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## Walking Through a Colourful History

Two striking public artworks – a colourful Mosaic Garden Gallery and a pathway of text and images – will tell the fascinating stories of a community hospital and enhance the Lake Grace hospital precinct.

West Australian Governor John Sanderson officially dedicated the Mosaic Garden Gallery and The Lake Grace AIM Hospital - the *People and its Story* project yesterday.

A pathway of coloured pavers by local artist Michelle Slarke will take visitors on a story trail through the bush into the Lake Grace Australian Inland Mission Hospital Museum. The trail, with new information panels and a colour brochure, tells of the rich social history of a West Australian farming community and the experiences of the hospital's staff and patients since 1926.

The Lake Grace AIM Hospital - the *People and its Story* project highlights the significance of Lake Grace Australian Inland Mission Hospital Museum building, one of the three remaining AIM hospitals in Australia and the only one in WA. Built in 1926 through the vision of Reverend John Flynn and the local community, the building was saved from demolition in 1983 and restored as a museum.

Nearby in the gardens of Lake Grace Medical Centre, a colourful gallery of mosaics reflects the talents and lives of people from the district.



Shire operative Phil Houston finalising last minute preparations before the dedication.

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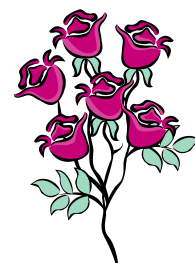
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*To the dedicated team who have produced and compiled this edition of the Lakes Link News.*

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*Thank you also to our many contributors of articles*

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# EDITORIAL

- 1 We're still looking for names for the computer courses we have on offer. We need to have five names in before we can set a date on any one course. Courses on offer are: Word for Beginners; Publisher for Beginners; Intermediate Word. TAFE are also interested in running a digital camera course. Please let me know if you are interested—as this is a TAFE course we will need a minimum of eight students. We just need a couple more names and we can start talking dates and times.
- 1 Could everyone that is submitting articles or advertising please endeavour to get your 'stuff' in by the deadline. Our volunteers look forward to churning their way through the work and don't want to be twiddling their thumbs while waiting for articles etc. to find their way to the Telecentre. If possible send your submissions in the week before, that takes the pressure off you and certainly makes it easier for us to stay (or get) organised.
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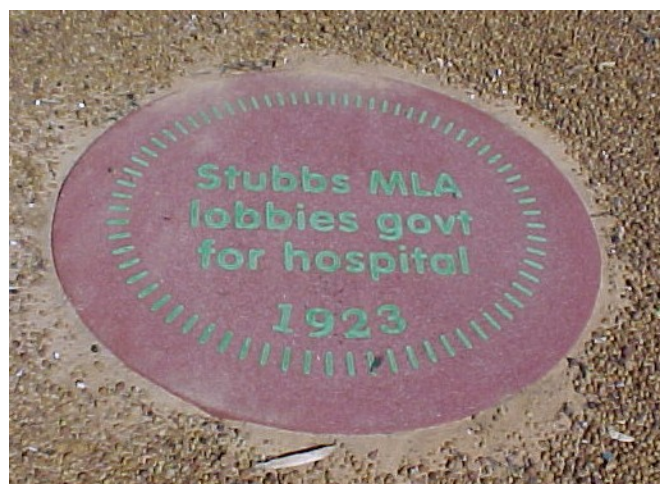
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Danielle Robertson  
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## Walking Through a Colourful History *(continued from front cover)*

The two-year community art project, coordinated by Lake Grace nurse and artist Kerrie Argent with support from Lake Grace and District Health Service, involved more than 150 people. A walk through the 260 mosaics – commemorative, artistic and humorous – shows their farms, school and community life, and family histories, giving visitors a colourful insight into a vibrant rural community.





# WEDDING BELLES AND BEAUS

*...and the bride wore red.....*

*With this ring I thee wed....Wear it and remember that where ever you go my loves goes with you.*

Lake Bungana Peninsular Estate, Maylands proved a beautiful setting on January 24 for the wedding of ex-Lake Grace residents, Joanne Venditti and Robert Kennedy, who with friends and family, later celebrated with a reception at the Melbourne Hotel in Perth.

The bride was proudly escorted by her father, John Venditti, and presented to the marriage celebrant, who was the best woman's mother. She was driven to the venue in a blue Thunderbird decorated with red ribbons.

The happy couple were ably attended by best man, Neil Smith and best woman, Kyra Nimmo, not forgetting the flower girl Claire Taylor, who is Jo's niece. The bride wore a red satin dress over black tulle underskirts and carried white lilies. She wore a beautiful necklace, which she made herself, and a red lily in her hair. She looked stunning!

The best woman wore charcoal-grey and carried red lilies to match the bride. The flower girl was beautiful in a white dress, trimmed with red roses, carrying a basket of rose petals which she strewed along the pathway in front of the bride.

The bridegroom and best man were more conservative (but scrubbed up well) in formal black suits, matt-grey ties and traditional button holes. They complimented their ladies well.

At the Melbourne, pre-dinner drinks and nibbles were served before a formal meal in the dining room (a real country meal, served in the city!). Speeches were kept to a minimum with a speech from the best man and woman, followed by one from each of the parents.

After this the bride joined the DJs and she serenaded her new husband with two love songs. Well sung, Jo! That was awesome!

The cake was cut and the bridal waltz over, then everyone joined in and danced the too-short night away, the bride and groom enjoying every minute as did everyone. It was a great wedding!

*I can't help falling in love with you  
You are my destiny*



*Newlyweds Jo and Robert Kennedy*

## Night Golf



**Saturday March 27th**

**Sausage sizzle  
at 6:30pm**

**\$10 per head**

**Play 5 holes after dark**

**Fun for golfers and non-golfers alike**

**If you have any queries ring**



# ABOUT TOWN

- Happy Birthday to Mrs Marj Clarke who celebrated her 80th yesterday (Wednesday). Mrs Clarke's extensive family and many friends will be gathering to have a celebratory lunch on Saturday at the Sportsman's Club.
- Congratulations to ex Lake Grace student Simone Mahoney who is an entrant in the Lions Youth of the year Quest. Simone attended the district finals in Bunbury on 13th March and was selected to go through to state finals to be held on 3rd April in Perth. Despite losing her voice Simone won Best in Public Speaking. Overall winner receives a 35 day tour of Australia with other state winners.
- Simone is also attending the National Schools Constitutional Convention held in Canberra from 23rd—26th March. Fifteen year 12 students from every state/territory of Australia were chosen to attend. While there they will be writing the referendum on State Reform to be held late 2004 - early 2005 and will be dining with Prime Minister John Howard and Senators at Australian War Memorial.
- Annie Christina Milton (7lb 6oz) was born in the early hours on Saturday the 20th March. Congratulations to her proud parents and family.
- Well done to Simone Mahoney and Marcus Trevenen who were voted Head Girl and Head Boy for Narrogin Residential College for 2004. Marcus was also announced Beau of the Ball on 19th March at the Narrogin Senior High School Ball.
- Cupid got his aim right with the recent announcement of Trish Naisbitt and Grant Medlen's engagement. Congratulations to you both and best wishes for a long happy future together.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY



March 26th	Grant Marshall	April 1st	Greg Meston
March 27th	Mark Newton		Di Desmond
	Cameron Bushby		Janine Watson
	Hayden McGlinn		Adeline Medlen
March 28th	Monique French		Kathleen Naisbitt
	Ken Fisher		Denise Sabourne
March 29th	Ed Duckworth	April 2nd	Caitlyn Beggs
	Michael O'Neill	April 3rd	Steve Pelham
March 30th	Terry Gladish	April 4th	Lois Elliott
March 31st	Kim Slarke	April 5th	Chris Trevenen (Jnr)
	Michelle Slarke	April 7th	Tarnie Bird
	June Jenks		Rhys Connolly
	Kay Holmes		

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

March 26th - Kevin and Jean Seaman  
 March 30th - Marcus and Nadene Owen  
 March 30th - Paul and Emma Fisher  
 April 3rd - Jason and Danielle Robertson  
 April 7th - Brett and Renae Willcocks

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.

## YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

I have been asked to pass on Rod Thornton's apologies to those members who went to the Activity night on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> of March and did not get to play night golf. He has confirmed that he will return on the 7<sup>th</sup> of May so that members can get to play. Many thanks to Christine Fyfe and Nannett Wallace who volunteered to supervise for the activity night after a very long day at the swimming carnival.

### Youth Week Activities

Due to unforeseen circumstances the workshops that were to run from Saturday the 27<sup>th</sup> of March to Sunday the 4<sup>th</sup> of April, will now be on the Saturday the 3<sup>rd</sup> and Sunday the 4<sup>th</sup> of April only, they will be held in the old Four Square building. The drawing and design workshop will be on Saturday commencing at 9.00a.m. and finishing at 4.00p.m. The Sunday workshop will be the mural with aerosol paints, this will run to the same timetable. All participants will need to bring their own gloves and dust masks.

Everyone is to bring lunch to share also a plate of food for afternoon or morning tea. The cost of the workshops will be \$20 each and Youth Station

subs must have been paid before the workshop starts.

The supervisor for Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> of March is Louise Trevenen and for Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of April it is Debby Clarke.

*Debby Clarke*



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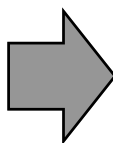
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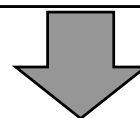
### General Theory Test

Applicant completes a 30 multiple-choice Computerised Theory Test. Test takes 35 minutes or less with a pass mark of 24/30. Applicant must be 16 years or older. This test is undertaken at the Lake Grace Telecentre. Applicant must bring one form each of Primary and Secondary ID. If you are under 18, you must also have a letter of consent signed by your parent or legal guardian. Once test is completed, results are available at the Lake Grace Shire. If you have passed you then fill in an application form for a learner's permit (at Shire) - at this point you also need to present Primary and Secondary ID, and make a payment of \$51.20.



### Practical Driving Test

This assessment is completed by the Lake Grace Police, applicant must be 16.5 years of age. Testing is done on WEDNESDAYS and takes approximately 30 minutes. Ring Tony or Dave on 9865 1007 for an appointment (no more than a week in advance). Applicant must bring their learner's permit and have the use of a roadworthy vehicle.



### Hazard Perception Test

Applicant must be 17 years or older, he/she takes completed Log Book (25 hours of supervised driving), learner's permit and Primary ID to Lake Grace Shire Office. Once payment is made, you will receive a HPT application form. Applicant can then proceed to Lake Grace Telecentre to undertake computerised HPT. Once test is completed results are obtained from the Shire office. Initial fee is \$24.20, every ensuing test costs \$14.90.

**FINISH**

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## LAKE GRACE SWIMMING CLUB

Last Sunday 21st March saw 37 children accompanied by 26 parents thoroughly enjoy the swimming club windup at Bruce Rock. Why Bruce Rock? After 1 3/4 hours in the bus we wondered why too, but were we in for a treat.

The pool was a hive of activity for the first hour as everybody rushed to try everything - mini golf, spa, volleyball, net cricket, water slide and even just a dip in the heated pool - a very pleasant 26° C. Best of all, we had the whole place to ourselves - not a local in sight. By lunchtime we were all ready for a short break as we all came together for a shared BBQ lunch after which we were all too full to go back into the water. So while we were waiting for things to settle, someone decided to call a meeting.

So while the kids had more fun, the adults discussed some swimming club issues and then called for office bearers. So welcome to the new and old (not in age) office bearers, and thanks to Belinda Bowron and Julie Smith for taking on positions. We also would like to thank Kerrie Argent who is our outgoing President and Debbie Clarke as Vice President.

Then it was back to the pool. The kids were keen to show off their racing skills against the parents in some relay races and they beat them soundly - well done kids. Parents obviously need to attend training!!! In retaliation some parents then took over the water slide with the Super Mat and put some real speed into the descent. It was so much fun that nobody noticed all the cuts, knocks, bruises and sore muscles that would show up on Monday. The hot showers before we came home really topped the day off.

It was a fantastic day, thoroughly enjoyed by everyone and well worth the trip, even the scenic route home thanks to our "I know the way" navigator.

Swimming Club is now finished for the season and it's been great to see so many kids getting involved and continuing to improve their swimming. With the level of interest shown this year, we can look forward to a great season next year.

*There will be a photo page in the next Lakes Link News - you have been warned!*

Genni Curtin



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# OBITUARY — Valda Noel de Vree (Val)

2nd December 1941 - 26th February 2004

Born 2nd December 1941, Val was born fifth out of nine children. She married Henk de Vree on the 16th November 1963 and became mother to Frits, born 6th June 1964 and then Jasmyn on the 1st August 1966. Unfortunately Henk died in 1980 and Frits in 1984.

Val's memory was remarkable. She read most of the weekly and monthly magazines and retained so much information. She could impart a helpful tip for any occasion whether it be for cooking, gardening, skin care or animal care.

Where animals were concerned Val was a softie. She fed birds daily, the little yellow beaks that everyone else dislike were Val's special favourite—she even threw out bread for the crows. The magpies became so tame that the one she named Big Bird would perch on the arm of her chair and she would hand feed him.

Her little dog Pee Wee she rescued and

brought home to love. They were best mates for many years and when, in her old age, Pee Wee had puppies Val was delighted. They gave her so much joy.

Val's flair with flower arranging was much admired. She took on the task of doing the flowers for the church, and was always checking out everyone's garden for what she could use.

Whenever there was a function for the Catholic Ladies, Val was always helpful and would start off by organising the organiser. She would think of small details that she thought could get overlooked, but that was important to her, and she would spend lots of time thinking about everything. Her thoughtfulness showed in other small ways, hanging out washing for the elderly amongst other kindnesses.

Val, thanks for all the handy information and for the flowers.

## Exercise Noonamah

### *Testing Our Response to an Emergency Animal Disease Outbreak*

Around 40 local and national members of a rapid response team have gathered in Darwin to respond to a simulated emergency outbreak of Foot and Mouth Disease.

Primary Industry and Fisheries Minister, Kon Vatskalis, officially launched this exercise, saying if such an outbreak was ever to happen it could cost Australia over \$9 billion in lost export earnings, and between \$30 million and \$450 million to clean up and control.

"The Northern Territory's cattle industry alone is worth around \$190 million, so one could imagine how devastating an animal disease outbreak would be," said Mr Vatskalis.

"While Australia has been free of Foot and Mouth Disease since 1872, the Northern Territory is the frontline jurisdiction in terms of risks of outbreaks or introduction of exotic plant and animal pests and diseases, so it is important we test our preparedness should we ever have to deal with the real thing.

"Exercise Noonamah will provide a valuable lesson for our national rapid response team, not to mention local authorities here in the Territory."

The Minister said the desk top exercise will take place at the Chan Building until Friday, with no field component.

Participants involved in Exercise Noonamah include 36 members of a national response team, and over 40 staff from relevant NT Government departments, including the Department's of Business, Industry and Resource Development; Infrastructure Planning and Environment; Treasury; Police, Fire and Emergency Services; and Justice.

As well, there will be participants from the Commonwealth Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, and Animal Health Australia.

## Blind Cords Regulated

Curtain and blind cords that form a 'loop' are potential child killers. Since 1988 eleven toddlers and babies died from strangulation by blind cords in Australia whilst the USA recorded 133 child deaths between 1991 and 2001.

In response, the Department of Consumer and Employment Protection has moved to prohibit the sale of blinds that are not safe.

"Home designs have changed a lot in recent years which has led to curtain and blind cords of full length windows being close to the floor", Consumer Protection Commissioner Patrick Walker said.

"A Product Safety Order restricting the supply of goods known as 'curtain and blind cords' has been issued to manufacturers, installers, suppliers and retailers in WA", he said.

The Order requires that window coverings operated by exposed looped cords, bead chains and other flexible looped devices shall not have hazardous loops.

The Order also requires operating and warning information be included on labels and tags.

Existing blind and curtain cords already installed in homes that have loops can be made safe by a simple procedure using either a tie-down device or cutting the bottom of loops and tying the two new ends off with a knotted tassel or toggle.

"Parents are strongly advised to check the positioning of their children's furniture such as high chairs, playpens, beds and cots, to ensure they are not in the proximity of cords", Mr Walker said.

Call 1300 30 40 54 to obtain Consumer Protection's Product Safety brochure on how to make blind and curtain cords safe in the home or go online at [www.docep.wa.gov.au](http://www.docep.wa.gov.au) <<http://www.docep.wa.gov.au>> .

*Allan Smith*  
Senior Regional Officer



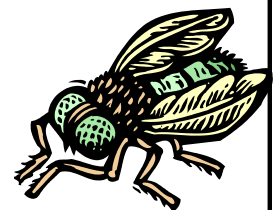
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# COUNCIL NEWS AND NOTES

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### BUDGET SUBMISSIONS 2004/05



A reminder to community organisations wishing to submit a budget proposal for consideration in Council's 2004/05 budget.

Requests need to be in writing and received at the office by 31 March 2004.

### POWER OUTAGES

#### SUFFERING REGULAR POWER CUTS?????

Back in September of 2003 we advertised encouraging residents throughout the Shire to record dates and times of power outages over the ensuing six months to assist with reporting of the problem to Western Power.



Council now seeks community feedback and invites you to submit your reports. Please contact Kelly Hawtin at the Shire on 9865 1105 for further information.

### 1080 BAITING - LAKE MAGENTA RESERVE

CALM has sent notification that as part of Western Shield it is continuing to bait Lake Magenta Reserve with dried meat baits containing 1080 poison. The program is designed to reduce fox population to allow the reintroduction of locally extinct animals.



CALM maintains bait free buffer zones for all occupied houses within a 1 km radius of the reserve and 100m near all gates into the reserve from farmland.

Land holders are reminded that domestic and working dogs should not be allowed into the Lake Magenta Reserve and to consider the reserve dangerous to dogs at all times.

### RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD

A Reminder that the Shire of Lake Grace has extended the Restricted Burning Period to 30 March 2004.



**Permits are required for burning off and are available by contacting your nearest Fire Control Officer.**



## POSITION VACANT

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### COLLECTION DATES APRIL 2004

#### PLEASE NOTE

**ONLY** drumMuster marked agricultural containers meeting the Avcare cleanliness standards will be accepted during the 2004 Collections.



#### Lake Grace

Tuesday 13 April 8.30 am - 4 pm

Wednesday 14 April 8.30 - 12 noon (if required)

#### Newdegate

Thursday 15 April 8.30 am - 4.00 pm

#### BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL

Please call Trevor Pitcher 98651105



#### Lake King & Varley Collections

For dates and times of collections at Lake King & Varley please contact Mr John Pickemell 9874 4042

Lake King Progress Association.

### COMMUNITY GROUPS - FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY

If there are any community groups interested in fund raising in Lake Grace & Newdegate, drumMuster collections pay 15 cents plus GST on every container inspected. In 2003 the Lake King Progress Association earned nearly \$1000.

## COMMUNITY HOUSING AVAILABLE FOR RENT

67A Bennett St Lake Grace  
(Front Unit)



Applications are invited for rental of the above newly constructed 3 bedroom unit. If you are interested please contact Mark Burbridge at the Shire Office on 9865 1105 and an application form will be forwarded.

Should you be interested in renting a property in the future you are encouraged to apply so that a waiting list is established. This waiting list will then act as support for future community housing projects.



# NIGHT WATCH



Welcome to Night Watch for the fortnight from midnight Friday 26th to midnight Friday 9th April.

On June 8th from around 1.00pm will be the transit of Venus across the face of the Sun. No one person living today has seen this happen as they happen in pairs 8 years apart. The next one is in 2012, then not until 2117 and 2125. The last was in 1874 and 1882. I will have the telescope at the lawns near the Plaza.

Stretched across the evening early night sky in a long line are the five brightest planets. Starting from the west is Mercury then Venus, Mars, Saturn with Jupiter last in line and the second brightest behind Venus.

Our local star the Sun, is in the constellation of Pisces for the fortnight, at -26.7 magnitude.

Mercury is in the constellation of Pisces until April 1 when it will have moved into Aries, at about 0.7 magnitude. On the 29th Mercury will be at greatest elongation east at 19 degrees.

Venus, at magnitude -4.3 in Aries until Monday, when it will move into Taurus, where it will be at its greatest elongation east at 46 degrees.

The red planet, Mars, at magnitude 1.5 in Taurus, is 7 degrees north of the orange/red star Aldebaran, which means 'eye of the bull'.

The giant gas planet, Jupiter, at -2.5 is in Leo near the tail. On the 3rd Jupiter will be 3 degrees south of the Moon and Saturn at the feet of the Gemini twins at 0.8 magnitude.

On Monday Saturn will be 5 degrees south of the Moon and on the 2nd it will be at its extreme north declination of 22.49 degrees.

Uranus, in Aquarius at magnitude 5.9, rises around 3.45am. Neptune at 8.0 magnitude rises at 2.10am in Capricornus.

The small rocky distant planet, Pluto, at magnitude 13.8, rises at 10.30pm in the constellation of Serpens.

The Moon on Saturday is at apogee (furthest) at 404,521kms from the earth in the constellation of Taurus. The first quarter moon is on Monday 29th in Gemini at 7.48am at a distance of 400,900kms. On Monday, April 5th, the full Moon is at 6.53pm in Virgo at 368,500kms. On April 8th at 10.00am the Moon in Scorpius is at perigee (closest) at 364,547kms distant. The Moon is mostly in the early night sky.

Date	Rises	Sets	Date	Rises	Sets
Mar 27	6.15am	6.09pm	Apr 3	6.19am	6.00pm
Mar 28	6.15am	6.08pm	Apr 4	6.20am	5.59pm
Mar 29	6.16am	6.06pm	Apr 5	6.21am	5.57pm
Mar 30	6.17am	6.05pm	Apr 6	6.21am	5.56pm
Mar 31	6.17am	6.04pm	Apr 7	6.22am	5.55pm
Apr 1	6.18am	6.02pm	Apr 8	6.23am	5.54pm
Apr 2	6.19am	6.01pm	Apr 9	6.23am	5.53pm

A dust cloud around a young star 33 light years away promises astronomers a close-up view of planet formation. The cloud recently spotted around Au Microscopium, appears hollow, suggesting that most of the interior dust has been swept up as planets have formed. Au Microscopium is very young for our region of the galaxy, at just 12 million years old, but even at this age planet formation is expected to be nearly finished. The dust cloud stretches out to about seven times Neptune's distance from the sun and, because it is cold, it is unlikely to come closer to the start than Uranus is to the sun. The area closer in is nearly empty, suggesting that this is where planets have formed. The dust disc is only the fourth to be seen directly by telescopes and is also the closest spotted.

Au Microscopium appears to be a sibling of Beta Pictoris, the first star to be discovered (in 1983) with a dust disc. The two are about the same age and are following parallel paths in space, although they are widely separated. They are also quite different kinds of star. Beta Pictoris is 2.5 times the mass of the sun and nine times as bright. Au Microscopium is only half the sun's mass and only a tenth of its brightness.

*Maurie Gilson, a member of the Astronomical Society of WA.*

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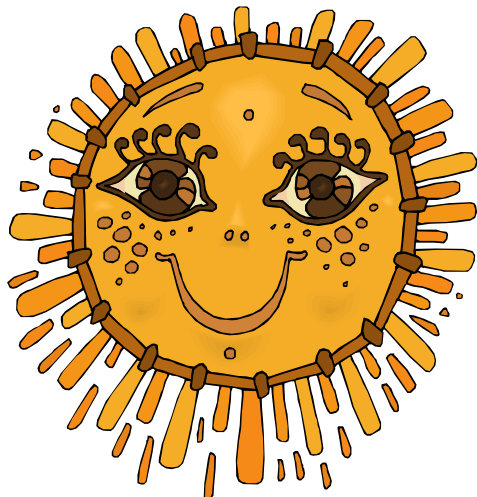
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## *Lake Grace Weather*

*- Terry Gladish*

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Highest Number Rain Days	14	1917
Lowest Number Rain Days	0	2001
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Date	Min	Max	Rain
11/3	13.5	27.0	
12/3	11.6	27.6	
13/3	11.7	30.0	
14/3	14.0	31.2	
15/3	17.7	27.2	
16/3	15.3	26.4	0.2
17/3	15.4	29.2	
18/3	15.0	31.6	
19/3	13.7	27.0	
20/3	15.5	27.0	
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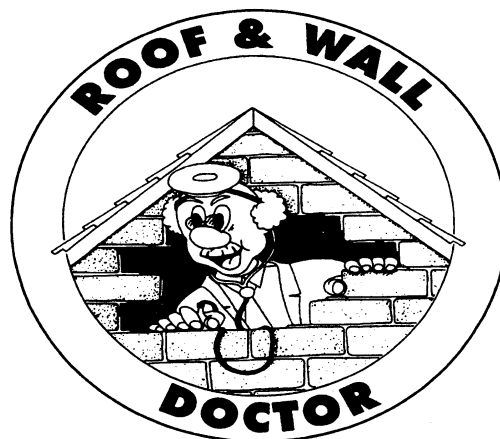
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each other to go through with the radical image change to raise money for a cause that had touched their lives in the past.

Prior to their time in Newdegate Kim worked for Silver Chain, nursing a 30 year old female client dying from leukaemia.



Local hairdresser Nita Gooding had the task of 'trimming' Kim's previously shoulder length hair to its present scalp revealing state. Jim took a less radical approach and had his black hair dyed blonde.

Between them they raised \$640, donations mostly from the Newdegate area. Kim and Jim are asking for more donations. Donations close 26th March.

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## Malleefowl Preservation Group Meeting



On Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March, fifteen interested people gathered to hear Susanne Dennings of Malleefowl Preservation Group give an informative and inspiring presentation on the work of the Group and the life of the malleefowl. Based in Ongerup, the Malleefowl Preservation Group was formed in 1992 by local farmers and community members in recognition of the changes created by the wide scale clearing for agriculture and the resulting in loss of biodiversity, in particular the Malleefowl.

MPG aims to ensure the Malleefowl's survival through on-ground projects with farmers and pastoralists, community awareness and assisting rural community conservation programs.

In many areas Malleefowl have survived the major landscape changes since white settlement in Australia. The birds may be seen when occasionally leaving the protection of the bush to feed in paddocks or cross roadways. If you should see a Malleefowl, please take care. The Malleefowl Preservation Group asks people to complete their sighting form (contact MPG or download from website [www.malleefowl.com.au](http://www.malleefowl.com.au)).

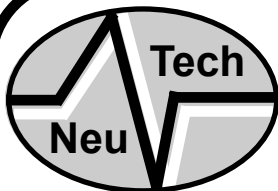
MPG receives sighting reports from this district

and those present at the meeting viewed video footage recorded by Ben Curwood over the last decade showing malleefowl in his area.

We discussed various sites where malleefowl are regularly seen and decided to form a malleefowl preservation interest group. The group will monitor a local malleefowl site over a period of years, and share data and information with the MPG, neighbouring interest groups (such as Naremben and Kulin) and the National Malleefowl Recovery Plan. This plan will link the Lake Grace group with those across Australia, such as the Victorian communities which monitor 850 malleefowl mounds in their state.

The local monitoring process will include an annual survey of a selected malleefowl site within the Lake Grace district. We realise most people already have many committee and volunteer responsibilities, so will keep the group as uncomplicated as possible (no committee) with activities a few times a year. If you are interested, contact Annie Slarke (9865 1170) or Michelle Slarke (9865 1878).

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The law now makes it clear that only authorised deposit-taking institutions (ADIs) and State or Territory guaranteed entities are eligible to accept farm management deposits.

If you made a farm management deposit with a non-complying entity, you need to transfer the deposit to an eligible institution before 1 July 2004 to keep the tax benefit. For some longer-term deposits, the deadline is 1 July 2007.

If you fail to transfer a non-complying deposit, it is deemed to be withdrawn immediately before the deadline and must be declared as income.

Most depositors are not affected - all banks, building societies and credit unions are authorised deposit-taking institutions. You can make sure your financial institution is an ADI by checking the list on the Australian Prudential Regulation Authority website [www.apra.gov.au](http://www.apra.gov.au).

If you are a primary producer in an 'Exceptional circumstances' declared area you can, subject to

obtaining an Exceptional Circumstances certificate, withdraw a farm management deposit within 12 months without losing the tax benefit. This concession does not apply if the deposit was made when the area was already under the exceptional circumstances declaration.

The farm management deposit scheme assists primary producers to deal with income fluctuations. If you meet certain conditions, you can claim a farm management deposit as a tax deduction and declare it as income when you withdraw it. Deposits withdrawn within 12 months do not generally qualify for the deduction.

If you want more information, visit [www.ato.gov.au/farmmanagementdeposits](http://www.ato.gov.au/farmmanagementdeposits) or call the Tax Office on 13 28 66.

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# STATIONMASTER'S HOUSE ACTION GROUP REPORT

Another successful and energetic busy bee was held at the Stationmaster's House on Sunday 14th March.

You will have noticed the garden has been cleared of the weeds which shot up after the big summer rains.

We planted more cottage style plants and some trees, and tackled the runaway lawn at the back of the house. We dug out the earth from around the

house and – a major achievement – replaced and oiled the first section of the verandah.

More to come, but the end is in sight!

Many thanks to Lynn Stewart, Ray Bird, Grant Osborne, John and Jeanette Bennett, Phyllis Dunham, Mary and Trish Naisbitt, Annie, Lindsay and Michelle Slarke and Mark Walker.

*Jeanette Bennett*



*Michelle Slarke and Lyn Stewart  
Oiling the verandah*



*Left—  
John Bennett &  
Mark Walker  
stacking the  
floor boards*



*Left—  
Ray Bird and  
Grant Osborne  
replacing the  
verandah*

*Right—  
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Jeanette Bennett,  
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Lyn Stewart and  
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# SCIENCE AND STUFF

## Ultimate Test

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## Dive Record

A Leatherback turtle has recorded the deepest dive yet by a reptile. One leatherback has been recorded diving to 640 metres in the Atlantic Ocean. Leatherbacks, which are critically endangered, can grow to more than 2 metres long, and the biggest ever found weighed in at 916 kilograms. It was pointed out that dives of over 200 metres by leatherbacks are extraordinarily rare. Turtles dive to follow their main prey of gelatinous zooplankton and jellyfish. But such creatures are 97 percent water and the turtles probably waste too much energy trying to catch such calorie-light delicacies at greater depths. Very deep dives may be in response to a large shark or a passing boat. *From Animal Behaviour.*

## Koala Conundrum

The South Australian State Government faces an awkward dilemma. The 30,000 koalas on Kangaroo Island are in danger of eating themselves into extinction, having almost stripped the island's eucalyptus trees. The state's Nature Conservation Society favours culling, but there are fears that animal rights activists will object.

## Grief on the Reef

Australia's Great Barrier Reef may be on the verge of a massive outbreak of coral bleaching caused by sea temperatures soaring for the third time in six years. The entire reef has been in a bleaching hotspot for the past month, and excessively hot water is still spreading and intensifying as the sea is currently up to 2 degrees warmer than normal. Bleaching occurs when hot water expels the algae that live in coral and give it its colour. Usually the algae will return but persistent bleaching can banish them forever, killing the coral. The University of Queensland's Centre for Marine

Studies warned that warmer oceans could kill the Great Barrier Reef within 50 years. The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority has been accused in the past of playing down damage to the reefs to protect the tourist industry. Yet it has, on its website, warned that the threat of coral bleaching in the region is currently rated as moderate to high. *From New Scientist 6th March 2004.*

## Bizarre Dinos of the deep freeze

Two peculiar dinosaurs new to science have been unearthed in Antarctica. Palaeontologists have discovered the largest dinosaur yet found on the continent, a 2 metre long plant eating sauropod. Yet the beast is small compared with its giant relatives found elsewhere, which are more than 30 metres long. Also unearthed is a predatory dinosaur that appears to be a bizarre evolutionary throwback. A team discovered the long necked sauropod on the slopes of Mount Kirkpatrick, a 3900 metre mountain a few hundred kilometres from the South Pole. It lived around 190 million years ago, making it one of the earliest known of its kind. The fleet-footed predatory dinosaur lived much later, around 70 million years ago. Fragments of an upper jaw, teeth and bones from the animal's lower legs and feet suggest it was a primitive predator, yet it survived until shortly before the dinosaurs disappeared. Also around 2 metres tall the, as yet unnamed, dinosaur measures up oddly against its carnivorous cousins. Most were either wolf-sized predators like Velociraptor, or giants such as Tyrannosaurus Rex or Allosaurus. *New Scientist 6th March 2004.*

Maurie Gilson



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# Humour



## Accent on Construction

An Italian, a Scotsman and a Chinese fellow are hired at a construction site. The foreman points out a huge pile of sand and says to the Italian guy, 'You're in charge of sweeping.' To the Scotsman he says, 'You're in charge of shovelling.' And to the Chinese guy he says, 'You're in charge of supplies.' He then says, 'now, I have to leave for a little while. I expect you guys to make a dent in that there pile.'

So the foreman goes away for a couple hours and when he returns, the pile of sand is untouched. He asks the Italian, 'Why didn't you sweep any of it!' The Italian replies, 'I no hava no broom. You saida to the Chinese a fella that he a wasa in a charge of supplies, but he hasa disappeared and I no coulda finda him nowhere.'

Then the foreman turns to the Scotsman and says, 'And you, I thought I told you to shovel this pile.' The Scotsman replies, 'Aye, ye did lad, boot ah couldnay get meself a shovel! Ye left th' Chinese gadgie in charge of supplies, boot ah couldnay fin' him either.'

The foreman is really angry now and storms off toward the pile of sand to look for the Chinse guy. Just then, the Chinese guy leaps out form behind the pile of sand and yells. 'SUPPLIES!'

## Last Requests

Mary Clancy goes up to Father O'Grady after his Sunday morning service, and she's in tears.

He says, 'So what's bothering you, Mary, my dear?'

She says, 'Oh, Father, I've got terrible news. My husband passed away last night.'

The priest says, 'Oh, Mary, that's terrible. Tell me, Mary, did he have any last requests?'

She says, 'That he did, Father.'

The priest says, 'What did he ask, Mary?'

She says, 'He said, "Please Mary, put down that damn gun."'

## Harvard MBA Bore with all the Answers

A boat docked in a tiny Mexican village. An American tourist complimented the Mexican fisherman on the quality of his fish and asked how long it took him to catch them.

'Not very long,' answered the Mexican.

'Well, then, why didn't you stay out longer and catch more?' asked the American. The Mexican explained that his small catch was sufficient to meet his needs and those of his family.

The American asked, 'But what do you do with the rest of your time?'

'I sleep late, fish a little, play with my children, and take a siesta with my wife. In the evenings, I go into the village to see my friends, have a few drinks, play the guitar, and sing a few songs...I have a full life.'

The American interrupted, 'I have an MBA from Harvard and I can help you! You should start by fishing longer every day. You can then sell the extra fish you catch. With the extra revenue, you can buy a bigger boat. With the extra money the larger boat will bring, you can buy a second one and a third one and so on until you have an entire fleet of trawlers. Instead of selling your fish to a middleman, you can negotiate directly with the processing plants and maybe even open your own plant. You can then leave this little village and move to Mexico City, Los Angeles, or even New York City! From there you can direct your huge enterprise.'

'How long would that take?' asked the Mexican.

'Twenty, perhaps 25 years,' replied the American.

'And after that?'

'Afterwards? That's when it gets really interesting,' answered the American, laughing. 'When your business gets really big, you can start selling stocks and make millions!'

'Millions? Really? And after that?'

'After that you'll be able to retire, live in a tiny village near the coast, sleep late, play with your children, catch a few fish, take siestas with your wife, and spend your evenings drinking and enjoying your friends.'

## Outback Logic

A couple of Australian hunters are in the outback when one of them falls to the ground. He doesn't seem to be breathing and his eyes have rolled back in his head.

The other guy whips out his cellphone and calls the emergency number. He gasps to the operator, 'My friend is dead! What can I do?'

The operator, in a calm soothing voice says, 'Just take it easy,

I can help. First, let's make sure he's dead.'

There is silence, then a shot is heard. The hunter says, 'Ok, now what?'



## Ross River Virus on the Rise

There has been an increase in the number of notified cases of Ross River Virus within the Wheatbelt region. This is possibly due to a rise in the breeding of virus carrying mosquitoes over wide areas of the South-West Land Division, combined with the recent cyclonic rainfall (due to Cyclone Monty) and flooding in northern and inland regions. This has resulted in the expansion of the risk area for contracting Ross River Virus to several other regions of Western Australia.

Ross River virus causes a debilitating disease known as *epidemic polyarthritis* (EP). Although the disease is non-fatal, it causes severe arthritic pain and lethargy. Symptoms include sore muscles, skin rash, fever, headache, swollen lymph nodes and less frequently, sore eyes, sore throat, nausea, as well as tingling in the hands and feet. With the favourable conditions for mosquito breeding and survival, there is also a warning of the likelihood of activity for the potentially fatal Murray Valley encephalitis virus over the next few months.

It is not possible to eliminate all mosquitoes and there is no cure or vaccine for these debilitating diseases, so taking precautions/preventative measures to avoid being bitten is the best defence against the disease.

People in affected areas should:

- Avoid outdoor exposure in areas of high mosquito activity, especially around dawn and dusk.
- Ensure insect screens on houses are installed and completely mosquito-proof. If camping, use mosquito nets and mosquito-proof tents.
- Wear long, loose-fitting protective clothing

when outdoors in mosquito-prone areas.

- Use personal repellents containing diethyl toluamide (DEET) or picaridin. The most effective and long-lasting formulations are lotions or gels. Most natural or organic repellents are not as effective as DEET or picaridin.

Ensure infants and children are adequately protected against mosquito bites, preferably with suitable clothing, bed nets or other forms of insect screening. Only infant-strength repellents should be used on children.

It is also important to prevent breeding in the first place by ensuring that there are no containers lying around with water in them, eg. old tyres with stagnant water in them, saucers under pot plants etc.

If you would like more information on Ross River Virus you can contact Julie Bowen-Withington, Public Health Nurse, Wheatbelt Public Health Unit on 9622 4323 OR Mosquito-Borne Disease Control Branch, WA Department of Health (08) 9385 6001 OR Visit the Environmental Health webpage at <http://www.population.health.wa.gov.au>

*Media Contact*

*Julie Bowen-Withington*

*Public Health Nurse, Wheatbelt Public Health Unit*

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## BEWARE THE HAZARDS OF ATVs

WorkSafe is urging users of all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) and agbikes to be aware of the hazards associated with these vehicles.

Agbikes are any motorbikes with two, three or four wheels used for farm work. Three and four wheelers are commonly known as ATVs.

WorkSafe Acting Executive Director Nina Lyhne said today that ATVs and agbikes had their own unique set of hazards, especially where children and inexperienced riders were involved.

"Our observations indicate that young people aged between 10 and 24 have a much higher than average risk of injury because of a lack of experience or training, or simply because they lack the strength required to control the vehicles under challenging conditions," Ms Lyhne said.

"As well as their use in farming, children are using these vehicles for recreational pursuits, so I strongly urge those in control to ensure strict safety measures are taken to lessen the risks of injury to riders.

"But our concerns are not only with young people—a man tragically lost his life at Bedfordale recently when the ATV he was operating rolled over.

"This incident once again highlights the risks involved with ATVs.

"Although our statistics do not specifically cover incidents involving these vehicles, we are aware of a large number of serious injuries over the years involving agbikes and ATVs."

Helmets are required as part of an employer's general duty of care.

Suppliers also have a duty of care to provide a safe product, and some suppliers are now providing operator training at the time of purchase, with some considering supplying helmets as part of the purchase price of an ATV.

Frequent causes of injury involving ATVs are:

1. Hitting objects such as logs, rocks, drains, potholes or animals;
2. The rider being struck by an object such as an overhanging branch;
3. The leg or trousers of a rider being caught in the rear tyre or chain;
4. An ATV hitting a bystander due to loss of control;
5. The carrying of passengers or animals, changing the centre of gravity;

"Our observations suggest that inexperience is a

common feature of incidents involving these vehicles, as they can easily get out of control while speeding or travelling on gravel, loose dirt, mud, a wet track or grass," Ms Lyhne said.

"According to WorkSafe inspectors, the majority of incidents involving ATVs and agbikes happen when the vehicle is being used as a means of transport in a recreational situation on the farm.

"It is crucial that the employer provides information, instruction, supervision and training to anyone likely to be operating ATVs and agbikes."

Further information on the operation of farm vehicles can be obtained by telephoning WorkSafe on 9327 8777 or on the website at [www.safetyline.wa.gov.au](http://www.safetyline.wa.gov.au).

Media contact:

Caroline De Vaney on 9327 8744 or 0408927563.



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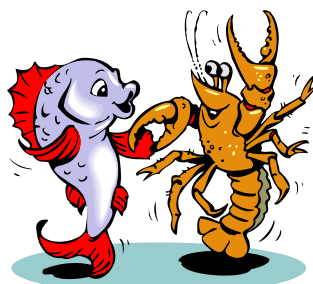
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## Good sport CBH Group launches \$80,000 Sponsorship



Co-operative Bulk Handling Group of companies today launched an \$80,000 sponsorship package to benefit country football, netball, cricket and hockey associations active across the grainbelt.

The Western Australian Country Football League (WACFL), Western Australian Cricket Association (WACA), WA Netball and WA Hockey Association are benefiting from funding to promote involvement in their respective sports in rural areas.

CBH Chairman Allan Watson said that this significant sponsorship would advantage thousands of people living in rural communities throughout WA's grain growing regions.

"During the 2003-04 harvest we gained a high level of cooperation from Western Australian grain growing communities which assisted in the successful receival and handling of a record harvest," Mr Watson said.

"It is my pleasure to be able to acknowledge growers' support in this way, through the significant sponsorship of local sporting clubs which are the lifeblood of many country communities.

"Sport and the level of participation it attracts, assists in reinforcing the fabric of regional Western Australia.

Sporting competition and events draw communities together and provide an opportunity to build and strengthen community ties and

relationships."

Mr Watson said CBH was proud to be connected to so many rural lives and to be further contributing to the vitality of rural WA.

"CBH has been integral to the rural landscape for more than 70 years. We have almost 200 receival facilities in our network across the grainbelt and many CBH employees live and work or have connections to these grainbelt communities.

"We take our responsibility to support communities in which we operate seriously because without them, we could not sustain our business."

A demonstration of the four sports supported by CBH through the sponsorship was conducted at the Narrogin Leisure Centre during the launch.

The sports sponsorship is expected to increase the profile and participation of cricket, football, hockey and netball in the grainbelt. Each group will use the funding to assist in marketing, clinics, events and competitions throughout the state.



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# Wheatbelt South Action Plan

The *Wheatbelt South Action Plan 2004 – 2009* has now been released, and follows on from the *Central South Action Plan – An Issues Paper*, finalised in July last year. You can collect your free copy of the Action Plan at the Wheatbelt Development Commission in Narrogin, or contact your local government shire office.

The Plan has already attracted funding through the Regional Development Scheme for seven priority projects for the Wheatbelt South, and working groups of government agencies have been formed to better coordinate planning and service delivery to the sub region.

An initiative of the Wheatbelt Development Commission in partnership with the 15 local government shires of the Wheatbelt South, both the Issues Paper and the Action Plan are the result of collaboration between community and government to address the many challenges facing the Sub Region.

The Wheatbelt South has traditionally featured low on the political radar, and as a result is under constant threat of losing services. Better transport,

roads, and communication technology have also meant many agencies are now able to supply their products and services to rural areas without using locally based staff.

Additionally, the last twenty years of rural restructuring has increased production efficiencies, largely through improved technology, but has meant the number of jobs available in the agricultural industry in the Sub Region has dropped, with the flow-on effect of people leaving to find work elsewhere.

2001 Census figures show personal incomes for individuals in four shires of the Wheatbelt South as ranking among the 10 poorest in Australia.

On the positive side there is greater understanding of the need for all communities in Wheatbelt South and government agencies to be strategic and work to achieve common goals which will sustain the Sub Region, one of the aims of the Action Plan.



## Youth Week Mural

March 27th—April 4th

### GET PAINTING—

if you are 12—25 years and want to create a mural about young people.



A visiting artist and Lake Grace Artist's Group will teach you about *Urban Art*, then work with you as a group to design the mural.

Drawing/ Design workshop:  
3rd April

Painting—Urban Art Mural:  
April 4th

Numbers will be limited.  
Telephone Debby Clarke to register.

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# LAKE GRACE CRICKET CLUB

Saturday, March 13th, we took the bus to Karlgarin for the Preliminary Final. Karlgarin/Pingaring batted first and made 252 on the fast Karlgarin oval, Karl Fleay and Darryl Jenkin being our main wicket takers. In an exciting run chase, we were all out in the last over, falling 4 runs short. Opener, Bob Spurr, top scored with 60 and appeared to have things under control when he was run out in unlucky circumstances. A straight drive deflecting off the bowler onto the wicket while Bob was backing up.

Our disappointment was soon forgotten with a few beers and a BBQ with the opposition afterwards. Thanks to Karlgarin/Pingaring for a good time on and off the field and to Kevin Eggers for driving the bus.

A very big thank you, from all who played for Lake Grace, to Murray, Cobi and Chad Stanton for sponsoring the game day and balls throughout the year.

Next day was a much more relaxed game with our annual Under Thirties versus the Over Thirties match. Both sides were able to field 15 players, with the "Overs" strengthened by the inclusion of Jason Muir and Jon Callope, who both turned 30 the day before.

Under Thirties batted first and were all out for 140, pick of the batsmen being a cricketer of the future in Mat Trevenen, with D. Stanton and B. Reynolds making runs. The "Overs" bowling was an even performance, but mention must be made of Malcolm (Trumby) Marshall's spectacular catch in the gully and Don Fleay getting his son out first ball. It was one of keeper, John O'Neill's four stumpings.

In reply, the "Overs" got a good top order partnership from M. Gray and Don Fleay that got them over the road to a comfortable victory. Best of the "Unders" bowlers were Ashton Gray and Bohdi Clifton.

Last weekend a number of us went to Kukerin and saw Kukerin just beat Karlgarin/Pingaring in a very good Grand Final with an Association wind up and trophy presentation afterwards. A very big thank you to Greg Pinney and Darryl Jenkin who umpired for the two days.

Congratulations to Greg Pinney who played his 150th game for the club in the final, and best of luck to Braydon Reynolds who is going to England to play cricket.

*Reg Fleay*

## Young people: Listen Up!

\$50,000 is available for young people and community organisations residing in the Wheatbelt from **Youth Community Connections and the Wheatbelt ACC**, a funding initiative of the Commonwealth Department of Education, Science and Training, The Foundation for Young Australians and auspiced by the Wheatbelt Area Consultative Committee (ACC).

"We will be looking for ideas that enhance youth leadership and result in meaningful change for young people in the Wheatbelt community," Josephine Alvaro of the Wheatbelt Youth Community Connections said today.

The Wheatbelt Youth Community Connections members, aged between 12 to 25 years will choose the successful applicants.

"It is important to us that the initiatives we fund reflect the priorities of young people. This is one of the key reasons that we have young people making the decisions on which initiatives are

funded," Josephine Alvaro of Youth Community Connections shared her thoughts.

"The Wheatbelt ACC Board regards young people as important to the regions future and encourages young people to develop to their full potential through leadership opportunities", Wheatbelt ACC Executive Officer Lisa Shreeve said today.

If you have a project or idea that you need funding for and reside in the Wheatbelt, we may be able to help you. For further information, guidelines and application form log onto [www.youngaustralians.org](http://www.youngaustralians.org) or [www.wheatbeltacc.com.au](http://www.wheatbeltacc.com.au) or phone Josephine Alvaro on 90413716.

Applications close on 27<sup>th</sup> May 2004.



# LAKE GRACE HOCKEY CLUB



Flo Starceвич from **KEA SPORTS DESIGN** will be coming to Lake Grace on Sunday 28th March to display their range of sports clothing.

The Lake Grace Hockey Club invites any interested sporting groups to attend this demonstration at the Sportsman's Club from 12 noon.

If your club is thinking of getting new uniforms or team jackets, this will be an ideal opportunity to view the range available from this supplier. Contact Flo on 0417 910 870 if there is a specific range you wish to view and she will bring it up.

Join us for a barbecue to follow, bring your own meat and a salad to share.

**SAFEGUARD MOUTHGUARDS** will also be at the Club from 6pm to do fittings for custom made

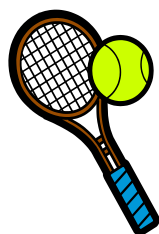
mouth guards for senior and junior players of any sport. The cost would be around \$60—\$100 and can be claimed on private health insurance.

More details are on page 31. Contact Belinda Bowron on 9865 1298 for more information.

**C GRADE** hockey training will start on Wednesday 7th April at 3.30pm on the Hockey Oval.

C Grade is for girls and boys who are under the age of 13 as of January 1st in the year of playing. Jodi Pearce is the coach again this year, so any queries can be directed to her.

*Danielle Robertson*



## LAKE GRACE TENNIS RACKET

The Lake Grace Tennis Club held it's Junior Championships on Saturday the 20th March, proudly sponsored by Neu Tech Auto Electrics. Entries were up on last year with fourteen boys and five girls, so hopefully this is a trend that will continue.

Thankfully the high temperatures forecasted didn't eventuate and the weather was perfect for tennis.

The girls (U/16) played off in a straight round robin format and it was very close with three tie breakers. The Lake Grace Tennis Club welcomes Ta-Leah Humphries as our Girls' Junior Champion, after narrowly defeating Sheriden Fyfe in a tie breaker 7 – 4.

Well done to all the girls for competing, especially Kristy Pinney in her first year of playing tennis.

The boys (U/16) were split into two even groups and had to play six rounds before the group

winners could play off. Paul Curtin defeated Kyal Carruthers 6—2 to progress to the final. Mat Trevenen defeated Sam Curtin 6—3 to move through to the final, so it was a showdown between the two cousins. Paul was playing a very consistent brand of tennis and hit several passing shot winners. Mat tried the drop shot successfully on many occasions but it wasn't enough to secure the match. Paul Curtin was eventually the victor winning 6—2. congratulations to Paul on becoming the Lake Grace Tennis Club Boys' Junior Champion.

The Senior Club Championships are on this Saturday 27th starting at 9.00am. All entries (singles and doubles) into Ross Bowron by Thursday night please. Wind up and AGM to follow at the Sportsman's Club afterwards.

*Ross Bowron*

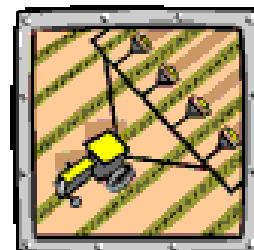
## Stubble Raking

John and Debbie O'Neill would like to thank all their customers for their support over the last few years.

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(Age)

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**Post Code:** .....

**Telephone (H):** .....(W): .....

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# LAKE GRACE BOWLS



## Jenny Bidwell - Ladies Bowls Singles Champion

Jenny Bidwell is the new Ladies Singles Champion this year. Jenny ran out winner after some very tough opposition which included Audrey Evans, Jean Seaman and then she met Lyn Taylor in the final. Lyn also had some tough games beating Shirley Altham and Rhonda Reynolds before meeting Jenny.

Audrey's first game was very, very close but Jenny ran out winner putting Audrey into the Plate where Audrey went on to defeat Elsie Griffin and Shirley Altham. Altogether there was some very good bowls played. Congratulations to the winners!!

Lake Grace Ladies were defeated by Kulin in the pennant Semi Final on Saturday 20th, it was not a bad defeat, one team winning and one losing with an overall loss of six shots, bad luck, another chance next year.

On Sunday 21st everyone had a very enjoyable day playing the popular mixed pairs event for Russell and Mary Eggers' trophy. Henk Doelman and Lyn Taylor were partners for the first day and then Brain Bidwell subbed for Henk on Sunday. They won all four games but I am not sure who the winner should be? I guess you could say Lyn

needed two men to support her.

The windup for 2003/2004 season will be after Easter on Friday 16th April at the Sportsman's Club for entrée, fish and chip's, sweets and presentation of trophies. Hope you can all make it for an enjoyable night as it will also be Patsy's last night.

Happy birthday and best wishes to one of our original bowlers, Marj Clarke, who will be turning 80 on Wednesday 24th March and celebrating with friends and family on Saturday 27th March.



*Singles Plate winner Audrey Evans with Championship Singles winner Jenny Bidwell*

## Corporate Bowls

On Friday night 19th March 2004, the final game was held. Winners on the night were the Hockey Trolls with the Bitzers runner up. Thank you to Steve and Helen Hunt from Lake Grace Communications and Computers for their sponsorship for the night.

The previous Friday night the winners were the team of Lay/Reeves and the runner up the Cricketers. Thank you to Alan, Hazel and Dianne from Lake Grace Retravision for their sponsorship. After 4 weeks of competition the team of Lay/Reeves were the eventual winners with the fast finishing Hockey Trolls in second place.

Major sponsors for the competition were Bomb and Rachel Pelham.

Thank you to Bomb and Rachel.

The final standings

LAY/REEVES	207
HOCKEY TROLLS	189
EVIL WEEVILS	184
SEAMANS	180
BITZERS	174
CHAMPS	172

FALLEN ANGELS	171
CHALKIES(1)	168
BANKWEST	155
WHATEVERS	155
OOMPALOOMPAS	144
JUST US	140
CRICKETERS	130
CHALKIES(2)	129
UNITED WE STAND	119
ELDERS	106
FUR BUSTERS	98
CLARKES	95
WHEATIES	73

Once again I would like to thank the sponsors for their support.

- LAKE GRACE SPORTSMANS CLUB
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Lake Grace Golf Club need a cleaner for the 2004 season.  
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## LAKE GRACE ART GROUP

# ART EXHIBITION

### Exhibition open

*20th March - 3rd April*  
*Daily 10.00am - 4.00pm*

**Lake Grace Shire Hall**



# CLASSIFIEDS

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### St John Ambulance

Lake Grace has come into line with the rest of the state

If you need an ambulance and are ringing from a landline or mobile phone  
**dial 000**

If you ring the old number you will get a recorded message directing you to ring 000

### First Aid Classes

Anyone interested in doing first aid classes please ring Mrs Shirley Elliott on 9865 1137. We need at least another 6 participants

### Lake Grace Recreation Council AGM

Thursday 29th April  
7:00pm

At the Pavilion

*Each affiliated club must send two delegates*

### Lake Grace Development Association AGM

Monday 5th April  
7:30pm

At the Shire Chambers  
General Meeting to follow

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## MISSING

### Long-Arm Stapler

Someone borrowed the Lake Grace Telecentre's long arm stapler in December of last year.

If that was you could you please return it as we would like to get some more work out of it.

### Interested??!!

Kulin is holding a car rally on the 1st,2nd,3rd and 4th October 2004. We are looking at going to different areas and wondering if your town had something happening on that weekend that we could join in for the night.

We usually ask a committee to provide a meal for around 100 people. Funds raised go to the committee themselves.

We are a fun lot and would love to come to, or through, your town. We are looking at also having morning tea / lunch / afternoon tea at different towns.

This is a great way to raise money and meet great people. Hope to hear from you all with some great ideas.

Our rally has run for 11 years and the man that has run it pulled out recently so we are now having a panic attack.

Hope to hear from you all soon.

Irene Bain  
Coordinator  
Kulin Resource Centre  
Ph: 9880 1021



## 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
Helen McDonald	9871 1621	9871 1549
Royce Taylor	9865 1507	9865 1320
Helen Bennett	9865 1026	9865 1568
Ollie Farrelly	9865 1304	9865 1188
Allan Lansdell	9874 4033	9874 4033
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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
Citizens' Advice Bureau	9221 5711
Samaritan Befrienders	1800 198 313
Helen Byles-Drage	9865 1014
Poisons Information	13 11 26
Kids' Helpline	1800 073 008
Seniors' Information	1800 199 087
Family Helpline	1800 643 000
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Sat - Mon	9844 1459
Tues - Fri (Evenings)	0427 441459

## 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

## ANGLICAN CHURCH OF LAKE GRACE

### Sunday 28th March

8:00 am Newdegate  
5:30 pm Lake Grace

### Sunday 4th April

9:00 am Lake Grace

### Enquiries:

Captain Derek McArtney 9865 1064  
Deacon Michael Lloyd 9871 2041

## Lake Grace Uniting Church

### Sunday 28th March

No Services

### Sunday 4th April

10:00 am

### Enquiries:

Keith and Joan Fleming 9871 9025  
Bob Burbridge 9865 4020

## LAKE GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Time-Table

### Saturday 28th March

Lake Grace 10:00 am

### Sunday 4th April

*Palm/Passion Sunday*

Lake Grace 8:00 am

### Thursday 8th April

*Holy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper*

Lake Grace 7:00 pm

### Friday 9th April

*Station's of the Cross*

Nolan's Farm 9:00 am

*Celebration of the Lord's Passion*

Lake Grace 3:00 pm

### Saturday 10th April - Easter Vigil

Lake Grace 7:00 pm

### Sunday 11th April - Easter

Lake King 8:00 am

Ravensthorpe 10:30 am

Hopetoun 6:00 pm

*Inquires: phone 9865 1248*

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## March/April

Fri 26	Fish & Chip Night - LG Sports Club Corporate Bowls Dr Jane Spencer Art Exhibition No doctor in Lake Grace from 1:00 pm	Thur 1	Sportsmen's Night at LGS Club Owner Builder Seminar - see p 15 Art Exhibition
Sat 27	Steak Night - LG Sports Club Night Golf No doctor in Lake Grace Art Exhibition	Fri 2	Country Music Night Fish & Chip Night - LG Sports Club Art Exhibition Closing
Sun 28	KEA Sports Design - see p 30 Safeguard Mouthguards - see p 31 Art Exhibition No doctor in Lake Grace	Sat 3	Drawing Workshop - Youth Week
Mon 29	Art Exhibition Doctor resumes practice at 10:30 am	Sun 4	Elliott - Dickens Wedding Aerosol Art Workshop - Youth Week
Tue 30	Art Exhibition	Mon 5	LLN Deadline LG Development Assoc. AGM
Wed 31	Pizza Night at Rosies (take-away) Shire budget submissions due Owner Builder Seminar - see p 15 Art Exhibition Hockey Training Darts	Wed 7	Pizza Night at Rosies (take-away) Hockey Training C Grade Hockey Training starts Darts
		Thur 8	Lakes Link News Immunisation Clinic Last day of Term One

### **Coming Events:**

April 17	Opening Day of Golf
April 24	Start of Hockey Fixtures
April 27	First day of Term 2

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