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ANZAC DAY SERVICE WELSHPOOL CENOTAPH WEDNESDAY 25TH APRIL - 9.30AM FOLLOWED BY MORNING TEA AT THE WELSHPOOL MEMORIAL HALL





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TRADING HOURS

MON - FRI

11.00AM - 4.00PM

- BENDIGO BANK
- CENTRELINK
- VETERANS AFFAIRS
- TAXATION INFORMATION
- MASSAGE (by appointment)
- V/LINE TICKETING OFFICE
- INTERNET ACCESS
- ROOM HIRE
- PASSPORT APPLICATIONS
- VISITING ACCOUNTANT (by appointment)
- DIABETES CLINIC (by appointment)
- TOURIST INFORMATION
- FAX, COPY & PRINT SERVICES



Centrelink Website

The Centrelink website (*www.centrelink.gov.au*) has been incorporated into the Department of Human Services website *humanservices.gov.au*. The new site is a convenient, single entry point for health, social and welfare payments and services.

Any questions regarding your payments or entitlements, this would be your first port of call.

- You are able to register online and access details of your account.
- Find out the latest information regarding services.
- Calculations can be done to work out family assistance.
- Access forms and brochures.

A touch screen computer is available at the Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre for your use.

Staff at the Centrelink agency are able to assist you with registration etc.



VLINE BUS SERVICES

Purchase tickets at the Rural Transaction Centre or collect a VLINE Bus Timetable

DIABETES CLINIC

Next Visit

Wednesday 30th May

If you would like an appointment or have any queries, please contact

Karen on 03 5683 9780

Should anyone need to speak with the DVA please contact:

Michael or Phil: (03) 51 266 604

OI

Toll Free: 1300 551 0177

Situated at the Morwell Centrelink Office CNR Chapel & Elgin Streets



Phil Head

VETERANS' AFFAIRS NETWORK

Email: philip.head@dva.gov.au

Welshpool Basketball Association



We are very excited to announce that the long awaited replacement of the basketball stadium floor has begun. With the old floor currently being removed, we will soon see preparations for the new floor begin. The entire floor will be replaced along with new seating, and a new score bench.

The works are expected to be completed by the end of July ready for our next All Ages season beginning late August / early September. Stay tuned for further updates.











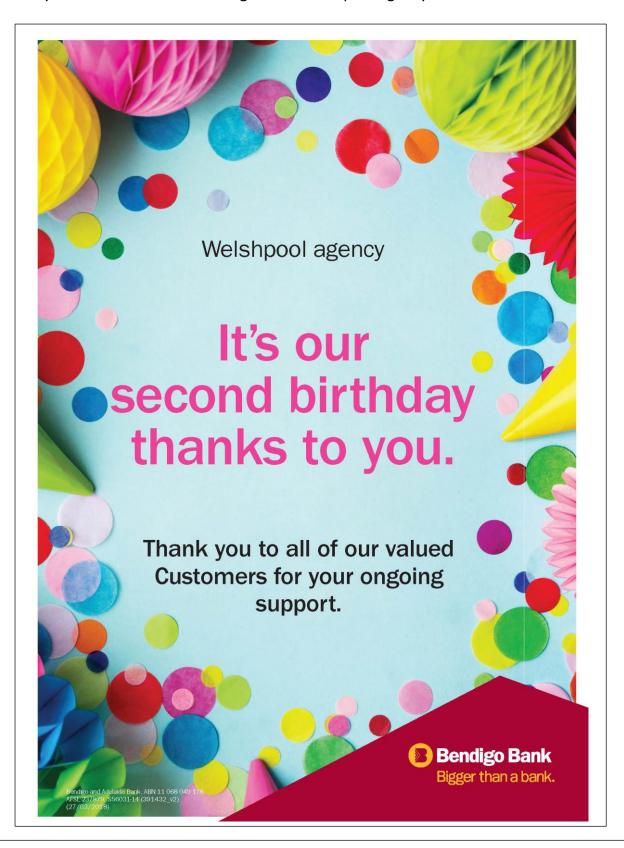
Kieran Olree is at the RTC every Wednesday
By appointment only - (03) 5176 2031
For more information and all the latest tax
updates and handy hints for tax time,
please visit Gibson's website:

www.gibsonaccounting.com.au

2nd Birthday celebration

A Special 2nd Birthday Celebration offer is available to primary school students of Welshpool, including Welshpool Kindergarten and Playgroup. A gift of a **\$10.00** deposit is available to all students who open a Bendigo Bank Piggy Saver account. The student will also receive a free drink bottle and Piggy Money box! This deposit must be made at the Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre.

For students who opened a Piggy Saver account on our 1st birthday, a gift of a \$10 deposit will be made when you next call in to the Bendigo Bank Welshpool agency at the RTC.



Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre





Bisley Workwear is now available at the Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre! There is a range of Workwear and Hi Vis Safety wear available for purchase and all catalogue items can be ordered through the RTC. Call in or phone us on 5688 1051





VEGETABLE SWAP WELSHPOOL

Vegetable/Fruit Swap in Welshpool Sunday 29th of April

10am (normally runs for about 1 hour)

Welshpool Park(near the CFA)

Interested in swapping excess fruit, vegetables, herbs, flowers, plant cuttings, seeds or eggs?

Come along and have a go......Great for receiving garden tips and ideas. This is a straight swap of produce.

If you don't have anything to swap still come along you can make a gold coin donation to the Gippsland Farmers Relief.

No items to be sold this is exchange only.

Get picking and box up your fresh produce!!!!!!!

Port Welshpool Working Group

Last month the Port Welshpool Working Group gave a \$200 donation to the Welshpool Kindergarten.

The Kindergarten families have decided that the money will be used to plant a tree and upgrade an area in the front garden that holds a special place in the hearts of many families in the community.



Welshpool CFA

Thank you to everyone who supported the Welshpool CFA Good Friday Appeal collection. Total funds raised were \$2109.95 from the collection tins and \$198 for the raffle.

Raffle winners were 1st – Shane P

2nd- Madelaine Mason



Welshpool & District Advisory Group

Earlier this month the Welshpool and District Advisory Group made a **\$1000 donation** to the Toora Lions Club. The funds have been donated to help assist the Fire Relief.

Thank you to the members of our community for supporting the Op Shop, allowing us to make this donation.



Welshpool Golf Club

We always seem to be going on about the weather but the sad fact is the weather dictates whether or not we can play golf. Lately because of the rain and wind there have been some games not able to be played. The other side of this is we needed the rain and it has brought the course up nicely. Plenty of grass on the fairways although a little dry in places and the greens are playing really well. We have had the course (fairways) "supered" and the greenness is already showing.

The winners for the last period have been-

Tuesdays – T Welsh, D Bligh, H Barlow and J Roberts.

Wednesdays ladies – F MacPherson, R Brown, T Latch and April monthly medal winner was Sharelle Roberts.

Fridays chicken run – T Welsh, M Lowe, M Welsh, R Knowles, L Pope.

Saturdays men's – Ambrose D Bligh/G Brown, L Pope/T Vardy, D Bligh, T Welsh and the monthly medal to Jeff Cashmore.

Sunday mixed day – A Holland, A Hayes, G English.

The men's pennant have been going very well with four games played and four wins to be sitting two games clear on top of the ladder.

The ladies have been doing pretty well with a couple of wins and are currently sitting second on the ladder.

Do you know what a "Gimmee" is? It is quite often used in more friendly games.

It is an agreement between two losers who can't putt.

Upcoming events -

April 22, men's fifth round of pennant at Welshpool and on April 23, the ladies fifth round of pennant.

April 29 & 30, men's and ladies sixth and last round of pennant.

May 2 Ladies monthly medal and Saturday 5th the men's monthly medal

Friday 18th May the Ladies "Housewives Day"

Saturday 26th May the men's Peter Petersen trophy stroke event

"The difference between golf and Government is that in golf you can't improve you lie" (how very true)





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- •U12's mixed
- •U14's mixed
- •U15 Girls
- •Women's (15yo +)
- Men's Reserve (16yo +)





Games start Sunday 22nd April

Training:

Where: Welshpool Recreation Reserve

Port Welshpool Rd, Welshpool

When: Every Wednesday

Time: 4.30pm

Followed by dinner - \$5 pp

Contact: Jill 0417 582 180

or check out our Facebook page

'Prom Coast Soccer Club'

Port Welshpool Fishing Club

The season is flying past us with only one more competition day until Presentation Night.

The April competition was a quiet one due to the incredible high winds we had the weekend of the 14th April. However dinner was once again an enjoyable get together.



John Roberts with a lovely 2.5kg flathead. Well Done John!

The next competition will be held Saturday 12th May.

We'd love for you to join us. Meals are still only \$15 per member, and \$20 per non-member. With a three course meal on offer you are guaranteed to not go home hungry! We also have raffles on the night.

Presentation Night is set to be a great night when trophies will be awarded to those with the greatest catches from throughout the year. Stay tuned for more information regarding Presentation Night.

For further information phone 5688 1152 or email portwelshpoolfishingclub@outlook.com



Port Welshpool Fishing Club



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Large Variety of Mother's Day Gift Ideas in Store. Mother's Day Darrell Lea Gift bag \$25 (Great selection of Darrell Lea treats)

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Don't forget Mother's Day 13th May – Darrell Lea Gift Bags, Tilly Soap range, Random Harvest Gourmet Dressings

Port Welshpool & District Maritime Museum

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS:

How we loved this time. Life was a big adventure. We woke of a morning, fun at our disposal. Maybe we had a few chores to do, but they wouldn't take long, as we had better things in mind. Just the same we needed to keep mum sweet, as we planned our fun for the day, in our minds. With the chores done, off we set to meet our pals.

Trust and responsibility at our planning, AND, just in case if it went "a little bit wrong", we would always learn from our mistakes, probably with a good talking to. OR the dreaded strap (thank goodness that was band, even though it really didn't do us much harm). Just the same as we well know, now in adulthood it could always become a good story to tell as we reminisce our younger days.

I found this article in the archives and just had to share it with you. I felt it said a lot about childhood and the adventures we shared with our pals. In this case you can imagine the despair of the parents to say the least, but experience is a great tool. These kids didn't need an EPERB, just take cover and wait.

ARGUS [Melbourne] Tuesday 29th November 1938

MISSING BOYS FOUND ON SNAKE ISLAND

As it reads; After they had spent the night on Snake Island near Port Welshpool five boys were found safe yesterday. Four men had searched anxiously all night for the boys who had left Port Welshpool in a dinghy on Sunday.

The boys were William Dobbs, aged 14 years of Collingwood, who was spending a holiday with his brother in law Mr. Charles Ferlazzo, of Port Welshpool: Frank Roberts, aged 13 years, and his brother Robert, aged 10 years of Port Welshpool. Alan Olsen, aged 11 years, and his brother Clarrie, aged nine years of Welshpool.

The boys rowed to Snake Island. When they prepared to return they found that the tide had risen and they could not reach the dinghy. They spent the night in a cattlemen's hut where they were found yesterday morning by Mr. Ferlazzo.

Well.....maybe this adventure went "a little bit wrong", and no doubt they all would have had a good talking to, and probably a firm hand on their butts, But hey...this adventure was an experience of childhood and living by the sea. AND thankfully, "all's well that ends well".

"VOLUNTEERS PLEASE"

We at the Museum would like some help with a few chores around the place. We have a big job with the painting of the fence. Dreaded job but it has to be done. "Many hands make light work" as with everything. Gardening is always in need, dry and all as it may be the weeds keep growing. Our produce garden needs some TLC, to say the least, for the winter crops. This being a money earner for the museum. There are many other projects. Whatever your time frame or talent we would love your help. Interested? Phone: Fran 0481 385 122 or Janet 0413 199 776

Submerge Exhibition from Feb. until April

Opening Hours: Weekends 12.30 to 4.30pm Week day visits for Groups by Appointment

Contact: Ellen 0428277755 Janet: 59886173 Admission: Adults \$4.

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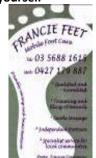
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CROSSWORD

14 15 17 18 20 22 23 27 25 26 32 37 40 42 43 45 50 52 54 55 56 57 58 59 62 60 61 65 63 64

Across

- 1. Astringent
- 5. Alpha's opposite
- 10. Charity
- 14. List of options
- 15. Varnish ingredient
- 16. A person who lacks good judgment
- 17. Horse feed
- 18. Devalue
- 20. Gnarled
- 22. Overshadowed
- 23. An Old Testament king
- 24. Relaxes
- 25. A dunce

- 33. Mountain lakes
- 34. New Zealand parrot
- 37. Leer at
- 38. Remedies
- 39. Remain
- 40. How come?
- 41. Data stream
- manipulator
- 42. Vernacular

- flightless bird

Down

- 1. Violent
- 2. Low-fat
- 3. "Do ____ others..."
- 4. Upper lip hair
- 5. Tough going
- 6. A fitting reward (archaic)
- 7. Clairvoyant's gift
- 8. Prepare for action
- 9. Afresh
- 10. All excited
- 11. Bums around
- 12. Sacred song
- 13. Sleighs
- 19. There's 52 in a deck
- 21. Sounds of disapproval
- 25. Grub
- 26. Not low
- 27. Not pretty
- 28. Chopin composition
- 29. Rabbits

50. Angered

53. Fortunate

57. Everyplace

61. Consumed

country

this

63. Sleigh

59. South American

60. Fully developed

64. Shooting sport

65. Writing table

62. Weightlifters pump

- 30. Construct
- 31. Autonomic nervous system
- 34. An eccentric idea
- 35. Border
- 36. Many millennia
- 38. Bovine
- 39. Not a molar or incisor
- 41. Cheerful (Scottish)
- 42. Citrus fruit
- 44. Yield
- 45. Lascivious looks
- 46. Blacksmith's block
- 47. Paper with a crinkled texture
- 48. Dog-___
- 51. Female sheep (plural)
- 52. East Indian tree
- 53. Broth (Scottish)
- 54. Arid
- 55. God of love
- 56. Immerse briefly
- into a liquid
- 58. French for
- "Summer"

- 32. and lows

- 43. Being filled with
- wonder
- 45. Twined
- 49. Australian

SMELLT DARS CODA

Sponsored by: Welshpool Supermarket Entries must be received before 12th April, 2018

All correct entries will be put into a hat and the winner will be drawn by Supermarket staff. No correspondence will be entered into etc. Please remember to double-check your spelling.

Remember to include your name, contact number and date on your returned entry, Thank you.



Winner of the March Crossword:

Jo Darvill



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LAST MONTHS CROSSWORD RESULT

Welshpool & District Playgroup

Playgroup Victoria Member #34801

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"Welshpool RTC"



Don't forget to also visit the webpage for the latest news and informationwww.welshpool.vic.au

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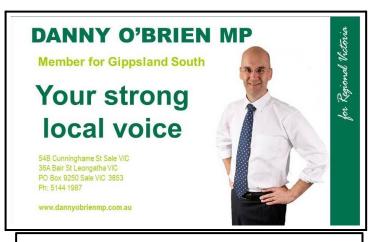
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