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Farmers Helping Farmers

In February, Mat Fairbrass and Aimee Court of Mayanup, generously donated 32 rolls of hay to those affected by the Perth Hills bushfire.

The young beef cattle producers of Fairbrass Park Charolais & Shorthorna, joined in the hay run convoy, consisting of 14 trucks travelling from Mayanup, Kojonup, Wagin, Narrogin, Pingelly, Newdegate and Williams.

Farmers Across Borders committee member Peter Warburton, of Warby's Transport, organised the special delivery that saw 621 bales of hay delivered to the disaster zone.

As well as the fodder, all of the drivers donated their time, trucks and the fuel.

The convoy formed at the Pingelly CBH site on Sunday February 7, and travelled to a private property in Wooroloo via York and The Lakes.

The hay arrived at 12pm and was already being distributed to farmers in need that very afternoon.

"It was important for Mat and myself to help with a donation as we personally knew cattle farmers in the fire affected area who had lost their property. It was seeing images and videos from these farmers that showed the desperate need for any sort of feed for the cattle, as the land had been burnt and the cattle were exhausted.


"The donation was well received by those affected in the Wooroloo area. The 621 bales are only a short term solution to keep the cattle alive, but seeing the grateful farmers and their family collect their allocated feed and appreciate our effort was totally worth it and we would do it again," said Aimee.



Above: Mat Fairbrass and Aimee Court with their donation of hay.



Above: The Convoy of trucks bearing their special delivery. Photo by Robyn Murray.



Rylington Park & Boyup Brook Co-Op present the

2021 Storm in a Teacup Women's Day 'heART & soul'

Friday March 12 2021 ~ 8:45am - 3:00pm

Rylington Park, Boyup Brook-Cranbrook Road

Tickets are now sold out, however there is still room for stallholders. Ph: 0429 375 609

Remember to wear a corsage and bring your wallets to support the market stalls

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My Inbox....

Kaya, wandjoo to the March Gazette.

After what some may call a 'false-start' to February due to the State Government lockdown, we pulled through and got back to school, work and community activities. It just shows that COVID -19 may impact us at any time, but as a community we are adaptable, caring, compliant and resilient.

The third weekend of February was a little strange with the Country Music Festival not occurring, however the month still had plenty on offer with a number of groups resuming after the summer break, as well as lots of summer sporting activities. February also brought increased support for seniors with the launch of the Community Connector project (see page 9) and Community Home Care setting up an office at the CRC each Wednesday (see page 23).

March will also be action-packed with a very busy community calendar. There is something for everyone.

It is exciting to see new businesses commencing in the district. Our local businesses are extremely generous with donations and sponsorship in the community, so please show your support and shop local.

Until next month, stay safe, stay well, stay connected
Jodi

The Boyup Gazette acknowledges the Noongar people as the traditional custodians of the 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



MARCH

- 1 Labour Day Public Holiday
- 3 Fetter Chiropractic @ CRC from 9am (appoint required)
- 3 Liberal Party Meeting @ Mayanup Hall 7pm
- 5 Get Specs @ CRC from 9am
- 5 St Mary's Big Bash Cricket match
- 5 World Prayer Day Service @ St Saviours 10am
- 8 International Women's Day
- 8 Red Hatter Lunch @ Treehouse 11:30am
- 9 Garden Club Meet @ Town Hall 1pm
- 10 Meeting @ Museum 2:30pm
- 11 Corsages and Cuppas @ CRC 1:30pm-3pm
- 12 Storm in a Teacup @ Rylington Park 8:45am-3pm
- 13 **WA State Election Polling Day 8am-6pm**
- 15-21 Harmony Week
- 17 Fetter Chiropractic @ CRC from 9am (appoint required)
- 18 Shire Briefing session @ Council Chambers 5pm
- 20 **GAZETTE DEADLINE**
- 22 Kahoot! Quiz @ CRC 10-11am
- 25 Craft Hut AGM @ Craft Hut 10am
- 25 Ordinary Council Meeting @ Council Chambers 5pm
- 31 Fetter Chiropractic @ CRC from 9am (appoint required)

APRIL

- 17 Dinninup Show Heritage Day
- 29-30 Heavy Vehicle Piolet License course @ CRC 8am

To include your event, please email gazette@boyupbrook.org



QR CODE

Scan this QR code using your smartphone and you will be asked if you would like to open the Gazette on the CRC's website. Then you can easily keep updated with coming events and read the Gazette in colour!

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Please ensure photos have names attached.

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Behind the Scenes C4C

If you have been down to the local Containers for Change (C4C) Refund Point at the Waste Transfer Station, you might have seen some fellow community members volunteering their time to count your containers.

The Lions Club of Boyup Brook have done a great job of transforming the old tip shop into the C4C headquarters, and they are on hand three times a week to count your eligible drink containers for a 10cent refund.

I have been volunteering when I have some spare time on the weekends and have been pleasantly surprised by how much enjoyment I get out of it. Not only are the people nice, but the counting can be therapeutic and there is the added bonus of getting in a light workout, all whilst volunteering your time towards a great cause.

The job itself includes counting the containers that come through, carting them to their separate collection bins, recording the number of items and a bit of banter with the locals coming through. Sundays also come with a special treat for volunteers—a Sundae on a Sunday!

All PPE is provided including gloves, a fluoro vest and ear plugs in case it gets a little loud. All you need to do is wear a comfortable pair of enclosed shoes or boots on the day.

The opening hours are Thursday and Saturday from 10am-2pm and on Sunday 11am-2pm.

If you would like to start volunteering, you can either drop in one day to meet the crew, or call Glenda on 9765 2958 for details.

Boyup Brook is lucky to have had a local community group take on the big task of providing a local C4C refund point. There are towns that did not have any one step up and they would have to travel elsewhere to take part in the fundraising scheme.

As with so many services in Boyup Brook, it relies on the generosity of community members giving their precious time to keep it afloat. If you can spare some time, I highly recommend giving it a go!

Sharon Lampard



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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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Annual General Meeting of Electors

The audit is scheduled for the beginning of March, a date for the Annual Electors Meeting will be announced once the Shire has received the audit results.

Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Round 1

The Shire of Boyup Brook is excited to announce it has received \$457,531 in funding to deliver 5 projects for the community, as part of the Australian Government's 'Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program' (LRCI Program).

The purpose of the LRCI Program is to support jobs and help local economies bounce back from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Round 1 projects that you will see commencing soon include:

- Boyup Brook Cranbrook Shoulder upgrades
- Additional street parking on Forrest Street
- Stage 1 Football Oval lights (2 x 30m light poles to enable training)
- Flax Mill Park upgrades to ablution block, automatic reticulation system for the Caravan Park and upgraded lighting
- Tourism Centre upgrades to toilet septic system, addressing the rising damp.

If you have any questions about these exciting projects please contact the Shire Administration Office.

Community Grants open in March

The Council will provide support to community-based initiatives which meet the Shire's strategic direction through the Community Grants Program. The process was recently updated, please refer to the Guidelines for Community Grants Policy (available on the website) to view these changes.

To simplify the process and separate the requirements, donations (\$1,000 and under) will apply through a letter outlining the project, community benefit and the applicant's contribution. Grants (\$1,001 and over) will be required to complete an application form and supply additional supporting information. Information is available on the website. www.boyupbrook.wa.gov.au Applications close 5pm Friday 30 April 2021.

Animal Establishment - (Dog Kennel)

The local government has received an application to use and/or develop land for the following purpose and public comments are invited.

'Animal Establishment' means premises used for the breeding, boarding and training or caring of animals for commercial purposes but does not include animal husbandry – intensive or veterinary centre.

The application submitted to the Shire involves the keeping of dogs for breeding purposes at 894 Tuckett Road, Chowerup (farming property). It is proposed that the dogs are kept in caravans with fenced recreation areas and in purpose built kennels.

The breed of dogs includes:

Lhasa Apso/ Shih Tzu; and Schipperke (small shepherd).

It is proposed that 30 dogs may be on site at any-one time (not including puppies):

- 17 female dogs;
- 8 male dogs; and
- 5 boarding dogs.

Details of the proposal are available for inspection at the local government office, Abel Street Boyup Brook and on the Shire website, www.boyupbrook.wa.gov.au.

Written submissions on the proposal may be posted to the Shire of Boyup Brook, PO Box 2, Boyup Brook WA 6244, or emailed to shire@boyupbrook.wa.gov.au.

Submissions are to be made by 4.30pm on Tuesday 23rd March 2021.

For queries, please ring Adrian Nicoll on 0408 777 010.

Briefing Session for 2021

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Agenda Briefing Session which commences at 5.00pm in the Council Chambers.

18 March 2021 19 August 2021

22 April 2021 23 September 2021

20 May 2021 21 October 2021

17 June 2021 18 November 2021

22 July 2021 9 December 2021

Council Meeting for 2021

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Ordinary Council meeting which commences at 5.00pm in the Council Chambers.

25 March 2021 26 August 2021

29 April 2021 30 September 2021

27 May 2021 28 October 2021

24 June 2021 25 November 2021

29 July 2021 16 December 2021

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.

Shire of Boyup Brook Council Chambers

Abel Street, PO Box 2, Boyup Brook WA 6244

Telephone: 08 9765 1200 Fax: 08 9765 1485

web site www.boyupbrook.wa.gov.au shire@boyupbrook.wa.gov.au

Census Job Opportunities

The Australian Bureau of Statistics is currently recruiting **Field Managers** for the 2021 Census, which will be held on August 10.

The **Field Manager** role is a temporary, short term role that involves training, leading, and managing a team of up to 12 Field Officers in their local area of responsibility.

Field Managers will earn \$36.90 per hour (inclusive of 25% loading), plus superannuation and will have variable working hours including weekdays, weekends, and evenings.

Census Field Managers must have:

- experience training and supervising small teams
- access to a computer with internet connection
- a mobile device with a reliable internet connection
- a current driver's license
- access to a registered and insured vehicle, and
- a safe and lockable area in your residence to store blank Census materials.

Applicants are encouraged to apply early as jobs are expected to fill quickly. Applicants must be over the age of 18 and be an Australian citizen at the time of applying and are available to work variable hours for the period of the contract.

It is a general expectation that employees of the Australian Public Service are Australian citizens. In some circumstances this can be waived.

New CoMHAT Officer



It is with great pleasure that we would like to introduce our newly appointed Mental Health Project Officer, Belinda Meehan.

Belinda has considerable experience working with varying ages through her previous positions as an Education Assistant, Coach, Governess, Mentor and Case worker with a Disability Service. Belinda has also held numerous leading roles in volunteer associations including roles at Hopetoun Progress Association, Hyden Silver Chain association, a coordination role at One Life Suicide Prevention and work at Henry Neuwen House in Bridgetown.

Belinda is looking forward to taking on the new role and will initially be focused on:

- Setting up engaging activities for the Boyup Brook Youth Zone
- Planning local events in line with the Boyup Brook Community Wellbeing Plan
- Working with community groups and schools to meet the needs of the local Boyup Brook community
- Working with the CoMHAT Committee to develop localised support pathways for mental health

Please make sure you say hi and welcome her into our community when you see her in town.



Choose To Challenge on IWD

International Women's Day (IWD), marked annually on March 8, is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. The day also marks a call to action for accelerating gender parity.

The campaign theme for IWD 2021 is 'Choose To Challenge'. A challenged world is an alert world. Individually, we're all responsible for our own thoughts and actions - all day, every day. We can all choose to challenge and call out gender bias and inequality. We can all choose to seek out and celebrate women's achievements. Collectively, we can all help create an inclusive world. And from challenge comes change.

So let's all #ChooseToChallenge.

www.internationalwomensday.com

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ABOUT TOWN

THANK YOU

Dave Baldwin

Lyn, Peter and Colin and families, as well as Kath and Frank James and families of Hyden, would like to say thank you to everyone who attended Dave's funeral and wake, held us up in prayer, sent cards, text's and phone calls to support us in our sudden loss of Dave.

The St John Ambulance crew, Lynne, Angela and Nicki, as well as CP Gary.

Thanks also to Dr Mildred and the staff at the hospital who were so very kind to us.

Thank you to all who assisted in every way to help us mourn the loss and celebrate the life of Dave Baldwin. CRC, Treehouse, Football Club and friends.

He is going to be missed and has left us with so many memories almost too much to recall but in time we will. Thank you to the community of Boyup Brook. No wonder he didn't want to be anywhere else. I definitely feel the same.

Lyn Baldwin

BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY

Best wishes to Graham and Iris Miller who celebrated their 68th Wedding Anniversary on the 3rd February. It was a big month for the Miller's with Iris also celebrating her 90th Birthday on the 17th. Happy Birthday Iris!

SENDING LOVE



I recently had a visit with Derek & Mary Wheeler and of course "poppy".

They miss Boyup and their friends, but send their love to you all.

Anne Beadle

WANTED

Boyup Brook Football Club

Is currently seeking a Trainer for the 2021 season for the Reserve and League teams.

Full training provide and payment.
Contact Paul Reilly 0418 931 458 or
boyupbrookroos@outlook.com
for further information.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

Mobile Dog Groomer

Wash and groom, nail clip etc. Hydrobath also available
Experienced Vet Nurse.

Genean Chambers 0458 152 165.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Red Hat Natter

Monday, March 8th Lunch- 11.30am Start

Red Hot Country Hatters are welcoming new members to our Red Hatting chapter for Fun, friendship & frivolity, please come along & 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.



The Boyup Brook RSL Sub Branch is proud to have been selected to hold the South West Vietnam Veterans Day Service on Wednesday 18 August 2021 at the Boyup Brook War Memorial and Town Hall.

We are currently building a data base on our locals that were conscripted or served in or around that time, and we would love to hear from you. If you are able to supply any information/photos relating to your or anyone else's service it would be also be appreciated. This includes any of our "recent locals" who have joined our community.

Please contact us on boyupbrookrsl@gmail.com

President Colin Hales: 0417 180 720

Secretary Lizz Rear: 0427 566 196



World Day of Prayer Service

Friday 5th March at 10:00am

St.Saviour's Anglican Church, Boyup Brook
All Welcome

Enquiries Jan 0428 6010874

Dinninup Cricket Club

The Dinninup Cricket Club is trying to locate the score books and secretary notes that seem to have gone missing since the club folded in the late 1980's.

If anyone knows of the whereabouts of score books and secretary notes, could you please contact
Bernard Beatty on 0484623952.

Liberal Party Meeting

The Boyup Brook Branch of the Liberal Party is hosting a meeting at the Mayanup Hall on Wednesday, March 3 at 7.00pm.

Everyone is welcome to come and meet candidate
Marie O'Dea.

ABOUT TOWN

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Re. Autumn burning of bush.

I believe we need to change our culture of burning bush in summer and autumn while the soil is dry rather than waiting until after the opening rains when the soil is wet before burning.

There is a layer of decomposing vegetable matter in the top layer of the soil. This is the most valuable part of the soil profile because it is where carbon is being sequestered into the soil, and it contains seeds of native vegetation, waiting for fire above them to smoke them which makes them germinate. Burning this layer leaves the soil barren and allows grasses to get in, and these are much more flammable than the native plants.

As well as this, a lot of red gum nuts from trees above germinate, and the young red gum trees grow quickly and produce a lot of dead leaves which are slower than other species to break down, tempting us to burn too often.

There are several examples of what not to do close to Boyup Brook, such as the hospital hill and the corner opposite the lodge, which used to have beautiful wildflowers. Now the bush on the west of the town is under threat.

I therefore believe we should change our practice by not burning bush, including roadsides, until after the opening rains.

I would like the Boyup Brook Shire to lead the way by influencing other organisations not to burn bush on dry soil in the autumn. We could even change our reputation of having some of the worst roadsides in WA.

*Yours sincerely,
Roland Ritson*

FOR SALE

House For Sale

22 Bridge Street, Boyup Brook

3 bedroom, 1 bathroom + study + sunroom, brick and corrugated iron construction, well cared for family home on 1012m² block in centre of town.

22 solar panels with battery, recently repainted, large carport, garage and store room, 2 garden sheds, easy care gardens, rain water installed.

Contact Linda on 0422 229 292 for inspection details.

Polling Places

Polling places are open on election day
13 March 2021 - 8:00am - 6:00pm

You can vote at the below places in the Shire of Boyup Brook:

Boyup Brook Town Hall
55 Abel Street

Mayanup Hall
9 Boyup Brook—Cranbrook Road

For more information on the WA State General election, please visit <https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/>

Boyup Brook's Weekly Events

- Monday:** Generation Gap Ukulele
 - Tuesday:** Swimming Pool CLOSED
Croquet @ Lodge 9am
SEAM (Seniors Exercise) 10-11am, Town Hall
Boyup Brook Choir 4:30pm @ St Saviour's
 - Wednesday:** Town Rubbish Collection (recycling fortnightly)
Badminton, Town Hall
 - Thursday:** Transfer Station Open 10am-2pm
St John Ambulance Sub Centre Open
Craft Hut
Junior Tennis from 3:30pm (during term)
Senior cricket training 5:30pm
Men's Shed meets 5:30pm @ Flax Mill
 - Friday:** Croquet @ Lodge 9am
Junior cricket training 3:30pm (during term)
 - Saturday:** Transfer Station Open 10am-2pm
Church services
Social Tennis 2pm
 - Sunday:** Transfer Station Open 11am-2pm
Church services
- Please email gazette@boyupbrook.org to include your activity



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Geoffrey Kaye Optometrist will be visiting

For an appointment call 0411 476 888



Government of Western Australia
WA Country Health Service

Boyup Brook Hospital

Services Directory

Services	Description	Contact
Aged Care Services	Visit Frequency: As required Self referral or via Health Professionals	SW Regional Aged Care 9781 4000 www.myagedcare.gov.au Ph: 1300 785 415
Chemist	Local private service Mon-Fri 9:00am - 5:00pm, Sat 9:00am - 12:00pm	Boyup Brook Pharmacy 80 Abel Street Boyup Brook Ph: 9765 1066 Email: boyupbrookpharm@westnet.com.au
Child Development Services (Speech Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Dietetics, Social Work)	Visit frequency: As required Appointment process: Appointment to be requested.	Warren Health Service Child Health, Manjimup: 1800 457 949
Child Health Nurse	Visit Frequency: every Thursday Appointment Process: Referral based - client contacted with appointment date by phone or letter	Warren Health Service Ambulatory Care, Manjimup Reception: 9772 5101
Continence Nurse	Visit Frequency: varies Appointment Process: Referral based - client contacted with appointment date by phone or letter	Warren Health Service Ambulatory Care, Manjimup Reception: 9772 5101
Dietetics	Visit Frequency: varies Appointment Process: referral based - client contacted with appointment date by phone or letter	Warren Health Service Ambulatory Care, Manjimup Reception: 9772 5101
Emergency Department	Open 24 Hours General practitioner or emergency telehealth Service on call 24 hours	Boyup Brook Hospital Ph: 9765 0222 For Health advice contact Health Direct Ph: 1800 022 222
General Practitioner (GP)	Open Monday to Friday 7.30am – 4.30pm Please phone to make an appointment with either of our General Practitioners	Boyup Brook Medical Centre 78 Abel Street Boyup Brook Ph: 9765 102 Email: boyupreception@gmail.com
Maternity and Delivery	Available for low risk women – at Bridgetown Hospital Referral from GP	Bridgetown Hospital Ph: 9782 1222
Mental Health	Visit Frequency: by referral Appointment Process: GP referral or referral by a registered nurse via ED	Bridgetown Community Mental Health Ph: 9782 1444 For Mental Health advice contact Rural Link Ph: 1800 552 002
Palliative Care	Community Palliative Care Service Self referral or via Health Professionals	Palliative Care Team 9781 4042
Pathwest	Weekdays 0800 – 1100 Walk in service. Referral from doctor needed but no appointment necessary.	Pathwest enquiries 13 7284
Physiotherapy	Local private service	Helen Hack Cnr Abel and Bridge Streets, Boyup Brook Ph: 9765 1244
Podiatry	Private service Visit frequency: by appointment	Geoff Dickson 9752 4270
Speech Pathologist	Visit frequency: by referral Appointment process: referral based - client contacted with appointment date by phone or letter	Warren Health Service Ambulatory Care, Manjimup Reception: 9772 5101
Surgeon	General Surgeon, Private Service, monthly, GP referral General Surgeon, Private Service, bi-monthly, GP referral Gynaecologist, Private Service, bi-monthly, GP referral	SW Surgical Services Ph: 9721 1333 Dr Senarath Werapitiya Ph: 9722 1700 South West Gynaecology Ph: 9791 1777
Telehealth	By appointment only. Appointments confirmed by South West Telehealth Service.	Tel: 9722 2794
X Ray	Mon, Wed, Fri 1100 – 1400 at Bridgetown Hospital By appointment Referral from doctor required.	Bridgetown Hospital Ph: 9782 1222

Get in touch

Boyup Brook Hospital
Hospital Road
Boyup Brook, WA, 6244
Telephone: (08) 9765 0222



Find us on

Kate Appointed Manager

Kate Lefebvre was appointed permanently to the role of Clinical Nurse Manager of Boyup Brook Hospital in October 2020, having acted in the position since February 2020. Kate has a wealth of knowledge and experience and has worked in a range of clinical settings with the WA Country Health Service – South West throughout her nursing career.

Born and bred in Boyup Brook, Kate lives on a farm and enjoys water skiing, bike riding and other outdoor pursuits, in addition to a bit of cross-stich and patchwork.

Leading the Boyup Brook Hospital nursing team comprising of 21 staff, Kate and her team work tirelessly to support the community’s health needs. This includes ensuring the smooth operation of 12 hospital beds including acute, palliative and residential aged care.

Services at the hospital include a 24-hour emergency department and outpatient services such as dressing clinics and community palliative care. Boyup Brook Citizens Lodge is situated on the hospital grounds and provides locals with compassionate residential care.

Community services are also provided at Boyup Brook Hospital including child health, continence, dietetics and the facility is enabled to offer medical appointments via digital technology known as telehealth. Patients can find a pathology service conveniently provided at the hospital by PathWest.

To find information on how to access services at Boyup Brook Hospital, please refer to the Boyup Brook Health Service Directory in this issue (see opposite page) or on the WA Country Health Service website at

www.wacountry.health.wa.gov.au/index.php?id=513

If you have any queries regarding access to health services or if you have any other health related queries, please contact Kate on 9765 0222, who will be happy to assist you.

In an emergency, always call 000.



Above: Boyup Brook Hospital’s Clinical Nurse Manager, Kate Lefebvre

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Community Connector in Place

Do you need some support, but don’t know where to start? The Community Connector may be your first point of call.

The Boyup Brook Community Resource Centre has secured funding through the Department of Communities Age-friendly Communities Social Connectivity Grants Program, to establish the Community Connector project, that will foster relationships and facilitate connections between seniors and local community groups, service providers and like-minded individuals.

The Community Connector was launched on February 23 at the CRC in the presence of a number of community members, health professionals and support agencies, who were all excited to see the initiative come into being.

The idea for the project came about through the health and aged care meetings and discussions which have been occurring in the community over the past six months. It was identified that having someone locally, who could help seniors navigate the myriad of systems and connect with support networks, was a priority for Boyup Brook.

The project will create a directory of community groups and support services, and develop a network of volunteers to assist community members in forming connections. Once the initial connection with a service, group or activity has been formed, the Community Connector will follow up and check in with the client to monitor their level of connectedness.

How will it work?

- Contact the CRC (9765 1169) to make an appointment
- Discuss your support needs in a confidential and non-judgemental setting
- Identify who, or what agency, may be able to provide support
- Facilitate making an initial connection
- Receive follow up support

If you know of anyone who may benefit from reaching out to the Community Connector, please call the CRC on 9765 1169, or email boyupbrook@crc.net.au.



Above: Jodi Nield promotes the Community Connector

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Boyup Brook District High School



It is exciting to welcome 6 new teachers to BBDHS for 2021.

Our new teachers are:-

Mr Braydon Ridley – Science Teacher High School & Primary Phys Ed Teacher

Mr Don Railton- Design & Technology Teacher High School

Mr Todd Carroll – HASS & Home Ec Teacher High School

Ms Jenny May – Yr 1/2 Teacher

Mrs Emily Royce – Primary Art Teacher

Mrs Denyse MacNish – Indonesian Teacher

Mr Braydon Ridley – Science Teacher High School & Primary Phys Ed Teacher



For those who don't know me I am your new science teacher, and I am excited to be joining the Boyup Brook District High School community. However, I won't be spending all of my time in the science lab as I am also teaching years 3 to 6 PE. I am looking forward to working with and getting to know each one of my students and their families this year.

In the classroom my focus will be building and maintaining strong relationships to maximise students potential, with an emphasis on developing key concepts to broaden students understanding and knowledge of science.

My expectation of all students is to be prepared, organised and engaged while attending class and to try their best! In term 1 all high schoolers will be exploring the realms of biological science! This will consist of learning about a variety of life processes along with organisms and their environments.

I look forward to the adventure ahead!

Mr Don Railton – Design & Technology Teacher High School



For the last 37 years of my working life I have worked at the Orbital Engine Company. Orbital as it is known now started off as a Research & Development (R&D) company working on a new design of engine and eventually a fuel system. I started as a machinist and was soon encouraged to return to study where I completed a Diploma in Mechanical Engineering.

Orbital was (and still is) a very interesting place to work and I had a diverse range of projects given to me during my time there. Things like measuring the reaction rates of catalytic converters, setting up a Hard chrome plating bath and learning how to finish metal surfaces so they are light tight, engine thermodynamics, mechanics etc.

Orbitals main work now is building drone engines for military and civilian use. My biggest achievement was investigating and eventually understanding why some of these engines were failing randomly in flight. It took a lot of test equipment to create the conditions at failure and then a lot of theory forming and further testing to prove or disprove that theory. I can say proudly now those problems have passed for the engine and my name is on the patent for the invention created to solve the problem.

I think my skills are (as a result of my work history) also quite diverse. I have dabbled in electronics (embedded micro processors), built an airplane out of fiberglass, I am very comfortable with machining wood, plastic or metal and just making stuff. I have also done a lot of searching for parts to meet specifications to do the crazy things R&D require and I love designing things in CAD to make the crazy happen.

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BBDHS Welcome BBQ

It was simply fantastic to see such a great turnout to our Welcome BBQ. The interaction between students, staff, parents and the wider Boyup Brook community demonstrated our strong sense of belonging. It was also good to see so many of our ex-students return and participate in the activities.

A really big thankyou to Mr Tony Pratico for his kind donation of ice-creams for the students on the night. Tony is always very generous to our school and to the Boyup community in general.

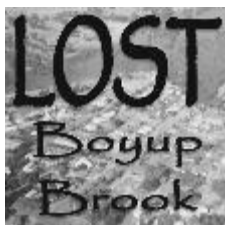
The Tug of War against the staff, again saw a resoundingly victory to the parents, but given the stacking of the parent team it could only be described as a hollow victory!!! The parents went on to beat the students for the first time in many years.

A really big thankyou to staff, students and parents making our Welcome BBQ a very special night.

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 to boyupbrook@crc.net.au, post them to 86 Abel St, Boyup Brook WA 6244, or you can leave them in an envelope under the front door of the CRC.



Circus Kit & Sponsorship

The BBDHS would like to thank the Boyup Brook Community Resource Centre for their generous grant of \$200 and the BBDHS P&C for subsidising the remaining amount to purchase a fabulous Circus Skills kit for the school.

The Circus Skills debuted at the Welcome BBQ, with lots of students and parents having a go. The kit will be available to teachers and students throughout the year.



Above: Charley and Kirsten at the Welcome BBQ



Above: Owen in action at the Welcome BBQ



Above: Katryna and Tahlia at the Welcome BBQ



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Makers Wanted in May

Interest is growing for the Makers in May event to be held in the Boyup Brook Town Hall on Saturday 15 May.

Based on the same concept as the Autumn Art Affair which ran in Boyup Brook for many years, Makers in May will see craftspeople set up a stall and sell their works, but will also demonstrate making their craft to the public onsite.

'Makers in May' would like to attract a range of crafts and skills from crochet to jewellery making, origami to flower arranging, felting, quilting, sculpturing, sewing and everything in between. The possibilities of potential stallholders are endless.

A number of one hour workshops are also being planned as part of the event for makers to share their skills.

If you are interested in being involved as a 'Maker', or know of someone who may be, please contact the Boyup Brook CRC on 9765 1169. Registration forms are now available from the CRC or website www.boyupbrook.crc.net.au.



Greetings from the Craft Hut

Busy February at the hut! Everyone on Thursday is as busy as a bee doing all types of crafts from dot art through to painting. The Tuesday afternoon group have almost finished their sampler quilts and they are looking look fantastic.

The Craft Hut's AGM will be held on the 25th of March 2021 at 10am.

Our social day is every Thursday from 9.30am till 3pm. Tuesday afternoon group is held 1pm till 4pm but it is now full. So you don't miss out we have made Tuesday morning from 10am to 1pm for those who would like to come and sew.

Short and sweet message this month, lots of stitching to get done. More updates soon.

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St Mary's Primary School



2021 has begun with a bang at St Mary's school. After an initial extra week of holidays thanks to the lockdown the students arrived back enthusiastically and have hit the ground running in all aspects!

They were greeted with lots of new sports equipment, a new chill out zone complete with hammocks, new laptops in Year 6 and many more exciting things around the school.

Students learning coding through robots!

Mrs Gear will now be teaching Technologies on Tuesday's. The school has purchased a set of Ozobots, mini programmable robots that can be coded from an iPad or laptop. Students are learning how to navigate these robots around a track, make them change colour, sense danger, make warning sounds and much more.

Younger year levels have been learning to code simpler robots called Bee Bots, they are so much fun! These 21st century skills will surely serve our kids in the future.

Solar Car Challenge is underway:

Mrs Hester has been running an enrichment class for our Year 6 class every Wednesday. Students have built small solar powered cars and have been learning to race them against one another. Two teams will be picked from our Year 6 class to represent the school at the local Synergy Solar Schools challenge day in Colie later in March. Good luck Guys!

Year 6 leavers shirts arrive in time for camp:

Last year our current Year 6 class chose a very snazzy design for their 'Leavers' shirts. They arrived on the first week of school and students are very happy with them. These will be worn when our students head off on camp later in March. They will visit Perth, staying at the Point Walter recreation facility and Mrs Reilly has an action packed itinerary planned. There will be a visit to the reopened Perth Museum, Parliament House, lots of activities and a day trip to Rottnest Island. Have a great time Year 6!

Plenty of exciting upcoming events on our calendar including Big Bash Cricket evening on March 5th, our Interschool Swim carnival in Bridgetown on the 12th of March and our Triathlon on the 26th of March. This may be a short term but it sure is a busy one!



Above: New hammock chill out zone.



Above: Year 6 class and teachers with their leavers shirts.

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Real Estate Matters

What a year we have all experienced! For some people COVID 19 has been devastating and we certainly feel for them, but for others it has been hugely beneficial. Many small businesses have not experienced such activity and growth since pre GFC. We are thankful that Real Estate industry has been one of unprecedented growth since May 2020. This has been driven in part by COVID where people decided to flee from cities to regional areas. Interest rates being so low have also proved to be a great catalyst for investment in real estate.

Another factor driving the market is the pressure being applied by expatriates returning home from overseas and interstate. We have had buyers from interstate, the metro areas of Perth and major centres including Margaret River wanting to settle in the Bridgetown region.

According to property data provider Corelogic, regional WA towns are showing an increase in speed of sales and a pick up in price, with sales volume for the last quarter of 2020 being almost 60% higher than same period in 2019. The regions are also experiencing a high demand for rentals.

Bridgetown has been a major beneficiary of the trend to leave the city for a more relaxed country lifestyle. We are seeing increased building activity and demand for land, in the region. This augers well for the future of the town, which is now presenting opportunities for further developments and subdivision. The surplus of vacant land, which Bridgetown has experienced for many years is no longer.

Our prediction is that 2021 will continue to be positive and put pressure on the real estate availability in regional towns and Bridgetown will not be immune.

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Girl Guides News

It seems such a long time since Guides last met, but then we have started with a bang!

Following the COVID delays, the Guides participated in a Litter Drive last Monday, an extremely hot day – but no complaints. Everyone was enjoying being back together and fulfilling a service project in keeping with their Guide Law: “Make choices for a better world”.

Everyone was very pleasantly surprised at how little litter there was at the Music Park after the weekend event. Well done Boyup Brook!

Then the weekend of 21st/22nd February, two of our more experienced Guides attended a regional camp at Busselton held to commemorate Thinking Day – the day dedicated for Guides all over the world to remember their Founders Lord and Lady Baden-Powell who celebrate birthdays on the same day: 22nd February. Money raised at this event, and local Guide meetings held near this date, is used to promote and assist Guiding in world areas which struggle financially.

Stunning News

The World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts has been nominated for the prestigious Nobel Prize for Peace this year. Guides contribute to the education, health and social fabric of society in 152 countries in the world. As all Guide members make a Promise and commit to a set of laws which essentially revolves around being friendly, honest and respectful and living their lives with courage and optimism, their contribution would be hard to measure.

Very difficult for us as citizens of such a wealthy and secure country to even imagine the strength it must take to survive in drought ravaged countries let alone war - torn nations.

And still on awards – our Regional Leader Brenda Hamlett was awarded the OAM for services to Guiding in the recent Australia Day Awards. Well done Brenda.



Above: Sienna and Sunni with their bag of litter at the Community Clean Up.

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Water Refill Station For Hire

The Boyup Brook CRC Water Refill Station was purchased in late 2020 with funding made available through a Keep Australia Beautiful, Community Litter Grant.

Refill, Not Landfill is the message that the water refill station aims to promote when it is hired out to both community and private events within the area.

“When conducting our community clean ups, we have found that one of the most littered items picked up in the Boyup Brook recreation grounds is single use plastic bottles,” said CRC Project Officer Sharon Lampard.

“With the water refill station available for hire at all local events, we aim to turn this statistic around.”

When it is not hired out, the refill station is positioned semi permanently on the CRC verandah. This means the whole community, as well as those travelling through town, can use the facility to fill up their bottles with free filtered water.

It is a hygienic, contact free system that works by activating a sensor on the side of the unit. It is simple to set up, only requiring a tap to connect to, making it the perfect addition for any event.

It was given its first work out at the recent Community Clean Up on February 15, where a water refill came in very handy for participants on the 36 degree day!

The Water Refill Station was designed and made in Australia through a company called meetPAT.


Their aim is to reunite people with taps, encourage everyone to drink more water, look after the environment and reduce single use water bottle waste.

If you would like to check the availability of the unit for your next event, call 9765 1169 or email boyupbrook@crc.net.au

For more details and an online form visit the website

boyupbrook.crc.net.au/waterrefill-station.html

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Above: The local Girl Guides using the unit at the Community Clean Up

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WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING AT YOUR CRC

The Boyup Brook CRC extends a very warm welcome to Lori Mansell who has commenced as our new Trainee Administration Officer. Lori has relocated to Boyup Brook from Perth and is excited to take on this role, study a Certificate III Business and become part of the Boyup Brook community. Please call in to say hello to Lori on the front administration desk.



We would also like to say thank you and farewell Madison O'Connell who has completed her Certificate III Events. Madison is not completely leaving the CRC, but will be employed as a casual basis from time to time.

Unfortunately the COVID-19 lockdown resulted in some CRC activities being postponed, including the Community Connector launch, Fetter Chiropractic and Get Spectacles visits. The launch of the Community Connector project was rescheduled to February 23 and was attended by community members, health professionals and support agency representatives. Get Specs will now be at the CRC on March 5.

We also welcome Community Home Care who will be operating their service from the CRC each Wednesday from 10:30am-2:30pm. Phone 9765 1169 or 9761 1855 to make an appointment with Louise or Kerry.

The online Kahoot! Quiz was again a great success and we encourage anyone who loves a spot of trivia to come along to our monthly quiz. All you need is a smartphone, tablet or laptop, but if you don't have one, the CRC has devices to borrow! It is fun!!

The Seniors Exercise Activity Mental health (SEAM) sessions continue to run on Tuesday mornings at the Town Hall at 10am. Come along, keep active, work on your balance, coordination and strength and have a lot of fun at the same time!

ITEMS FOR SALE

The CRC has a number of second hand office items and stationery for sale. You are welcome to come in to have a look at the items between 9am-4pm weekdays.

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CORSAGES AND CUPPAS

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Thursday, March 11 from 1:30pm-3pm

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MAKERS IN MAY

Are you a craftsperson or maker?

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The CRC is coordinating 'Makers in May' to be held on Saturday, 15 May at the Town Hall.

Please contact the CRC on 9765 1169, email boyupbrook@crc.net.au or visit the website www.boyupbrook.crc.net.au to download a registration form

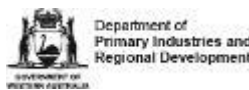
See page 12 for further details.

RECYCLING HUB UPDATE

The Recycling Hub is able to collect Plastic Bottle Lids again. The Contact Lenses recycling program has now ended, and has been replaced with any brand of used hair care & colour packaging. See the update on our website for more details.

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Fox Shoot 2021

In a world full of uncertainties, one certainty is we still have big numbers of feral pests needing to be kept under control. This year's annual community fox shoot again didn't disappoint in putting a dent into controlling their numbers. Thanks to everyone taking part we managed to cull 492 foxes, 14 cats, 188 rabbits and 3 pigs over 2 weekends.

For the second year in a row the winning team of the day was "Get Foxed" with 993 points. Between Justin Corker, Brett Kinsman, Buchanan Gibbs, Mitch Corker, Hayden Bock, Tom Burkett and Mackenzie Nix they managed to cull 91 foxes, 5 cats and 4 rabbits. Well done guys.

The second team was the "McAlinden Death Squad" who culled 40 foxes and 11 rabbits. Third was "Fresh Foxes" with 32 foxes, 1 cat and 5 rabbits. Well done to all.

As the lockdown meant the city-based teams could not attend the fox shoot, we decided to run the fox shoot over 2 weekends to accommodate them. Thank you very much to the farmers who were willing to allow these shooters on their properties. It is a privilege to be able to give city folk the opportunity to join in with the fox shoot and give them a piece of the lovely rural lifestyle we take for granted. They very much appreciate the opportunity.

We were again fortunate to have the Boyup Brook Shire providing a loader and a truck to put all the critters in and for the disposal of it all. Thank you very much for making it a lot easier for us – special thank you to Calvin Brown for giving up part of your Sunday to help us.

The main sponsor of the day, the WA Sporting Shooters' Association of Australia, donates \$5 for every fox shot state wide during these Red Card weekends to Regional Men's Health. Glen Dunkerton from Regional Men's Health gave everyone a snap shot of what they do and encouraged all to not just look after your own health and wellbeing but also to look out for our mates.

Thank you again to the Boyup Brook Pistol Club for putting on breakfast for everyone on the Sunday morning – as always it is much appreciated.

Last but not least, I would like to thank all the sponsors who so generously donated to this year's fox shoot. Some of you have been donating for a number of years and some of you are new sponsors. Thank you so much for being part of the Boyup Brook Community Fox Shoot.

The sponsors were - Boyup Brook Co-Op, Boyup Brook Farm Supplies, Afgri, Blackwood Shooting, Claremont Firearms, Roy Alexander and Sons, Boyup Brook Pistol Club, Beaton Firearms, Hiview Merino Stud, JE & KM Corker, Shooters Shed, Sport's Marine Bunbury, Belmont Guns & Ammo, Mumballup Organics, The Gun Store, Steelo's Guns & Outdoors, Boyup Brook Post Office, Shire of Boyup Brook, Tally Tags, Kinsman Construction, Fox Magic, Auto Masters Beldon-Fremantle-Cottesloe-Currabine, Get Trapped, Lock & Load Guns & Ammo, Lightforce Group, Old Dog Dirt & Diesel.

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Museum News

Firstly, the museum committee would like to thank both the Boyup Brook CRC and the Boyup Brook Co-op for their donations towards the purchase of a sprayer to control weeds around the museum. This will be a great help for the volunteers who keep the museum open.

Like most organisations in Boyup, we need more volunteers. If you have some time to spare, please contact myself 0439 310 044 or Dave Ryan 0407 861 864.

The museum now has a basic floor plan for the Mitchell Street block, but alterations are being discussed. When this is finalised we can think about having plans for a new building and toilets drawn up and then obtain some quotes. This will enable us to apply for some grants to hopefully move on.

If anyone would like to donate towards this building, it would be greatly received as we need more room to display our collection. Remember it is your museum which contains exhibits that have helped develop the Boyup district to what it is today.

For those who want to be involved in the museum, now is the time for annual membership registrations. Membership is \$20 per person. This may be paid at the museum, through our Bendigo Bank Account:

'Boyup Brook District Pioneer's Museum',
Account Number 633 000 - 162 430 078,
or posted to PO Box 107, Boyup Brook 6244.

We thank you in anticipation.

The next committee meeting will be held at the museum, 25 Cailles Street (formerly Jayes Rd), on Wednesday March 10 at 2:30pm. We would love to see you there.

John Imrie (President)
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We are pleased to announce that we will be starting a home garden and maintenance service in the near future.

Please feel free to come and see us in the CRC on Wednesdays or make an appointment on 9765 1169 and we can help you to navigate what can be a confusing and overwhelming process to access services.

Garden Club

What a lovely gathering (a blooming lot for an AGM!) on Tuesday 9th February. 17 old and new Garden Club members gathered at the Tree House for the AGM – but more importantly for a good coffee and catch-up with each other! Yvonne and Margaret were sincerely thanked for their sterling efforts during the last year – so difficult to arrange anything. It was agreed that those who can, will arrange visits to interesting places and others will help out wherever possible.

The *Boyup Brook Garden Club* meets on the second Tuesday of each month (Feb-Nov) at a pre-arranged garden or venue of gardening interest. Anyone and everyone are invited to attend. It is very informal and a great way to get to know others of similar interests and to learn to find your way around the district, and sometimes beyond, with the added bonus of beautiful gardens to wander through or learn about! You can bring ideas, queries, cuttings or seedlings to swap if you have them.

It was decided that Membership will again be \$20 for the year, or, if only an occasional visitor to the Club, \$2 per visit. Afternoon tea is usually available so bring a cup and a chair unless otherwise advised in the monthly Garden Report in the Boyup Gazette.

Suggestions we already have are a trip to Kojonup, maybe to the Balingup Golden Tree Farm, to local gardens and/or to Pemberton.

We are always open to an invitation or suggestions for a garden to visit or place to see. If you have a suggestion or invitation, please contact Liz on 0448 306 336 to make arrangements.

The MARCH MEETING will be on the 9th at Jill Mudge's garden at 96 Reid Road, Trigwell (just beyond the Boyup Shire boundary, via Gibbs Road). Everyone is invited to join the "car pool" at the Boyup Town Hall car park to leave town at 1p.m. Bring a cup and chair, if possible.

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THE NATIONALS for Regional WA

Getting to Know.... Anne Ritson

with Sharon Lampard

In the February Lockdown, thankfully phone calls were not out of the question and Anne Ritson was available to have a chat. She shared stories of her childhood and family, community service, politics, travel and farm life. It was a pleasure getting to know more about what has kept her so busy over the years.

Anne Ritson was the oldest child born to John and Jean Hearman, during World War II in Perth. Upon her father's return from the war in 1946, the Hearman family moved back to their farm in Donnybrook, which had unfortunately been neglected for a few years by then.

Reflecting on her upbringing, Anne said she realises now that her family had very few possessions early on and very little money. But she said her mother was frugal and they definitely made do. Both of her parents were disciplinarians but they were also very kind, "We lived in the family with lots of love," she said.

She had two younger brothers and one sister and all of the Hearman children had chores, "I used to milk cows before I went to school. We had a dairy farm, the boys had to chop wood".

Despite not living near family, Anne said she had a lot of adopted aunts and uncles, some of which spread to Boyup Brook. She said there was a lot of social connection between the two towns back then.

Anne attended school in Donnybrook until year ten, before undertaking two years at Perth Ladies College. Her favourite subject was English and she loved to read books, which she could be found doing even when she was meant to be studying.

After high school, she trained to be a nurse for three years at Royal Perth Hospital, and thrived in the hands on approach to learning. She did another six months at Princess Margaret and a year in Bunbury after this.

Anne first met her future husband Roland at a cabaret, most likely in Boyup Brook. After some time went by, with Anne in Bunbury nursing and Roland travelling for work to Papua New Guinea, the two reunited at a mutual friends wedding and started dating from there.

Anne first moved to Boyup Brook after they married in 1967. At first they were living in a caravan amongst the bushland on Grindon Farm. "The aim was to clear 100acres a year and crop it in the same year." They set about doing this in an environmentally conservative fashion, work they continued when they moved to the old farmhouse after Roland's parents retired.

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Getting to Know... Anne Ritson

continued

The farm was just one part of Anne's very busy life upon moving to Boyup Brook, she also did a stint nursing at the local hospital, started a family and she threw herself into community service.

Since 1967, Anne said in one way or another she's held office for the Liberal Party in the region. "It's been kind of my life really," she said. Politics was in the family, with her father serving as Blackwood MLA in the fifties and sixties for the Liberal Party.

Whilst he did not push his political agenda onto his family, Anne said going along with him to events in different towns, she got to meet very interesting people and this more than anything inspired her to keep moving in this direction.

Her service in this area has seen her take on many roles, including President of the Women's Committee. She loved this organisation as they were always out and about doing things.

Highlights of her involvement include the re-establishing of the shop at the Kind Edward Memorial Hospital, initiating the Breast Cancer Van service for regional communities and also many City to Surf events helping to raise money for breast cancer.

Anne was only the second female in WA to receive a Distinguished Service Award for the Liberal Party, and also met a Prime Minister whilst representing WA interstate.

Girl Guides has also been a huge part of Anne's life after she took over the role of leader quite abruptly in 1968, when the previous leader moved to Albany. "There were a heap of girls there that didn't have a leader, so I went in completely blind". However, they had found themselves a brilliantly loyal teacher in Anne, who has been doing the role now for over 50 years.

Whilst the uniforms and the programs may have modernised over this time, Anne said the essentials are all still there and she enjoys teaching leadership, citizenship, teamwork and skills, that she is confident the girls will use for life.

"Guiding wasn't just Boyup Brook," she says. In fact, Anne was also the regional leader in charge of an area south of Bunbury all the way to Albany, and on the state council. These roles saw her travel interstate representing WA at different national meetings.

Travel is something Anne has done much of. Aside from representing the Girl Guides and the Liberal Party interstate, her and Roland have also visited many other countries being a part of the Superfine Wool Growers Association. This organisation took them to several countries that they wouldn't have gone to otherwise.



Family ties in the UK, with her father born in England and her mothers parents coming from Scotland, has also meant visits to these places as well. Over the years, other places that have been ticked off include Italy, Hungary, Israel, Africa and Singapore.

A place the Ritson's have previously travelled to regularly is Queensland, to visit their son and his family who live there. Plans like this are on hold due to the pandemic, with travel still being quite risky interstate. Anne and Roland also have a daughter living in Perth.

Despite all of Anne's personal accolades, which also included earning Boyup Brook's 2018 Citizen of the Year, it is her family that she treasures the most. Marrying Roland, being able to have her children and now also having two grand children makes Anne feel very blessed.

In 2005, Anne gave away all of her roles, except those she held in Boyup Brook. She wanted to dedicate more of her time to the farm, and she found the rigorous travelling to and from Perth up to two times a week, was taking away her ability to do this.

Anne still serves locally as a committee member on the Upper Blackwood Agricultural Society. Over her 40 years with them she was previously the Secretary, Vice President and was the first female President.

She also has strong ties with St Saviours and makes regular visits to the local hospital as the Chaplain representing the Anglican Church.

Two things became very clear to me when I was spending time with Anne, firstly it was seeing how much she loved Boyup Brook, "I don't want to live anywhere else, and I think Boyup is just so fortunate. But we've made it that way. We are pretty special."

Secondly it is her passion for serving her community, "It's not what the town can do for you, its what you can do for the town." Anne was very fortunate to learn this lesson very early on from her own community-minded parents, she now passes this wisdom on to all the girls she guides and beyond.

*** Anne is looking for help with the Girl Guides, if you are willing and able please get into contact with her.*



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Hawaiian Ride for Youth

More than 140 cyclists are gearing up to put mental health first as training commences for the 2021 Hawaiian Ride for Youth.

The annual event will see some of the state’s most prominent businessmen and women tackle the staggering 700km ride across regional Western Australia from March 23 to 27 2021, in an effort to raise critical awareness and funds for Youth Focus to support youth at risk of suicide and those living with mental health challenges.

Over 25 teams will cycle three routes: the Coastal, Inland and Wheatbelt routes from Albany to Perth covering over 2,000km in just 4.5 days.

Riders will visit the Boyup Brook District High School on Thursday, March 25 at 9.30am to share stories of their personal struggles with mental illness, how they have come out the other side, and most importantly encourage open and honest conversations amongst students.

Now in its 19th year, the three-time national award winning ride has raised more than \$24 million since its inception to help Youth Focus continue to provide free mental health services to thousands of young people each year.

Hawaiian Ride for Youth Chair and passionate mental health advocate, Christina Matthews said the event continues to create conversations around the social issues and mental health challenges faced by young people everywhere.



“Not only does the Ride go a long way in raising funds to support young Western Australians, but it also acts as a fundamental platform to allow for incredibly important conversations around mental health and the ongoing challenges our youth are facing today,” Ms Matthews said.

Suicide is the biggest killer of young people in the nation, with Australian Bureau of Statistics data showing 49 young people aged between 15 and 24 took their own lives in WA in 2019/20.

For every suicide, another 25 people attempt to take their own lives. Each rider must commit to raise at least \$5,000 to participate in the Ride.

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Time to open the capsule

Join us on May 1, 2021 to take a step back in time to 2010 and reminisce over the contents of the Boyup Brook Tourism Association time capsule. The capsule was due to be opened in 2020, however due to the COVID lockdown the event was postponed to this year. Keep an eye out on our social media pages, and the April Gazette for further details on the event.

In the meantime we are very eager for people who were involved when the hall was used for kindergarten and playgroup to contact us and share their recollections and photos. We are also particularly interested in collecting any photos taken between 1952 and 1988 and any history you might be able to share related to the photos.

All photos will be scanned and returned to their owners after use. If you are able to help, please contact us at bbvisitor@wn.com.au or phone 9765 1444. Should you drop your photos into the Visitor Centre, please ensure they are placed in clearly labelled envelopes with your contact details included.

Community event information

Have you noticed our information board out the front of the Visitor Centre? We are always pleased to be able to provide our visitors, and local residents with up to date information on what's happening in the Shire. If you are organising an event, or have heard about an event that you think we should be promoting on the board please send through the event details to bbvisitor@wn.com.au or drop in to the centre and pass on the information to one of our very friendly volunteers.

Volunteer with us!

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 at the Visitor Centre 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.

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Above: The same building in the early 1950's.

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<p align="center">THE BLACKWOOD FAMILY CHURCH OF BOYUP BROOK</p> <p>We invite you to join with us for our Sunday Worship Services.</p> <p>These are held at 10:00am each Sunday in the Boyup Brook Primary School Hall.</p> <p align="center">Enquiries Pastor Glen Mader Ph: 97651101</p>	<p align="center">ST SAVIOUR'S ANGLICAN PARISH</p> <p align="center">A warm invitation is extended to you and your family to worship with us on Sundays at 9.30am. Eucharist 2nd and 4th Sundays Morning Prayer 1st and 3rd Sundays Cursillo Gatherings follow Morning Tea on 1st Sunday of the month. Contact 97651622 or 0428 680 008</p>	<p align="center">BAPTIST CHURCH</p> <p>We welcome you to meet with us every: Sunday Worship 9:30am Mid week Bible Study Thurs 7pm Ladies Fellowship Tues 8:45am</p> <p align="center">First Friday monthly "Kids Club" Years PP-6 (Except School hols)</p> <p align="center">- Enquiries 0427 845 779 </p>	
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<p align="center">BRIDGETOWN CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER - DAY SAINTS</p> <p>Meetings: Manjimup Rd. (op caravan park) - All welcome</p> <p align="center">Sunday Sacrament: 9:00am Sunday School: 10:10am</p>		<p align="center">SDA CHURCH Boyup Brook</p> <p align="center">"Discover Bible Reading" and Discussion takes place on the 2nd & 4th Saturday of the month from 3pm.</p> <p align="center">All welcome followed by light refreshments Pastor Ross 0456 747 719 or Margaret 9765 2862</p>	

Be Still and Know.... God

'Focus on this one thing.' Philippians 3:13

We live in the day of multitasking. We talk on the phone while having lunch, read text messages while feeding the kids, and drink coffee while driving.

But how did we get to the point that when a 48-year-old broker falls to the ground and dies, his colleagues keep working around the lifeless body receiving CPR? The dramatic escalation of busyness has given us too much to do in a short time. The standard strategy... instead of refusing to take on more... is to do two, three, or four things at once.

It's an extension of the do-more-and-more-with-less-and-less philosophy. But someone forgot to do the math! By doing two things at once you divert 30 percent of your attention from the primary task; you sacrifice quality for quantity, which leads to more errors. You may end up finishing more tasks, but with poorer products and frazzled nerves.

The downside of multitasking isn't well-advertised... so we keep experimenting to see how far we can push the envelope.

However, when it comes to relationships, multitasking can be disastrous. We don't listen... it takes too much time. Families need focus... babies need what they need when they need it. You either parent them or you don't. In the Bible Paul's advice was "focus on this one thing."

Our high-tech society is producing stressed-out people; statistically for every hour technology saves you, it consumes two more. Author Keri Wyatt Kent writes: 'Every time you say "yes" to something, you're saying "no" to something else. Prioritise what is most important in your life.'

Try these tips:

- 1) Slow down.
- 2) Focus on one thing.
- 3) Simplify your life.
- 4) Take at least 1 day off a week.
- 5) Be content with what you have.

Submitted by Sandie Blakiston. Taken from The Word for Today, published by Vision Christian Media. A free introductory copy of this daily devotional may be obtained from Vision Christian Media by phoning 1800 007 770, or email admin@vision.org.au Online version: The Word for Today

Direction for Our Times

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

February 1, 2005
Jesus

I wish to tell the world about my love. Dearest children of God, you will be welcome in Heaven. You have a family here who prepares for your arrival. Each person on Earth is steadily making progress in their earthly journey, meaning, you are steadily approaching the end of your life, even if you will live to a very old age.

If we begin with that thought, my next thought will make even more sense to you: I wish you to consider what you will bring to me when I come for you. Will you bring me kindness to others? Will you bring me service to your family? Will you bring me a duty fulfilled in obedience and dignity?

You see, my friends, I will not ask you for your material possessions because they will have no value here, unless you used these possessions to help others. Only then can material possessions acquire heavenly value. I have placed you in the world to serve. I am with you in each day but you must also try to be with me. Dearest children, ask me for guidance and I will tell you how I wish you to serve.

submitted by Anne Staniforth-Smith



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St Saviours Snippets

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The Church held its annual meeting last Sunday and new members have been elected to Parish Council as well as some appointees by Rev. Carol Reid. Adrian Price becomes the Church Warden and if you need to contact St Saviours, his phone number is 0428 680008. Our Mission Secretary is Betty Knapp and staunch supporters Margaret and Lance Hester have taken on roles again. Congratulations to all involved.

The Prayer Tree is now bedecked with colourful fish, a sign of forgoing red meat prior to Easter i.e. fasting. Each fish has a short prayer for Lent – the period when Jesus went into the wilderness after he was baptised and was sorely tested before beginning his ministry.

Later, the tree will carry prayers written on crosses and after Palm Sunday, (Sunday 28th March) everyone will be able to collect a Palm Cross which signifies the day Jesus rode into Jerusalem in obedience to his Father, and sadly to his crucifixion. Bishop Ian has written a special prayer just for Boyup Brook – it will also be displayed.

Maundy Thursday is 1st April and everyone is invited to this humbling service of washing the feet, just as Jesus washed his disciples' feet. The service will start at 6.00pm and will be conducted with safe COVID practises.

Good Friday is the very next day and again, everyone is invited to gather at 10.00am to walk the 'Stations of the Cross' remembering through prayer and song the last journey Jesus made; made for our salvation. Hot Cross Buns for morning tea.

Holy Saturday is a day of reflection and prayer. The church will be open from 10.00am – 12.00 noon for those individuals who would like to spend time peacefully in quiet meditation. Resources will be available if desired.

Easter Sunday 4th March, 9.30am service with Communion. We will celebrate the resurrection of Jesus – still a mystery today but a pillar on which our faith is built. Following His death on the cross which left everyone so morbid and depressed, Easter Sunday is such a day of joy, of miraculous new life and renewal for the whole world.

May you all find peace and joy as we celebrate the Holy Week together in the unity of Jesus' supreme love.

Submitted by Anne Ritson

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Puzzle Page

Rebus

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2. *Blame*
3. *Blame*
9. *b b bird b*
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10. *back*

Answers: 1. Back on one's feet 2. Two left feet 3. Big fish in a little pond 4. Tennis shoes 5. A bit under the weather 6. Take from the rich and give to the poor 7. Three blind mice 8. No one to blame 9. The birds and the bees 10. Back on one's feet

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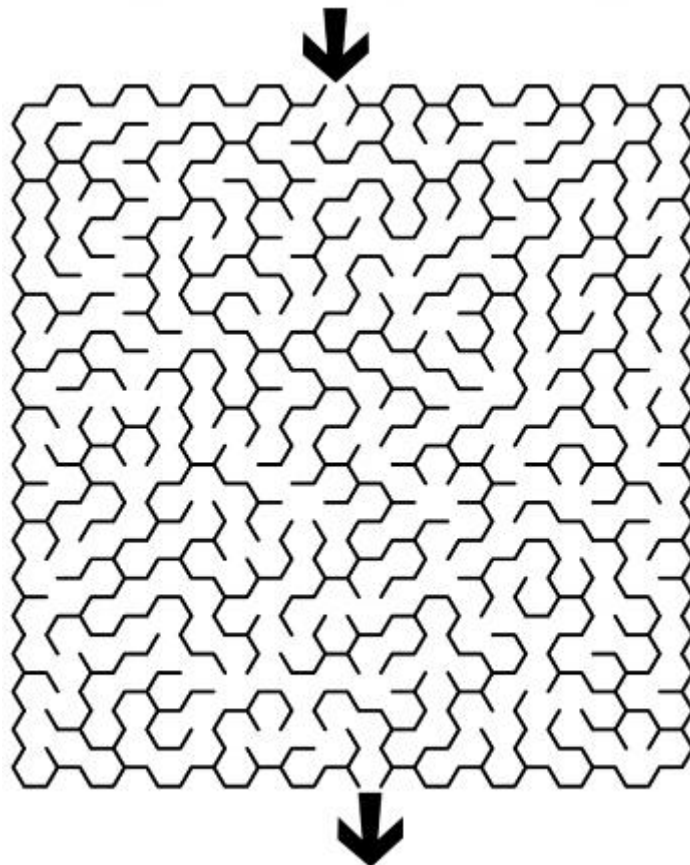


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Colouring Competition Winners

Thank you to those who entered the Australia Day colouring competition featured in the January Gazette.

Congratulations to our winners: Adults: Lorrene
Children: Penny

Please call into the CRC to collect your prize!

Celebrate Harmony Week

It is a time to celebrate Australian multiculturalism, and the successful integration of migrants into our community.

Australia is one of the most successful multicultural countries in the world and we should celebrate this and work to maintain it. Harmony Week is about inclusiveness, respect and belonging for all Australians, regardless of cultural or linguistic background, united by a set of core Australian values.

Australia is a vibrant and multicultural country — from the oldest continuous culture of our first Australians to the cultures of our newest arrivals from around the world.

Our cultural diversity is one of our greatest strengths and is at the heart of who we are. It makes Australia a great place to live. An integrated multicultural Australia is an integral part of our national identity. All people who migrate to Australia bring with them some of their own cultural and religious traditions, as well as taking on many new traditions. Collectively, these traditions have enriched our nation.

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Sports News

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Roos News

2021 Football Season is nearly here and it is looking like being a great year for the Boyup Brook Roos. Having put the 2020 cancelled season due to Covid behind us, I can clearly see all players are very keen to lace up their boots and get out on the oval and kick that ball.

Reserves and League have certainly started pre season with great excitement with over 20 players on Monday and Thursday training sessions each week. The first senior game is scheduled for the 17th of April at home our club is anxiously getting ready for the up and coming new season.

We're still looking for a first aid/trainer for game days. This position comes with full training and payment for game days. Please contact myself Paul Reilly on 0418 931 458 if you're interested in more information.

The junior competition is scheduled to start 20th of March so there will be plenty of young girls and boys ready to get out and be a part of the Roo's.

Our Juniors Registration day is to be held on the 4th March at 3.30pm at the club rooms. We will be transferring any registration from last year over and can swap any uniforms over that still have the tags on.

Some structural events did occur last year with 1 light tower blowing over and all other being removed due to safety concerns and a goal post falling down.

The club is working with the Boyup Brook Shire on these matter and are very much looking forward to the two new 25 metre LED light poles being in position by the end of June. The club has purchased 8 new goal posts and they will be erected at a Club Busy Bee before the junior competition starts.

The Boyup Roos are looking forward to seeing all old and new supporters and players through the 2021 season.

Go the ROOs!!

Paul Reilly, President

Peel Sports and Coaches Forum

Thursday March 18 (Peel Coaches Forum) – 6:00pm to 8:30pm

Friday March 19 (Peel Sports Forum) – 9:00am to 3:15pm

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Cricket Report

The Boyup Brook Cricket Club has finished off the home and away season in 3rd spot, and on the 27th of February played a home knockout final against Pemberton.

After a great start to the season, the boys have struggled the last month losing their last three home and away fixtures. On the 30th January the boys travelled to Pemberton.

Losing the toss and fielding first, Pemberton made a solid start to be 0-47, but some great bowling from Tristan Mead (3-15), Jakob Marsh (3-21), Nic Bunnett (2-11) and Jason Raven (1-9 off 9 overs) meant Boyup ripped through the Pemberton batting line-up to bowl them out for 95. In reply, Boyup lost an early wicket before coasting to the target with the loss of only the one wicket.

Jason Raven continued his impressive season with the bat, notching up his first hundred for the club, before he was dismissed for 103. Once Jason was dismissed, Tristan Mead continued from where Jason left off, and notched up very quickly his 17th Boyup century, finishing on 134 not out.

Tim Mead (37), Josh Miller (14) and Scott Tweedie (13) all contributed as Boyup finished with a massive 340 runs from their 45 overs.

The next week saw the top of the table clash between Bridgetown and Boyup. This game was meant to be the past players and 20-year premiership reunion from 2001, however, due to the COVID lockdown that had to all be postponed.

Bridgetown won the toss and chose to send Boyup in. After losing a couple of early wickets Boyup looked to have settled with the score on 2-57, but then disaster struck as Boyup's middle order all played poor shots to lose 4 wickets for 2 runs.

Bridgetown bowled out Boyup for 110, which would have been a whole lot worse if not for a final 30 run partnership between Jakob Marsh (12*) and his brother Cameron (11). Jason Raven (11), Tim Mead (15), Tristan Mead (25) and Steven Hill (13) all made starts but no player went on with their innings.

In reply, Boyup bowled and fielded well to have Bridgetown at 5-77, and it looked like Boyup could steal an unlikely victory, however, Bridgetown batted smartly to pass the score with 3 wickets in hand and finish their innings on 147. Jacob Maw with 3-24 and Jakob Marsh 2-19 bowled well for Boyup.

The following week Boyup hosted Forestry in a decider to see who would finish top 2. Boyup lost the toss again, but this time the opposition decided to bat. A few early wickets had Forestry 2-16, but as we have seen all season, they have depth in their batting, and they managed to bat sensibly to end their innings 9-142 on a tricky pitch.

Veteran Tristan Mead was superb with figures of 1-6 off his 9 overs. Declan Holland (3-29), Jacob Maw (2-23) and Joseph Thompson (2-4) all bowled well.

In the run chase, Boyup started well to have 19 on the board, but then the all-too-common collapse occurred as Boyup lost 6 for 21, to be 6-40.

Tristan Mead and Luke Reilly went about rebuilding the innings and at 6-88 the game was on tender hooks. Unfortunately, Tristan was caught on the boundary for a well-made 54, and when Luke fell two balls later, Boyup lost their last 4 wickets for no runs, handing Forestry a 54-run win.

Boyup had to pick themselves off the canvas and head down to Northcliffe for a game that made no difference on their final ladder position. Again, Boyup lost the toss and the opposition batted first.

A good all-round performance with the ball and in the field ensured Northcliffe were bowled out for 145. Jason Raven and Tristan Mead both took 3 wickets each.

Boyup lost their first two wickets cheaply, before Josh Miller (17) and Scott Tweedie (20) resurrected the innings. After both their dismissals it was left to Steven Hill to steer Boyup to victory. Unfortunately, he ran out of partners as he notched up 53 runs, before he was last out, as Boyup fell 10 runs short of the target.

On Sunday February 21st it was great to see a large Boyup crowd at Bridgetown to watch the final junior game of the season. The juniors have gone from strength to strength all season, and must be congratulated for their commitment to learning the skills of cricket.

Stay tuned in next month's gazette for how the senior team fared in the finals, as well as all the medal winners from both the seniors and juniors.



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From the Baseline



February is always a busy month for the Boyup Brook Tennis Club in the lead up to the Annual Open Tournament, with many volunteer hours going into the preparation of the event, catering, grounds and clubhouse. On February 27 and 28, the tennis club will welcome over eighty players from across the south west and metropolitan areas for a fantastic weekend of great competition, friendship, food and fun.

The month has also been busy with the resumption of junior and adult coaching on Thursday afternoons, despite being delayed a week due to the lockdown. There are fantastic junior numbers attending and it is great to see some taking the step into playing tournaments.

Four of the younger juniors played in the Donnybrook Junior Tournament, with Boston Walker winning his event, and quite a number have entered the Boyup Brook Tournament as well.

Some senior members have also participated in external tennis events during the month, with Sharon Nield and Naomi Dorrington runner-up in the women's doubles event at the South West Zone Tournament in Bunbury; and Greg O'Neil and Rance Dorrington also runner-up in the B Division at the Hyden Men's Open Day.

The annual Loving Cup was aptly played on Valentine's Day, with Freed Up Bookkeeping and Business Solutions sponsoring the event. This long-standing event commenced in the season of 1977-78 to encourage off-court partners to take to the same side of the net. It is always a great day of fun and competition and despite the warm conditions, this year was no different.

If you are interested in having a hit, please feel free to come down to the Club for coaching on a Thursday from 5:30pm or on a Saturday for social tennis from 2pm.

March Fixtures

- Saturday 6th - Handicap Singles and Mixed Doubles 1pm
- Saturday 11th - Social Tennis 2pm
- Saturday 20th - Championship Doubles 1pm
- Saturday 27th - Handicap Doubles 1pm



Above: Loving Cup winners (L-R) Mike and Michelle Lloyd (runner-up), sponsor Naomi Dorrington of Freed Up Bookkeeping and Business Solutions and Jodi and Craig Nield (winners)

Around the Traps

Boyup Brook Clay Target Club's season got off to an excellent start on Sunday 21st of February when 32 shooters turned up to compete for the Terry Shine Perpetual Sash and Trophy.

This year, the day consisted of 50 targets points score, 50 continental, 25 tower and 10 pairs of double rise to finish the event. The weather was perfect for shooting with some very good scores recorded.

Tegan House started the day with her first well deserved 25 break and Corey House also had a great day with a 75 break. A delighted Julian Higham from Collie Club came in with his first 50 break in Continental.

Winners on the day were: -
Overall: Phil House 241/245

AA: Michael Griffiths 237/245, Mark Evans 235/245, Nathan Blake 234/245.

A: Mike Daden 2231/245, Grant Robertson 240/270, Julian Higham 239/270.

B: Corey House 225/245, Deanne Blake 216/245, Ian Porter 214/245.

C: John Griffiths 226/270, Mel Fisher 220/270, Ray Guadagnino 201/245.

It's always a pleasure to participate in life member Terry Shine's shoot. The club are much indebted to his contribution and dedication to the advancement of the club over many years.

Our next shoot on the 21st March will be the John Harley Memorial 50 Points and then the Kurt Schinzig Memorial which this year will be contested with 50 Pairs of Double Rise. All welcome.

Social Badminton



Badminton is every Wednesday morning, from 9am approximately in the town hall - use the car park entrance (near public toilets). Wear sports shoes, bring your own water bottle.

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