Manjimup. Just as the boys were about to jump in their cars to head to Manjimup, the game was called off due to wet weather.

So Boyup finish 2021 in third position with the season continuing up again in 2022. Boyup have five more games in the new year, and will look forward to getting a full strength side on the park, as they push for finals. Here are the fixtures for January/early February: January 8 - home vs Forestry

January 29 - away vs Northcliffe

February 5 - home vs Pemberton

If anyone would like to be part of the Boyup Brook Cricket Social Club please see Travis Reid at the Co-op. Here's the Boyup Brook Cricket Club wishing everyone a Happy New Year. We look forward to your support again in 2022.

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From the Baseline

The annual Smash Cancer day was held on December 11. This event raises awareness of cancer amongst members, with everyone encouraged to donate. This year's charity was the Children's Brain Cancer Centre. The format of the day was a mixed clock tournament, with the top three scores for the day being achieved by Jodi Nield, Sharon Nield and Jo Hales-Pearce. A very big thank you to the Boyup Brook Pharmacy for sponsoring this event.

Junior and senior coaching concluded on December 16 with a festive touch and an end of year barbeque.

The Christmas celebrations continued on December 18 with fancy dress social tennis, followed by the Annual General Meeting, a delicious meal, present swap game and fun and festivities.

This month's tennis schedule:

January 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29: Social Tennis - 4pm start

All welcome - including juniors, new players and visitors.

Junior tennis returns on Thursday, February 3 at 3:30pm, with senior coaching at 5:30pm.

The Tennis Club is one of 24 sporting clubs to be awarded a Healthway Summer Healthy Sporting Club Grant.

The program enables summer sports clubs to receive up to \$4,000 in funding to help build healthy club environments and improve knowledge and awareness of healthy eating and drinking.

Member for Warren-Blackwood, Jane Kelsbie said "Congratulations to the Boyup Brook Tennis Club on receipt of their \$3,450 grant that will go towards supporting a healthy club environment. The Tennis Club is a fantastic sporting group in our local community and a deserving recipient."

The funding will go towards purchasing equipment so clubs can improve their ability to offer healthy food and drinks and assist staff to complete training to gain a better understanding of healthier options.

The clubs will also work with Healthway and the Western Australian School Canteen Association to increase healthy food and drink options at club-run canteens or kiosks.

Applications for the Winter Healthy Sporting Club Program will open in February 2022. For more information visit www.healthway.wa.gov.au



Above: Junior tennis players celebrate the news of the grant



Above: Christmas festivities at the Tennis Club

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