



# HALLOWEEN 2024



On behalf of the Welshpool and District Advisory Group, we would like to thank everyone that attended our Halloween event. What a great surprise it was to see so many people attending and everyone getting into the spirit of things by dressing up. Thank you to those who helped with organising and planning, to the Toora Football Club for the use of their barbeque trailer and to the Anedda family for the ice. Also, a big thanks to the houses and businesses that showed so much generosity to our local children handing out lollies for trick-or-treat, and to Skye and the team at the Welshpool Hotel for topping off the evening with a jam-packed spooky disco! The evening was a massive hit and created a huge buzz around the town. The feedback from all involved has been great and we look forward to doing it again next year.



## Disclaimer

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- **USE OUR EQUIPMENT** to upload, print and photocopy documents
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### Agents can:

- help you to set up and access digital services
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### Your local Agent is:

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 Address:  
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10am-3pm Monday,  
 Wednesday, Thursday &  
 Friday's

### Self service

You can use myGov to access your Centrelink, Medicare and Child Support online accounts. Go to [my.gov.au](http://my.gov.au)

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Child Support	131 272
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Disability, sickness and carers	132 717
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Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

Contact us on **5688 1087** for more information.



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# Welshpool & District Horticultural Society

Thank you to everyone who helped make our Spring Flower Show such a wonderful success. Thank you to all our Club members who work as an amazing team twice a year to make our Shows possible and thank you to all the people who put in entries to turn the Show benches into a feast for the senses. Thank you to all the people who came to enjoy our Show to admire the display and share your ideas and love of gardening!

Time for a short rest until that well-oiled machine bounces back into action for our Autumn Show 2025!! See you all there!!





A variety of Bisley wear available to purchase. Orders can be placed if we don't have your size.

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**Welshpool Agency**

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**Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**

**10am to 3pm**

**PH: 5688 1087**



**Myli – My Community Library**

Join today at the Rural Transaction Centre and have access to a variety of books, audio books, DVD's and more. If it's not on the shelf it can be ordered in. Open Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10am to 3pm. A Librarian also attends every Wednesday 11am to 1pm for any assistance required.

**Welshpool & District Advisory Group**

**Annual General Meeting**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November**

**5pm at the RTC**

**New Members Welcome**

## **Welshpool RTC turns 25!**



November 29<sup>th</sup> will mark 25 years of the Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre. Welshpool was the first town to receive funding from the Federal Government under its Rural Transaction Centre grants program. Local Community members worked hard for over a year to see their vision of having important services return to Welshpool. We are extremely lucky to be able to still serve our community and surrounds today.



Drop in to the RTC on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December between 12 and 2pm for some birthday treats and celebrations and check out our old photos and newspaper clippings.



# Welshpool Op Shop & Nursery

Monday to Friday

Ph: 0417 367 629

10am – 4pm

Saturday 10am – 2pm



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of all sizes. Fill a shopping bag for  
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Lions Christmas cakes and puddings are available at the Transaction Centre and Op Shop. Support our local Lions by purchasing a delicious cake or pudding.

1.5kg Christmas Cake \$20.00ea

1kg Christmas Cake \$16.00ea

900g Christmas Puddings \$16.00ea

Mini Christmas Cakes \$2.00ea

Gluten Free Option available \$10.00ea



## The Norris's saved \$5,772 last year on their home loan!\*

All over Australia, homeowners are saving money with a free home loan health check.

How much could you save?

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 **Bendigo Bank**

\*Amount saved was annual payments reduction on an owner-occupier home loan when repayments dropped by \$481 a month from lower interest rate and loan restructure. Actual savings will depend on individual circumstances. All loans are subject to the bank's normal lending criteria. Fees, charges, terms and conditions apply and are subject to change. Credit provided by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178 Australian Credit Licence 237879. A1963170 OUT\_40196389, 06/09/2024

# Welshpool Area Future Focus Group

On Friday 8 November 2024, a new Councillor group was announced for South Gippsland Shire Council. The successful candidates are:

**Coastal Promontory Ward:** • Scott Rae. • Sarah Gilligan. • Steve Finlay.

**Strzelecki Ward:** • Nathan Hersey. • Bron Beach. • John Kennedy.

**Tarwin Valley Ward:** • John Schelling. • Clare Williams. • Brad Snell.

The Councillors-elect will be sworn in shortly and a Mayor and Deputy Mayor will be elected at the Council Meeting on Wednesday 20 November 2024.

Thank you to everyone who has signed our petition for a toilet block at the Long Jetty. The WAFF Group along with the Port Welshpool Working Group will be presenting to the new councillors in December to promote our beautiful part of the shire and the Long Jetty and the need for a toilet block closer to the Jetty itself. Keep those signatures coming, even after the presentation we will continue our push for toilets.



Don't forget to check out the new playground in Welshpool if you haven't already. Council has now also fitted the wooden border around the area.



## Welshpool & District Primary School

# MEGA XMAS

**RAFFLE 2024 OVER \$5K IN PRIZES**








MAJOR PRIZES	ADDITIONAL PRIZES
<p><b>1st</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 Nights Accommodation Prom Port Cottages</li> <li>• Adult Pass Wanderer Adventures</li> <li>• Welshpool Hotel Voucher</li> <li>• Toora Foodworks Voucher</li> <li>• Welshpool Supermarket &amp; Cafe Voucher</li> </ul> <p><b>2nd</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$300 Voucher Long Jetty Caravan Park</li> <li>• Iron Man Camp Chair (Foster Service Centre C&amp;H Hilder)</li> <li>• Toora Foodworks Voucher</li> <li>• The Rusty Gurnard Voucher</li> <li>• Welshpool Supermarket &amp; Cafe Voucher</li> </ul> <p><b>3rd</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$200 Voucher RACV Inverloch Resort</li> <li>• Evans Petroleum Voucher</li> <li>• Touchwood Timber Long Jetty Serving Platter (The Olive Branch Prom Country)</li> </ul> <p><b>4th</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AFL Medallion Club Tickets (Theircare)</li> </ul> <p><b>5th</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Side of Lamb (Roger &amp; Heather Stephens)</li> <li>• Toora Foodworks Voucher</li> <li>• Welshpool Supermarket &amp; Cafe Voucher</li> </ul> <p><b>6th</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Side of Lamb (Roger &amp; Heather Stephens)</li> <li>• Toora Foodworks Voucher</li> <li>• Welshpool Supermarket &amp; Cafe Voucher</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>7th</b> Gurneys Cider Underground Tour for up to 10 people</li> <li><b>8th</b> Toora Pool Term 1 Swim Lessons, Pool Pack (Jo &amp; Leeroy de Boer), Windmill Cafe Voucher</li> <li><b>9th</b> Merry People Bobbi Boots</li> <li><b>10th</b> Natio Gift Pack</li> <li><b>11th</b> Russell Hobbs Seal Fresh Vacuum Sealer (Leongatha Betta Home)</li> <li><b>12th</b> Great Southern Ride 2x E Bike Hire</li> <li><b>13th</b> Honey Tripper Art Work</li> <li><b>14th</b> A Maze N Things Family Pass</li> <li><b>15th</b> \$100 Wildlife Cruises Voucher</li> <li><b>16th</b> Hair &amp; Tanning Pack (Jayde Jolly)</li> <li><b>17th</b> \$100 Bunnings Gift Card (Traralgon)</li> <li><b>18th</b> MCG Aus Sports Museum 4x Passes</li> <li><b>19th</b> x1 Block of Fit Check Classes (Ebony Deering)</li> <li><b>20th</b> Melbourne Cable Park Vouchers</li> <li><b>21st</b> Anedda's Fish Voucher</li> <li><b>22nd</b> Melbourne Museum 2x Adult Passes</li> <li><b>23rd</b> \$50 Toora Post Office Voucher</li> <li><b>24th</b> 'Lune' by Kate Reid book from the Pantan Store</li> <li><b>25th</b> \$50 Bunnings Gift Card (Wonthaggi)</li> <li><b>26th</b> Toora Pharmacy Gift Pack</li> <li><b>27th</b> Yarram Plaza Hot Bread Voucher</li> <li><b>28th</b> Stadium 4 Cinema Tickets x2 (Leongatha)</li> <li><b>29th</b> \$50 Plant &amp; Veggie Online Voucher</li> <li><b>30th</b> Girls Bells Beach Backpack (Sid &amp; Cheryl Jones)</li> </ul> <p>*** Additional prizes from Toora Lions Club, Deep Creek Nursery, Port Welshpool General Store &amp; Gippsland Jersey</p> <p>A huge <b>thankyou</b> to all the families &amp; local businesses who have supported our school &amp; made donations</p>

All money raised will go towards the redevelopment of our basketball court area!

DATES:

Raffle drawn at our School Christmas Party: **Wednesday 18th December**  
All tickets sold & unsold to be returned by: **Monday 9th December**



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**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8th**

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29th**  
(New Year's Weekend)

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 26th**  
(Australia Day weekend)

**SUNDAY, MARCH 9th**  
(Labour Day weekend)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 20th**  
(Easter Sunday)

8am - 1.00pm

Market Entry: \$2 adult cash, children free



No dogs allowed

# The Port Welshpool & District Maritime Museum

As we go through the year we are rewarded with public holidays and Mother Nature gives us some mild weather to explore our surrounds. The car park at the boat ramp fill to overflowing and into Lewis Street on occasions with excited and enthusiastic boat goers; some for the first time with their new pride and joy, others are old hands. Big, small, old and new boats all on their way to catch their dream and to soak in the sea air and the wonders of Corner Inlet and Bass Strait framed by Wilsons Promontory. Bass Strait's weather can be very unpredictable and can change in an instant with the change of the tide, therefore unprepared can be caught unaware but now with the Coast Guard only a phone call away, lives are saved.

Port Welshpool has always been a haven for fishermen who travel from near and far and now many have taken up ownership of holiday houses to fulfil a dream of retired living to the waters and weather they have learnt to respect. If you have a tolerance for the wind and sand fly's, relaxation is at your fingertips. Many more own a boat these days; but in days gone by, as it was the way to book a boat; taking out a "fishing party" for a day's fishing and during this outing; weather and tide being right; landing on the Prom for a picnic lunch was a great treat. Your experience was in the hands of an experienced boat owner who knew the fishing grounds and mostly supplied everything from lines to bait. At a pound ahead it was great value.

This well-known fishing Port hasn't always been for those who choose to come and go over a weekend. Once, the little jetty was the home of a large fleet of boats of all sizes including Crayfish and Shark boats. When crayfish were 66c a kilo; yes, I know hard to believe when you compare today's prices. If you were lucky enough to be down the jetty when the Cray's were being bagged for Ryan's Transport to take to market, a Cray could be tossed onto the jetty for you to take home. These were dead crays and would not sell at market, as buyers only were attracted to crayfish that were flapping as they were tipped down the ramp to waiting shop owners to buy at the Footscray Market.

A present day walk down the fishermen's jetty, as it is now called, we see the pleasure crafts moored, waiting for a group to take on a sightseeing cruise, your mind is cast back and the question is, I wonder what happened to the fleet that we were so familiar with? Namely, Valda S, Plover, Mary Norling, William Flair, Halloween, William Norling, Patricia, Francis May, Alida R, Whodunit just to remember a few. Time moves on while history collects and some of the experiences that were witnessed over the years are only memories; when families relied on the catch that each of this great fleet came back to Port with to pay the bills after spending sometimes weeks at sea with the only connection with family was the ship to shore radio.

Back when we ate fish of all kinds all year, and a roast at Christmas was special.

# Welshpool & District Primary School

This year our Christmas Bumper Raffle is a huge one that is not to be missed! We have some amazing prizes worth over \$5K!! Jump on board and support our little school by purchasing tickets from local businesses, the school and families.

The banner features the school logo on the left, a red Santa hat and holly leaves on the left side, and a red price tag on the right that says "\$2.00 each" and "\$20/book". Below the main text are four images representing prizes: a house, a family, a school building, and an AFL stadium.

**Welshpool & District Primary School**  
**MEGA XMAS**  
**RAFFLE 2024**  
\$2.00 each  
\$20/book

Prizes include:  
Pipin Port Cottages  
Long Jetty Corner Park  
RACV Innafloch  
Thee Core 1 AFL Medalion Club

# Welshpool Recreation Reserve

This year's Lawn Mower Race Day event is shaping up to be a big one! Members from the Australian Ride On Lawn Mower Racing Association will be showing their skills on the track, as well as plenty of fantastic activities for all the family! There will be rides, free face painting, free entry to the animal nursery, and plenty of free yard games and activities.

The canteen will be open with plenty of food and drinks available as well as Big Bears Donuts selling their delicious donuts and coffee.

We have been very lucky this year to have so many sponsors with lots of excellent donations for raffle prizes. Tickets will be available for purchase from local businesses and on Race Day.

We still have room for some market stalls, so get in touch with us and sell your Christmas goodies!

This year, after presentation, from around 3pm there will be live music! So, bring a blanket or some camp chairs and make a day of it!

We look forward to seeing you all on the day! Races start at 10am!

Welshpool Recreation Reserve Committee presents

**Saturday 14th December**

**Races Start 10am**

**Lawn Mower Races**

Arthur Sutherland Recreation Reserve  
Port Welshpool Rd  
Welshpool

Jumping Castle  
Inflatable Slide  
Animal Nursery  
Face Painting  
market stalls  
& more

RACING

Welshpool Recreation Reserve

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Santa @12.30pm

Entry : \$5 per person, \$15 family  
All day rides pass \$10

The Welshpool Recreation Reserve committee are incredibly thankful once again to the **Community Bank Toora, Foster and Welshpool Agency**. With funds received through a recent grant we were able to replace the external roller doors on the canteen windows. The old roller doors had certainly seen better days and now with the new doors our servery area will be operational for many years to come.

The Welshpool Recreation Reserve is a community owned facility, and all fundraising events and grants help us with ongoing maintenance and improvements. We are so fortunate to have the support of our local Community Bank Branches and to have banking facilities in our community.

The Community Bank have also been an ongoing sponsor for our Lawn Mower Race Day and are once again on board for this year's event.







# Manna Gum Community House Christmas Gift Drive

Drop off donation point  
**HERE**

**Before 5th December 2024.**

Volunteers from Vinnies and Manna Gum will collect the donations and distribute accordingly around our local Gippsland area.

Please remember that Christmas is for everybody, gifts gladly accepted for all age groups.  
Vouchers enable the recipient to purchase something they need, or even a gift for a loved one they couldn't otherwise purchase.

~Local Businesses Preferred~

~Please Do Not Wrap Gifts~

Online donations through Give Now, see our Facebook page for the link  
Cash Donations accepted at our Manna Gum Office or at our local Bendigo Bank Branches



## Petition for Support to build a Toilet Block at the Long Jetty.



If you would like to show your support of the building of a toilet block at Port Welshpool Jetty, please pop into one of the local businesses' and sign your name. This petition will be put forward to council by members of the **Welshpool Area Future Focus Group** and the **Port Welshpool Working Group**.

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**JOIN US ON FRIDAY 6th DECEMBER FOR A FREE BIRTHDAY BBQ**  
12noon - 2pm



### South Gippsland Shire Council News

#### Australia Day Awards

Would you like to receive updates on what is happening at South Gippsland Shire Council straight to your inbox?

We have a number of eNewsletters that may be of interest to you.

#### In The Know

Is sent fortnightly and gives you an overview of what is happening at Council and in the community. This can include employment and tender opportunities, engagement projects and more.

#### Arts

Tailored for our thriving artistic community, the Arts Newsletter

highlights funding opportunities, exhibitions, events and more. Whether you are the musician, artist, performer or even just interested in the arts, this is for you.

#### Business and Tourism

Featuring details on upcoming workshops, events and grant opportunities, Business and Tourism News is a one-stop information shop for local businesses.

To subscribe to any of these newsletters, please visit:

[www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/subscribe](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/subscribe)



South Gippsland Shire Council is excited to welcome the arrival of a new Councillor group for the 2024/28 term! This team brings a diverse range of experiences and perspectives, aiming to enhance community engagement and drive positive change across the region. Information about our new Councillors can be found at: [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/councillors](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/councillors)

#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday 20 November 2.00pm (Council Chambers, Leongatha)

Dates are also listed on Council's website at: [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-dates](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-dates)

To watch the 'open' part of the meeting live or when it suits you, visit: [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live)

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for a new job? We might have the perfect position for you! Check out our current vacant positions here:

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#### REQUEST FOR TENDERS

Council is seeking submissions from qualified companies/applicants for the following:

RFT/410 – North Poowong Road Gravel to Seal

RFT/432 – Korumburra Rail Precinct – Stage 3

Tenders close 2.00pm AEDT on Tuesday 3 December 2024.

RFT/376 – Mirboo North Early Learning Centre Concept Design

Tenders close 2.00pm AEDT on Tuesday 10 December 2024.

#### RFT/419 – Fish Creek Streetscape

Tenders close 2.00pm AEDT on Tuesday 17 December 2024.

Documentation is available from Council's e-Tendering Portal [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders)

#### CONTACT US

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**Saturday 23 November 2024 from 4pm**

## GIPPSLAND OFFSHORE WIND DAYS

- NOV 8** SEASPRAY - 4:30 - 6:30 pm  
Seaspray Surf Life Saving Club
- NOV 13** FOSTER - 3:00 - 6:00 pm  
Manna Gum Community House
- NOV 14** TRARALGON - 4:00 - 6:00 pm  
Gippsland Performing Arts Centre
- NOV 23** YARRAM - 8:30 am - 3:30 pm  
Yarram Agricultural Show

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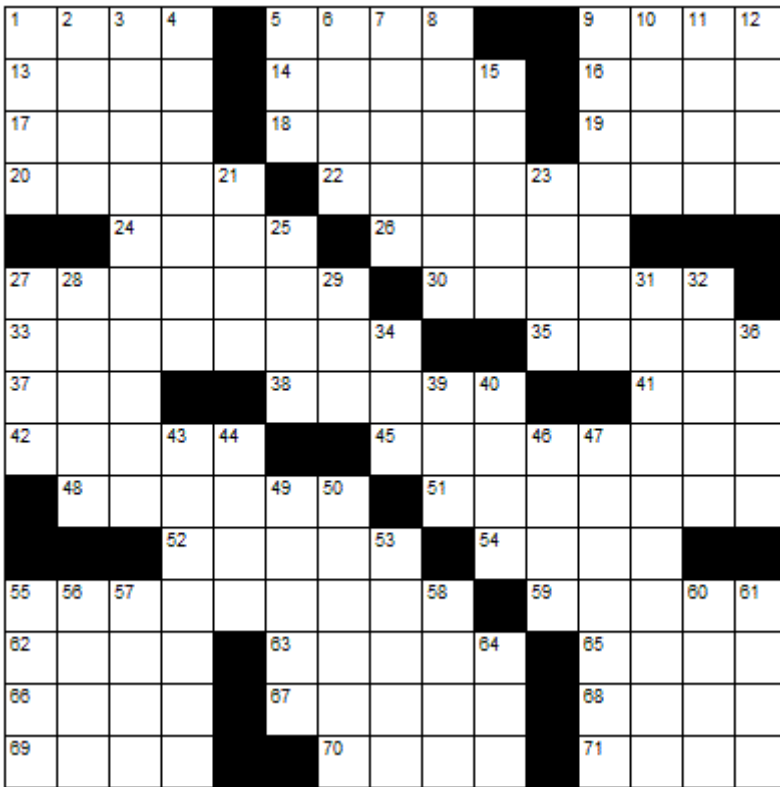
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22 Bowling Club Rd  
(Left of the Long Jetty along the foreshore)  
Social and Barefoot Bowls Fridays during the  
bowls season (Oct - end of April) from  
4:30pm.  
Bowls provided.

Bar service available. BBQ & Salad dinners  
available most weeks at 6:30pm

**NEW MEMBERS AND BOWLERS MOST  
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1. Ticket part you keep
2. Infinitesimal amount
3. Heavenly
4. Grain alcohol
5. A spider's home
6. Difficult
7. Wall climbers
8. Principles
9. Radical reorganization
10. Dry riverbed
11. Similar
12. Wagers
15. Glacial ice formation
21. Capital of Peru
23. Blackthorn
25. Kiddies
27. Adjusts
28. A city in Nebraska
29. Born, in bios
31. Rotating spit oven
32. Smell
34. Arid
36. Crones
39. Gossip
40. Beige
43. Proof of purchase
44. Caffeine source
46. Not his
47. Mug
49. Immense
50. Judge
53. Feeling
55. Absorbed
56. A Great Lake
57. Sings with closed lips
58. Illustrated
60. Behold, in old Rome
61. Not us
64. S

## Across

1. Location
5. Iota
9. Q-Tip
13. Legal wrong
14. Roof overhangs
16. Codlike fish
17. Mormon state
18. Saltwater
19. Mine entrance
20. Humdrum
22. Leathers
24. Agitated state
26. Not fresh
27. Wise Biblical king
30. Cleans
33. Simulated
35. Geologic period
37. Browning of skin
38. Durable fabric
41. Sri Lanka export
42. Dogfish
45. Boating
48. Area around a nipple
51. Bosoms
52. Category
54. Coffee dispensers
55. Practiced
59. Shooting game
62. African sheep
63. Category
65. Curve
66. Panderer
67. S S S
68. Oriental grain
69. Exam
70. Stitches
71. Regard



*Winning entry will receive a free coffee and cake from the Welshpool Café & Supermarket*



### LAST MONTHS CROSSWORD RESULT



Sponsored by: **Welshpool Supermarket**

Entries must be received before  
15<sup>th</sup> December

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 October Crossword:

NO WINNER

GET THOSE ENTRIES IN!



## Port Welshpool & District Bowling Club

On Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, we held our Invitational day sponsored by fantastic supporters of our club, Matt and Karen Telling from **Stratford Marine**.

Even by Port Welshpool standards, it was one windy old day but apart from that it was played in sunny weather. Fortunately for all who attended, the green is rolling superbly and the catering as usual was delicious.

Winners were a composite team of Phil Stimson from **Mirboo North**, Alan Spooner from Toora and Andrew Stimson from Pt Welshpool.

Runners-up were Michael, Norm and Rayza from **Foster**.

Best last game went to John and Robin from Pt Welshpool with John from Toora.

Thank you to all our dedicated members who contributed to make this another successful day.



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# Port Welshpool & District Museum



*The building that houses the collection was designed and built by John Avery in 1881 for W.B.M. Smith. Being the first large home in the village, it became the unofficial community centre, conducting dances, weddings, church services and even a wine salon.*

### ADMISSION CHARGES

<b>Adults</b>	<b>\$5</b>
<b>Pensioner</b>	<b>\$4</b>
<b>Student</b>	<b>\$2</b>
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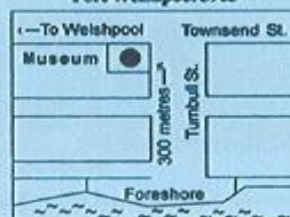
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Janet Taylor 0413 199 776

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# Summer Ice cream Word Search!



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|--------------|------------|------------|
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| Brownie      | Coconut    | Peppermint |
| Bubblegum    | Coffee     | Pistachio  |
| Butterscotch | Mango      | Pumpkin    |
| Caramel      | Maple      | Strawberry |
| Cherry       | Neapolitan | Vanilla    |



# SUPER EASY GLUTEN FREE CINNAMON ROLLS

Vegan + Lower in Sugar

## INGREDIENTS

### For the Cinnamon Roll Dough:

- 1 cup dairy free yogurt
- 1.25 cup all-purpose gluten free flour
- 2 tsp baking powder
- Hearty sprinkle of cinnamon
- Splash of vanilla extract

### For the Cinnamon Sugar Filling:

- 4 TBSP coconut sugar (or regular sugar)
- 3 TBSP olive oil (or coconut oil)
- 3 TBSP cinnamon
- Splash of vanilla extract and water

### For the Cinnamon Roll Glaze:

- 3 TBSP dairy free yogurt
- 1-2 TBSP water
- 1 TBSP maple syrup
- Hearty sprinkle of cinnamon

## PROCEDURE

**01** Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Then combine all the dry ingredients for your dough, followed by the yogurt. Knead until it forms a ball, adding more dough as needed.

**02** Transfer your ball of dough from your mixing bowl to a baking mat sprinkled with flour. Then use a baking roller to roll your dough out into a rectangle that's about a 1/4" thick.

**03** Mix and spread your filling onto the entire rectangle of the dough. Then cut your rectangle that are in strips around an inch wide. Using a knife or finger, roll each strip into a cinnamon roll shape.

**04** Place each cinnamon roll on a parchment-lined baking tray with a few inches of space around each side. Bake for 15 to 18 minutes. Cool, pour on glaze and enjoy!

## PREP TIME

- Prep | 20 m
- Cook | 15-18 m
- Ready in | 40 m

## The Month Of November

### BIRTH STONE



TOPAZ

### BIRTH FLOWER



CHRYSANTHEMUM

### STAR SIGNS



SCORPIO & SAGITTARIUS

## Personality

Those born in November are extremely talented and dynamic people who possess some of the most wonderful qualities. They are very emotional and are not ashamed to reflect that. They are also workaholics and take their responsibilities seriously.

## Did you know...?

- A study published by researcher Jan Ruis found evidence that more serial killers were born in November compared to other months.
- In Finland, the month of November is called 'Marraskuu'. 'Marras' can mean dead and 'Kuu' can mean moon or month, so November is known as the month of the dead.
- Similarly, in Anglo-Saxon times, November was known as Blotmonab which means blood month or sacrifice month.

## Special Days



**01 NOVEMBER**  
World Vegan Day



**05 NOVEMBER**  
Bonfire Night



**06 NOVEMBER**  
National Stress Awareness Day



**29 NOVEMBER**  
Support a Small Business Day

## Famous November Birthdays

Emma Stone, Lorde, Leonardo DiCaprio, Ryan Gosling, Anne Hathaway, Whoopi Goldberg, Rachel McAdams, Danny Devito, Scarlett Johansson, Miley Cyrus, Bill Nye, Alfred Wegner, Charles Manson, Ted Bundy, Bruce Lee, Prince Charles, Gordon Ramsey, Winston Churchill, Marie Curie, Margaret Atwood, C.S Lewis, Claude Monet, William Blake, Calvin Klein.

It's beginning to cost a lot like Christmas.

Southern Living

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