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Incredible Quilts.....Amazing Talent

On Friday 12th and Saturday 13th October the inaugural Quilt Exhibition was held at the Welshpool Memorial Hall. Quilts from dozens of women across South Gippsland were on display for members of the public to come and view....and come they did.

The idea was to display quilts from several groups in Foster, Fish Creek and Yarram areas and we were overwhelmed with the display we were able to put on. Over 125 quilts and other items were showcased over the two days. As the call for quilts went out we started to hear from other ladies that don't necessarily belong to a formal group, that were willing to allow us to display the quilts that they have made. The result was a massive array of colour, expertise and variety. We have also gathered names of ladies who may be interested in contributing to next year's exhibition, which will indeed add even more creativity to the show.

There was something on display for everyone to admire. One of our elderly ladies had made a quilt that reflected her travels around Australia. Others had been made for grandchildren or just because they liked the design. Fabrics used were extremely diverse and had been gathered over the years and sewn into the masterpieces we saw on Friday and Saturday.

A busy team of volunteers put together delicious morning and afternoon tea as well as lunches on both days and many people stayed and chatted for hours. It was great to see people's reactions to the different quilts and many questions were asked about how the different styles were put together. We also had Lea-Anne Schirlinger and her husband Chris from Foster North displaying their weaving which initiated great discussions on the techniques used by them.

A raffle was held over the two days. First prize of a beautiful blue and white quilt made by one of our ladies and professionally quilted by Natasha Wakeling from Raw Cotton Quilting was won by Alana Cox of Foster. Second prize went to Melinda Neist of Yarram and third to Susan Pye of Port Franklin.



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- You are able to register online and access details of your account.
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- 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.



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DIABETES CLINIC

Next Visit

Wednesday 31st October

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 or Toll Free: 1300 551 0177

Situated at the Morwell Centrelink Office CNR Chapel & Elgin Streets Au De

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Phil Head

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NOVELTY EVENTS INCLUDING *AUSSIE* DOG IDOLS



Welshpool & District Advisory Group

A note to all local Non for Profit Organisations

The Welshpool & District Advisory Group (WDAG) have a current membership with local radio station 3MFM. If you have a community event coming up WDAG can organise **free** advertising for your club on the local radio. Call in today and speak to us about your event.



Welshpool & District Advisory Group AGM

Tuesday 20th November - 7pm

Welshpool Hotel

All Welcome

Port Welshpool Fishing Club

Our new season has begun and our Best of Species Competition is off to a great start with James weighing in a 3.52kg snapper.



We have our next competition on **Saturday 3rd November**, 6pm start at the Old Ferry Terminal. Dress up (or down) for our Melbourne Cup dinner. We will be running sweeps and raffles on the night.

RSVP to Alma 5688 1152

Local community member "Byron" needs your help





Founded in 1996, Assistance Dogs Australia trains and places unique dogs with Australians in unique situations. We currently train dogs that specialise in support for people with a physical disability, autism or PTSD. As well as providing a range of services to these individuals and their families. (https://www.assistancedogs.org.au/about-us/)

Byron's journey for an Assistance Dog started in April 2017 and up until last week was still on going. There has been a lot involved with courses, interviews and paperwork. We are very excited to announce that Byron has had a dog allocated to him, a Chocolate Labrador named Zeus. The family will be travelling to Sydney in November for 10 days intense training with Zeus before settling in to his new home with Byron.

We would like to show Assistance Dogs Australia our appreciation by raising some funds towards the cost of training an Assistance dog which is over \$35,000 over a two year period. Byron has signed to us twice a day about getting a dog ever since our interview in Sydney in March this year. Byron's love for dogs stands out and also for companionship and not to mention help with Byron's escalating anxieties.

If you would like to help out you can donate to the link below or on Assistance Dogs Australia website there is a page set up with Byron's photo on it.

For more information you can also contact Christina Doran 03 5688 1229 or 0429 881 229

https://give.everydayhero.com/au/byron-s-journey-for-an-assistance-dogs

Welshpool Basketball Association

We are already half way through our season and everyone is loving the new stadium floor. This year we have 5 minis and 5 juniors teams playing on a Wednesday night, and 4 intermediate and 7 seniors teams playing on a Thursday night. It's great to see so many smiling faces as we continue on towards our Grand Final being held mid-December.





Incredible Quilts.....Amazing Talentcontinued

Total profits from the two-day event has allowed us to donate \$1000 to the "Building Bridges Communities: Bridges to Prosperity" program. This program is being undertaken by The Foster & Toora Medical Centres and Mannagum Community House in Foster. It aims to break the cycle of generational poverty within our community and to help individuals to reach their true potential. This inspiring program is being launched over the next few weeks and anyone interested in learning more about it can contact Carlene Hurst at Foster Medical Centre (office@fostermedical.com.au) or Rebecca Matthews at Manna Gum Community House in Foster on 56 821 101.

The exhibition was put in place by the same team that has run "Craft the Day Away" at the Welshpool Hall in 2017 and 2018. These events have seen 100 women come together to stitch, sew, knit or crochet for the day. It allows women to congregate to chat about their crafts, share their knowledge and inspire others to have a go and make connections.

The response to this exhibition was so positive and we look forward to hosting new events in the years to come. We would like to sincerely thank our large team of volunteers with whom without we couldn't have done such an amazing exhibition. If anyone feels that they may like to contribute their quilts to next year's exhibition we would love to hear from you.

Kerryn Mattingley (kgmatt@bigpond.net.au)



LAWN MOWER RACES

Saturday 1st December

Arthur Sutherland Recreation Reserve Port Welshpool Rd Welshpool



face painting jumping castles mini golf

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3pm

santa visit 5.30pm

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Trick or Treat!!

On **Wednesday October 31**st children from our area will be dressing up and coming around in the early evening for a "Trick or Treat"!!

Trick or Treaters will **start at 5.30pm with a free sausage sizzle** at the Rotunda in the Welshpool Park.

Kids!! Why not dress up and join in the fun visiting the neighbours. (with mum and dad's permission of course,and it's also ok to have Mum or Dad in tow !!!).









The Pick My Project votes are in. Unfortunately the Welshpool Park and Rotunda Upgrade was not successful this time around. However throughout the Gippsland region 23 projects were successful, receiving a total of \$2,434,419 in funding. Some great project will be going ahead including "A Warmer Pool for Yarram", "Mirboo North Splash Park" and the "Pearl Park Music Festival" in Foster.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to vote and support our local project, the Welshpool and District Advisory Group will now look at other avenues for funding our local park area.

Carpet Bowls

Old Ferry Terminal, Port Welshpool

Come along for a fun afternoon of Carpet Bowls

No membership or equipment required, everything is supplied for you.

Every Tuesday afternoon: 12.45 – 3.30pm

\$3 per session followed by tea, coffee, biscuits and a chat. Everyone welcome!

For more information call Angela on 5686 2566 or 0412 993 316

Port Welshpool Working Group



Saturday 11th November

Old Ferry Terminal, Port Welshpool

9am – 2pm



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PORT WELSHPOOL & DISTRICT MARITIME MUSEUM

AS we creep away from winter, the spring sun warms our creaking bones and brings everything to life. It also warns us of the summer heat that's around the corner. Thank you Mother Nature as we are fed up with the chilly winds.

Financial year at the Museum;

As we look back over the financial year for the Museum we are very pleased with our achievements. Though small in numbers, all volunteers have done a sterling job.

Our A.G. M.

In the middle of September we held our Annual General Meeting, chaired by Cr. Ray Argento. Cr Argento was very complimentary to the Committee and Members for their dedication to the museum and wished the Committee for 2018/2019 all the very best. We thank him for his valued support.

Kelp Please!!

The Long Jetty is taking on a very pleasing look as we watch its rebirth. With other developments taking place locally all is looking good for more visitors to the area and hopefully to the museum. Of course the museum is our focus, we would love to have more visitors as not only does this pay the bills and help with our development, but, it "Keeps History Alive." HELP is another need as it seems volunteers are as scarce as "hen's teeth" and as we all know "Many Hands make Light Work"

RIP Rocco.

With the very sad passing of Rocco, we are a man down. Rocco was a very valued member of the museum with his valued ideas, forward thinking and vision for the future. Rocco will be sadly missed, not only by us but all who he was involved with, as a valued community member.

So folks, yes this is a cry for help.

Life is busy and demanding we all know, but an hour or so at the museum can be very rewarding, talking to people about our area or maybe helping with a project.

New to the area, that's fine, it would be a great way for you to learn about the area in which you live, as I, and many others are guilty of not knowing a great deal of the interesting history of our area, where ever you live. With more help we could not only open on weekends, as this doesn't suit everyone, but we could open week days. Groups are most welcome and well catered for. If you don't feel comfortable coming on your own, (even though you would be made most welcome) maybe you would like to come with a friend, buddy systems are just fine. Just a few hours of your time, doing whatever suits. Interested? Give us a call!

Our Committee for 2018/2019 is.....

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CROSSWORD



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- 6. Shade trees
- 10. Barbershop emblem
- 14. Unpleasant person
- 15. Voice Over Internet Protocol
- 16. Affirm
- 17. Forbidden
- 18. Behold, in old Rome
- 19. Wander
- 20. Loud 22. "Oh my!"
- 22. On my
- 24. Storehouse
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- 26. Faith

- 30. Peal 32. Roasters
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- 37. Its symbol is Pb
- 38. Originates in
- 39. Madly in love40. Yearly income
- payments
- 42. Shy
- 43. Prevaricators
- 44. Break time
- 45. Reasonable
- judgment 47. Lair

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- 3. Pipe
- Weightlifters pump this
 What we wear
- 6. Each and all
- 7. Hubs
- 8. Flexible mineral
- 9. Profligates
- 10. Someone who is
- paralyzed 11. Convex molding 12. A green fabric mixture 13. Female sheep (plural)
- 21. Buffoon25. Antlered animal26. South American
- weapon
- 27. Not odd
- 48. Donated
- 49. A mocking drawing
- of someone
- 56. Shortly
- 57. Ends a prayer
- 58. Drills
- 59. Nonclerical
- 60. Prong
- 61. Groin
- 62. Assistant
- 63. Probabilities
- 64. Gladden

- 28. Low-fat 29. Pampering 30. Leg joints 31. French for "Names" 33. Blend 34. Disabled 35. Auspices 36. Fathers 38. Separating the notes 41.3 in Roman numerals 42. Reasonable 44. Record (abbrev.) 45. Hawaiian veranda 46. Egg-shaped 47. Eats 48. Big party 50. Twixt 51. Cleave
 - 52. Anagram of "Loot"
- 53. Murres
- 54. Lease
- 55. Being



LAST MONTHS CROSSWORD RESULT

Sponsored by: Welshpool Supermarket Entries must be received before 19th November, 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.





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Welshpool Golf Club

With the weather being very kind to us and the course looking its best thanks to the hard working small band of workers who attend the Thursday working bees every week.

The highlight of the past month was our Annual Tournament held over Friday 12th to the Sunday 14th October.

Friday was the ladies 4BBB event along with a multiplier sub event. The A Grade winners were-Faye LePage and Irene Holm with a score of 41 points. B Grade went to Jeanette Swann and Rae Knee with 40 points. The multiplier winners were- Maxine Eabrey and Trish Owen with 52 points. Nearest the pins for the day went to- 6th Sev Piasente and the 2nd shot 17th to Jeanette Swann.

On Saturday the singles mens event was held and the scratch winner with a very good score of 79 was Brian MacPherson. A Grade handicap winner to David Lucas with net 63 (17) and the B Grade handicap went to Lionel Pope with 33 points. The straightest drive to Paul Delaney and the longest to Nathan Lucas. Nearest the pins went to- 6th Andrew Brown, 8th Lionel Pope and the 12th to Clarke Barned.

Sunday was a two person medley ambrose event that saw the combination of Paul Delaney and Lionel Pope win the scratch event with a score of 71. A Grade went to Ian Gibson and Greg Jones with net 65 ¼ (6 ¾), B Grade went to Chris Bailey and Adam McKay with net 65 ¼ (11 ¾). The nearest the pins went to- 3rd and 6th Ian Gibson, 12th Greg Jones, 15th Russell Barwick and the 17th to Lionel Pope. The straightest drive to Tom Welsh for the men and for the ladies to Jen Delaney.

Another highlight for the month was the Mick Platt stableford event. The comprehensive winner was Graham English with 40 points, Balls down the line to Alan Hayes 35 and Russell Barwick with 33. Nearest the pins to- 6th Graham English, 8th Russell Barwick, 12th Ian Gibson and the 15th to Paul Delaney.

Before some of our trees were cut down- One was heard to say- I'm hitting the woods just great but I'm having a terrible time getting out of them.

One for Russ B- "being a left handed golfer is a big advantage. No one knows enough about your swing to mess you up with advice"

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ON

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