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A week to play a bit of footy

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Thursday 13 April 2017

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How well have we channelled our energy?

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A safe and enjoyable Easter

Green Skills farewells state manager

Green Skills has farmed state manager Diana Evans and paid tribute to her dedication and hard work. Mr Evans is leaving her role to pursue a career in politics as the Greens (WA) Senate candidate, and has been replaced by Sarah Ferguson, who joined the organisation in November 2016.

The death of Mr Evans represents a significant loss to the Albany community, particularly in the areas of environmental and sustainability

GP trial ongoing

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Let’s talk about it

The World Health Organization (WHO) has last week launched its one-year campaign, the Great Southern Depression Day on April 7.

The goal of the campaign is to engage people all over the world to seek help and get help. In keeping with this theme, West Coast Australians are being encouraged to “join the conversation” and share their mental health experiences with the Mental Health Commission of the video Depression: Let’s Talk.

The aim of the video is to explain the importance of seeking help from your GP, and to encourage Australians to seek help for depression. In Australia one in five women and one in eight men will experience depression in their lifetime. With Western Australians reporting their life has been “seriously affected” by depression and disability services. Jane Prentice said IPS had been developed to help them not only find jobs but also work closely with young people to engage, so the purpose of this trial is to ensure that regional and remote young people do not fall through the gap.

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PIFY Great Southern doctors with 175 years of combined service have been recognised for their outstanding commitment to regional communities.

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A RECORD crowd converged on the small community of Ongerup at the weekend to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Yongergnow Malleefowl Centre.

At least 250 people travelled long distances to catch up with old friends and be a part of an event that hummed with enthusiasm and maintained a strong local focus on the commitment to preserve the district’s malleefowl.

The highlight of the day was the presence of Australian singer-songwriter and self-declared mallee-boy John Williamson, whose support for Ongerup’s dedication to the preservation of the endangered malleefowl goes back to 1993.

Williamson, who attended the opening of the Yongergnow Malleefowl Centre in 2007, also announced his patronage to the Centre during his presentation and songs.

He mingled informally with the crowds and chatted with Mervette the very large costumed malleefowl who did an excellent job and joined in the singing with the kids.

Mark Bruce and head teacher Ross Strahan sang Ross’s song Who Cares? with the Ongerup Primary School children together with a group of students who sang the same song at the official opening 10 years ago.

Shire of Gnowangerup Citizen of the Year Robbie Miniter added to the entertainment with the Noongar children’s dance group The Deadly Brothers while Elder Uncle Billy Woods did a Welcome to Country.

Board member and events coordinator Suzanne Dennings declared the event a huge success.

“The day was full of joy and reunions, but also remained focused on the role of the Centre as the hub of the community and testimony of many years of hard work from our volunteers,” she said.

“Although Ongerup is a bit off the beaten track (150km from Albany), we would love more visitors to come and learn about the malleefowl and also see the birds scratching about in the aviary.

“It’s well worth a visit and has an excellent café.”

The Centre is open Tuesday to Saturday from 9am - 4pm.

Malleefowl facts

• Due to past farming activities, the malleefowl’s natural habitat has been lost and the bird is now classified as a threatened species.

• The malleefowl is the only bird in the world to build its nest in a mound in a semi-arid climate.

• Malleefowl use their strong feet to scrape large amounts of leaf litter and sand from the ground into a large pile. This is a major construction job for a bird not much bigger than a chunky chicken.

• The eggs are laid in spring into a cavity at the top of the mound and covered over. As the leaf litter begins to compost it generates heat to incubate the eggs.

• The male malleefowl checks the temperature of his breeding mound regularly, andcrapes material onto or off the mound to keep the temperature just right.

Fowl decade celebrated

By ANNE SIMPSON

Mark Bruce and head teacher Ross Strahan with head teacher Ross Strahan. Head teacher Mark Bruce, Ross Strahan and Ongerup Primary School children.

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feature of the week

Makers of Albany: Collie and Mokare

LAST Sunday was the last day for viewing the British Library: Mokare exhibition at the Albany Art Gallery. The exhibition highlights the story of the First Fleet convict John Mokare, who was the captain of the Swan River settlement.

Collie was the first European to record contact with Mokare when he met him in 1817. Mokare had been the leader of a group of Indigenous people who had been living in the area for some time before the arrival of the Europeans.

The exhibition features a range of objects, including a paintbrush used by Mokare and a drum from the Swan River settlement.

Mokare's visit to Albany was significant because it marked the beginning of the relationship between the Indigenous people and the Europeans.

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The exhibition is open until 4th June, so don't miss your chance to see this important piece of history.
I'd like to express my frustration at the small group of Albany residents who continue to cause the same problems over and over again. People of all ages love mountain biking. Many of you are younger demographics to stay in Albany, or visit or part of their travel plans, then the community as a whole is left behind these efforts, the effort to build stuff for people to do and not let NIMBYs spoil the process.

I see the same resistance, not only every time council members or councillors talk about trail building or the effort to build stuff for people to do but also when we try to return the next year, but in the words of Lara Bingle (sort of) co-exist and professionally built trails in towns are a win-win for everyone.

Try the new pilot trail and see what the anchor story can be about for professionals, who know how to care for the bush when building trails, and encourage your councillors to push ahead with the process.

The facts behind the anchor story

This anchor story appeared in the April 6 edition of The Weekender. For your information the anchor is neither late 18th or early 19th century. It formed part of a mooring system laid by the Norwegian Sperm Whale Company in Peron Bay in either 1810 or 1813 and was recovered in 1993 as part of an Australian Maritime Heritage Trail. The anchor was rescued from the middle of the York Street roundabout and also cleaned the Albany Maritime Heritage Trail.

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Big crowds turn out to taste the region

Celebrity chef Colin Fassnidge.

PEOPLE from Albany and beyond enjoyed an afternoon of food and entertainment at Eyre Park on Saturday. A total of 11 winemakers, eight foodies and four beer/cider/coffee companies set up stalls with large numbers of people coming through the gates to sample their wares.

Marcos Jewellery Design and Winestate showed their wares. After a slow start, huge due to doubting-looking weather, the crowd started to swell after barbeques. The atmosphere was relaxed and friendly with many people stopping to chat with strangers at winey stalls for up to an hour at a time and others sharing tables with their friends and families.

“Extra salads and wines added to the mix,” Celebrity chef Colin Fassnidge shared his passion for the benefits of

Yablone Fabrics from Papalou.

Originals and each played a show hour set.

The weather held out until around 4.30pm when a shower of rain saw everyone happily ducking under the shade stalls or under the cover of the nearest stall, adding to the general camaraderie.

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Farewell to a true gent

George Kurangan (centre) after one of the last Freemasonry meetings he attended with visitors George Rogers (left) from Fremantle’s Lodge Kilwinning and Andy Davis from Albany Lodge.

By GEOFF VIVIAN

A FAMILIAR face will be missed during this year’s ANZAC Day observances after one of Albany’s best-loved volunteers died suddenly in Vanuatu.

George Kurangan was travelling on a group of Albany Darwin when he suffered a heart attack in the town of Vara

He had spent part of the winter there on previous occasions and joined Bill Marshall, Morris Blake, Jeff Grey and Ben Male to accompany him this year.

His friend Graham Kirkwood said he was taken to hospital immediately but nothing could be done to save him.

‘From what I’ve been told the group that he was with held services,” Mr Kirkwood said.

They arranged for an undertaker and George was to be cremated. He will be returned to Albany Wednesday or Thursday this week.

Mr Kirkwood said George enjoyed taking groups of people walking along jungle trails each year and was highly known a

The local people up there held George in extremely high respects Mr Kirkwood said.

‘He was quite devoted to that area and obviously the local people were more than devoted,” Mr Kirkwood said.

‘Because of the friendships he had formed George’s life and what he had done within the area for the local people...’

Mr Kirkwood, who is also the local Probes representative, said George had been a member of the Pushes Club of Albany for some years.

‘He was just elected in March as the vice-president,” he said.

George was a keen Freemason and was appointed (deceased) in Albany ‘s three lodges as well as the Denmark lodge.

Plantagenet lodge’s Worshipful Master Ewen Tohram said it was a well-respected member.

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We will think of all the good times and wherever he is now, we know he will have found a place in the sun.Only George’s family and a few close friends knew he was in Vanuatu.

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The first term of South Coast NRM’s Strong and Proud program for 2017 came to a close last weekend.

It’s the third time the organisation’s cultural team has run the eight-week after-school program for disadvantaged Aboriginal youth. The program aims to improve students’ school attendance, as well as encourage participants to build greater cultural awareness, understanding and connection to the community.

In this, the third session, around 20 young Aboriginals benefited from a range of cultural, environmental and sporting activities developed around one of the six Noongar seasons – Busson, Dyari, Mulwaree.

The Art in the Hall Bazaar opens this Saturday from 10am to 4pm at 3pm. Lots of animals to cuddle, craft and design. 14 - 17 April. 10am - 5pm. Free admission.

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Crackdown on off-road vehicles

REGIONAL agencies will join forces to crack down on illegal off-road vehicle activity over the Easter long weekend.

City of Albany rangers will work with officials from the WA Police, Department of Transport to educate people on responsible use of off-road vehicles and ensure compliance with local and state laws.

City of Albany ranger team leader Colin Hyde said rangers regularly observed groups of off-road vehicle operators in beaches and reserves during peak holiday periods.

These include off-road vehicles such as motorbikes, bikes, quads and homemade buggies.

“Beaches and reserves are shared spaces, used by many members of the community for a variety of activities and it is not acceptable for off-road vehicles to cause damage and disturbance to the environment or other activities,” Mr Hyde said.

The use of unregistered off-road vehicles, other activities in an uncontrolled manner can create risk to all users of the area, as well as cause damage to the environment.

Read-registered vehicles are allowed where signs indicate, however, off-road vehicles, including those registered as off-road vehicles and unregistered vehicles access allowed by any Albany OffRoad vehicle access permit issued in accordance with the Albany OffRoad vehicle access permit.

Crackdown on illegal off-road vehicles and other activities in an uncontrolled manner can cause risk to all users of the area, as well as cause damage to the environment.

While off-road vehicles will remain the focus throughout the Easter weekend, any other illegal matters will be addressed as they come to the attention of the rangers and police.

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Youth Engagement Scheme
In this latest edition, around 60 students’ school attendance, as well as encourage participants to build greater cultural awareness, understanding and connection to the community.

In this, the third session, around 20 young Aboriginals benefited from a range of cultural, environmental and sporting activities developed around one of the six Noongar seasons – Busson, Dyari, Mulwaree.

The Art in the Hall Bazaar opens this Saturday from 10am to 4pm at 3pm. Lots of animals to cuddle, craft and design. 14 - 17 April. 10am - 5pm. Free admission.

The Weekender, April 13, 2017

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www.porongurup.org.au
Open daily 10am-4pm.

Crackdown on off-road vehicles

REGIONAL agencies will join forces to crack down on illegal off-road vehicle activity over the Easter long weekend.

City of Albany rangers will work with officials from the WA Police, Department of Transport to educate people on responsible use of off-road vehicles and ensure compliance with local and state laws.

City of Albany ranger team leader Colin Hyde said rangers regularly observed groups of off-road vehicle operators in beaches and reserves during peak holiday periods.

These include off-road vehicles such as motorbikes, bikes, quads and homemade buggies.

“Beaches and reserves are shared spaces, used by many members of the community for a variety of activities and it is not acceptable for off-road vehicles to cause damage and disturbance to the environment or other activities,” Mr Hyde said.

The use of unregistered off-road vehicles, other activities in an uncontrolled manner can create risk to all users of the area, as well as cause damage to the environment.

While off-road vehicles will remain the focus throughout the Easter weekend, any other illegal matters will be addressed as they come to the attention of the rangers and police.

21 April. $5 admission. Booking recommended.

Porongurup Hall, 2257 Porongurup Rd.
Lothlorien Gallery, Bolganup Homestead,
Porongurup Shop and Tearooms, Mount
Porongurup Promotions Association,
Sponsors: Barbara Coppin Art Fund,
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Strong and Proud in partnership
State NRM’s Community Capability
Grant.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Taste Great Southern has almost finished and the same issue pops its head up: the festival needs to be moved to May or September so the vineyards and winemakers can take part because, at the moment, they’re in the middle of vintage and at the end of the day the wineries drive it. But the ‘powers to be’ don’t give a damn. So, I am asking all sponsors to withhold money till they listen.

Baked Bean Seller - Paul Lionetti
Head-turning wood

The exhibition offers an opportunity to purchase or win items through daily raffles and a larger one-day one.

Categories for entry and sale include turning, carving, furniture carving, blocks, musical instruments and models.

Wood-turning demonstrations will run over the event’s three days.

There will also be tea, coffee, cakes and competitions for children.

Club members will be on hand to assist with enquiries.

The exhibition opens between 9am and 5pm each day and closes at 5pm on April 23.

Entry is by gold coin donation.

### Porongurup sculptures

Great Southern’s sculptors are putting the finishing touches on their artwork ahead of this year’s Friends of the Porongurup National Park’s Artists in the Park exhibition.

The popular exhibition will open to the public on Good Friday, April 14 and will run until Saturday, April 23.

The exhibition has become one of the highlights of the Great Southern’s Easter events calendar and has provided a platform to display unique sculptures in the regional setting of the Porongurup National Park. This year’s event will include the Art in the Mall Bryce, where art lovers can view and purchase unique sculpture from the sculptors of the sculpture medium.

The event is in its 17th year and has gone from strength-to-strength after establishing difficult conditions following the 2005 bushfires.

Art in the Park will be held near the Castle Rock Day use area in the Porongurup National Park.

The secret of success is to go from one mistake to another, and never lose your enthusiasm.

### AUTUMN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

**APRIL 2017**

**MONDAY 10:** Easter Crafts, Card Weaving
**TUESDAY 11:** Easter Craft, Little Chicks
**WEDNESDAY 12:** Easter Craft, Australian Dilly
**THURSDAY 13:** Easter Craft, Egg Baskets
**TUESDAY 18:** Paper Poppies, Stained Glass Soldiers
**WEDNESDAY 19:** Paper Poppies, Stained Glass Soldiers
**THURSDAY 20:** Paper Poppies, Wreath Creation
**FRIDAY 21:** Paper Poppies, Family Picnic, Wreath Display, ANZAC Biscuits

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$1,160,000

3,579ha Kalpadon Ray White Albany

Sample: 402 110 006 or 9841 0211

Dollars well spent

This modern, spacious & exceptionally presented, 4 bed, 2 bath brick townhouse quietly nestled in Beausea Estate within a long-term tenant. This property could be returning you $450pw. Carport, pool, gate on an D2Z block. (5966)

Sale $596,000

Rick Jackson 9841 0208

$1,075,000

4 paddocks with bush & pasture, dam & small orchard (K213)

New Listing

Amber Nathan 0427 262 375 | 9841 0231

$509,000

2x1 Granny flat & 12x9 Workshop to impress

New Listing

Rick Jackson 9841 0208

$440,000

23 Notley Street

This stunning home in Yering has just been completed & qualifies for the $15,000 First Home Owners Grant. Very competitively priced, one of the cheapest of the best. Generous rear access to the large shed.

View Sat 11:45 – 12:15

Sale $191,000

Joe Tichelaar 0439 270 676 | 9841 0207

Get in quick

Just Listed & sure to attract interest at this price, this brick 2 bed unit is perfectly located to town & shops. The kitchen is only 12 months old & includes gas stove & inbuilt bench tops. Freshly painted with new carpet the same time the kitchen was put in. Rear carport. Currently rented at $350pw. (MM755)

Sale $185,000

Rico Willemse 0423 300 356 | 9841 0211

Close to town

A perfect small holding the 1.36 hectare property is perfectly located for those who want some space. Just 10 minutes away from the city centre, improvements include an older 2 bed home plus 2 generous sized sheds. Excellent buying. (E612)

Sale $450,000

Rick Jackson 0409 408 266 | 9841 0210

Hidden gem in Mira Mar

Swankly 3/4 bed home has everything. Low maintenance gardens welcome you to this beautiful home. An abundance of parking for boats, caravans, cars on the massive D2Z block. The 2 storey home has multiple living areas with designated parent’s retreat. (MM711)

Sale $1,075,000

Craig Nathan 0427 774 594 | 9841 0224

Anton Nathan 0427 262 375 | 9841 0224

$519,000

Get one to view today! (G285)

New Listing

Rick Jackson 0427 423 200 | 9841 0207

$490,000

Water views & much more

A perfect new dual kitchen with west turnover wide swoe, 2 ovens, new stained glass frontage to kitchen, large dining & front lounge, 2 showers, a full study turn to & bath. The upper level has a deck to enjoy the town lights, water views & could be a dream parents’ retreat. (MM711)

Sale $1,110,000

Alison Ryde 0488 140 010

Kerrillea Ryde 0419 027 336

$575,000

New Listing

Rick Jackson 0408 427 554 | 9841 0213

$500,000

Julie Hetherington 0409 370 676

New Listing

Hollie Hummerston 0428 410 006

$570,000

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### Home Open Guide

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#### ROOM FOR ALL YOUR NEEDS

- **Investors/retiring, farmers?** All offers considered. Flat, brick & tile home with 3 bed, 2 bath, laundry, microwave & oven, & potable water connection.
- **Sewer connected, zoned R25 (MB099)**
- **703m² with 30m frontage**
- **Walk to Middleton, water & hinterland views**
- **Older-style 3 bed home**
- **Everybody happy here**
- **Views, Sec, home, location to town – sounds impossible? Well it's true. In Robinson, perched high with outlook over the harbour & its Sec behind it. The 3x2 home has ample living & functional floor plan, recently renovated ensuite & only mins to town. It's one to consider seriously. [RE119](#)**
- **This is an exceptional, big family home in the heart of town on 991m², 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom residence. 3 bed home sits on corner & level & a totally rare 2 bed unit stands plus a 3-cars free-standing garage. Multiple sheds, gym & workshop & wine cellar.**
- **Sewer connected, zoned R25 (MB099)**
- **Wide frontage**
- **Location, location**
- **Skid to the white sandy beach from this 4 bed, 2 bath home. cucumber lane has large living relaxing with a relaxing deck, a well set out kitchen, sunroom & 2 beds with BRs. Downstairs is a unit with big living, 2 beds & kitchenette.**
- **Reduced**
- **Roll-up your sleeves** A list of plants, a sub here & more, some garden lines and tools will be left in the house. There is even space to add opportunity with a shed & large living spaces. The things in life that require effort are always worth striving for. [CR56]**
- **3 Storey, 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom residence on 1.27ha.**
- **Location**
- **Central city, industrial block**
- **Industrial block**
- **Reduced**
- **Central city**
- **Reduced**

#### WATERFRONT OPPORTUNITY

- **Two adjoining lots that can be bought as a whole or separately. Total area approx 2.56ha or Lot 94 approx 1.27ha and Lot 95 approx 1.29ha. Residential development potential. Frontage to Oyster Harbour. Ideal lifestyle, development blocks...perhaps both (ZLK291 & ZLK336)**
- **Reduced**
- **Waterfront opportunity**
- **Lock and leave, this beaut 2 bed, 1 bath, easy-care property whilst you enjoy your tree change, Safe, secure gated community just minutes from the city centre. [CR52]**
- **Reduced**
- **Some offers considered**
- **Looking for a beach**
- **This is an incredible designed home which draws warmth and splashes. With wood floors, water features with unique garden, spa, tennis court & more. Do yourself a favour! Take a look at this incredible home. [CR50]**
- **Style & Opulence**
- **Sizeable home nestled near the beach in an incredibly designed home which draws warmth and splashes. Withwood floors, water features with unique garden, spa, tennis court & more. Do yourself a favour! Take a look at this incredible home. [CR50]**

#### ROOM FOR EVERYONE!

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Forsyth

Limited budget?

15 Scorpio Drive

61 Pegasus Boulevard

Immaculately presented

2005-built home on its own 500m² block overlooking town. 3 bed all with robes, spacious open living & sep lounge & Annie verandah bath. Currently returning $200pw. Great one to secure now & move in later when life slows down. In sought-after Hillman St. (SP940)

Just perfect, great location

Located in popular Stockleigh near the 1012m2 zoned for development is level living for retirees. Solid brick home of 3 bed, 2 bath & 2 long airconditioned bedrooms with fire. A large open-plan design, brick gge & patio area at rear. Walk to beaches & bowling club. (ZK145)

Rural option

This is most probably going to be demolished a number of investors who are looking for terrific land & future development. Offers you a small character home, on an 050m² block with town views, a drive of ovals & gardens & you can have it. Zoned RO. It’s a gem. (AK003)

Screaming potential

Limited edition

Zoned for development

Located in St Albans, this home is a great opportunity for investors who are looking for the next property. Zoned as a block for future development or ideal for a home. This property has a 3-bed, 2 bath, 1-car gge & some room for a pool. (SP938)

Ray White

View

Limited budget?

61 Pegasus Boulevard

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Large studio inside shed

If you are creative, there’s a lined & plumbed studio in the 15x5m shed. Immaculate home, spacious newly updated kitchen with all the extras like wine cooler, 2 s/cupboards, plus a functional 600l fridges. This shelving has a 2.5m higher. 2 road access, this property provides the freedom your family needs.

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including this little beauty. 400m², fully serviced and close
Rick Jackson
0429 436 598 | 9841 0208
Graham Walker
0418 422 266 | 9841 0220
Currently only 5 vacant lots under $80,000 for
you should be looking to buy. 3 bed BV&CB home on level,
$280,000
Amber Nathan
0407 774 594 | 9841 0224
Craig Nathan
Sale
very comfortable 3 bed home, modern country
1227m² where there is room for chooks, kids & caravans.
Wanting space? This is for you. The old-fashion backyard of
behind. Wonderful starter home with all the necessities. Great
add your touch to make it your own. Sit out under the patio &
fully enclosed rear balcony. One for the gardeners. Large
Priced to sell with everything supplied including the kitchen
business opportunity
• 4 beds, 2 bath/Shower on rich compacted 533m²
• 14x9/10 in lawns, pool & spa, 6x6 bed & 6x6 area
• Store room, cellar, ample storage
• Amazing views over Midda Grange to Geelong (MB592)
Price: $1,700,000
Graham Walker
0410 422 266 | 9841 0220
Kerrillea Ryde
Sale
10-15mins to Albany CBD. Nice
Tucked at the end of a road
additional games/family space.
The 3 bed home features a
paddocks, a bore & sheds.
3ac) is sure to appeal – 2
Horse lovers, this well-
established property is a horse
3ac to a sure appeal – 2
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The 3 bed block features a
fully enclosed rear balcony
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Turned at the end of a road
adjoining/Markภาพ Looks too
10-13mins to Albany CBD. Nice
dry block. (C0515)
Sale: $640,000
Rita McLean
0407 423 200 | 9841 0207

A pearler of a home
Private presentations, sunlit
staetemen lights, renovated
bathroom & kitchen with
dishwasher, pantry, lovely large
lounge with fire, spacious
living, 3 bed (master has
a large BIR), welcoming front
porch, study/office, a light
topped brick home that's a must-send
property. (BP990)
Sale: $330,000
Rita McLean
0407 423 200 | 9841 0207

Flick the renting game?
Fantastic little home with a great
sized bedroom & a spacious
lounge – just add your touch to
make it your own. Sit out under the
patio & watch the kids in the
backyard or in the park which is
directly behind. Wonderful starter
home with all the necessities.
Great price. (B947)
Sale: $331,000
Kerrillea Ryde
0419 227 335 | 9841 0237

Business opportunity
Proud to sell with everything supplied including the kitchen
and all the appliances. A 2 bed, 2 bath home with
pool, spa, separate living/family room.
Selling to owner. (BP990)
Sale: $550,000
Graham Walker
0415 423 266 | 9841 0220

Horse lovers?
Horse lovers, this well-
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Can you can yourself?
Overlooking our beautiful harbour this 1186m² block with a
nicely undulation could be your retirement address along with
neighbours? The perfect lock 'n' leave. Walk into town without
any effort. (ALB199)
Sale: $350,000

Oyster Harbour view from balcony
Peaceful full of extras – modern home, garden & vege
patch. Large fantastic home with potential huge future upside
with views over Oyster Harbour. Dit semi enclosed gage plus
additional dble lock-up gge with lined room. (LK486)
Sale: $800,000
Jackie Cowley
0407 427 354 | 9841 0215

Lots to offer
Wanting space? This is for you. The old-fashion backyard of
Oyster Harbour. Dit semi enclosed gage plus additional dble lock-up gge with
lined room. (LK486)
Sale: $800,000
Jackie Cowley
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Ray White

The Weekender, April 13, 2017
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$585,000
Rita McLean
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Sale
$339,000
Jackie Cowley
0407 427 354 | 9841 0215

Now is the Time
With low interest rates & value-priced homes, now is when
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Enjoy this home
A stylish kitchen with
dishwasher, lots of storage
& a wide balcony bar. Relax
in the lounge or second
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We look forward to hearing from you!

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Turn that music down, please?

by Anne Simpson

A FEW weeks ago a group of friends I planned to meet for a leisurely breakfast. The big decision was where to go and how long to spend with them, instead of discussing which of Albany’s many excellent eateries had the least coffee or the most delectable eggs for our weekend repast, but where to enjoy a more active and healthy lifestyle and participate in different programs and activities that are available. As SilverSport providers in Albany, we welcome senior participation with a range of activities, including tennis, aerobics,粤语, English, and Hampshire. We can look forward to new programs and activities that will be available to residents in the near future.

The report further highlights the fact that Australians continue to work beyond the age of 75 and are more likely to be doing so not out of necessity but because they love what they are doing. Maybe that explains why I continue to write for The Weekender.

More importantly, it’s what you do, how you are able to go about your work and who is alongside you that matters most when it comes to job satisfaction.

The problem is certainly not insurmountable, even for us oldies getting a bit hard of hearing! The music is blaring, it is absolutely hoarse. Our hearing aids tremble! The ceiling. As SilverSport is currently a one-off program for the program so far,” she said.

“The City has been provided with funding by the Department of Sport and Recreation. The long-term plan is for the City to claim the full $200, so as we are well on the way to reaching this goal. As SilverSport is currently a one-off there are no comments to continuing the subsidy beyond this initial period, so seniors are urged to make use of what is available.”

Albany offers numerous sporting clubs and activities that welcome senior participation, with a range of programs and activities available for those eligible. We encourage all residents to participate in these activities, through the Albany Leisure and Aquatic Centre.

The growing list of SilverSport programs includes Albany Ballett Dance Studio, Albany Dragon Boat Club, South Coast Sports Medicine, Albany Golf Club, Art’s Express Foundation, Rattle Card Physiotherapy, Sporting Shooters and plenty of great opportunities to enjoy tennis, bowls and many more.

If you have any questions or would like to participate in SilverSport, please contact ALAC on 9868 3450 or email alac@albany.wa.gov.au.

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YOUNG drivers are gearing up for the running of the Australian National Soapbox Championships on Easter Saturday, April 15, with Albany Soapbox Club president Larry Puls said the event was the 55th year of the local event, despite drivers usually only attending from WA.

The story goes that in the early 1970s Sir Jack passed through town one Easter and his son was keen to race, so they opened the competition up to all drivers.

This year’s program will set off at 10am. Drivers are required to arrive before the qualifying rounds commence.

Each driver will then have four attempts to qualify for the finals, with their three fastest times determined whether they make the final heats.

Larry Puls said the club tried to keep the competition run smoothly without any delays, which means that everything should run smoothly without any delays. "We’ve had a few too many crashes in the past," he said.

This way we can have fun doing the race, which is the aim of the event. "We’ve had a few too many crashes in the past," he said.

The Albany Soapbox Club was established in 1962, and has seen a few changes in the design of its cars, with some now using aerofoils to extend the driving experience.

Original soapbox design grew from a gleaned bicycle frame from a local scrap yard. They then built the frame and raced it using bike tires.

The first recorded race took place in Germany in 1904, after a newspaper photographer, Myron Scott, had designed a race in the US and was so impressed he acquired the rights to the event. He renamed the race the National Soapbox Derby.

Today, soapbox racing has gone international with the popular annual Red Bull Soapbox competition focusing on unique, home-made cars. Soapbox cars of any design all rely on the force of gravity to propel them.

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Mt Barker resident Jo Collins sent in the photograph above which shows part of Lowood Road as it was around 1956. Jo Collins (left) with gallery coordinator Linda Morrison.

A MORION recycling has started a recycling competition in Mt Barker.

Putt Putt’s Pizza awarded the prizes to Mormon Elder Christian Parry who took the lead in the “pizza challenge”.

Putt Putt’s Pizza marketing manager Susan Cullen said the terms were very simple.

“The one man, one tyre and one hour, so you get one hour to eat a metre-long pizza. If you do complete it you get the pizza for free, together with a picture on our wall of fame and bragging rights.”

Mt Collins said Putt Putt Pizza’s mousetrap rival challenge (late last month and would put out another one for anyone who wanted it.

“You can book it in for any time, but probably be having some sort of promotions from Putt Putt Pizza.”

“Shire staff have had discussions with the local postal office and apparently there is no chance of this happening.”

“Do you really expect them to give us a heart attack,” said resident Rupert Jones.

“If you do complete it you get the pizza for free, together with a picture on our wall of fame and bragging rights.”
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It seems there isn’t much Jessica Newell can’t do. At the age of 25, Jessica has chased her dreams and built a wealth of knowledge for such a young person, Ms Newton said.

She commands respect from the kids too – which is great. “She’s from Busselton, so she’s relaying the message that she’s achievable. If it’s a hard slog, I feel you want to do it, you can.”

Ms Newton and two of her students, Aelita Lemo and Talulah Williams, will be joining Jessica for her Dance’s Dream tour later in the year, where they will visit top dance studios and junior and senior dancers and students, Akelina Lembo and Alex Malone, Hellie Turner, Murray Dowsett and Nick Maclaine.

By ANTHONY PROBERT

The world premiere of Albany State Theatre Company’s The Lighthouse Girl’s draw- ing near, and as it does, the play’s connection with Albany residents, as seen in its premiere at Albany State Theatre Company before moving to Perth to further its studies. He attended Curtin University and gradu- ated with a degree of Performing Arts in 1995.

It’s her father’s dream to come to the Albany Light Opera Theatre Company in 1995, which later became Southern Edge Art. He was a regular performer in productions by the Albany Light Opera Theatre Company before moving to Perth to further his studies.

He attended Curtin University and gradu- ated with a degree of Performing Arts in 1995.

He has strong mem- ory of Performing Arts regularly at various Perth schools as well as appearing in theatre, film TV and radio.

The Lighthouse Girl premieres at Albany Entertain- ment Centre on April 21, with another world premiere of The Lighthouse Girl at the West Australian Theatre Company in its season in Perth.

The production stars Daisy Cole as Fay Howe, born and bred in Albany, who was the inspiration for the character of the light- housekeeper. The production stars Daisy Cole as Fay Howe, born and bred in Albany, who was the inspiration for the character of the light- housekeeper. The production stars Daisy Cole as Fay Howe, born and bred in Albany, who was the inspiration for the character of the light- housekeeper.
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KERVINANN, Georges. Delivered from the soil of the Albany Plain, Georges passed away peacefully on August 31, 2017, aged 93 years. Loved husband, father and grandfather. A service will be held at 11.00am on Monday, September 4, at the Albany Seventh Day Adventist Church.

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**Duration:**

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**Closing date:**

12 noon, Monday 17 April 2017.

**Applications:**

For a copy of the Tender Document and a Tender Form, go to the City of Albany website at www.albany.wa.gov.au or contact City of Albany, 77 Sanford Road, Albany, on phone 9842 1818 or by email to council@albany.wa.gov.au

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Southern Ports Authority - Albany
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Easter Saturday – April 15 2017 – 8:00am Start

Princess Royal Sailing Club to ANZAC Peace Park

Competition rules for inside and out

1. All nominations will be accepted at briefing on Friday April 21 at 6pm.

2. Boats may only be entered in the Out-Offshore category.

3. The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular will commence at 0630hrs.

4. Any boat leaving the designated area of any time prior to the water prior to that time will be disqualified.

5. Competitors must sign off and all fees must be handed in to 1000hrs.

6. Any boat arriving after this time will be disqualified.

7. In the case of bad weather, The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular may be postponed until Sunday if weather permits.

8. If the weather continues to be unsuitable, The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular may be cancelled.

9. The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular is a personal entry, the boat is to be entered with the name of the entrant, if the boat is not entered, than the prize will be shared with the boat entry fees. All decisions are final. In the case of more than one fish of the same species, a ballot will be conducted to determine the winner.

10. Any person taking part in The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular does so at their own risk. The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular will not be responsible for any injury sustained by any competitor to their own person or efforts.

11. Any dispute must be reported for the weigh-in in writing no later than 15 minutes after the completion of the weigh-in. The disputant committee will adjudicate and their decision will be final. The Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular reserves the right to examine any fish presented for weigh-in. If a fish is of the same species as the weigh-in, then the prize will be shared accordingly. All decisions made by the appointed judge will be final.

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13. All boats are to conform to Planning and Infrastructure regulations. Boats may be checked by officials.

14. The entry fee is payable by every person on board and is non-refundable.

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Inspect your catch

With dozens of boats expected to hit the water for the Albany Southern Ocean Spectacular, the day can sometime be overwhelming with fish and information. The Department of Fisheries’ new online format covers 160 fish species found in WA, including enlarged fish illustrations, tags and area feeds and licence that apply. You can find information about legal and illegal fishing, rules and how to measure fish and fishwatch. You can search by location so that you can look up the rules specific to a particular area.

For those recreational fishers who have been missing out in the past, the information is also there to help comply with Fisheries rules and guidelines, particularly at the time of year when the annual migration of western Australian salmon and the Australian herring is at its height.

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Comps: to enter or not to enter?

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Players advance to Hobart

THREE of Albany’s brightest hockey stars will be packing their bags and heading to Hobart during the school holidays after being invited to participate in the U17 Victorian Hockey Championships.

Karel Cronje, Sophie McDonald and Harry Keymer have been selected for the Victorian Under 17 Hockey Division.

Harry Keymer, Sophie McDonald and Karel Cronje are holding on to the dream of becoming an elite level hockey player.

Harry Keymer has been on the brink of the state side for the past few years and narrowly missed out on selection for the WA side.

Cronje, 15, is no stranger to success, competing in the WA under 17s and under 15s in the past but he’s sneakily chosen this year in the under 17s as an attacking midfielder. His ability to roll into defence hasn’t hampered his place in the squad and seen him playing a year above his age group.

“It’s a difficult step up, but I’m looking forward to the challenge,” he said. “It’s good to have that versatility for the side, so things don’t fall apart if we need to call on someone else.”

North Albany midfielder Sophie McDonald has broken through for the Victorian side and is feeling good for her side that has little time to gel ahead of the trip to Hobart.

The NTHWA side came back from a loss in the WA tournament to win their final competitive match for the rest of the tournament.

Cronje said it was good to have another local player to rely on while out of town.

Grant proves a gas for foody team

North Albany Football and Sporting Club will receive a $10,000 grant from Origin LPG to help upgrade its kitchen facilities.

The grant is part of a national program to support local sporting clubs, but the important role they play in the community.

“A big part of that club’s focus is being able to provide the local families with facilities around the area,” North Albany Football and Sporting Club president Jason James said.

The grant is part of a community program from Origin aimed at rewarding and recognizing the work done by local sporting clubs, while also highlighting the role that LPG plays in the community.

From hosting the dinner at the end of a match, to cooking the snags to celebrate a big win, LPG is essential for many sporting clubs around the country.

This is especially true for our region, said Origin LPG section manager Scott Towle.

In addition to rewarding the grant, Origin LPG will be celebrating a community achievement of the week for their sporting program and details of a 25 cent off offer, visit www.originenergy.com.au/sport.

Tides & Tips

SUN and tides times on the South Coast are as follows. Tide times are printed for Albany. Add 15 minutes for Beverley-Breach, and 15 minutes for Walpole.

Friday, April 14: Sunrise 6.31am, Sunset 5.39pm. 6.07m, 12.13pm, 7.57pm, 12.35pm, 0.70pm.

Saturday, April 15: Sunrise 6.32am, Sunset 5.40pm. 6.10m, 12.16pm, 7.60pm, 12.40pm, 0.84pm.

Sunday, April 16: Sunrise 6.33am, Sunset 5.41pm. 6.15m, 12.18pm, 7.63pm, 12.45pm, 0.87pm.

Monday, April 17: Sunrise 6.34am, Sunset 5.42pm. 6.19m, 12.21pm, 7.65pm, 12.47pm, 0.90pm.

Tuesday, April 18: Sunrise 6.36am, Sunset 5.44pm. 6.21m, 12.23pm, 7.67pm, 12.50pm, 0.93pm.

Wednesday, April 19: Sunrise 6.37am, Sunset 5.46pm. 6.24m, 12.25pm, 7.69pm, 12.52pm, 0.96pm.

Thursday, April 20: Sunrise 6.38am, Sunset 5.47pm. 6.26m, 12.27pm, 7.71pm, 12.55pm, 0.99pm.

Friday, April 21: Sunrise 6.40am, Sunset 5.49pm. 6.30m, 12.30pm, 7.73pm, 13.01pm, 1.02pm.

Saturday, April 22: Sunrise 6.41am, Sunset 5.50pm. 6.33m, 12.33pm, 7.75pm, 13.03pm, 1.05pm.

Sunday, April 23: Sunrise 6.42am, Sunset 5.51pm. 6.36m, 12.35pm, 7.77pm, 13.07pm, 1.08pm.

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Why holidays are good for your health

By ABBIE CREEDY

Travel Desk/Cool Point Club Hotel

ARE YOU beginning to feel like a lot of a non-something-then-need? As though one day flies into the next?

This can be a sign that you need to think away from your daily monotonous routine. Here are five reasons why getting away on holiday can boost your wellbeing:

• Even before you go away, you can find the anticipation and excitement build which can have an instantly positive effect on your mood.

• You have time to get more rest, breathe, and slow down. Stress and lack of sleep can mean your brain feels foggy. So, even if you can’t fit in a holiday Soon, finding more chill out time and getting enough good quality sleep regularly in your right now can help boost your concentration and alertness.

HAPPY EASTER!

The Weekender, April 13, 2017
SIGHTSEEERS sit on top of the Natural Bridge, circa 1925.

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