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Flying Visit - Dedication of Bi-Plane



Community Builder Mr Darren Spencer, Mrs Penny Ende holding the key and pilot Mr Jan Ende.

A Community Builder's initiative conceived in 1999, culminated with a dedication of a bi-plane model at Apex Park on Thursday 12th August.

The dedication was in conjunction with the 'flying visit' by Royal Flying Doctor Service fundraising committee members Jan Ende (retired RFDS pilot), Penny Ende (retired RFDS nurse) and Amanda Duggan (fund raising officer RFDS Jandakot) who were travelling in a restored Cessna 180 used by the RFDS in the 1960s.

The visit was also part of the WA On Show Key Destination Tour, the team carrying with them the \$75,000 gold key which will be delivered to the opening of the *WA on Show* and the *Perth Convention Exhibition Centre* on Thursday 26 August 2004.



Model Bi-plane in place.

The main objective of the bi-plane, aside from catching travellers attention as they drive in to Lake Grace, is to promote the Australian Inland Mission Hospital and encourage tourism and travellers to our town and district.

Funding for the restoration and erection of the bi-plane was raised from a food festival held in 2001. This was a sit down meal for 120 people featuring locally grown produce. Two thousand dollars was also contributed by the Lake Grace Development Association, recipients of the 2003 'Strengthening Rural Communities' Award. Local tradespeople also donated enormous amounts of time and resources to see this project through to fruition.

Darren Spencer officiated, inviting retired RFDS pilot Jan Ende to dedicate the plane.

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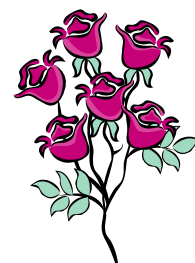
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A very BIG thank you

*To the **very** dedicated team who have produced and compiled this edition of the Lakes Link News.*

*Dot Kennedy
Danielle Robertson
Melissa Taplin
Michelle Lay*

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles



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EDITORIAL

- [1] The good news from Centrelink is that both Michelle Slarke and I are now able to certify original documents for you on behalf of Centrelink. Rather than send off those precious originals, such as birth certificates and passports come into the Telecentre and get them photocopied (at no cost), stamped and signed.
- [1] Margaret Cole's Living Memories Workshop was very well received last week. Twenty participants enjoyed the learning experience which hopefully our descendants will benefit from. Just have to get pen to paper.... Margaret is happy to run more courses. Courses could be run over five weeks (two hour sessions), evening courses or another two day workshop. Please ring me with what YOU would like to do. This course isn't just for the mature person but is also good for high school students. Journal writing is a good habit to get into because then you can *remember everything*.
- [1] The Telecentre has purchased a new inkjet printer, therefore its old bubblejet is up for sale. The old printer is colour and can print up to A3. Although it doesn't have good photo quality it is good for posters. The inkjet cartridges are new, feel free to make an offer.
- [1] Celebrations to mark Lake Grace District High School's 90th and 60 years of CWA in Lake Grace will be held on Saturday 6th November. Celebrations will begin mid morning and end in the early afternoon so everyone will have time for a 'nanna nap' before they go and kick up their heels at the Lake Grace Hospital Spring Ball. I am looking for any information on the Lake Grace and outlying schools to be included in a commemorative booklet celebrating the 90th so if you have any 'stuff' please let me know. If you would like to be part of the organising committee then please give me a ring on 9865 1470.
- [1] On his way to the Newdegate Field Day 'Rambo the Ambo' will be stopping off in Lake Grace on Tuesday 31st August. So if you see them/him/her stop and say hello, have a look and ask a few questions...
- [1] Due to the lack of substantial rainfall, tree sales at the LGDHS P&C Tree Nursery have been very slow. Ollie is open to negotiations on price, so if you want a few thousand cheap trees then give Ollie a call on 0427 651 180. The P&C would appreciate your support.
- [1] Great news!!! Telstra have given the go ahead for ADSL for Lake Grace. All Telstra now need from the community is a commitment of 40 connections, if you have registered your interest then Telstra will probably give you a call. Lake Grace is the smallest shire in rural Western Australia to get access to ADSL so lets make the most of this opportunity. If you have any queries in regard to bipond then please call Steve Hunt as he is your local bigpond dealer. There is a meeting about ADSL at the Lake Grace Telecentre (see page 12) at 7pm on Tuesday 31st August 2004, so come along, show your support and get your questions answered.
- [1] The Telecentre is offering a student membership. Students have to be enrolled at Lake Grace District High School and must be aged **year five** or older. Membership would be \$22 for six months or \$44 per annum. Students would be able to use the Telecentre facilities after school until 5pm or as much as they want (during opening hours) over the school holidays. There would be no after hours access. This is an opportunity for students to email their friends, play games or better yet, *do their homework*.

Suzanne Reeves

Living Memories Workshop

YOU would enjoy this

Ring the Telecentre and register
your interest.

No dates set as yet.

Thanks to Last Fortnight's Collators



Kim Hawtin
Dot Kennedy
Danielle Robertson
Lesley O'Neill

HUMOUR

A little girl was talking to her teacher about whales. The teacher said it was physically impossible for a whale to swallow a human because even though it was a very large mammal its throat was very small. The little girl stated that Jonah was swallowed by a whale. Irritated, the teacher reiterated that a whale could not swallow a human, it was physically impossible. The little girl said, "When I get to heaven I will ask Jonah". The teacher asked, "What if Jonah went to hell?" The little girl replied, "Then you ask him".

A Kindergarten teacher was observing her classroom of children while they were drawing. She would occasionally walk around to see each child's work. As she got to one little girl who was working diligently, she asked what the drawing was. The girl replied, "I'm drawing God." The teacher paused and said, "But no one knows what God looks like." Without missing a beat, or looking up from her drawing, the girl replied, "They will in a minute."

A Sunday school teacher was discussing the Ten Commandments with her five and six year olds. After explaining the commandment to "honour" thy Father and thy Mother, she asked, "Is there a commandment that teaches us how to treat our brothers and sisters?" Without missing a beat one little boy (the oldest of a family) answered, "Thou shall not kill."

One day a little girl was sitting and watching her mother do the dishes at the kitchen sink. She suddenly noticed that her mother had several strands of white hair sticking out in contrast on her brunette head. She looked at her mother and

inquisitively asked, "Why are some of your hairs white, Mum?" Her mother replied, "Well, every time that you do something wrong and make me cry or I'm unhappy, one of my hairs turns white." The little girl thought about this revelation for a while and then said, "Mum, how come ALL of grandma's hairs are white?"

The children had all been photographed, and the teacher was trying to persuade them each to buy a copy of the group picture. "Just think how nice it will be to look at it when you are all grown up and say, 'There's Jennifer, she's a lawyer,' or 'That's Michael, He's a doctor.' A small voice at the back of the room rang out, "And there's the teacher, she's dead."

A teacher was giving a lesson on the circulation of the blood. Trying to make the matter clearer, she said, "Now, class, if I stood on my head, the blood, as you know, would run into it, and I would turn red in the face.." "Yes," the class said. "Then why is it that while I am standing upright in the ordinary position the blood doesn't run into my feet?" A little fellow shouted, "Cause your feet ain't empty."

The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note, and posted on the apple tray: "Take only ONE. God is watching." Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies. A child had written a note, "Take all you want. God is watching the apples."

Sorry about no ABCDE, Humour instead.

P&C NOTES

From our most recent P&C meeting the following has arisen:

- The P&C will contribute \$1,200 towards the cost of a new kiln for the school, this kiln will be available to members of the community (such as the art group) to use, therefore more value for the money spent.
- The P&C will once again help with marshalling of vehicles etc. at the Kulin Bush Races. Anyone wishing to volunteer a couple hours of their time can contact Steve Curtin on 9865 1122
- Due to the low rainfall and therefore zero subsoil moisture sales of trees from the tree nursery have been slow. Decided that the price to be slashed in order to move them.

This is a very worthwhile project with low cost output compared to income that unfortunately relies so much on the weather.

- The athletics carnival will now be run over one day instead of two. This will have multiple benefits as children will have less time to sit around getting bored, parent helpers/ spectators will only have to make themselves available for one day and therefore should be able to watch it all (who can get two days off work in a row?) and children and teachers will lose less time in the classroom.
- ABCDE project has been launched with grant applications underway to help finance a coordinator for the project.

Secretary - Suzanne Reeves



ABOUT TOWN

- ☞ Sympathy to the Medlen family on the loss of Adeline's mother.
- ☞ Sympathy also to Tania Spencer and family on the loss of Tania's stepmother.
- ☞ Best wishes to Travis Ellison after his recent accident.
- ☞ Congratulations to Jenny and Brian Bidwell on the arrival of their first grandson, Luke Steven Giovanetti. Luke arrived on 11th August 2004.
- ☞ In the spirit of the Olympics the year one class performed their very own torch relay around town (a couple of blocks) on Monday morning. Even though the weather was bleak the torch kept going....
- ☞ Best wishes for those Lake Grace District High School students performing in the Margaret Cotton festival.



LAKE GRACE RECYCLING GROUP

Lake Grace Recycling Station is managed by 3 volunteers and we ask you to help us (to help you) by:

- ✓ Placing all glass containers in the bottle banks provided – not on the ground beside them
- ✓ Flatten plastic and cardboard milk containers so they occupy less space

Thank you

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



26 August Madeline Walker
 27 August Alex Duckworth
 Samuel Curtin
 Louise Trevenen
 Mandy King
 28 August Gary Frost
 29 August Justin Carruthers
 1 September Ed Naisbitt

2 September Magdalen Trevenen
 6 September Ken Medlen
 7 September Clinton Trevenen
 8 September Grant Medlen
 Shirley Duckworth
 9 September Katelyn Slarke
 Grant Osborne
 Simone Mahoney

♥ HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Milton & Rhonda Reynolds 26th August
 Ross & Belinda Bowron 5th September

Fax, email or bring your *About Town* news into the Telecentre. If you would like to share your birthday or anniversary celebrations with us then please fill in the Celebrations book.

A Sheep Sale with a Difference

Lake Grace people can be the proud owners of the most talked about mob of sheep in the district.

Lake Grace Development Association is now offering locals the opportunity to sponsor its *On the Sheep's' Back* public art project. Artist Rhys Tonkin will create 70 cement merino sculptures which will walk and graze the main street of Lake Grace from the Shire office to the South Road intersection.

Buyers can choose from 3 sponsorship options – Superfine, Fine or Strong – ranging from a single sheep to a mob. The sheep will be identified with the owners' ear tags and signage.

"Lake Grace Development Association has created the On the Sheep's Back project to show the significance of the merino to our farming community", said project coordinator

Michelle Slarke. "It is also a wonderful opportunity to create an exciting regional tourist attraction in our town. We invite locals to support the project and have their name on a unique public artwork".



The first On the Sheep's' Back sculpture



Aerial Spraying

Lindsay & Ann Joyce

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Albany WA 6331

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BUSHY'S GARDEN

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AND SEE THE EXTENSIVE RANGE
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FASHION FOR THE SALT OF THE EARTH

**New Season JUMP and BISCOTE
Ladies' Wear has arrived**

**Larger Sized SLAZENGER ACTIVE WEAR
to size 26 is now in for summer**

Don't forget - our winter SALE is still on

**40-50% OFF Ladies' and Men's Clothing
20% OFF Children's wear**



on the sheep's back

Lake Grace Public Art

A Lake Grace Development Association initiative



Introduce a new bloodline to the flock

**Lake Grace Development Association invites you to muster support
behind the *On the Sheep's Back* public art project.**

Sponsor one or more merino sculptures for the town centre.

These are big bodied Lake Grace merinos with

- ★ **Excellent bloodlines**
- ★ **Good conformation**
- ★ **Long life-spans**
- ★ **Easy care** - no drenching or shearing

Sponsorship Options

<i>Superfine</i> Sponsor:	70 sheep sculptures at \$500 each
<i>Fine</i> Sponsor:	15 or more sheep sculptures at \$500 each
<i>Strong</i> Sponsor:	Individual sheep sculptures at \$500 each

Donations are also welcome. Sheep will be identified with the sponsor's ear tags and signage.

Contact Project Coordinators Tania Spencer (9865 1339) or Michelle Slarke (9865 1878).

Flying Visit - Dedication of Bi-Plane *(cont...)*

Attendees toured the AIM hospital (with a very welcome sausage sizzle) and contributed to the money chain that snaked its way down the Penny Pavers Pathway. Lake Grace District High School students and Newdegate Primary School students attended.

The Royal Flying Doctor Service is a sentimental favourite in the more remote rural areas such as Lake Grace where residents know how vulnerable they are in the case of a medical emergency.

The bi-plane is a model of the De Havilland model DH50 aircraft used by the RFDS on its first flight on 17 May 1928. This plane was hired from the Queensland and Northern Territory Aerial Service, which later became Qantas.

The aircraft was a single engine, fabric covered, cabin bi-plane capable of carrying a pilot and four passengers at a cruising speed of just under 80 miles per hour. For the first trial year, Qantas charged two shillings per mile flown. The Federal Government paid half the cost while the other half was funded by donations.

It is significant that over the years the Flying Doctor has maintained a very good aviation safety record, despite the sometimes very difficult conditions under which aircraft have to operate. In 1928, flying was still in its early days, airstrips often left much to be desired and there was a lack of navigational facilities and airstrip lighting.

The first Flying Doctor pilot, Arthur Affleck, had no navigational aids, no radio and only a compass and inadequate maps, if any. He navigated by landmarks such as fences, rivers, river beds, dirt roads or just wheel tracks and telegraph lines. He also flew in an open cockpit, fully exposed to the weather, behind the doctor's cabin. Airstrips were, at best, claypans or at the worst, hastily cleared paddocks.

RFDS founder Reverend John Flynn told many tales to illustrate the need for medical care in the outback. One such story was that of Jimmy Darcy, a stockman hurt in a fall near Halls Creek, Western Australia in August 1917.

"Found badly injured, Darcy was transported by his friends to Halls Creek, 30 miles away, a 12 hour journey. There, the only person who knew first aid was FW Tuckett, the Postmaster, who quickly saw Darcy's injuries were serious. After trying unsuccessfully to contact doctors by telegraph at Wyndham and Derby, he finally thought to telegraph 2,000 miles to his former first aid lecturer, Dr Holland, in Perth. Following diagnosis by morse code, Holland went on to instruct Tuckett

through two long and painful bladder operations with a pen knife. Holland then set out on a 10 day journey from Perth to Halls Gap by Cattle Boat, Model T Ford, a horse drawn sulky and finally foot. When he arrived he found that although the operations were successful, Darcy, weakened by undiagnosed malaria and an abscessed appendix, had died the day before."

The tragedy elbowed even war news from many Australian newspapers and, more than any other single event, attracted nationwide attention to the urgent need for doctors, hospitals and nurses in outback Australia.

In 1903 the first powered air flight had taken place and by 1918 the aeroplane was beginning to prove itself as a reliable means of transport. Radio was also displaying its remarkable capability to link people thousands of miles apart.

Residents from all rural areas have benefited from the wisdom of Reverend John Flynn.

In 1969/70 Lake Grace pilots made an airstrip on Syd Treloar's farm for their own use. The RFDS made use of this strip on October 30th 1974 when they evacuated an ailing mother and baby. This was the first of many fly-outs from Lake Grace.

In her memoirs, RFDS pilot and nurse, Robyn Millar, wrote of her first visit to Lake Grace...

"Home again, very tired and Harold with a heavy cold - laryngitis. A ring at 10pm from Dr Chong in Lake Grace. A woman was haemorrhaging after delivery and he had no blood to hand. The baby too, after a precipitous arrival, was suffering respiratory distress. Lake Grace has no airstrip so Harold (Dr Harold Dicks, Robyn's husband) feeling like death anyway said that as I was obviously going to kill myself, he might as well die with me. We landed in a paddock, indicated by the headlights of ten or twelve cars positioned in accordance with my instructions. Made a good landing in the circumstances and complimented those concerned on their effective flare path."

Concerns were raised about the lack of a suitable airstrip for Lake Grace and Mr Laurie Thiel was given the task of finding a suitable site. After surveying the lake and surrounds, a 1219m long by 60m wide air strip was built with the opening held on 28th August 1976. This airstrip was built by the Shire and volunteers, funded by the Shire and the State Transport Commission.

Lighting was provided by car headlights and then kerosene flares for night landings and take-offs.

In 1979 it was realised that an upgrade needed to

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be carried out on the strip to bring it up to night landing specifications. So the strip was widened, electric lighting installed and the wind sock illuminated. Work was completed in 1980. Two nights after testing the strip was used by the RFDS. The pilot can now switch these lights on from the plane.

Thursday's dedication raised \$1,290.00 was raised for the RFDS from the sausage sizzle, money chain, collection tins and the competition for guessing the wingspan of the plane; which incidentally is 6.02m. Judy Walker won this with her 'educated estimate' of 6.15m.

None of this would have happened without the hard work of so many; the original community builders group Rita Marshall, Glenda Slarke, Nicki Connolly and Darren Spencer; Allan Marshall for

sourcing the plane and providing other invaluable help; Lake Grace Development Association for contributing the \$2,000.00 that was awarded for Strengthening Rural Communities; Lake Grace Engineering for restoring and erecting the plane; concreting of base by Kuender Concrete; use of the Hiab from Stevemacs to erect the plane; the Shire for digging of pad hole, backfilling of hole and for cooking the sausages and feeding the school kids; Gardiner's Meat Supply for donation of sausages; Supa Valu for donation of buns; Melissa Cugley for signage; Belinda Bowron for her tin shake at the Hockey girls last game; the committee and helpers on the day and last, but not least, everyone who came and made a donation to the money chain or brought a sausage in a bun.

Suzanne Reeves



Information from 'Across the Lake', Kevin and Jean Seaman, Darren Spencer, Allan Marshall, RFDS, Lakes Link News.



Above: WA on Show Key
Left: Pilot Jan Ende celebrating the occasion
Below: The restored Cessna 180



Make Pap Smears a Routine for Life

Cervical cancer can be prevented if all women made Pap smears a routine for life. One of the answers to reducing incidence and mortality from cervical cancer is to encourage women to participate in regular two-yearly Pap smears, and for them to maintain this behaviour throughout the course of their adult life.

A pap smear can detect early cell changes long before you would notice anything unusual. The lining of the cervix is made up of millions of tiny cells. Sometimes abnormal cells develop among them. These abnormal cells are not cancer but if they continue to grow they may lead to cancer later on.

A pap smear is a simple test which only takes a few minutes. A GP or nurse with specialised training can help you feel more relaxed and comfortable about having the test or assist you with alternative services.

In Western Australia more than 90 women develop cervical cancer every year and more than 30 women die from the disease. A pap smear every two years can prevent up to 90 percent of the most common type of cervical cancer.

If you are a woman aged between 20-69 and have ever had sex, you should have a pap smear every two years. This also applies if you have only ever had one partner, or you no longer have periods, haven't had sex for a long time or have no symptoms. Women who have had a hysterectomy or are over 70 years of age should check with their doctor to see if they still need to have a pap smear.

If you are a woman aged between 20-69 years, ask yourself this question - when did you last have a pap smear? Make an appointment with your doctor, health centre or women's health centre. It's up to you - regular pap smears could save your life!

Lakes District

Well Women's Clinic

As September is the start of the 'Pap Smear Awareness Campaign' we are offering two clinics.

They will be held at the
Lake Grace Medical Centre on

Tuesday, 7th September and

Tuesday, 28th September

Free of Charge

To make an appointment please phone

Jill Dykes on 9871 9024 or

Anna Taylor on 9865 1507



The *Pink Van* is Visiting Lake Grace



Each year one in eleven Western Australian women will develop breast cancer, with 200 dying from the disease.

The Health Department's Mobile Mammography Screening Service, also known as the Pink Van, is coming to Lake Grace. The van is scheduled to visit Lake Grace from 7th September until 14th September, and will be located in its usual spot at the Lake Grace Shire Hall.

The service is free for all women over the age of 40 years, but specifically targets women aged 50 to 69 years, as this is the age group in which screening mammography has been shown to be the most effective in decreasing breast cancer mortality. Screening mammograms are the best way we have of diagnosing breast cancers too

small to feel. The earlier breast cancer is found, the greater the chance of successful treatment.

So think of yourself and your family and ring for an appointment on 13 20 50.

The Health Department's Mobile Mammography Screening Service is coming to

Lake Grace

The van will be located at the

Lake Grace Shire Hall

from

7th September until 14th September

*Appointments can be made by
telephoning 13 20 50.*



**24 HOUR EMERGENCY
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LAKE GRACE & DISTRICTS HEALTH SERVICE

Some of our **Free Clinics and Health Services** available for everyone:

Well Womens Clinics:

Tuesday 7th September
Tuesday 28th September
for your Pap Smear and women's health

Immunisation Clinics:

Lake Grace—Thursday 9th September
12:30—1:30 at the Medical Centre
Newdegate—Wednesday 8th September
12:00—1:00 at Child Health Clinic
*Call Elizabeth Trevenen for any queries on
ph: 98651251*

Visits from Allied Health Staff:

- **Physiotherapist**—7th September
 - **Speech Therapist**—7th September
 - **Occupational Therapist**—7th September
 - **Podiatrist**—(no dates advised)
- To make an appointment for any of these services
above call Narrogin Primary Health on ph:
98810385*

Home Care Happenings:

Foot Clinic—7th September 9:00—12:00 noon
Village Choir—7th September 11:30 am
both are held at the Lakes Village Hall

Attention all Men!

**If You Were a Car
Would You Be a *Hot Rod*
Or Clapped Out Old Bomb?**

**You have your car
serviced regularly.
So how about doing the
same for your body?**

Come and visit all our
'mechanics' in the **Pit Stop**
tent at the Newdegate Field
Days—1st & 2nd September



Make a Healthy Lifestyle change—for your health's sake!

- Eat more fruit & veg - five serves of vegetables and two pieces of fruit every day recommended
- Cut down on the amount of fat you consume (visible fat on meat, butter, chocolate, chips, etc.)
- Read the labels on food packages—learn about what is in the foods you eat!
- Drink at least 8 glasses of water every day
- Be Active every day in as many ways as possible
- Stress less—make sure you relax your brain

Do you have a Safe Play Area for your Children?

Small children are mobile and ready to explore, but they do not have the ability to recognise danger. Of particular note is that many children are seriously or fatally injured on Australian farms each year. Major farm hazards include dams, farm vehicles and machinery, horses and farm motorcycles.

A safe play area, such as a securely fenced house yard, is ideally:

- Located where children can be easily observed (eg. A verandah, kitchen)
- Completely surrounded by an effective fence with a suitable gate
- Free of movable structures which can be stacked to climb over the fence
- Include safe and interesting play activities such as sand pits, swings, cubby's etc.
- Exclude drowning hazards, vehicles, machinery, work sheds and chemicals



A SAFE PLAY AREA supported by family rules and supervision is the most effective way to prevent serious injury and death to small children on rural properties.

Further information is available from Farmsafe WA ph: 93594118

The Broadband Broker

Do you want faster, more efficient internet? The Broadband Broker's job is to assist households and businesses in regional WA gain access to high speed internet (broadband).

Over the next two years, Jamie Robertson, (the Broadband Broker), will visit communities in the Kimberley, Pilbara, Midwest, Gascoyne, Wheatbelt and Great Southern. Initially, Jamie will focus on Wheatbelt towns, starting in the far south-eastern corner and working his way north.

Jamie will focus on those towns where affordable high speed internet is currently not available. He will meet with business and community representatives and conduct public meetings to discuss how regional communities can access broadband services and the benefits of faster, more efficient internet.

Following the visit, Jamie will promote the town to telecommunications companies that have expressed an interest in investing in regional WA.

With most of the State to cover, unfortunately Jamie is unable to visit every town. He will, however, be visiting Lake Grace on Tuesday, 31st

August, to meet with local business and households to discuss their internet requirements. At 7.00pm in the Telecentre, he will also host a public meeting on the features and benefits of broadband and discuss how the community can work together to access broadband.

There is, however, no need to wait for a visit from Jamie to make a start. You can help your community to get faster internet services by registering your interest on the local broadband demand register. You can do this by contacting Mark at the Shire of Lake Grace on 9865 1105.

Do you want

**faster,
more efficient
internet?**

**Do you understand how faster
internet can benefit you?**

**Do you know there are many ways
to get faster internet access?**

**Do you want impartial, free
information about broadband?**

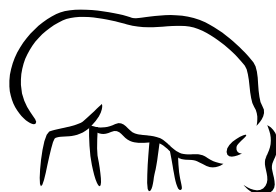
Find out how you can....

- Improve home and business communications by using broadband
- Work with others in your community to get access to broadband

**By coming along to a free
community information forum
at.....**

**Lake Grace Telecentre
7:00 pm
Tuesday 31st August**

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Pelletised
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100% organic

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Typical Analysis

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REMINDER ALL SPORTING GROUPS

Is your organisation looking at funding opportunities for next year?

Expressions of interest for the 2005/06 CSRFF Grants will need to be received at the Shire prior to the Shire Recreation Planning Committee Meeting in mid September.

Please have your expression of interest in to the Shire by Friday 10 September 2004. For more information contact DCEO Leonie McIlree on 9865 1105.



DOG REGISTRATIONS

Renewals will be sent out early October 2004.

If your details have changed please let the Shire know (in writing) so that records can be updated.



RATES INSTALMENT

First rates instalment due 17 September 2004.

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To register interest or for more information please contact Letisha at the Shire on 9865 1105.



RAMBO THE AMBO visiting the NEWDEGATE FIELD DAYS

**10 am - 1.30 pm Wednesday 1 September 2004
around the pavilion / oval area**

Rambo the Ambo Rally is a WA Local Government Association Initiative. Rambo is a decommissioned ambulance travelling throughout Western Australia to increase the profile of Local Government within the community, raise awareness of health services delivery in rural and regional Western Australia, as well as raising funds through community activities and donations from the public.

Funds raised through Rambo the Ambo Rally campaign will benefit our local country St John Ambulance Sub Centres enabling volunteer country ambulance officers to maintain this vital service.

AQUATIC & RECREATION SURVEYS HAVE YOU RECEIVED ONE???

Three different surveys have been distributed throughout the community:

1. Age 1-9
2. Age 10-15
3. Age 16+


It is really important that each member of your household has their say. This information will determine what activities, programs and competitions will be suitable for your lifestyle.

If you did not receive a particular survey please contact the Office on 9865 1105 or copies are also available on the Shire website at www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au.


SWIMMING COACHING COURSE

Anyone interested in completing a 'Green Licence' for swimming (used to be Level 1 Swimming Coach), expressions of interest are being taken now to run a course for the 04/05 summer season.

For course description or to express interest please contact Letisha at the Shire on 9865 1105.



NIGHT WATCH



Welcome to Night Watch for the fortnight from midnight Friday 27th August to midnight Friday 10th September. Astronomy is looking up.

The Sun, this fortnight is in Leo, and shines at magnitude -26.7.

With the Moon rising later in the night sky after the full Moon on Monday, it will be good for observing.

The Blue Full Moon will be at 10.12am on Monday in Aquarius. The last quarter Moon is at 11.01pm on Monday 6th August in Taurus.

On Wednesday September 8th at 11am, the Moon, will be at apogee (furthest) in Gemini at 404,464kms distant. The Moon this fortnight is in Capricorn on 28th, Aquarius on 29th and 30th. Pisces on 31st August and 1st and 2nd September. Aries on 3rd and 4th. Taurus on 5th, 6th and 7th. Gemini on 8th and 9th and Cancer on the 10th.

Mercury in the early morning twilight in Leo, rises at 5.56am on 28th and 5.24am on the 10th. On the 9th, Mercury will be at its greatest elongation west at 18° at 11pm. On the 10th Mercury will be 0.06° south of the bright star Regulus (eye of the lion).

Venus, at a very bright magnitude -4.2 in the morning sky rises in Gemini at 3.52am. On the 1st, Venus will be 1.9° south of the ringed planet Saturn, and on the 2nd, 9° south of the bright star Pollux. On the 5th Venus will have moved into Cancer, rising at 3.54am on the 10th.

Mars in Leo sets at 6.51pm at magnitude +1.8. Jupiter now in Virgo sets at 7.13pm at magnitude -1.7.

The ringed planet Saturn, in the morning twilight rises around 4.13am in Gemini at magnitude +0.2.

Saturn on Friday 10th will be 5° south of the Moon rising at 3.27pm.

Uranus, in Aquarius rises just after sunset at opposition on Saturday and 4° north of the Moon on Monday 30th at +5.7 magnitude.

Neptune, in Capricornus is in the sky all night at magnitude +7.8, and will be 5° north of the Moon on Saturday.

Pluto in Serpens sets around 1.39am at magnitude +13.8.

Sunrise, Sunset: The times at which the apparent upper limb of the sun is on the astronomical horizon; ie, when the true zenith distance, referred to the centre of the Earth, of the central point of the disk is 90° 50', based on adopted values of 34' for horizontal refraction and 16' for the Sun's semi-diameter.

Zenith distance: Angular distance on the celestial sphere measured along the great circle from the zenith to the celestial object. Zenith distance is 90° minus altitude.

Zenith: In general, the point directly overhead on the celestial sphere.

Maurie Gilson
16 Clarke Avenue

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
28-08-04	6.28am	5.48pm	3.42pm	5.19am	04-09-04	6.20am	5.52pm	11.11pm	9.11am
29-08-04	6.27am	5.48pm	4.54pm	6.03am	05-09-04	6.18am	5.53pm	DNR	9.44am
30-08-04	6.26am	5.49pm	6.02pm	6.40am	06-09-04	6.17am	5.53pm	12.11am	10.21am
31-08-04	6.25am	5.50pm	7.08pm	7.13am	07-09-04	6.16am	5.54pm	1.09am	11.03am
01-09-04	6.23am	5.50pm	8.10pm	7.43am	08-09-04	6.15am	5.54pm	2.04am	11.51am
02-09-04	6.22am	5.51pm	9.11pm	8.12am	09-09-04	6.13am	5.55pm	2.56am	12.42pm
03-09-04	6.21am	5.51pm	10.12pm	8.40am	10-09-04	6.12am	5.56pm	3.43am	1.40pm

Police Post



Lake Grace Police Station
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Fax (08) 98651429

LARGE DRUG SEIZURE IN LAKE GRACE

While on Patrol Lake Grace Police located an offender in the midst of shipping a significant quantity (170 grams) of an illegal substance believed to be heroin through to Esperance. This person was arrested and presented before Lake Grace Court of Petty Sessions where he was remanded in custody pending a further appearance in Perth. A second person of interest is currently being sought in South East Asia.

Such a quantity holds a street value of approximately half a million dollars and is the largest seizure in the Great Southern for many years.

As a result of this incident a number of new offenders and lines of inquiry have been identified and police are continuing to investigate the matter.

SERIOUS TRAFFIC CRASH - KUKERIN

In the early hours of last Sunday morning local Emergency Services members had the unpleasant task of attending a traffic crash where a local person was seriously injured. It was necessary to use hydraulic cutting apparatus to free the driver from the vehicle and after some time he was conveyed by ambulance to Narrogin hospital, prior to being flown to Perth.

I would like to thank all members of the Lake Grace Fire and Rescue Service and Dumbleyung St John's Ambulance that attended at the time. These people are volunteers and worked tirelessly and professionally in very trying conditions. Their efforts are a credit to their service and our community spirit.

HOONS BEWARE

Amendments to the Road Traffic Act have been passed by State Government that prospective hoons should be aware of.

If you exceed the speed limit for ANY area by more than 45km/hr or you drive at 155km/hr or greater you will be charged with reckless driving and face a MINIMUM 6 months suspension for a first offence.

In addition—and this is the fun part—the vehicle you were driving may be impounded for up to three months, the cost of which (towing and storage) are incurred by YOU. One subsequent conviction, the vehicle may be forfeited to the crown.

Think wisely before you loan your vehicle out to someone or you decide to drive like an idiot.

HIGH SPEED ALERT

Lake Grace Police were left shaking their heads in bewilderment after detecting a local motorist within 2km of approaching town, travelling at ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY THREE kilometres per hour. This clearly ridiculous and irresponsible behaviour cost the driver \$350 and his license for three months. It could have cost him his or someone else's life.

If you witness this or any other sort of recklessness, don't hesitate to contact police.

The radar trailer will be in the Lake Grace Shire for ten days for those wishing to check the accuracy of their speedo.

TONY WARD
OFFICER IN CHARGE

FOUR YEAR OLD ENROLMENTS FOR YEAR 2005



The Year 2005 enrolments for four year olds to attend the Lake Grace Kindergarten Centre are now being called.

Children eligible to be enrolled must be 4 years of age as at 30 June 2005.

The Registration Days will be held on both Tuesday 24 August and Tuesday 31 August

Enrolments will take place in the Registrar's Office, and parents will be required to provide birth certificates and immunization records for their child.

**Please phone
Mrs Pam Gardiner for an appointment
at the school on
9865 1207**

Mosaic Madness is on Again

Last Chance to be Part of Our Community Art Project

We have only 72 PAVERS TO GO, so get in and get your mosaic done before they run out. It has been great to see so many ladies who have not had a go at mosaics before come along and getting into it. Using their family name, farm name or a design, so they are part of the community art project. It's a great feeling to be able to bring your friends and family along, and say you were part of this project and show them what you made.



Renae Willcocks hard at 'play'

So if you are interested in coming along and having a go, please do so. Remember you don't have to be an artist or great at drawing. A design, one of your kid's drawings, a picture from a colouring book or magazine (I will help you transfer it if necessary), whatever takes your fancy.

If I'm not around to get you started; Phyllis Dunham or

Judy Fleay will get you going as they are quite often up in the building working. I would like to thank Phyllis and Judy for the time and effort they have already put in to talking ladies into having a go and showing them the process. I'm at the hospital a lot as well, so I can always pop over and get you started.



Humpty Dumpty before his great fall

know what to do then you just do your mosaic in **your time** and go along at times and days that suit you, as long as it's finished by November. Jodi and Nat are doing their's at night.

We have even had a few mother and daughter-in-laws coming along working together. So come with a friend

or family member and help each other.

Anyone that lives in Lake Grace or surrounding districts is very welcome to come along and have a go.

There is no cost to you unless you wish to buy a few bright coloured tiles to add to your colour palette. The pavers, glue, and tiles are supplied; we just need your energy, creativity, enthusiasm and time to do at least one.

As I am always on the lookout for tiles or

tile off cuts, I was **very disappointed** to find out that two bags of tile off cuts had been thrown out. They had been accidentally left on the verandah of the AIM hospital, and were chucked out to the tip by some person or persons, when they could have just been put over on our verandah. Murray and Julie had especially saved these for us and bought them down to Lake Grace only to find them down the hole in the tip. How disappointing, I hope other tiles were not chucked out the tip like this also, that I did not know about. So please if you bring/donate any tiles to our project please leave them at the old cream building (with all the windows along the front) behind the main hospital building (not the AIM Hospital).

YES we are still on the prowl for more tiles old or new, whole or in pieces. Any colour, dull or bright we would love to have them. There are never too many choices.

SO I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING A FEW MORE NEW FACES, IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS.

DATES I will be there are: Sunday morning 29th August; Sunday morning 12th September or please ring me to arrange another time, or catch up with Phyllis or Judy.

For further information just ring me Kerrie Argent 9865 4042.



Judy Fleay and Vicki Smith 'working in the spirit of cooperation'



Cal and Joy King's mosaic

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Lake Grace Cadets Update

The Lake Grace Cadets have now completed four weeks of introductory training. We are now covering drill and ceremony basics, teamwork exercises and knot and rope tying. I have been very impressed with the level of enthusiasm shown by the Cadets, especially Tarnie Bird, Caitlyn Beggs and Nicole Chappell. Ashley Mahoney has shown he may be capable of becoming a drill sergeant while Rohan Trevenen and Gerard McCartney's assistance in sourcing a weekend excursion site in Mornington has been invaluable.

Due to availability (or lack thereof) of bookings we may not be able to enjoy a weekend excursion during Term 3 although this is presently being negotiated. Because of this it is anticipated that during Term 4 we will have two weekend excursions. We have committed to the Boddington Cadets Camp November 19th – 21st. The Cadets program will cover all costs of that excursion.

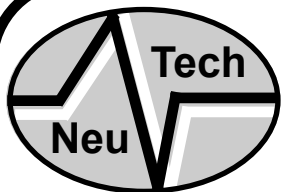
I will be attending a state Unit Coordinator's meeting in Perth this Saturday and will keep everyone apprised of developments during my next correspondence.

Finally, should you be willing to provide instruction or expertise in activities relating to bush activities, survival, or rescue and safety (radio, knot tying, etc), we would welcome your expertise. As mentioned previously, our meeting time, which is flexible, is 1415 to 1630 on Mondays. Given the fact people may be unable to attend during those hours, we are more than happy to reschedule to suit interested volunteers. Remember, volunteers are welcome to provide as little as an hour of their time over the entire year. Finally, there is no requirement that volunteers have a child participating in the Cadets program.

Speaking of assistance, allow me to convey my thanks to Lois Dickins, Judy Garlick, Debbie Clarke and Amanda McCartney for their input and assistance.

Should you be interested in providing instruction or should you know of anyone able to provide instruction, please contact me at Lake Grace District High School on 9865 1207.

Rick Elliott



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We look forward to seeing you at the field day. Hope to catch up with you there

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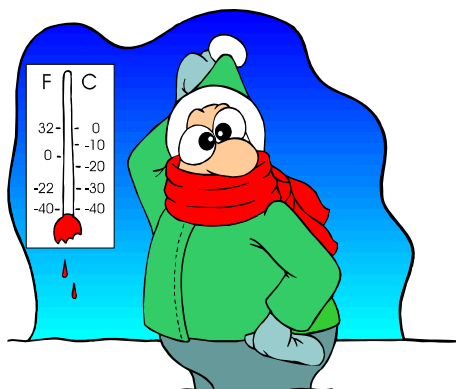
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Lake Grace Weather

- Terry Gladish

Temperatures for September

Highest Maximum	31.6	21/09/1987
Lowest Maximum	8.4	28/09/1992
Highest Minimum	13.1	23/09/1983
Lowest Minimum	-1.1	23/09/1964



Date	Min	Max	Rain
12/08	6.6	14.4	10.8
13/08	6.8	16.0	0.8
14/08	7.3	13.0	2.8
15/08	1.3	15.0	0.4
16/08	-0.4	15.1	
17/08	6.4	15.6	
18/08	5.7	13.2	0.4
19/08	6.9	17.5	
20/08	8.8	18.4	0.8
21/08	5.1	17.5	3.0
22/08	6.7	16.0	trace
23/08	10.5	19.0	2.4
24/08	8.6	16.0	4.4
25/08	7.6		



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Baking With Pamela

Mock Chicken

I have included this recipe for my niece Tahlee. She discovered and loved this sandwich filling at her Grandfather's funeral, after which in true country style, the local ladies had laid on the most amazing spread. I used to make this spread a lot when, as a farmer's wife, one spent many weeks each year cooking mountains of food for shearers. It can be made weeks ahead and frozen until needed. Mock Chicken is an excellent way of using up excess tomatoes when in season.

1 large ripe tomato
1 onion
1 egg
2 teaspoons butter
4 tablespoons grated cheese
pinch mixed herbs
1 teaspoon salt
pepper
1/2 teaspoon sugar

- Peel and chop onion finely – sauté in butter (cook in a saucepan with lid on, keep shaking so onion doesn't brown).
- Slit skin of tomato and plunge into boiling water – then remove skin.
- Slice tomato and add to onion with herbs, sugar and seasoning.
- Cook slowly with lid on till tender.
- Beat egg and add to mixture.
- Stir well, add cheese and cook gently till thickened.
- Use as a sandwich filling or is yummy served hot on toast.

Hint: there is a peeling knife available now, from good knife shops, that will peel such fruits as tomatoes, mangoes, etc.

Mulled Wine

This is the best treat for yourself and friends on a cold winter's day/night. Sipping a cup of this will, for me, always bring back wonderful memories of a special friend (who will remain nameless) and the amazing Christmas in July dinner we hosted together. Actually, you could always do what she and her husband did while working up north and yearning for a cold winter's day. They pulled all the curtains over, turned their air conditioner up to high, positioned a sprinkler on the roof, turned it on, then, snuggled under their doona. Wouldn't a cup of Winter Mulled Wine be the perfect accompaniment?

This freezes well. I have often made up a batch and then divided it into smaller quantities, frozen the mixture and used when required.

4 lemons
2 large oranges
2 x 750ml bottles red wine
1.25 litres water
16 cloves
2 cinnamon sticks
125g caster sugar (use more if not sweet enough)
8 tablespoons brandy

- Peel the zest very thinly from 2 lemons and 1 orange.
- Thinly slice the other orange and 1 lemon, quarter each slice, put on a plate, cover and reserve for a garnish
- Squeeze the juice from the remaining 3 lemons and orange.
- Pour the wine, water and citrus juices into a large saucepan and add the cloves and cinnamon sticks. Bring to simmering point, then cover and keep just below that heat for 1 hour. Stir in sugar to taste, then strain.

Serve hot with the reserved orange and lemon slices floating on top. Stir in brandy just before serving.



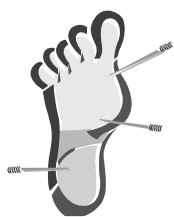


Expressions of Interest Sought

Do you require selective humane culling (under CALM guidelines) of kangaroos, including carcass removal, on your property.

Contact Jason 9865 1676

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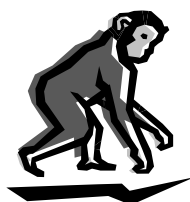


Acupuncture Points to Post-op Comfort: Acupuncture is a cheap and safe way of preventing people who have just had an operation from being sick or feeling nauseous. That is the conclusion of a review of 26 trials involving over 3000 patients.

Trials that studied the effects of 'p6' treatment stimulation of the pericardium (p6) acupuncture point on the wrist. Patients receiving p6 acupuncture were 28% less likely to be sick than patients receiving sham treatments, such as insertion of the needle at the wrong place or pretended stimulation of p6. They were also 24% less likely to ask for anti-sickness drugs. Without treatment, post operative nausea and vomiting is estimated to affect four out of five people who have had anaesthetics. In head to head comparisons with routine anti sickness drugs, acupuncture was equally good at preventing nausea and vomiting and that there were minimal side effects, and advocate p6 acupuncture as a safe and effective means of preventing post operative sickness and nausea.

(New Scientist, 31st July 2004)

Unwelcome Guest: Fears that West Nile disease might become established in western Europe, as it has in the US, have been heightened by confirmation that two Irish holidaymakers were recently infected with the disease in Portugal. There have been sporadic cases in eastern Europe for decades, but never before in Portugal.



Yawning: Yawning is contagious, for chimps as well as people. If one chimp yawns, another is likely to follow, bolstering the idea that the apes are able to understand the minds of others. Around 50% of adult humans are prone to contagious yawning. Why we do it is controversial, although one suggestion is that it has evolved as a social cue to synchronise sleep in a group. Now researchers have shown that around a third of adult chimps also indulge in contagious yawning. A team played videos of chimps, either yawning or displaying other open-mouth behaviour such as grinning, to six adult chimps and three infants at the primate research institute of Kyoto University in Japan. Two of the adults yawned considerably more frequently in response to the yawning video, while showing no difference with the others. An evolutionary

psychologist says people who yawn contagiously are better at inferring the thoughts of others from watching their faces. Also brain-imaging studies show they have more active brain regions associated with self-information processing.

(New Scientist 31st July 2004)



"If a bomb goes off in your building, look for the safest way out." In 'Preparing for Emergencies', put out by the UK government to help in a terrorist attack.

"They took the male Tomtit and left his mate behind and he decided 'bugger that I'm going home', so he did." Warwick Murray of the Department of Conservation in New Zealand on a protected North Island Tomtit that escaped and flew 63 kilometres, a record distance for such a small bird, to return to his mate.

(Reuters, 27th July)



High Cry of a Ground Squirrel:

Ground Squirrels emit an ultrasound squeal to warn other animals that a predator is approaching. Bats and toothed whales use ultrasound for echolocation. Wild Richardson's Ground Squirrels (*spermophilus richardsonii*) occasionally produce calls containing pure ultrasound tones with frequencies of about 48 kilohertz, far too high for people to hear. When they broadcasted pure tones at this frequency to other squirrels, the animals recognized them as a warning, tilting their heads to look and listen for predators more than usual.

(Nature, vol 430, p 523)



Arsenic Plan Fails: The crisis caused by arsenic-polluted drinking water in eastern India and Bangladesh is going from bad to worse. Of the 2000 arsenic removal plants installed in villages in the Indian state of West Bengal to clean up water supplies, 4 out of 5 are either abandoned or deliver smelly and discoloured water. An estimated 30 million people in the Ganges delta are drinking well water contaminated with naturally occurring arsenic. India has so far spent \$3 million on plants to capture the dissolved arsenic using ferric salts. Of the 20% of removal plants still apparently working well, many are not removing arsenic to the required standard.

Maurie Gilson

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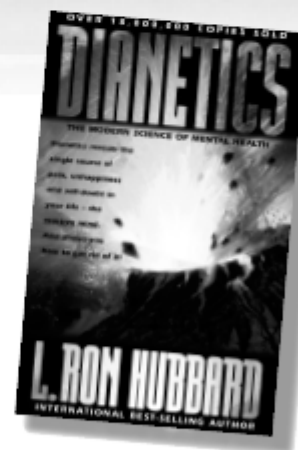
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on 9865 1239 (club) or 9865 4058 (Ross Chappell)



Coming Events

Saturday 18th September

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This sort of approach can be sprung on you when you are out shopping, over the phone or by someone coming to your home. Because of the natural disadvantage suffered by consumers placed in this position, additional protection is provided under the Door to Door Trading Act which provides a 10 day cooling-off period for purchases over \$50, allowing consumers to change their minds without penalty. This Act applies widely to many forms of 'cold' or uninvited sales approaches.

This protection has proved invaluable to regional consumers over recent years where they have found themselves being talked into buying goods they really didn't want, some say, being 'bullied into buying'.

So-called 'surveys' or 'free' raffles are used to gain personal information for later follow up and are commonly placed near busy supermarkets, in shopping centres and at fairs or field days.

The type of sales most complained about, have involved mobile phones with long term purchase plans, home security systems tied to monitoring

contracts, vacuum cleaners and home insulation. Usually, it is not the goods that are the problem, but the way they are sold and the 'hidden' contract terms.

Increasingly, consumers are posting the "No Hawkers or Canvassers" signs on their entrance ways, and 'caller display' along with answering machines are being used to screen incoming telephone calls.

These strategies can work well, but here are some tips if you decide you do want to deal with a sales person:

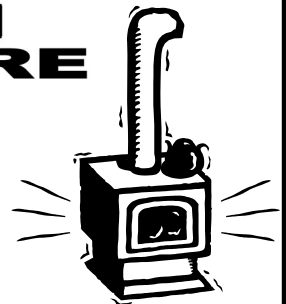
In person sellers are obliged to wear a name tag displaying their full name and the name of their company. If asked to leave, they should do so. The contract itself should display advice in bold lettering just above where you sign, stating that a ten day cooling off period applies.

Do not pay any deposit at the first approach. A second form should be supplied, to be used if you decide to cancel the sale, but be aware, you can't cancel over the phone!

If you would like more information call Consumer Protection on 1300 30 40 54. You can also ask your own questions or provide feedback by emailing asmith@docep.wa.gov.au

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Avoiding the Hard Sell

Have you ever wondered why it is so hard to get away from a high pressure sales pitch?

How is it that you find it difficult to get away from some sales staff without being rude? An article recently published by Fair Trading in Queensland shows the sales techniques employed in high pressure sales to capture or trap unsuspecting consumers.

Next time you are approached, it might be interesting to see how many of the strategies you can identify as sales staff try to manipulate you into buying.

Here are some of their basic techniques according to Fair Trading in Queensland :

RECIPROCATION. Making you feel obligated after you have accepted a "free" gift or offering you a "special" deal. (*A free set of steak knives?*)

COMMITMENT. Getting you to commit to something early in the conversation ("Yes, I can't argue with that...") and then later in the conversation, recalling that earlier agreement to force you into agreeing to more. Don't let yourself be bullied.

SOCIAL PROOF. Everyone is buying one, so it must be a great deal and you need one too! Are they really? Just because the salesperson says something, does that make it true?

LIKING. Using their good looks, charm, flattery, sob stories or humour to earn your trust. They're so nice, you really should help them out, or should you?

AUTHORITY. Authority in or out of uniform causes an automatic response in most people and is often used to gain agreement. Is this "authority" relevant to the sale? Verify the authority if you can.

SCARCITY. This is the last chance! Stocks are limited! Are they really? This technique attempts to rush you and prevent you from thinking things through or shopping around.

Do not make snap decisions. Introduce a delay to the process to allow you to sleep on your decision, or perhaps ask for their number and call them back after you have thought the offer over.

For more information on your rights, the Department of Consumer and Employment Protection has a free booklet entitled, 'Your Rights When Shopping'.

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For details on the buy-in amount and rental arrangements please contact either of the following committee members

Chain Letter Scam

And yet another scam has made it's way in to the Goldfields! A chain letter, telling you how Perth man, David Rhodes, turned \$218 into \$78,000 within 60 days, is currently being circulated.

A four-page letter is either faxed to you or arrives in the mail telling you 'not to bin this immediately' and to 'think about it for a few days'.

David Rhodes, a fictitious identity, uses all the best scam-triggers by appealing to our desire to provide well for our family, have more money, be successful and get it all quickly with doing very little. Sounds too good to be true, doesn't it? Well, it is!

He tells you that it is a 'perfectly legal business opportunity' and here is all you have to do:

- Send \$10 to the person with a number 1 next to their name on a list of five that arrived with your letter.
- Delete that person and move everyone else 'up' the list, putting your own name and address at number 5.
- Copy 200 of 'new' letter and send out to 200 people you have found through the phone book or other source.

Do this within 60 days and your \$70,000 will start rolling in!

Mr. Rhodes also notes that if you decide not to participate, then you should pass the letter onto someone else and watch them succeed.


Some obvious concerns consumers should have are:

- Prosecution for participating,
- Having your name and address widely distributed,
- Alienating your family & friends if you involve them.

Chain letters requesting money, even if disguised as a 'gift' like in this one, are illegal in much the same way as pyramid frauds are and participants can be prosecuted.

You should not bin this letter if you get it. Simply contact Consumer Protection on 1300 30 40 54.

Alternatively, you may send it to

WA ScamNet:  Reply Paid 64772, Locked Bag 14, Cloisters Square, WA, 6850, (Fax) 9282 0862



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LAKE GRACE PINGRUP NETBALL

A GRADE								
10/07/2004								
TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	PERCENT
NEWDEGATE	8	7	0	1	416	264	14	157.58
LAKE GRACE	8	6	0	2	280	232	12	120.69
JERRAMUNGUP	9	5	2	2	418	375	12	111.47
BOXWOOD	9	4	1	4	317	300	9	105.67
GNOWANGERUP	9	3	2	4	387	422	8	91.7
ONGERUP	8	2	1	5	275	285	5	96.49
BORDEN	9	0	0	9	258	473	0	54.55

B GRADE								
10/07/2004								
TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	PERCENT
KENT	10	9	0	1	402	200	18	201
GNOWANGERUP	10	8	1	1	481	241	17	199.59
ONGERUP	10	8	0	2	392	256	16	153.13
NEWDEGATE	10	6	1	3	433	326	13	132.82
JERRAMUNGUP	10	3	0	7	273	405	6	67.4
LAKE GRACE	10	3	0	7	239	365	6	65.48
BOXWOOD	10	2	0	8	283	463	4	61.12
BORDEN	10	0	0	10	206	453	0	45.47

SUB JUNIORS								
10/07/2004								
TEAM	PLAYED	WON	DRAW	LOST	FOR	AGAINST	POINTS	
BOXWOOD	8	7	1	0	261	103	15	
NEWDEGATE	7	5	1	1	283	153	11	
GNOWANGERUP	7	4	0	3	125	203	8	
LAKE GRACE	7	3	0	4	120	142	6	
JERRAMUNGUP	8	2	0	6	167	204	4	
KENT	7	0	0	7	46	197	0	

Results of the Lake Grace Pingrup Netball Club - "Bessemer Raffle"

1st prize Gary Newton #187

2nd prize Theresa Naisbitt #271

3rd prize Terry Muir #438

4th prize Charmaine Morton #377

5th prize Theresa Naisbitt #280

6th prize Maria Taylor #371

Many thanks to everyone who supported the raffle and congratulations to those who won prizes!

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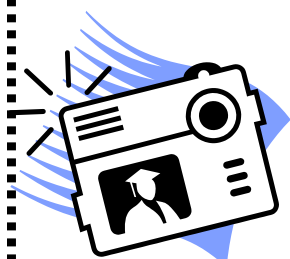
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OFA—FOOTBALL

August 14, 2004

LEAGUE

Newdegate 15 goals 12 (102) defeated Lake

Grace/Pingrup 4 goals 5 (29)

Lake Grace/Pingrup Best: Regan Bennett,

Graeme Watson, Leon Morgan

Goal Scorers: Singles

Newdegate Best: Ian Lloyd, Michael Hams,

Darren Ashton

Goal Scorers: Aaron Hall 4

Boxwood Hill 18 goals 22 (130) defeated Borden

6 goals 3 (39).

Kent 20 goals 22 (142) defeated Gnowangerup 8 goals 8 (56).

Ongerup 19 goals 16 (130) defeated

Jerramungup 13 goals 8 (86).

LEAGUE TABLE

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	Points	%
Boxwood Hill	14	14	0	0	2047	546	56	374.91
Kent	14	10	4	0	1597	1180	40	135.34
Ongerup	14	10	4	0	1612	1339	40	120.39
Newdegate	14	10	4	0	1254	1184	40	105.91
Jerramungup	14	6	8	0	1257	1304	24	96.40
Gnowangerup	14	4	10	0	1044	1606	16	65.01
Lake Grace/Pingrup	14	2	12	0	814	1685	8	48.31
Borden	14	0	14	0	927	1708	0	54.27

RESERVES

Lake Grace/Pingrup 9 goals 7 (61) defeated Newdegate 9 goals 3 (57)

Boxwood Hills defeated Borden by forfeit.

Kent defeated Gnowangerup by forfeit.

Jerramungup 11 goals 13 (79) defeated Ongerup 3 goals 8 (26)

RESERVES TABLE

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points
Boxwood Hills	14	14	0	0	56
Jerramungup	14	11	3	0	44
Lake Grace/Pingrup	14	9	5	0	36
Newdegate	14	7	7	0	28
Kent	14	6	8	0	24
Ongerup	14	4	9	1	18
Gnowangerup	14	4	10	0	16
Borden	14	0	13	1	2

D GRADE

Lake Grace/Pingrup 4 goals 14 (38) defeated Newdegate 0 goals 2 (2)

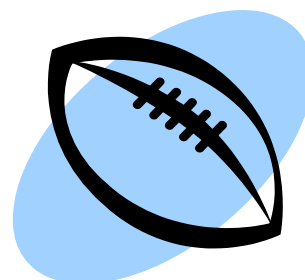
Boxwood Hills 9 goals 13 (67) defeated Borden 6 goals 6 (42)

Kent 4 goals 4 (28) defeated Gnowangerup 3 goals 9 (27)

Ongerup 8 goals 11 (59) defeated Jerramungup 3 goals 6 (24)

D GRADE TABLE

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points
Lake Grace/Pingrup	14	12	2	0	48
Ongerup	14	12	2	0	48
Newdegate	14	9	4	1	38
Boxwood Hills	14	8	6	0	32
Jerramungup	14	5	8	1	22
Gnowangerup	14	4	10	0	16
Borden	14	3	11	0	12
Kent	14	2	12	0	8



OFA—FOOTBALL PINALS

First Semi Final 21 August 2004 at Borden

LEAGUE

Ongerup 17 goals 9 (111) defeated
Newdegate 13 goals 4 (82)

RESERVES

Lake Grace Pingrup 9 goals 6 (60) defeated
Newdegate 4 goals 2 (26)

BEST PLAYERS

Lake Grace/ Pingrup: Daniel Trevenen, Matt
Dowling & Marcus Trevenen

Newdegate: Ashley McDonald, Wes Hall &
Craig Ivey

GOAL SCORERS

Lake Grace/ Pingrup: Brendon Callope 5
Newdegate: Wes Hall 3

JUNIORS

Newdegate 9 goals 12 (66) defeated
Boxwood Hill 1 goal 4 (10)

Second Semi Final 28 August 2004 at Ongerup

Reserves football starts at 11:00am
Boxwood Hill vs Jerramungup

Junior football starts at 12:35pm
Lake Grace - Pingrup vs Ongerup

League football starts at 2:10pm
Boxwood Hill vs Kent Districts

B Grade Netball starts at 10:30am
Kent vs Ongerup

A Grade Netball starts at 12:30pm
Newdegate vs Lake Grace - Pingrup

Women's Hockey starts at 2:00pm

Ongerup Football Association Vote Count Results

League

Fairest and Best (Ganzer Medal) Trevor Harris, Boxwood Hill - 27 votes

Runner up: Ian Lloyd, Newdegate - 24 votes

Best Colt: Karl Fleay, Lake Grace Pingrup - 3 votes

Reserves

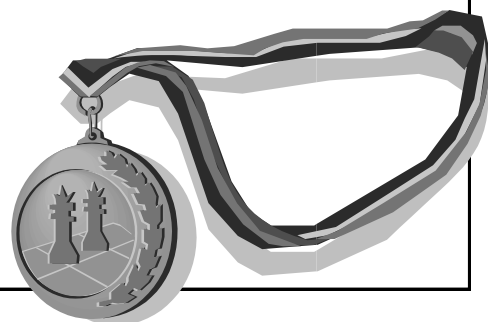
Fairest and Best (O'Neill Medal): Darren York, Gnowangerup - 8 votes tied with Daniel
Trevenen, Lake Grace /Pingrup and Blake Dunkeld, Newdegate

OFA Leading Goal kicker

Jarrold King, Boxwood Hill -80 goals

OFA Landmark Country Championship Fairest & Best

Ian Lloyd, Newdegate



HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL

Training for basketball commenced Tuesday August 24th, at the town courts. Training will be from 4.30p.m. to 5.30p.m. until athletics training has finished. We will be putting two teams into the Kulin competition. Thanks to Dierdre and Jeanette Trevenen for coaching. Unfortunately they will not be able to travel with the teams on a regular basis, therefore we are still in need of Team Managers and Umpires. Anyone who may be able to fill these positions even occasionally will be appreciated.

Any student who does not want to play in the Kulin Competition but is interested in training with the teams is more than welcome.

There is a **Perth Wildcats Vs Townsville Crocodiles** game in Katanning on Wednesday September 8th, of at 7.00p.m. Adults \$12, children under 16 \$8, family 2 plus 2 \$35. If there is enough interest in going to see the game we will look at taking the Community Bus. We would look at leaving at 3.30 pm to arrive at 5.00 pm, allowing 2 hours for tea and meeting the teams before the game commences. The estimated time of return would be 10.30p.m. Please get names in as soon as possible so that a decision can be made by Tuesday, August 31st of.

Debby Clarke

JUNIOR NETBALL

Great Southern Junior Netball Carnival 2004 - Katanning

The Tutti Fruitti's netball team from Lake Grace had a weekend of netball on July 31st and August 1st.

After playing their normal fixture on the Saturday they stayed in Katanning overnight to be ready for the carnival early the next day.

The girls played in the under 15 division and had mixed fortunes in the carnival with the scores being; Narrogin Assoc 11- Tutti Fruitti 14, Albany Assoc 28 - Tutti Fruitti 3, Wagin 8 - Tutti Fruitti 18, Denmark Assoc 13 - Tutti Fruitti 10, Ongerup Assoc 16 - Tutti Fruitti 10, Katanning Assoc 26 - Tutti Fruitti 4.

As can be seen the strongest teams in the competition were Albany and Katanning. These teams played off in the final, having to play extra time due to a draw.

The girls were pleased with their efforts and all had a great time. Thanks to Shelley Steer and Rachael Satherley for filling in for some players and making up the numbers. Thanks also to coach Cassy Haskett for coming back in the middle of her holidays to coach the girls.

The team is now looking forward to playing in the

finals that will commence on September 11th. Good Luck girls.

Debby Clarke



L to R Back: Shelley Steere, Genna Tresize, Nicole Chappell, Lisa Clarke, Letiesha Baker

L to R Front: Rachael Satherley, Caitlyn Beggs, Coach - Cassy Haskett, Jayne-Marie Argent, Rhiannon Wallace



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LAKE GRACE TELECENTRE

LAKE GRACE GOLF CLUB

The Lakes District Carnival was held on the weekend of 14th and 15th August so there was no fixtured competition held in Lake Grace.

Saturday 21st saw a field of wannabe's turn up for the ever popular Ned Dixon and Bill Walker trophy of a dressed sheep, very handy for the freezer. The competition was a 4 Ball Aggregate Stableford with a draw for partners.

Winners for the day were Andy Young and Craig Reeves with a magnificent score of 80 points, they had to play exceptional golf to get that score considering some partnerships had a much more favourable handicap partnership. Ladies winners were Helen Hunt and Betty Scheid with 63 points.

Other good scores on the day were new member Steve Eaglestone and Chad Stanton with 71 points, Steve Hunt and Lindsay McGlinn with 70 points and Mike Clark and Kevin Eggers also with 70 points. The golf club would like to welcome Steve and hope that he comes out for many more rounds.

Nearest the pins were Nick Maalouf (4), Mike Clark (6), Andy Young (15) and Kevin Eggers (18).

Next weeks competition is a stroke round where you count your putts. Sponsors for this event are Rex and Karel Walker, thank you to you both!

Championships start on Saturday 4th September, the playoffs are as follows:

A Grade Men

Craig Reeves v Rex Walker
Steve Hunt v Mike Clark
Gary Frost v Marcus Owen
Andy Young v Chad Stanton

B Grade Men

Mark Seaman - bye
Kevin Eggers v Steve Crook

Ladies

Helen Hunt - bye
Lisa Pearce v Betty Scheid
Michelle Lay - bye
Jenny Bidwell v Stephanie Lay

Keep in mind that the Junior Golfers complete their Championship rounds this Sunday, feel free to come out and show your support.

Craig Reeves



Position Vacant: Casual Administrative Support Officer – Lake Grace

An exciting opportunity currently exists with the Operations Department for a Casual Administrative Support Officer to be based in the Lake Grace District. The opportunity exists for an enthusiastic, innovative and highly motivated individual to join a multi-disciplinary team in Lake Grace committed to providing a vitally important support role in the efficient running of the Lake Grace District Office.

The Administrative Support Officer will be responsible for:

- Clerical and administrative duties for the district office functions
- Support liaison function with the Company's external, as well as internal, customers
- Code and enter timesheets for all staff employed on-site, and distribute pay slips
- Code all invoice/dockets, raise requisitions, receive orders, return purchase orders and issue goods, and check stock and order if necessary. Calculate and process petty cash expenses and process daily banking
- Weighbridge duties
- General office duties

Selection Criteria

Essential

- Good verbal and written skills
- Good knowledge of Microsoft software packages
- Customer Service

Desirable

- Previous experience in an office environment
- Experience in SAP
- Experience with the Grain industry

A defined career path and training is available. The conditions of the Grain Handling Salary Officers' Award will apply to this position. Applications addressing the selection criteria should be forwarded to Lisa.Parker@cbh.com.au no later than 3 September 2004. For further information, please contact Lisa Parker on (08) 9865 1106.

LAKE GRACE HOCKEY CLUB



Our season is officially over now. Saturday 21st saw everyone up at the Club for our windup and presentation evening with a bit of Karaoke.

Before tea was served, President Belinda Bowron kicked off proceedings with her speech and presented two very well-deserved life memberships to Di Desmond and Pauline Taylor. Congratulations to you both.

After a wonderful meal, trophy presentations began. Congratulations and well done to all winners.

A Grade Fairest & Best (Jan Mason)	Fiona Chatfield
A Grade F & B Runner-Up (Alan & Hazel Thiel)	Jodi Pearce
B Grade Fairest & Best (Murray & Cobi Stanton)	Alison Medlen
B Grade F & B Runner-Up (Steve & Helen Hunt)	Christine Fyfe
A Grade Coach's Award (L G Sportsman's Club)	Tina Keys
B Grade Coach's Award (L G Sportsman's Club)	Penny Willcocks
Most Improved (LMD Contracting)	Letisha Marshall
Lois fined everyone for slip-ups during the season	

with money going to the RFDS.

A bit of singing followed with some questionable lyrics and tunes - thanks to Mark and

Marcelle for the use of their Karaoke machine. A great evening, well attended by all members.

Thank you to all our sponsors throughout the year: The Lake Grace Sportsman's Club, Sab's Fish and Chips, Walker's Wines, Neu-Tech Auto Electrics and ConsultAg. Also thank you to Jan Mason, Alan and Hazel Thiel, Murray and Cobi Stanton, Steve and Helen Hunt, Sportsman's Club and LMD Contracting who kindly donated our end of year trophies.

Thank you to all our supporters throughout the year and hopefully we'll see you all next season.

The framed Troll shirt, signed by the Kookaburras and raffled on Saturday was won by Graham Milton. Congratulations. The second shirt is on display at the Sportsman's Club.

The Kookaburras autographed photos from the coaching clinic at Corrigin are still available for \$3.00 each.

Don't forget our **AGM** is on Wednesday 22nd September at the Sportsman's Club. Bring a casserole to share for dinner.

Diane Desmond - Life Member 2004

Diane Mason started her hockey career in 1967 at the tender age of five. The President of the Lake Grace Hockey Club was Mrs Jan Mason and Lake Grace played in the Dumbleyung/Lake Grace Hockey Association.

When Di started playing hockey there were A, B and C grades. Unlike now, players were graded on ability, not age. By the time Di was 12 years old, in 1974, she had advanced into the A Grade side. In the same year, Di captained the C Grade team to a premiership then again in 1975 played in a C Grade premiership team.

For a couple of years, Di played C Grade, umpired or played goalie in B Grade then played again in A Grade, at this time Lake Grace participated in the Lake Grace/Kulin and Districts Hockey Association. Between 1974 and 1981, Di played in at least 4 premiership winning teams, and received the award for Best Player in a Premiership side in 1979.

In 1982 and 1983 Lake Grace only had a social mixed competition. Di did not play in a Lake

Grace side for those years. Instead playing in the Ongerup Association.

Di returned to Lake Grace Hockey Club in 1984 when Lake Grace joined with the Central Great Southern Hockey Association. Four premierships, won against Kukerin, followed from 1988 to 1991.

In 1988 Di was awarded the trophy for Most Consistent and then in 1991 was selected in the Great Southern XI at the Great Southern Hockey Carnival in Esperance.

In 1990 Diane took on the position of President of the club for two years. Then again was President in 1997, 98 and 99.

In 1992, Lake Grace joined the Roe Districts Women's Hockey Association, starting the current affiliation with two runners-up positions in 1992 and 1993 then four premierships in 1994, '95 and '96 and 2002. In 2000 Di took on the position of Association President while Lake Grace held the Association books.

In 1997 Di also coached the A Grade side,

LAKE GRACE HOCKEY CLUB...CONT

following in her grandmother's footsteps.

Di was recently presented with a 150 game medallion and Certificate of Achievement, which she achieved on 17th August 2002. This achievement only covered the games that Di played under Roe Districts which now stand at 178. As a rough estimate, we believe Diane Desmond has played over 450 games of hockey in her career.

Country Week has always been an important part of Di's hockey and she has taken part in this competition from 1975 until last year.

Di started umpiring in 1974 and since then has achieved her C and B level badges in umpiring, umpiring at club and association level continually.

This year Di was the Umpires' Convener for our club, and managed to get a few more people started in umpiring.

In 2002 and 2004, Di was voted by the team to be captain of the A Grade side. She has always taken the time to share her wealth of knowledge and experience with new players and is held in high regard by all members of the Lake Grace Hockey Club. They even modelled our mascot on her!

In recognition and appreciation of the time and effort Diane has put into the Lake Grace Hockey Club, we would like to present her with a Life Membership and hope that her association with this club will continue for many years to come.

Pauline Taylor - Life Member 2004

Pauline Taylor (Duckworth) started playing hockey in Lake Grace in 1972 at the age of 17. At this time Lake Grace played in the Dumbleyung/Lake Grace Association. The President was Beryl Watson and the coach was Mr Brian Mille.

In her first years of playing, Pauline was selected in the State Hockey Squad and was awarded runner-up Miss Country Week. Later in her career, after attending Country Week for many years playing in A division then Veterans, Pauline was selected in the Veterans All Stars team in 1989.

Pauline has held the Club positions of President, 1976 and 2000, Vice President and Secretary, 1993. She also undertook the position of Umpires Co-ordinator in 1984. Pauline has been an Association delegate in 1974 and again in 1985. She was also a committee member for many years.

In 1983 Pauline, together with Lois Elliott, arranged for teams to travel to Katanning to play as there was no hockey in Lake Grace at the time.

Pauline has welcomed club members into her home, hosting club functions and also hosting weekends at Bremer Bay. She has donated prizes for raffles and was instrumental in the grassing of the oval in 1989, generously offering her own employees and equipment to do so.

Pauline started umpiring early in her involvement with Lake Grace and continued doing so for Club and Association at fixtured games, carnivals and Country Week.

Pauline also began coaching early in her career,

which was always going to be a challenge for a young member. More recently, Pauline coached the B Grade side for three years from 1998 to 2000 and also had a hand in coaching at A Grade level throughout her involvement in Lake Grace.

Pauline was an effective player in the Lake Grace side being awarded Fairest and Best for A Grade in 1985 and B Grade from 1994 to '96 and again in 1999. In 1995 she was Association runner up Fairest and Best for B Grade. She also took part in many premiership games, losing some but winning from 1988 - 1991 and again in 1994, '95 and '96.

Pauline was awarded a Certificate of Achievement after playing her 100th game for Lake Grace in the Roe Districts Association on 26th June 1999 and to date has played 127 games for Lake Grace at Roe Districts. We believe that Pauline would have played well over 300 games throughout her career at Lake Grace.

Pauline has now moved on to play and coach for the Lake Grace/Pingrup side in the Ongerup Association and share some of her knowledge and experience with the girls there.

Although she is not currently involved in this club, we believe Pauline's past endeavours have helped to develop this club into what we have here today.

We present Pauline with Life Membership with the understanding she is welcome at any time to rekindle her association with Lake Grace Hockey Club.

YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

Friday night's activity will be a Video night. This is on the 27th of August, the supervisors will be Coralie Pinney and Debby Clarke from 6.30 to 9.30p.m. The video is 'Haunted Mansion' and is rated PG. Pizzas will be for tea, at a cost of \$6 each.

The Youth Station will be closed on Wednesday 1st of September for the Newdegate

Field Day. The supervisor for the 8th of September is Julie Hardy.

Our next rostered activity night was to be Karate on the 10th of September, however this is a pupil free day, therefore we are working on a change of date for the activity.

Debby Clarke

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Thank You

My heartfelt thanks to the Lake Grace District High School, P & C, colleagues and community for helping me celebrate my retirement from teaching on Friday 30th July.

Being able to share the occasion with family and friends was very special and helped bring closure to a very rewarding career. Again, "Thank You !!!!"

Pam Lannin

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LAKE GRACE DARTS ASSOCIATION

The Grand Final night was held on 20th August at the Sportsmans Club. Ladies teams were Comets and Just Us. Men's teams were Cricketers and Lakeside.

Both Ladies teams played very competitive darts. Just Us were quick for the scores, the pegs were just non existent. Comets coming out clear winners with the final score five games to one. A great game for back to back champions. Well done Comets.

The Men's teams had a hard game with leveling at each game coming down to a four all match with one singles to play. Both men played with confidence coming down to the wire. Cricketers pegged and won the game. Final score was five games to four resulting in another back to back win for Cricketers. Lakeside did very well as it was their first year of darts. Well done.

Next year we will be having a couple of 'Have a Go' days to entice some new players.

The trophies this year went to the following people.

LADIES

Highest Average	37.69	D Robertson
Most 100's	21	D Robertson
Highest Aggregate	16267	D Robertson

Most Pegs	26	J Jenks
Highest Peg	72	J Blackwood
Highest Score	171	R Taplin
Singles Champion		J Jenks
R-Up Singles		D Michelle
Doubles Champions		J Jenks
		D Michelle
R-Up Doubles		C Kimber
		N Gambuti
Presidents Award		R Pelham

MENS

Highest Average	49.66	R Fleay
Most 100's	28	J Gambuti
Most 100's	28	M Newton
Highest Aggregate	15114	J Walton
Most Pegs	22	J Gambuti
Highest Peg	108	D Jenkins
Highest Peg	108	M Dowling
Highest Score	160	G Pinney
Highest Score	160	C Slarke
Singles Champion		G Sabourne
R-Up Singles		J Gambuti
Doubles Champions		D Jenkins
		R Fleay
R-Up Doubles		M Newton
		R Stubberfield
Presidents Award		R Stubberfield

Natalie Gambuti

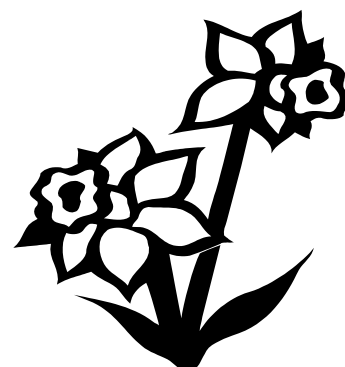
Daffodil Day

Many thanks to all those people who contributed to making the recent Daffodil Day Street Stall such a success.

A grand total of \$1819.90 was raised.

Raffle Winners

Towel Set	Fiona Leverington
Fruit Bowl	Sandy Richter
Crochet Rug	Chris Kimber
Set Pots	Shirley Batger



Thanks again, Devon



LAKE GRACE GYMNASTICS CLUB



Our coaches and gymnasts are working very hard to prepare for a display, to be held for parents on the last day of gym. Good luck to all involved - we look forward to it!

Boys Uniforms

Anyone who has one of the new boys' singlets, the cost will be \$16 to buy, \$10 to hire. Please get your payment to Michelle Slarke or put it in the mail.

Change of Day

Due to the Newdegate Field Day next week, gym will again be held on a Monday, making our gym date Monday 30th August. Please check your roster and make appropriate swaps if necessary.

Big Pack up/Set up

Thanks you very much to all who helped us to pack up for the Margaret Cotton Festival this week. We appreciate your efforts. Next week, Monday, August 30, there will be a big set-up before gym. 2 extra people will be rostered on for this, but we will need as many people as we can get. Please be at the hall at 12.30pm to help set up. If any men can come, we would appreciate it please, as all of the heavy equipment needs to be lifted down from the stage.

Rosters

Helpers for the next two weeks are:

Monday, August 30:

Set-up (12.30pm) Linda Hunt, Theresa Naisbitt, Yvette Downey, Nora Battison, Julie Hardy.

Big set-up -- extra helpers needed, please!

Main session (3.30-5.00pm) Julie Bushby, Michelle Slarke, Julie Hardy.

Please note change of day to Monday, August 30.

Wednesday, September 8:

Set-up (1.15pm) Amanda Nenke, Maria Taylor, Diedre Trevenen.

Main Session (3.30-5.00pm) Trish Cameron, Jeni Wyatt, Diedre Trevenen.

New rosters have been drawn up and will be distributed next week. If you require a copy please contact Donna on 9866 8025. Please check your rosters carefully and asap, if you can't make it please organize a substitute - lately some people have missed their roster and caused extra strain for everybody.

AGM

Our Gym Club AGM will be held on Wednesday, September 22 at 1.45pm. On this day, set-up will be at 12.15pm. Kindergym will be at 1.00pm, Meeting 1.45-3.00pm, main session 3.30pm. All office bearer and committee positions will be open. Please submit agenda items to Donna or Wendy before Tuesday, September 28.

Donna Hendry

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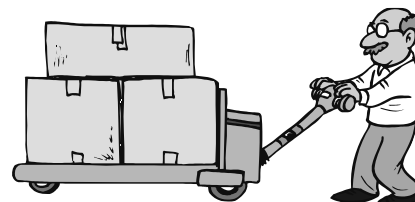
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PUBLIC NOTICES

AGM

Lake Grace Hockey Club

At the Sportsman's Club

Wednesday 22nd September at 6:30 pm

Bring a casserole to share

Past, present and prospective members encouraged

Lake Grace & Newdegate General Practice

There will be

NO DOCTOR

In Lake Grace

From Friday 27th August 1:00pm till Monday 30th August 2:30pm.

Surgery will be open on Friday till 1:30pm for ordered medications only.
Sorry for any inconvenience.

Dr Jane Spencer

Please note that Dr Jane Spencer will be coming to Lake Grace on

Thursday 9th and Friday 10th September

Thursday 7th and Friday 8th October

Thursday 4th and Friday 5th November

Thursday 9th and Friday 10th December

Lake Grace Shire Councillors

Councillor	Telephone	Fax
Darcy Roberts (President)	9874 4013	9874 4068
Andrew Walker (Vice President)	9865 1241	9865 1921
Ian Woods	9872 0011	9872 0050
Royce Taylor	9865 1507	9865 1320
Helen Bennett	9865 1026	9865 1568
Ollie Farrelly	9865 1304	9865 1188
Allan Lansdell	9874 4033	9874 4033
Meighan Stewart	9871 2042	9871 2042

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF LAKE GRACE

Sunday 29th August

10:00 am Wagin
No Lake Grace Service

Sunday 5th September

9:00 am Lake Grace

Enquiries:

Captain Derek McArtney 9865 1064
Deacon Michael Lloyd 9871 2041

CRISIS CARE NUMBERS

Doctor's Surgery	9865 1208
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Fire Brigade	9865 1250
Emergency Services	000
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Water Faults	13 13 75
Directory Assistance	12455
Crisis Care Unit	9325 1111
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Family Violence Intervention Programme	9336 2144
ACRAH Men's Refuge	9272 1333
Domestic Violence Legal Aid Unit	9328 7602
Family Court of WA	9224 8222
Youth Legal Service	9227 4140
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Margaret Cole	0427 441 459
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Seniors' Information	1800 199 087
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Southern AgCare Counselling	
Sat - Mon (ph/fax)	9865 1014
Tues - Fri (Evenings)	0427 441459

Lake Grace Uniting Church

Sunday 29th August

10:30 am
lunch to follow

Sunday 5th September

10:00 am

Enquiries:

Keith and Joan Fleming 9871 9025
Bob Burbridge 9865 4020

LAKE GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Time-Table

Sunday 29th August

8:00 am Lake Grace

Sunday 5th September

10:00am Lake King
6:00 pm Lake Grace

Inquiries: Fr Pierre 9865 1248

Gnostic Catholic Church of Lake Grace

Sunday 19th September 2004

Enquiries to Mark 9865 1990

Justices of the Peace

Mr Neil Bishop	ph 9865 1632
Mr Colin Connolly	ph 9865 1010
Mr Ron Dewson	ph 9865 1224
Mrs Shirley Duckworth	ph 9865 1189
Mr Len Elliott	ph 9865 1137
Mr Lynn Parker	ph 9865 1217 (wk)
Mr Peter Taylor	ph 9864 9026
Mr Darcy Roberts	ph 9874 4013

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

August/September

Fri 27	Fish & Chip Night - LGS Club Chase the Ace - LG Hotel Stamping 10:00 am at CWA Narrogin Vet 10:00am at the sportsground	Mon 6	LLN Deadline Stock Market Investors Group Workshop
Sat 28	Steak Night - LG Sports Club Golf - Stroke round, count your putts Winter Sports - 2nd Semi at Ongerup	Tue 7	Chair/SOYF Aerobics Well Women's Clinic Physiotherapist Foot Clinic - Home Care Speech and Occupational Therapist Mammogram van arrives, goes 14 Sept
Sun 29	Final of Junior Golf Championships Mosaic Workshop	Wed 8	Pizza Night at Rosies
Mon 30	Gym Club	Thur 9	Lakes Link News Immunisation Clinic Dr Jane Spencer Playgroup - 9:30 am LGDHS Athletics Carnival
Tue 31	Lakes Village Choir — 11:30 am Chair/SOYF Aerobics Rambo the Ambo in town Broadband meeting 7pm at Telecentre		
Wed 1	Pizza Night at Rosies Newdegate Field Day Steak Meals available at Sports Club		
Thur 2	Playgroup - 9:30 am Newdegate Field Day		
Fri 3	Fish & Chip Night - LG Sports Club Chase the Ace - LG Hotel Narrogin Vet 10:00am at the sportsground		
Sat 4	OFA - Preliminary final at Gnowangerup Golf - First Championship Round Steak Night - LG Sports Club		

Coming Events:

9th & 10th Sept - Dr Jane Spencer

12th Sept - Mosaic Workshop

18th Sept - Speedshears

22nd Sept - Hockey Club AGM

29th October - Quiz night at the Sportsman's Club

2nd November - Melbourne Cup Luncheon and fashion parade at the Sportsman's Club

6th November - Spring Ball and Fair at LGDHS to commemorate the schools 90th birthday and 60 years of CWA in Lake Grace.

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