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Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.



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12 May 2013



HERE'S CHEERS TO YOU ALL

I went to the bottle shop the other day
 And brought this bottle of port, it wasn't cheap you know
 Well I sat and looked at it for a while
 With ANZAC Day nearly on us
 I thought I would have a drink for you all
 For I know in my heart you gave up yours
 For the country you love and your love ones at home
 So thank you my dears and I give praise to you too
 Bottoms up, Ladies and Gents
 For the freedom you gave me and the pain you went through
 I thank you so kindly and here's cheers to you

Lynn Dilley



SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

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The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 16 May 2013 commencing at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

WORKS

Surveying is being carried out at both rubbish tips to mark out new pits. Once the locations are finalised the pits will be excavated. Council is required to survey new pits as part of the management of the sites, as directed by the Department of Environment & Conservation.

Works staff have met with a number of specialist turf companies to discuss the condition of the ovals. A number of recommendations will be followed through, and, with some much needed rain, we anticipate the grass surfaces will be ready for the start of winter sports competitions.

Works continued through April on the replacement of the Norrish St footpath in Tambellup. All the cement slabs have been removed, and gravel works will be completed prior to laying asphalt. We thank residents in the area for their patience while these works are being completed.

The project to widen and seal Gnowangerup-Tambellup Rd at the Shire boundary has been completed, with sealing of the last section being carried out during April. Work is continuing on Broomehill-Kojonup Rd, with graders carrying out final trimming on the widened section prior to sealing in the near future, weather permitting. Clearing works on Tambellup West Rd are ongoing.

The maintenance graders are currently working in the north west part of the shire.

MAINTENANCE REQUESTS

We thank members of the community for advising us when maintenance issues arise, particularly with roads and in the towns, and encourage your feedback. We are aware that sometimes, it appears to take longer than you would expect for Council staff to inspect and remedy the situation.

Did you know - that Councils outside works crew of 16 look after 1000km of road, including 300km of sealed road, 700km of gravel roads, over 3,000 culverts, roadside vegetation, signage, storm water drainage, footpaths, and two refuse sites etc. Out of the 16 staff we have 3½ gardeners who look after two towns, two sporting ovals, one golf course, two town parks, two caravan parks and all other open spaces and gardens, as well as providing traffic management on road construction jobs when required.

Council is also committed to a full capital works program (roads, infrastructure) funded by external agencies, in many cases which require completion by a set date. These projects engage the crew full time. So while it may appear that we are not responding to your request, please be assured that it is on our radar, and will be investigated and actioned as soon as it is possible to have someone there. We ask for your patience in this regard.

TAMBELLUP SPORTS PAVILION - PROPOSED UPGRADE

As residents will be aware, a survey has been circulating seeking feedback from residents about the proposed upgrade to the Tambellup Sports Pavilion, including the possible relocation of the Tambellup Bowling Club to the Oval.

The consultants have advised that to date, they had received 74 responses from the general community and 27 from users of the facility specifically (as members of sporting groups). They have commenced the process of analysing the responses, and will be meeting with Council to discuss the outcomes. The community will be kept up to date with developments as they occur, but at this stage we thank all those who took the time to participate in the survey process for their feedback and opinions.

INTEGRATED PLANNING AND REPORTING

The Department of Local Government continue to place great demands on staff leading up to the end of June, when a number of major plans relating to the Integrated Planning process are due to be completed. Following on from the development of the Community Strategic Plan in 2012, which was well supported by residents, staff have been working on the associated Asset Management Plan, Long Term Financial Plan, Workforce Plan and Corporate Plan, along with the development of various policies and processes to support each of these plans. Ultimately, the plans will align and inform the annual budget each year. We are well on our way to achieving this objective. Thanks to funding received from the Department, Council has been able to engage a number of consultants with specialist knowledge in each of the areas to work with staff in developing the required plans.

CONGRATULATIONS.....

.....to the Broomehill Historical Society, the Tambellup Lions Club and the Tambellup CWA for their hosting of the Anzac Day Services in Broomehill and Tambellup. It was great to see both events very well supported by community members, and we appreciate the efforts of those who were involved in the organisation of each service. Well done!

COUNCIL AGENDAS AND MINUTES

Agendas and Minutes from every Council and Council Committee meeting are available at the Shire Administration Offices and Tambellup Community Resource Centre, for perusal. These documents are available in alternative formats, on request, for people with a disability.

Agendas and Minutes can be accessed online by browsing to www.shirebt.wa.gov.au and clicking on the "Our Shire" tab.

Joanne Trezona

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

BROOMEHILL RUBBISH TIP

It is disappointing to note yet another instance of vandalism to the swipe card chain gate at the Broomehill Rubbish Tip. In this instance, the gate has been badly damaged and the cost to repair it is still being investigated. Council is currently considering future access arrangements, and Broomehill residents will be advised of any changes in due course.

AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA



Everyone is invited to attend the
Cancer Council's Australia's Biggest Morning Tea.

All donations and raffle proceeds will go to the Cancer Council

A great morning to catch up with friends, browse through some great stalls
and support the fight against cancer.

Where: Broomehill Playgroup
RSL Hall, India Street Broomehill

When: Thursday 23rd May

Time: 9.30 am

Contact Lisa for details 98241 243 nardlah@bigpond.com



Well Women's Clinic

**Monday 20th May & Monday
27th May 2013**

9.00am to 4.00pm

at Tambellup Health Centre

- **Female Doctor**
- **Pap Smear and Breast Examination**
- **Come and discuss any women's issues**



**Appointments are
essential, please telephone
98251101**

**Enquiries to the Nurse
at the Health Centre**

TAMBELLUP AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Will be holding a
SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

On Tuesday 7th May 2013

7.30pm sharp

At the Tambellup CRC

**Please come along and have
your say in the discussion of
the recess of the 2013
Tambellup Show.**

Everybody Welcome

Enquiries can be made to secretary—
Cheryl Chambers on 0437 635 538

Tambellup Volunteer Emergency Service Unit

Annual General Meeting
Wednesday 8 May 2013
7.30pm at the Tambellup Fire Shed

All members are asked to attend, anyone
interested is welcome.

Enquiries to Mick Trezona - 0417 099855

BROOMEHILL CENTRAL FIRE BRIGADE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

**TUESDAY 7TH MAY 2013
7.00PM AT THE IMPERIAL HOTEL**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE
CONTACT
BOB VESEY ON 0407 949542**

Comfort Quilts Against Cancer



Come and meet some of the Committee
members at Threads On Line on the Railway
Station in Tambellup

THURSDAY 9TH MAY 2013

from about 10am.

Do you know someone with Breast Cancer?
Would you like to nominate them to receive a
Quilt?

Visit us and enjoy a cuppa while finding out all
about Comfort Quilts Against Cancer or phone
Coral on 98251542



The Department of Sport & Recreation and the Albany & Regional Volunteer Service present

Grant Writing Made Easy

2013 Workshop Series with...



Rebecca Cotton
Strategist & Facilitator


"If you have a chance to get to one of her sessions, don't walk – run," is what one Albany participant said about a Rebecca Cotton workshop in 2010, and if it's your New Year's resolution to attract funding for your club in 2013 then you won't want to miss this opportunity. Rebecca will be training workshop participants in her Creative Logic process – a user-friendly (and fun) tool to help people get their thinking straight and develop great project plans and grant applications.

Four workshops are being held in the Great Southern Region, see details and contacts below.

Town	Date	Time	Venue	Cost	To book your place, please contact
KOJONUP	Thurs 16 th May	1.30pm to 4.30pm	Kojonup Sporting Complex	Free	Amelia Bishop Club Development Officer on 0417484619 or cdo@shirebl.wa.gov.au

Department of Sport & Recreation, Lotterywest and the Shire of Kojonup Community Development Officer will also be making a presentation on the day about funding opportunities available through their organizations! Ask them those tricky questions, talk to them about your projects and learn how to write a grant!

Supported by...

Tambellup Health Centre

Dr Wole clinic 8 & 22 May

Please note:- Appointments can be booked from 9am–11am. Drop in clinic from 11am–1.30pm.

Please phone 9825 1101 for appointments or more information

Broomehill CWA

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 6th June at 11:30am in the Broomehill Museum office.

Everyone is welcome to join our little gathering. Bring along you favourite scarf.

Inquiries contact Carole 98241354, 0488944416 or Edna 98241208.

Broomehill Historical Society

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 6th June at 10:00am in the Museum office.

Community members are most welcome to come and join us help preserve our history.

Inquiries to Ernest Chapman – 98241378 or Carole – 98241354 or 0488944416 or email broomehillhistoricalsociety@hotmail.com

The Broomehill Historical Society would like to thank the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup and the members of our community who helped make our annual ANZAC Day service and breakfast a huge success.

Catholic Churches Mass Timetable

Our Lady of Fatima, Broomehill
– Saturday 11th May at 6pm.
Saint Michael's, Tambellup
– Saturday 4th & 18th May at 6pm.
Inquiries phone Fr Peter Njau 98241675 or 0437841173

Tambellup Uniting Church

Service Times
May 12th 9.30am 'Mothers Day'
May 26th 9.30am
Everyone Welcome

"Wishing all Mum's a very Happy and Relaxing Mothers Day"

Threads On Line

Presents
PAULINE FROM
QUILTERS WORLD

At the Tambellup Business Centre,
Tambellup West Road on the 15TH MAY
2013 from 5.30 pm.

Pauline will be showing you the latest items available for patchwork and quilting and will have items available for purchase.

Bring along a plate of finger food to share.
Tea and Coffee will be provided.

For more information contact Coral on
98251542

Cost for the evening will be \$7.00 each.



BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS TRAINING

Per-fect-it training & services is all about helping people become comfortable with basic computer skills, learning new programs, functions and building confidence within the IT world.

Do you want to learn how to send emails?

Search the internet?

Or start by learning how to turn on a computer?

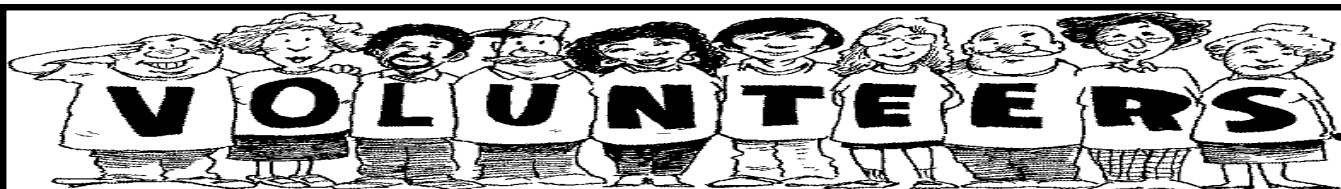
Basic Computer Skills Training will help you!

THURSDAY NIGHT 7pm til 9pm &/or

FRIDAY MORNING 10am til 12pm

at the Tambellup Community Resource Centre

Please put your name down at the CRC 98251177, email: perfectit@live.com.au or phone 0408612019/98241080



WANTED

- Broomehill Primary School Senior Room(years 4-7) are wanting to learn some important life skills in Term 2.
- Community members who would be willing to give up an hour of their time over 3 consecutive Fridays to teach the students skills like: cooking/paving/woodwork/sewing/knitting/mending/ or any other useful skill that you would be willing to teach.
- Volunteers would be teaching groups of 3-4 students.
- Over the past few years we have had a range of skills taught by generous community volunteers and the students look forward to these sessions.
- The dates are - 31st of May, 7th & 14th of June. Between 10.45 & 12.20pm.
- Volunteers will be provided with a lunch that students have prepared.

If you are interested could you please contact the school or Michelle Holmes on 98241250 by the 10th of May.

Threads On Line

P O Box 102, Tambellup WA 6320

Phone: 08 98251542, Email: coralgreen@bigpond.com

PATCHWORK/CRAFT DAY

Saturday 18 May 2013

at the Tambellup Business Centre starting around 9 am. Tea and Coffee provided, bring your own lunch. Contact us for more information.

Everyone welcome even if its just for a cuppa and a chat.

Clean out your cupboards, garage, etc. and sell your unused treasures at a

Garage sale/Market day

to be held on Saturday 1st June, 9am - 12pm, in the Broomehill CWA grounds and rooms, 42 India St. Stalls \$5.00.

Come and pick up a bargain.

Inquiries: Carole 98241354 or 0488944416.

FOR SALE!

For Sale
Baby Dwarf Loppy Ear Rabbits,
black and white markings.
\$15.00 each.
Phone 98241354.

BROOMEHILL SCHOOL UNIFORMS FOR SALE

Large lot of uniforms, in good condition some quite new.

Assorted sizes up to size 12

Please contact 98241059

For Sale
Holden Zafira 2003, 7 Seater
\$6,000.00
Phone 98241123

For Sale
Rank Arena digital set top receiver - \$5.00
Dick Smith DSE digital terrestrial set top box,
USB port, remote control - \$5.00
DSE standard definition mini set top box, remote
control - \$5.00
Breville Profile hair straightener, advanced
ceramic - \$5.00
Breville bread maker - \$5.00
Hipod car seat - \$25.00
Safe-n-Sound baby capsule, with car base and
covers - \$10.00
Steelcraft highchair - \$3.00
Walking frame with wheels - \$5.00

Shop dummy, torso - \$5.00
Double bed, black iron frame with wooden
slates - \$10.00
Philips electric Clean Air System - \$5.00
Wilma Deluxe Message-A-Belt, model 750,
electric - \$5.00
Pacific by Gorenje bar fridge - \$25.00
Heller upright electric heater - \$5.00
***Just arrived – bags of clothes sizes 8 – 26 and
shoes from a boutique that closed down in
Perth.***
Available at the Petticoat Lane Op-Shop
or phone Carole 98241354 or
0488944416

CONCRETE SLABS FOR SALE

Council has approximately 1,000 used, 60cm X 60cm (2ft X 2ft) concrete slabs of various quality and thickness for sale. The slabs will be sold for \$3.85 (inc GST) per slab. Request to purchase slabs must be submitted in writing by Friday 17 May 2013 and clearly state how many slabs are required, your name and contact details.

As there is a limited number of slabs and subject to demand, individual requirements may be cut back.

For further information please contact Danice on 9825 3555.

2013 Community Grants - Applications OPEN

Need funding for activities to help protect your local environment?

Grants of between \$10 000 and \$50 000 are available through the State Natural Resource Management (NRM) Program for activities that will assist in the conservation, restoration, rehabilitation or enhancement of a local natural asset, including sustainable agricultural activities. The total grant pool is \$3 million.

Grants are available for on-ground works, as well as planning, training, and resource assessment activities. Schools, industry groups, not-for-profit organisations, local governments and environment action groups are eligible to apply.

Applications close 5pm Friday 5 July

Contact the State NRM Office or visit their website for more information.

State NRM Office P: 9368 3168 E: snrmo@agric.wa.gov.au
W: <http://www.nrm.wa.gov.au/>

BROOMEHILL CENTRAL FIRE BRIGADE

Do you live in the Broomehill townsite? Then this is for you... YOUR volunteer fire brigade needs your help!

The recent Annual General Meeting, which was held on Tuesday 16th April, was attended by a handful of members who are prepared to carry on in the roles they have held for some time. Peter Guazzelli has stepped down from the role of Fire Captain due to work commitments. Peter has held this position for a number of years, and we thank him for his time and commitment.

Aside from the vacant Fire Captain position, we are at a point where the operation of the brigade is being left to a very small group of people. We recognise everyone is busy however this is about protecting **YOUR** property from the threat of fire - and it happens in towns as well as on farms. The Broomehill Central brigade provides an emergency response in the Broomehill townsite. If we are not able to get a crew together to attend a call out (maybe at **YOUR** home...), it may be that the response has to come from our former brigades Broomehill East and West, or neighbouring communities of Katanning and Tambellup. Obviously the time taken in travelling to Broomehill will mean the response time is longer - the question is, what will the result of that delay be?

So - we are now putting a call out to the community to help itself. We need to hear from people, men or women (including young people over the age of 16 years) who are willing to become active members of the brigade. All training, equipment and support is provided, the only thing we need is a little of your time and ongoing commitment.

Another meeting has been scheduled for TUESDAY 7TH MAY 2013, 7.00pm at the Broomehill Imperial Hotel. We hope all existing members and other interested people will attend to discuss the future of the Broomehill Central Fire Brigade.

For more information, or to register your interest, please contact Bob Vesey on 0407 949542.



Government of Western Australia
Department of Regional Development and Lands

Have your say:
Living in the Regions survey
22 April – 10 May 2013

What are the challenges, joys, opportunities and benefits of living in Western Australia's regions?
Help shape your community's future by having your say in the State Government Living in the Regions 2013 survey.

Go online at www.rdl.wa.gov.au or access a copy from your local Community Resource Centre.

Comments will help the State Government develop projects and programs best suited for Western Australia's regions. All individual information will be kept confidential.

Fill out the survey online until May 10
www.rdl.wa.gov.au

BROOMEHILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Email: BHVCounter@shirebt.wa.gov.au

Phone: 9825 3555



Opening hours:

Monday to Friday:

8.30am till 12pm

1.00pm till 4.30pm

Our services include:

- eBooks - you can download the latest titles using your library card barcode
- Inter Library Loans - you may order titles not available in our library
- Better Beginnings - we have two back packs with puppets, books and games for the young children to enjoy
- Regional Bulk Loans of large print books - every three months we have new titles of large print to borrow

The Broomehill Public Library is operating out of the Broomehill Hall whilst the main office is being refurbished. All the wonderful books, dvd's, talking books etc are available to borrow if you are a library member. So come in and see what's new.

Ross Thompson Award 2013

Congratulations - David Kempin

An amazing night was held on Friday April 12 at the Broomehill Complex. David Kempin was awarded the Ross Thompson Award 2013 although the competition was very tough with 5 nominees all worthy of the award. It was great to see so many people gather to enjoy the biannual event which celebrates the high achievers in our community in both sport and community involvement.

Many thanks go to all who helped make the night such a success including, Scott & Lisa Thompson, Bec & Andy, Wild Pear Catering, Freshy Bay Wines, Broomehill Post Office and many others.

KATANNING & DISTRICTS GARDEN CLUB.

A happy group of members gathered at Bess Parrott's home for the club's April meeting. Bess specialises in growing dahlias and these were an absolute delight to see, there were so many different varieties and colours, a credit to Bess for growing such spectacular and healthy blooms. Among those in attendance was Francine Caldwell's sister Ros Scott visiting from Canada, we hope Ros enjoyed her afternoon with us.

Helen Bignell gave a very informative talk and demo on propagating plants from cuttings. This is what you need: A bag of Richgro seed & cutting mix, Clonex rooting hormone gel and a large zip lock bag. Method: 1/3 fill bag with potting mix, trim cuttings (don't tear leaves off, use secateurs) take tip cuttings leaving about 2/3 bare stem, dip in hormone gel, then make a small hole in potting mix and place cutting in. Spray lightly with water and zip lock bag. You should be able to see roots appearing within a few weeks. Several cuttings can be placed in the one bag. When ready pot on into pots, shaking off most of the soil and repotting into a good mixture. The seed and raising mix can be used again. Thank you Helen for a very interesting demo.

Competition Winners for April were: FLORAL ART: 1. Gery Watson, 2. Marj Winstanley, 3. Pam Garlick
FLOWERS: 1. Gerry Watson, 2. Ailsa Thomas, 3. Gerry Watson. TREE or SHRUB: 1. Pam Garlick, 2. Norma White, 3. Ailsa Thomas. MY BEST FLOWER: 1. Bess Parrott 2. Bess Parrott 3. Pam Garlick. POT PLANT: 1. Ailsa Thomas, 2. Bess Parrott, 3. Bess Parrott.

Our next meeting will be on May 14th at Marj Winstanley's home in Woodanilling, cars will leave the Katanning Shire car park at 12.45 so if you wish to car pool or travel in convoy be there before that time.

Some hints for this time in the garden, plant herbs now ready for the winter, all spring flowering bulbs should be planted this month if not already in. Reduce watering cacti & succulents. Lastly Anzac Day is supposedly the last day for planting sweet pea seeds.

Until next month, take care and happy gardening.

Ailsa.


 Australian Government

**The countdown to
digital TV has begun**




**You will need to be ready
for digital TV by
25 June 2013***


Want more information? 1800 20 10 13
www.digitalready.gov.au

It's time to get
READY
 for digital TV

*Some towns may switch off earlier and will be informed of the date. Visit www.digitalready.gov.au for more information.


 Australian Government

**Regional and remote Western
Australia will switch off
analog TV signals on
25 June 2013***



Want more information? 1800 20 10 13
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2013 ROSS THOMPSON AWARDS

David Kempin accepting award from
Scott Thompson



The Nominees – Scott Newby, Charles Russell, David Kempin, Sam Richardson and Tom Anderson



The Lions Biggest BBQ raising funds for Childhood Cancer Research was held at the Gazebo opposite the CRC on Sunday 21st. Cold and windy was the weather conditions.

We would like to thank all those supporters of this annual event. This year we raised over \$600 which is fantastic. A special thanks to Ron and Judy for donating the buns.

Tambellup Lions Club



Mel and Bomber are
thrilled to announce
the arrival of

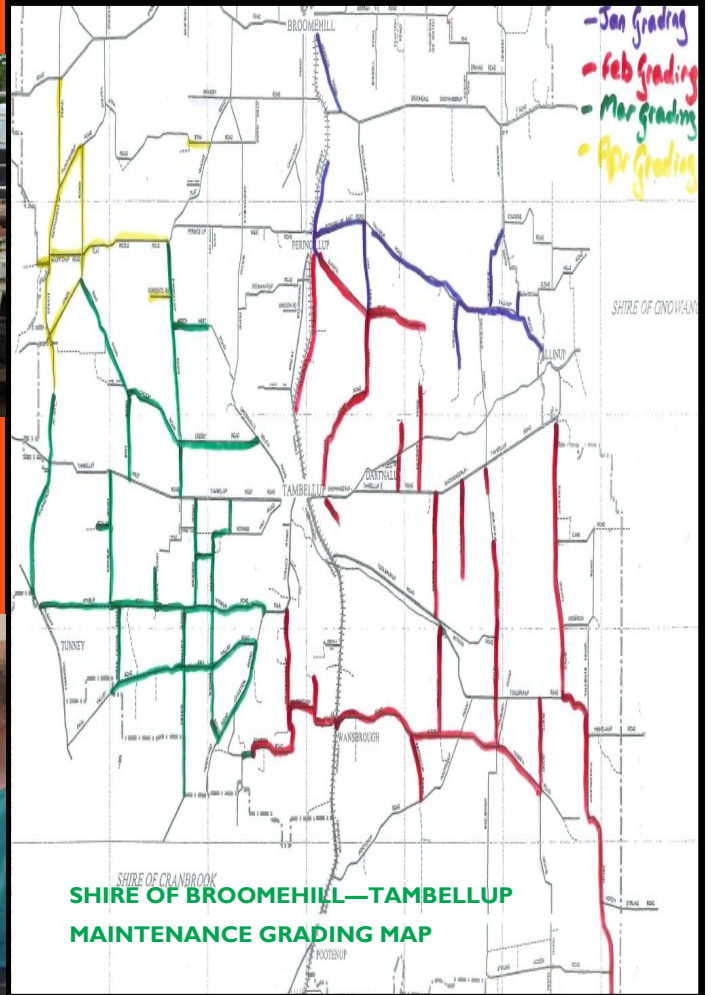
**Quade Kenneth
Haynes**

on 07 April 2013. A
little playmate for
Riley who is a proud
big brother.





Broomehill Playgroup



Broomehill Playgroup Update

On Thursday 28th March Broomehill Playgroup had morning with storyteller Nicola Hockey from Wanslea Family Services.

We had a fabulous morning with stories, nursery rhymes and puppet shows. The Junior from Broomehill Primary came to join us which was great to have them come along. We would like to thank Wanslea for letting us be a part of this great morning.

Wanslea Family services will also be having a paint and play morning at Broomehill Playgroup on Thursday 9th May 9.30-11.30. Please bring a change of clothes as this will be a messy play morning also a piece of fruit to share.



"Active after School Sport was held at the bowling club during the last term. It created a lot of interest and brought out some hidden talents in some of the participants.

The weather also created diversions with one day having to be played indoors and another shortened due to a close proximity of lightning strikes."

R I P SOMEONE ELSE

The pack was saddened this week to learn of the death of one of our most valuable members, **Someone Else**.

Someone's passing creates a vacancy that will be difficult to fill. He had been with us for years and for every one of those years, **Someone** did far more than a normal person's share of the work. Whenever leadership was mentioned, we looked to this wonderful person for inspiration as well as results:
"Someone else can do that job."

When there was a job to do, a need to be filled, or a place of leadership, one name always mentioned was **Someone Else**.

It is common knowledge that **Someone Else** was among the largest givers of time and money in the pack. Whenever there was a financial need, everyone assumed that **Someone Else** would make up the difference.

Now **Someone Else** is gone.

We wonder what we are going to do.

No longer can we say, "Let **Someone Else** do it." If it is going to be done, one of us will have to do it.



The Tambellup Bowling Clubs Mens Classic was held on 9 & 10th April. There were 20 teams playing who provided some very good bowls for spectators and supporters. The club and town did themselves proud with a very successful carnival.

Following weeks of preparation the greens were presented in immaculate condition and enjoyed by all. The ladies and helpers in the kitchen again provided great meals throughout.

The club was congratulated for holding a well run event at all levels.

We thank all our sponsors and supporters who we could not do without.

The eventual winners were a team from Eaton led by Ernie Stiecke who edged out the composite team of S O'Neil with the Boys boys from Kojonup coming in third..

In the photo L-R J Gornall, H Koch, E Steicke & F Munnings.

Tambellup Bowling Club



a local project. **Make it happen.**



A sporting chance for a sporting complex

A community Cropping program to raise funds to upgrade the Tambellup Sporting Complex.



Visit Facebook and  your local project. Make it happen.

Tambellup Community Cropping Project could win up to \$5,000 from a \$220,000 prize pool, PLUS you could win \$5,000 for yourself.

It's easy, jump onto our Facebook page, click on the WA Competition tab and vote for your favourite project. Drop into your nearest branch to vote at 36 Norrish Street, Tambellup or phone 9825 1333.

Good for  your community

The Competition commences on 9am (WST) 1 May 2013 and ends 5pm (WST) 31 May 2013. Please refer to Bendigo Bank's Facebook App or in a participating branch for full competition terms and conditions. The Promoter is Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178 AFSL/ACL 237879, The Bendigo Centre, Bendigo, VIC 3550. S41909-13 (184691_v3) (23/04/2013)

Tambellup **Community Bank®** Branch



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POETS of AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND WE WANT YOU!

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**SUBMIT YOUR POEMS TO THE
100 YEARS FROM GALLIPOLI POETRY PROJECT.
ENTER NEW POEMS IN ITS PRIZE!**

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The 100 YEARS FROM GALLIPOLI Poetry Project challenges poets to answer the following questions:

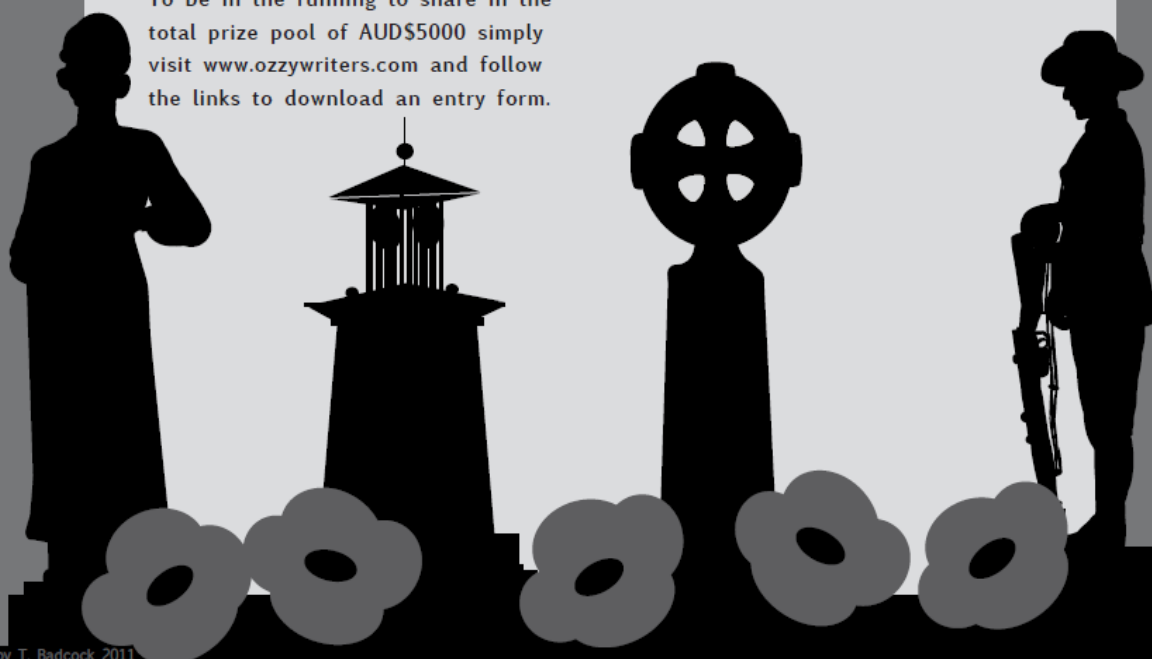
What does ANZAC Day mean to you, to today's families, communities or nations?

What about Remembrance Day or other military commemoration or anniversary?

To be in the running to share in the total prize pool of AUD\$5000 simply visit www.ozywriters.com and follow the links to download an entry form.

The closing date for all submissions to the 100 YEARS FROM GALLIPOLI Poetry Project and entries to its Prize is Remembrance Day, 11 November 2013.

For any queries or if you are unable to download material online please contact the Co-ordinating Editor on +61 (0)3 6362 4390 or by emailing: gallipoli-100@ozywriters.com



Design by T. Badcock 2011

The 100 Years from Gallipoli Poetry Project offers poets an opportunity to present their views & opinions of ANZAC Day, Remembrance Day and other military commemorations or anniversaries, together with the emotions these evoke. By promoting a diversity of views, the Project will contribute to a modern interpretation of their meaning and importance in today's Australia and New Zealand.



DID YOU KNOW...

Little children need time to play outside everyday—
encourage them to run, climb and jump!

"A Smart Start" would like to thank Chris Mathews for her support and help during her time as a committee member of both the local working party and the Regional Advisory Group. We wish her well in all her future activities.

Little children need to be provided with the opportunity to develop and practise a range of movement skills.

- Activities which use the large muscles in the arms, legs and body help develop core body strength, balance and the ability to move in a fluent, sequential manner : Encourage running, jumping, hopping, skipping, crawling and climbing as well as throwing and kicking big balls.
- Activities which use the fine muscles in the hands and toes help to prepare your little one for writing and cutting. Encourage and teach you child finger rhymes (Incy, Wincy Spider, Five Fat Sausages, Here Is the Beehive etc,) play clapping and string games (Cat's Cradle, Cup and Saucer etc), provide them with scissors and crayons, encouraging a tripod grip., let them peg out the socks, teach them how to do up shoelaces and tie knots.

***** Children who have well developed fine and gross motor skills are generally more confident and willing to attempt activities in Kindy and Pre Primary.***

Tambellup 'A Smart Start' **A.G.M. is on Tuesday 14th May 2013 at 3.15 pm** in the Pre primary/Year 1 room at the school.

Everyone who has in interest in the well being of our little children is asked to come along.

(All office bearers positions have been filled)

Broomehill Historical Notes

Quite a few years ago Shirley MacDonald began to work through the diaries of her Grandfather, Thomas Norrish (TN) which he wrote when he first came to Eticup to take up farming and the diaries of William Henry Graham (WHG) who was also one of the first pioneers of the Eticup district. Shirley collated all the information both in alphabetical and chronological order. There are many wonderful pieces of information and anecdotes in these diaries and we are proud to share them with the community each month.

Sims, Jack – Employed by TN as a shepherd for a period in 1882 at £40 per annum. In November he was given 1056 rams and wethers to take to Wackenup. On 14th November Billy the blackfellow took him two week's rations. On 8th December, Johnny took 13 rams back to Sims at the Sheep Wash and to stay with him until TN got another shepherd. On 28th December, the flock was counted – 860- and given over to Thomas Churchill, and TN settled with Sims. On 21st September 1893 Jack Sims came looking for work and stayed overnight. On 23rd May he came from Oak Farm and got the dog that TN had given to his brother George Norrish. **Singing Billie** – On 6th February 1884 this man was shepherding at Tambellurup for Josiah Norrish and William and Charlie Norrish picked up his things from Whitton's. He

was at Sunnyside on 26th March and the next day TN saw him at the Gordon camp with W Burrell. He called at Sunnyside on 11th May with Thomas O'Brien and was there again on the 13th. On the 14th he helped feed the chaff cutter and TN hired him to work for a month. During the rest of May he carted and spread manure, did some harrowing and finished rolling a patch of wheat. At the Sheep Camp on 9th June he minded TN's lambs while TN took rations to Cox, but later in the month Rogers complained about getting up too soon and Bannister had a row with Singing Billie for getting breakfast so early. In July 1884 he was put to grubbing in the new paddock at Sunnyside with Sam Baggs. There is no further reference to him until 1886 when he was shepherding for TN.

Sloggett, Anthony – Came to Sunnyside at the end of September 1906 from the Boy's Orphanage in Perth. TN paid him 10/- a month with board and lodging and sent a cheque to the Boy's Orphanage every six months - £4.9.0 on 1st April 1907 – to cover the balance of the boy's wages. He was given a variety of jobs around the farm. During January, February and March 1907 he worked with TN hoeing

DON'T LOOSE YOUR COMMUNITY SPIRIT

It is with concern that I write this when I heard that the Tambellup Ag Society had decided to put the 2013 Show in abeyance due to the lack of new Committee Members.

I can fully appreciate their decision, as for the last 3 or more years they have said this would happen if there were no new Committee members to help organize the Show.

Well done to the existing Committee for holding it together in previous years. I know you are feeling aggrieved for the past Committee's who have put this show on for the last 88 years, and the children of today, who are now going to lose the main Community event in their calendar.

Unfortunately, this is not the only community organization that is suffering. I have been told that unless the Lions Club gets some more members, they will have to fold. What a shame that would be, as they do a wonderful community service, and the recent Anzac Service they conducted would attest to that.

The local Ambulance is struggling for a "fit" crew. They have a core of very willing volunteers, but would welcome some younger members. It was heartening to see two new young ladies come to training on Wednesday. We hope they will continue, and would welcome more younger ones along, as this service is a must for the Community.

Our local CWA was also lacking numbers, and have been fortunate that following a Picnic in the Park with the Play Group mums, three young mums have joined full of enthusiasm and revitalized the group with lots of great ideas.

The Volunteer Emergency Services Unit would also welcome some more members, as their numbers have dwindled over the years. They are also a much needed service to Tambellup and the wider community.

I urge you not to sit back and just expect these Committees to keep on going, don't just expect that someone else will do it – they all need new younger members. If all the 18 – 50 year olds in the Community chose just one of the above services, what a fantastic Volunteer group we would have.

Tambellup has always been a very strong Community minded town, don't let this go, it's what has shaped this fantastic Community over the past. I realize that everyone is time poor these days, but that is also the case for the few very dedicated members who are currently holding these Committees together.

Barb Groves

A Concerned Community Member

hoeing couch in the garden, helped Willie Norrish erect a yard in the paddock to catch horses; helped with cutting down young York gums in the north paddock; with Rogers took oaten chaff to Carter's; with Louther carted firewood; helped Willie shift horses and worked with Willie out at his block; helped Richie cart chaff to Anderson's at Condeena; went to Green Hill with Willie to get the tank-sinking plough. During this period "the boy" also played cricket in Broome Hill against a team from near Oak Farm; went to Mt Barker with Rich and TN's brother George for a cricket match there and to Tambellup with Richie for a cricket match. From mid-year on Sloggett's work included; helping Rich to winnow wheat, cart wheat to Broome Hill, disc the fruit garden (orchard), and tighten the wire around the Old Etipup Paddock. On his own he finished the harrowing at Etipup, brought the 4x wheeler home from Will's block, continued discing around the fruit trees, took fowls to Carter's, and drove to Steere's for two young pigs. On 14th August 1907, he went with Rich, Will and Louther to Wagerup to tail lambs. On 1st October, TN made out a cheque for Anthony's wages for the first year to 28th September, apparently the balance for the year.

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The Youth Mental Health First Aid course is run over 2 days. It is designed to give all participants whether you are a service provider or community member some basic skills to support a young person who you think may be developing a mental health problem or experiencing a mental health crisis.

Based on the same idea as a First Aid course it breaks down the stigma and gives positive step-by-step tools that can be used in early intervention of a mental health problem as well as dealing with mental health crises. It does not qualify the participant as a counsellor but rather promotes first aid, giving practical skills until professional help is sought.

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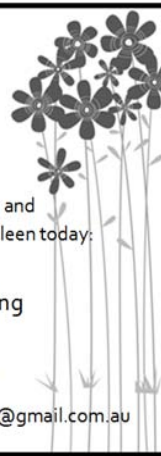
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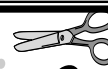
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