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Library Service coming to Welshpool

With the West Gippsland Mobile Library Service now retired, the Welshpool & District Advisory Group are excited to announce that the West Gippsland Libraries will be operating a permanent library service from our training room at the **Rural Transaction Centre**. Operating hours will be the same as the RTC being 11am to 4pm daily. This offers a wider availability to all patrons wishing to utilise the library. With access to many books and other resources and the capacity to order your requests, this will be a great asset to everyone in our wider community.

There will be a self-checkout machine, return chute and direct access to library service support. If you can't find the book you're looking for, it can be ordered in. Also attending weekly will be a member of the West Gippsland Libraries to assist you with any enquiries you may have.

The library should be operational by June so stay tuned for our official launch and be sure to join us for this exciting venture. The Welshpool & District Advisory Group are pleased to keep this important service in Welshpool and look forward to the success of this new venture.



Disclaimer

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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 31st October

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Karen on 03 5683 9780

Should anyone need to speak with the DVA please contact:
Michael or Phil: (03) 51 266 604

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

Our Local Champion

Local Travis Risstrom, who was first drawn to the world of Lawn Mower racing when the Welshpool Recreation Reserve held their first event, has just taken out the 2019 All Australian Ride On Mower Racing Championship.

Held in Shepparton earlier this month was the Championship meet where racers from associations Australia wide compete for the number 1 spot on the podium. With a total of 89 registered race mowers attending the weekend there was certainly plenty of competition. There were seven different race categories, the Outlaw Class being the fastest category.

Travis, who has already had a number of wins under his belt since starting, has also had a few setbacks along the way. With his mower now well-tuned and ready for anything, Travis competed in the Outlaw Class and managed to take the overall win.

Congratulation to Travis on a fantastic achievement.





Welshpool Op Shop & Nursery

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Monday – Friday: 9am – 4pm

Saturday – Sunday : 10am – 1pm

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Kieran Olree





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When: May 29th. Wednesday

Where: Welsh pool op shop

Time: 10.00 am +111 3pm

Details: Home baked goods

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Prom Coast Soccer Club

We could not have asked for a better day to make the trek to Wonthaggi. The under 8 team worked together, showing an improvement in their passing. Marcus and Matthew both had turns as goalie and stopped some of Wonthaggi's attempts to score. Emmaline had a late start, but still got a few touches. Lilly is improving her throw-ins and works hard as a defender. Lily-June received the Bendigo Bank player of the day award because she spent the whole game running, trying to mark players and held her position well.



The Under 12 had a difficult game against a strong Wonthaggi team. The team continues to improve and can always be counted on to fight hard for the ball. The backline worked hard to stop the goals from Wonthaggi, and Lexi and Saxon continue to show determination as goal keepers. A great running goal by Paul G put Prom Coast on to the score board. Bendigo Bank player of the day goes to Lily G for showing terrific improvement each week.

The Under 14 team showed great sportsmanship during their game reducing the team numbers to match the undermanned Wonthaggi team. Prom Coast players took control of the game early, and Rhytham, Jarian and Saxon all scored goals. Teynaia was showing her speed and continued to attack the ball. Our defensive back line was difficult to pass. The second half had players Saxon and Hayley fill in to support the oppositions low numbers, and both put on a huge effort. The second half showed Cara defending and holding her position well, earning herself the Bendigo Bank player of the day. Was great to come away with a first win for the season.

The Women's team came knowing they were in for a tough game, with only 9 players starting on the field. Wonthaggi took a quick goal that woke the team into action and from there they fought hard to keep the scores to a respectable number. The defensive back line as always worked hard and stopped many attempts from the fast attackers. Olivia shone in goals and stopped many more than made it through. Our midfield and forwards pushed towards our goals with every chance we had, but struggled to kick a goal. This week we welcome and thank Hilder Homes for sponsoring the women's team player of the day award. It was unanimously decided that considering the huge effort displayed by all, the team will share the Hilder Homes Player of the Day award.

The Men's Reserve game was spectacular to watch. Both teams brought speed and skill to the field. Wonthaggi controlled the first half, with some excellent saves from their keeper and some quick running from their forwards. Marius scored first for Prom Coast. One of Prom Coast players was badly injured in some rough play, and Bryce turned the penalty shoot into a score. This brought the score 3 - 2 at the end of the first half. The second half saw our defensive lines hold strong and fight back, Juan and Marius quickly found the back of the net to bring Prom Coast with the grasp of a win. The game finished with Juan making a wonderful curling long shot to tie the game in the last minute at 6 all. This week Prom Coast Soccer Club would like to thank the Ireland Family for generously supporting the Men's team Player of the Day award. This week's award goes to Juan for his fast paced attack and three goals.

The club is looking for new players in all teams. If you are keen to get fit while having fun, come along and give soccer a try. Training is on Wednesday afternoons from 4 pm onwards. Please contact Shellie on 0419322384 for more details.



U12's Player of the Day Lily G shadows the play, as Chloe takes the ball for a run.



U14's Player of the day Cara controls the ball.



Attention all Community Groups

The South Gippsland Shire Community Strengthening team have been running a series of Community meetings inviting members of Community groups and organisations from the Port Franklin, Toora, Mt Best, Agnes, Welshpool, Port Welshpool and Hedley areas. These meetings are designed to address local issues and priorities and aim at working together as a cluster.

At last month's meeting held at Welshpool, it was identified that community organisations are always on the lookout for new members and volunteers. Groups need to promote their opportunities to the community, to highlight the existing groups and what they can offer members and where the groups could use help.

A discussion was held regarding the possibility of a **Community Organisation Expo** to showcase community organisations within our cluster.

If you are part of a community group and would like to join this Expo, please leave your contact details at the RTC in Welshpool. All interested parties details will be taken to the next Cluster Meeting, after which you will receive further information.

If you would like to attend, the next meeting will be held at the Old Ferry Terminal in Port Welshpool on Thursday 15th August, 6.45pm.

Welshpool Golf Club

Winners are Grinners!! Congratulations to our Men's pennant team who on 5th May defeated Leongatha 4/3 to take out their first pennant win in 10 years.

Just for the record we won 4/3. We were 3 all with Gibbo 2 down with 2 to go. He then won holes 17 and 18 to get square, halved the 19th and won on the 20th with not much pressure, only about 20 people watching! Top job Gibbo and to everyone who competed during the season. Bobby is one very happy man as we all are for getting our little club such a big win over the better fancied Leongatha.

Thank you to everyone who played during the season this is a club win not an individual one. Thank you all.



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Welshpool Basketball Association

Congratulation to our 2019 Summer Seniors season Grand Finalists.

Orange defeated Black for the win for the season. MVP for the Grand Final went to Chris Pettitt and Stephanie Crawford.

The MVP for the season went to Ollie Cox and Stephanie Crawford.

Well done to all teams who participated this season.

We look forward to seeing everyone back in September for our All Ages Competitions.





Carpet Bowls

Old Ferry Terminal, Port Welshpool

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"In loving memory of Rocco."

We also give "A VERY BIG THANK YOU"

to The Port Welshpool Working Group for your valued support and very much appreciated donation of \$500.

"Thank you everyone."

To Port Welshpool Coast Guard, "ANOTHER BIG THANK YOU" for your valued support of kind donations and man power support.

"Without this support goals could not be met."

We cannot express enough how all this support is very much appreciated and in coming issues of this newsletter we will tell of how this valued support has been spent.

"We thank you once again."

Welshpool & District Horticultural Society

Next Meeting: Wednesday 12th June

Welshpool Hall, 12 noon

Soup and Sandwiches for lunch, Trading Table, Afternoon Tea and a bit of fun

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Next edition will be mid-July.

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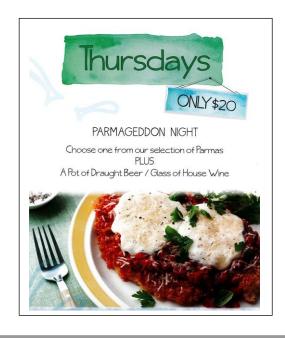
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- 3. Arab chieftain
- 4. A young lady
- 5. Sir, in India
- 6. Constraint
- 7. A symptom of jaundice
- 8. Fiber source
- 9. A tax on tax
- 10. Ad-libbed
- 11. Uproar
- 12. Scoff at
- 13. Affirmatives
- 21. Blockade
- 25. Clout
- 26. Aquatic plant
- 27. Volumes (abbrev.)
- 28. Goddess of discord

- 29. Rancor
- 34. Hatchets
- 36. City in Peru
- 37. Modify
- 38. French for "Head"
- 40. Russian emperor
- 42. Unborn offspring
- 45. Decamp
- 48. Noggin
- 51. A bed on a ship
- 52. Potato state
- 53. Open skin infections
- 55. Related to tides
- 58. Protruding part of
- the lower jaw
- 59. Killer whale
- 60. French for "We"
- 61. Pot
- 62. Lascivious look

Across

- 1. Stalks
- 6. Bones on your sides
- 10. Questionable
- 14. Female demon
- 15. Beige
- 16. Stubborn beast
- 17. Gorillalike
- 18. Celebrity
- 19. They're paid to play
- 20. Stubbornly unyielding
- 22. Debauchee
- 23. Ethiopian monetary unit
- 24. Terminates
- 26. Anagram of "Rave"

- 30. French for "Water"
- 31. 14 in Roman
- numerals
- 32. Wisdom
- 33. Essence
- 35. A boneless steak
- 39. Gleam
- 41. An infraction in
- some sports
- 43. Donkeys
- 44. Docile
- 46. Send forth
- 47. Indian bread
- 49. Louisville Slugger

- 50. A romantic meeting
- 51. Casual eatery
- 54. Close
- 56. Biblical kingdom
- 57. Irregular
- 63. Unusual
- 64. Sailing ship
- 65. Pilotless plane
- 66. Not now
- 67. Connection
- 68. Keen
- 69. Party thrower
- 70. Concludes
- 71. Optical maser



Sponsored by: Welshpool Supermarket Entries must be received before 10th June, 2019

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 April Crossword:



Bill Mathews



LAST MONTHS CROSSWORD RESULT

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Welshpool & District Primary School Movie Fundraiser



GIRL'S NIGHT OUT Friday 14th June 2019

TICKETS AVAILABLE NOW

Moons Bus leaving Welshpool from 5.45ish - \$15 PP Welshpool, Port Welshpool, Toora, Foster, Fish Creek Dinner @ Leongatha RSL \$25 PP - set menu incl house drink

Movie- \$20 pp (9-9.30pm) Time TBC @ Stadium 4 Cinema Leongatha

RSVP & Payment DUE Thursday 6th June 2019 for more info contact Lisa on 0409 179 235 or follow our facebook event page

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Welshpool CFA

On Thursday night, 16th May, a number of the Welshpool brigade members attended the Meeniyan Recreation Reserve for a live training exercise. Members from Meeniyan and Yanakie also attended, and with the use of this simulated equipment were able to experience real life situations.

The Welshpool CFA are always looking for new volunteers. Every Thursday at 7.30pm members meet at the CFA building in Main Street Welshpool. Come along, introduce yourself, and become part of a great volunteer organisation.

The members of the Welshpool CFA would like to thank the Welshpool & District Advisory Group for generously donating some seating for their indoor meeting area.









Port Welshpool Fishing Club

2019 Presentation Night

Saturday 8th June, 6pm start

Members: \$15, children free

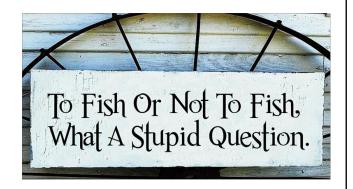
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