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Cruisin'

Photo: Ashleigh Fielding

■ THE first cruise ship of the season sailed in and out of Albany on Tuesday and attracted a sea of cars and onlookers as it headed back into the deep blue. The *Sea Princess* docked in port from 9am to 4pm and gave more than 2000 tourists the chance to explore the CBD and visit local shops and cafes. The *Sun Princess* will come to Albany on October 20 and November 1, bringing a collective 3900 people into town. The *Astor* will arrive on December 13 and the *Azamara Quest* will wind up the year with a Christmas Eve arrival. A further 10 cruise ships will visit the South Coast next year between January and March, including the *Maasdam*, *Regatta*, *Crystal Serenity*, *Silver Muse*, *Pacific Eden* and *Viking Sun*.

Rex defends delays

CHRIS THOMSON

EXTENDED delays to Rex's Albany flights have raised the ire of MLA Peter Watson, who says he will raise the matter with his State Labor colleague Transport Minister Rita Saffioti.

"I'm going to catch up with Rita to find out what the benchmarks are, because of the amount of complaints I'm getting," Mr Watson said on Monday night after belatedly arriving in Perth.

That morning, his scheduled 6:30am flight did not depart Albany until 11.25am.

"It just happens all the time," he told *The Weekender*.

"It's a weekly occurrence." The parliamentarian said he took between 30 and 40 return flights to Perth a year, and Rex offered a wide range of reasons for delays.

"Sometimes, they say: 'Oh, we can't get the pilots'," he lamented.

"They're also putting people off planes because it's too heavy."

"I was at Perth Airport a couple of weeks ago, and they said they needed two people to volunteer, otherwise they

could not take off because it was bad weather in Albany."

Mr Watson said he checked the weather on his phone and Albany seemed all clear, and when he finally touched down the weather was okay at Drome.

He said a fellow passenger, recently diagnosed with cancer, who missed a 9.45am specialist's appointment in Perth thanks to Monday's long delay, had emailed him.

"I didn't receive a text message and did not find out about the cancelled flight until 1 arrive at the airport at 5.45[am]," the woman wrote.

"Had I received a message about the flight last night, I could have driven to Perth and made the appointment."

"I have to spend the night in Perth now, which I do not want to [as it] will incur extra charges."

Mr Watson said that over the past 12 months, delays and cancellations had got "worse and worse".

"Their name is 'Regional Express', but as someone said at the airport this morning, they may as well take the 'express' off because they're never on time," he said.

"They seem to think: 'Oh, it's a business, take what you get, we've got the [monopoly] rights [to run the service]'."

A Rex spokeswoman said Mr Watson's flight was delayed due to "crew rest requirements as specified by Civil Aviation Orders".

"The inbound flight from the previous night was delayed, resulting in an extended rest requirement for flight crew," she said.

She said Rex's on-time performance was "well above" the benchmark stipulated in the airline's agreement with the State to operate the mo-

nopoly Albany service.

"In Financial Year 2018, Rex operated more than 2300 flights between Albany and Perth with 88 per cent operating on time and we expect a similar result in the full Financial Year 2019," she said.

"There have been slightly more delays between Albany and Perth during the winter months of July and August."

"However, we are already seeing a significant improvement post winter."

The Weekender asked questions of Ms Saffioti and received no reply.

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Following footprints

ASHLEIGH FIELDING

THE footsteps of family members that were lost to war will be retraced by Melbourne-based Narelle Levin when she travels to Albany in the coming weeks, after winning the National Anzac Centre's Remembrance Tour competition.

Ms Levin's visit to Albany is one aspect of the Remembrance Tour she won in April by answering the question, "What does the legend of the diggers mean to you?". She will also tour Europe for 10 days with her husband Leon to retrace

the journey of her great uncle and grandfather who were among those who departed from King George Sound in 1914 to fight in World War I.

"Great Uncle Charlie's blood stains Gallipoli's shores and Granddad Carl's footprint is imprinted on the Fields of Flanders," her winning entry reads.

"The digger to me is family."

Ms Levin's great uncle Private Charles Frances Fincher was enlisted in the 5th Battalion AIF and departed Albany on November 1, 1914 aboard

the flagship Orviato.

Fincher lost his life on the beach at Gallipoli moments after Australian troops landed on April 25, 1915.

Ms Levin's great grandfather Private Carl James Dettmann was assigned to the 4th Light Horse Regiment and later to the 1st Australian Cyclist Corp, and left Albany on the same day as Fincher, aboard the Wiltshire.

He survived the war but was hospitalised on several occasions during his first few months overseas with deafness and scarlet fever.

Going for gongs



Photo: Ashleigh Fielding

■ Chris and Grace are pretty stoked with their award nomination.

TWO *Weekender* reporters have emerged from a record field of 284 entrants to make the finals of the WA Media Awards.

At a gala ceremony in Perth on October 27, Grace Jones and Chris Thomson will learn whether they take top gong, respectively, for best reporting by a cadet journalist or best reporting by a regional journalist.

Grace, who is up against one new journo from Fairfax and another from the ABC, was nominated for her story titled 'Lisa Blair returns to Oz'.

To source the story, Grace stood her ground on an Albany jetty as the solo round-the-world sailor arrived amidst media pandemonium.

Then a cub reporter, Grace found a fresh angle in gaining exclusive access for a heartfelt interview with Lisa Blair's family.

Chris was nominated for three stories he wrote that shed fresh light on Albany's restrictive shopping hours.

The *Weekender's* chief news writer is up against reporters from the ABC, Fairfax and The *Kimberley Echo*.

WHAT'S ON this weekend

Shutterbugs unite

A Youth in Focus photography workshop will be held on Sunday at 10am for 15 to 20-year-olds keen to learn more about camera controls and settings, taking photos and processing images. If you don't have a camera, a limited number of DSLR cameras are available for loan. It will cost you \$10 per session and there are three remaining in the series. The meeting point is at Vancouver Arts Centre and you can purchase a ticket through Eventbrite.

Gig list

Dawn Barrington is playing at Freehand Wines in Denmark on Friday night from 6pm.

Mary Jayne Negus and Adam Grog are performing three hours of soul at Wilson Brewing Company on Saturday night from 5pm.

The Mucky Duck Bush Band barn dance is on Saturday from 5pm at Woodnalling Town Hall.

Blake Gobbler has the Sunday sesh shift at Six Degrees from 5pm.

Smell the roses

Bainstow's Farm in Kalgan will have an open garden featuring hundreds of roses this Sunday, 10.30am to 5pm to raise money for Albany Community Hospice. The address is 43 Ridley Road and entry is \$5.

Get your boot scooters on

Denmark Country Music Club's country music night will be held at Berrinbill Hall, Lower Denmark Road this Saturday, 8pm until midnight. There will be live country music from Gumleaf. Attendees are asked to bring a plate of food to share. Tickets cost \$10 for members, \$12 for non-members and children under 16 are free. For bookings and enquiries, call Helen (9841 8538/0477 965 158), Cathy (9846 4306/0427 464 306) or Tom (9848 1339/0407 461 339).

Evening under the stars

Denmark Walpole Football Club is hosting a black and white gala this Saturday at the Denmark Civic Centre from 6pm. The 18+ event will include a light supper, an open bar, cocktails, prizes and entertainment. There will be live music from local lads Dig the Dust. Tickets for \$40 can be purchased from Morrison's Newsagency.

Market day

The Kendenup Town Hall Market Day is this Saturday from 9am and will feature fruit and vegetables, preserves, pickles, eggs, home baked goods, French pastries, knits, toys, arts and crafts.

Runnin' round the clock

The Perth Trail Series is coming to Albany this weekend for three events. Saturday will be the 50km ultra marathon from Mutton Bird to Middleton Beach. Saturday night is the night run around the Field of Light and the Three Peaks run is on Sunday morning. If you want to cheer the runners on, you can find out more details at trailrunalbany.com.

Feast of kings

A Fijian cuisine buffet-style dinner, Pacific-ly Silas will be held at Centennial Stadium on Saturday night from 6.30pm. Pepper and Salt Restaurant chef Silas will be at the helm of the kitchen. Tickets can be purchased through Eventbrite.

Going to the chapel

Elliot House in Bayonet Head is hosting a Wedding and Event Gala Day on Sunday, 10am to 4pm. Exhibits will cover all things needed for your big day and include vendors from across the region.

Tasty treats served in secret

POP-UP restaurant and Australian native produce lovers Fervor will set up shop in two Great Southern locations this week and next week for a five-course degustation experience.

On Saturday night as a part of the Hidden Treasures Bloom Festival at a secret location in the Stirling Range, guests are in for a treat, with executive chef Paul Iskov creating each dish in a public viewing kitchen.

The Foraging Feast at the Pink Lakes in the Shire of Cranbrook will be made entirely from locally sourced produce.

Diners can expect to sample marron, green ants, crab, yolk, wattlesseed, seaweed, wallaby and muntjac berries.

Next week Fervor are scheduled to delight the taste buds at the newly constructed Premier Mill Hotel in Katanning.

Marina hotel 'by 2020'

CHRIS THOMSON

FORGET Middleton Beach: Albany's best chance of landing a luxury hotel soon is at the harbour-front block beside Duc South tavern where owner Paul Lionetti wants a hotel built in the next 18 months.

Albany Mayor Dennis Wellington told *The Weekender* a development application for a hotel on Mr Lionetti's block had been lodged and the local business identity wanted the likely six-floor structure built by Easter 2020.

"It's a design and construct thing with Pindan Constructions," Mr Wellington said.

"It has 108 rooms.

"It fits within the guidelines of the agreement under which that land was originally set up."

Mr Wellington said he was not in a position to confirm the hotel's likely star rating.

"I haven't had it really confirmed about the operator but we understand it will be a major chain, which would be advantageous in terms of them going to their database around the world and advertising this new hotel in

Albany," he added.

"It's certainly something that we do need and the sooner we get it the better."

The plans are being considered by City staff ahead of referral to a decision by a State-convened assessment panel on which Mr Wellington and Councillor Bill Hollingsworth are the only locally elected officials.

"I think it's a terrific idea," Mr Wellington said of the hotel.

"I think it's something we desperately need into our tourism product that we have a top-class hotel down there.

"I think if it goes through it would be excellent."

Last month, State Lands Minister Rita Saffioti confessed not one developer had expressed interest in building a hotel on a plot at Middleton Beach left vacant when the much-loved Esplanade Hotel was demolished in 2007.

Mr Wellington said a recent approach by Mr Lionetti to convert some of the project's rooms into apartments was yet to be resolved and did not form part of the current application.

Mr Lionetti declined to comment.

Ladies' health check call

REGIONAL women are urged to keep abreast of changes to their bodies and stay up to date with their mammograms this Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

She said despite living far away from Albany and check-up services, she knew she had to prioritise an appointment.

"I called in for a repeat mammogram because I'd had a bad fall and lots of bruising came up," Ms Steed said.

"I had a biopsy and had to wait 24 hours for a

diagnosis.

"It was the longest 24 hours of my life."

Ms Steed's early detection and diagnosis allowed her to quickly receive a lumpectomy to remove the cancer.

"10 days post-op, I was advised I didn't need chemo, just radiotherapy," she said.

"I was very pleased."

Ms Steed encouraged other women to immediately book a check-up appointment if they noticed any change in their body, and to prioritise self-health.

"Get it checked out straight away, don't put it off," she said.

"Your imagination tells you far worse things than your doctor will."

Cancer Council WA Regional Education Officer Bruce Beamish echoed Ms Steed's message and hoped women would ignore the common misconception that breast cancer can only be developed if the person has a family history.

"This isn't the case," Mr Beamish said of the false understanding.

"Most women who develop breast cancer don't have a family history.

"That's why it's so important to get to know your body and know what's normal for you."

Mr Beamish said symptoms to look out for in-

clude new persistent pain or discomfort, a change in the shape, size or feel of the breasts, any lump, lumpiness or thickening in the breast or underarm, any skin changes, redness, puckering, dimpling of the breast, any changes in the position of the nipple and nipple discharge.

"You don't have to be an expert or use a special technique," Mr Beamish said of self-breast checks.

"Just being breast aware and knowing what to look for could help find breast cancer early, which



■ Jeannie Steed.

means there are more treatment options and the chances of survival are greatest."

BreastScreen WA provides free screening mammograms to WA women aged 40 years or older with no breast symptoms every two years.

"To book an appointment, you can reach BreastScreen WA on 13 20 50 or online at breastscreen.health.wa.gov.au, or contact your GP.

— Ashleigh Fielding

Bloom show

DELEGATES of the Heritage Roses in Australia will sprout up in Albany next month for the biennial national conference.

More than 160 members from across Australia and as far afield as New Zealand and the United States will meet in Albany on November 6 to discuss the preservation, cultivation, distribution and study of heritage roses, including the cultivation of rose species of historical importance.

The theme for this year's conference is *Creating Collections* which will involve the delegates visiting collections of heritage roses over their 10-day visit, including the Rose Maze at Kodja Place in Kojonup which has more than 100 varieties of Australian-bred roses.

Albany avid gardener and president of the executive committee of the National Heritage Roses in Australia Sheryl Shaylor will preside over the conference at the Albany Entertainment Centre.

Speakers for the event include Albany-based rose enthusiasts Christine Hopper, Sally Malone and Malcolm Trail, Kojonup's Cathy Wright, rose consultant for the Old Parliament House rose garden in Canberra Dennis Dempsey and keynote speaker and co-author of *Tea Roses-Old Roses for Warm Gardens* Lyn Chapman.

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■ Director of UWA's Oceans Institute Erika Techera, recently resigned Carnegie CEO Mike Ottaviano, Alannah MacTiernan and Albany MLA Peter Watson at Sandpatch last October when the wave farm enjoyed smoother conditions.

Govt swamped on Carnegie payment

CHRIS THOMSON

HEATED debate over the Albany wave power project dominated the reopening of Parliament on Tuesday, with Treasurer Ben Wyatt conceding the State may have cooked \$2.6 million of taxpayer dough.

Asked by Member for Warren-Blackwood Terry Redman if Carnegie Energy cannot convince the Government it has the financial capacity to complete the project off Sandpatch, will \$2.6 million already paid to the firm be lost, Mr Wyatt said: "I suspect so".

"Because ultimately in nine weeks the State Government will have to assess whether Carnegie has the capacity to deliver the project in the new tax incentive environment," he explained.

Earlier, Mr Wyatt, outwardly calm under intense Opposition fire, argued that recent changes to the Federal research and development tax incentive that now made the project less viable could not have been foreseen by the State.

Opposition Leader Mike Nahan demanded the

Government table any advice it had been given on why Carnegie should have received the \$2.6 million.

"We now know that Carnegie is really struggling with its technology and investment off Garden Island," he said.

"The government did not do an assessment of whether the technology that Carnegie had that was designed to serve isolated naval bases around the world that pay top dollar for energy was competitive down in Albany," he was not.

"We now have Carnegie virtually collapsing as a firm; the man who put it together has left."

Dr Nahan said Carnegie's share price had "collapsed to one per cent".

"It has flogged energy made clean at a 75 per cent loss and it is not capable of undertaking the project, yet it came and asked for its milestone payments," he added.

"The Government initially balked, but then gave Carnegie half. "On what basis did the Government give it... the \$2.6 million milestone payment given it has not

met the milestones and cannot continue with the project?"

Dr Nahan said the Government did not do its due diligence, and had misled Albany.

"Clearly, the people of Albany wanted to go to 100 per cent renewable energy – fair enough – and the government wanted to tilt them with a renewable," he said.

"It crab-walked away from it and said the project was not to deliver energy, it was a research project."

He said Carnegie already had a viable research project in Fremantle that was servicing Garden Island.

"The government has actually undermined that project and probably seriously damaged the whole firm," he said.

"The Government took this on to get a few votes down in Albany and ruined a good firm."

"Carnegie will not deliver the project and a hell of a lot of money has been wasted just to cater to a marginal seat."

Premier Mark McGowan retorted, saying: "We proudly support the people of Albany".

"Again, I do not understand why the Liberal and National Parties dislike the people of Albany so much that they do not want these innovative projects supporting their economic development," he added.

A question of public interest raised by Mr Redman – that the house condemn the Government for its mishandling of the wave farm and call on Mr McGowan to remove regional development minister Alannah MacTiernan from project oversight – was defeated 34 votes to 19.

In the Legislative Council, Ms MacTiernan, responding to a question from Agricultural Region MLC Martin Aldridge, said: "Of course we looked at the capability of Carnegie and its financial capacity".

"Carnegie is not in default of its agreement, but we have exercised the right of that agreement to take it to outline, in this changed legal environment, how it is going to fund its contribution into the project before we make any further commitments," she said.

Balcony by degrees

CHRIS THOMSON

ALBANY pub Six Degrees has landed a \$100,000 State heritage grant to reinstate its majestic balcony, a corner post of which was obliterated by a tearaway circus elephant in 1929.

At the hotel on Friday, owner Anton Davey said he would rebuild the long-gone balcony similarly to how the nearby White Star Hotel had rebuilt its in recent years.

"It's a project that's going to cost \$200,000, and once we do that, we want to re-litigate that area, because we'll have that great view of the harbour that is magnificent," he said.

The venue, which still carries the Royal George Hotel name it went by for decades, was turned down for funding in the past two years but now has scored the maximum amount available under the State's Heritage Grants Program.

"There was a balcony here in 1929," Mr Davey said.

"A post was taken out by Jumbo the elephant that escaped from the train down here, and it ran along Stirling Terrace and turned left into what is now our beer garden, into our laneway and actually took out the corner post."

With editorial aplomb, on August 17, 1929 The Albany Advertiser reported Jumbo's rampage



Photo: Chris Thomson

■ Anton Davey, Albany MLA Peter Watson, Heritage Council member Sally Malone, building owner Joe Lembo and State Heritage Minister David Templeman at Six Degrees on Friday.

through central Albany at the bottom of Page 2 under the headline: "Jumbo gets a move on".

"Jumbo, one of the elephants attached to Wirth's Circus... arrived by the early morning special train, and after breakfast was engaged in hauling lorry loads of gear to the Parade Street reserve, the site chosen for the huge tent," the newspaper's local and general roundsman wrote.

"A slight mishap to the lorry necessitated a detour to the Frederick Street works of Mr A.F.

Cuddihy for repairs."

Then things got interesting.

"Jumbo entered the Royal George lane with due decorum, but thereafter became restless and made off on 'top gear' with his lorry rattling behind," the roundsman continued.

"He negotiated the narrow right-of-way without the slightest deviation but the turn to the west into Stirling Terrace proved his undoing."

"Contact with the corner post of the Roy-

al George Hotel Terrace verandah proved disastrous for the post.

"The steel upright was snapped off like a carrot, and the top portion left swaying in the breeze."

With The Advertiser's current local and general roundsman not at Six Degrees on Friday for the funding announcement, *The Weekender* also learned exclusively that Mr Davey had abandoned his application for a 2am closing time ("Second tilt at 2am closing time", 24 May).

"I've put it on the table twice and I think because of the multi-use of the area with accommodation over the road it actually doesn't matter [to State liquor officials] that this hotel has been here 150 years and that building down [on Jondroff Parade] has only been here 15 years, for some reason that doesn't seem to matter," he lamented.

He said his current approval to trade to 1am, revealed here last year ("Six degrees of excitement", 7 December), was "going along just fine".

"We won't go back [to the State liquor licensing director] again for the 2am," he said.

"We'll rebuild the business around a 1am closing time."

Casting the net

GREAT Southerners have the chance to be in Albany film *H* is for Happiness if they can make it to casting sessions tomorrow and Saturday.

H is for Happiness follows the story of 12-year-old Candice Phee, who is on a mission to find happiness for her family following a tragedy.

The family movie will be filmed in Albany during November and December this year.

Extras, stand-ins and doubles are being sought of all ages, shapes, sizes and cultural backgrounds and will be chosen from the people who attend the casting sessions at Albany Entertainment Centre tomorrow, October 12 from 1.30pm to 5pm and Saturday, October 13 from 9am to 3pm.

One role to be filled is for a 12 or 13-year-old female student with red hair, Caucasian skin with freckles and who is approximately 154cm tall.

Another is for a 32 to 42-year-old male with brown hair, Caucasian skin and who is approximately 188cm tall.

Other roles include an elderly ladies walking group, couples, paramedics, nurses, orderlies, bands, a six-month-old red-haired female, six to 13-year-old children, teenagers, dog owners and dogs, families and a six-year-old red-haired female.

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Sports awards open

SPORTSPEOPLE of Denmark have until the end of November to hand in their nomination forms for the annual Sportsperson of the Year Awards.

The Sportspeople of the Year Awards recognises individuals who have made a significant contribution to local sports in areas such as fundraising, volun-

teer service, umpiring, coaching, sportsmanship and individual sporting achievement.

Shire of Denmark Manager of Recreation Services Damian Schwarzbach said the past 12 months had been exceptional for the sporting community.

"Local sporting clubs are attracting record numbers of participa-

tion," he said.

"Members of those clubs now have the chance to recognise sportspeople and sporting volunteers who have made a significant contribution to local sporting clubs."

Nomination forms are available from the Shire Administration Office or the Denmark Recreation Centre.



Photo: Grace Jones

■ The FOGO waste trial will run until November 26.

What the FOGO?

THE City of Albany started trialing a two-month waste program on Tuesday that will require Albany residents to separate their food and garden materials from their general waste.

Selected homes have been asked to use the provided kitchen counter caddy and compostable bin liners to separate food scraps from general waste to be put in the green waste bin for collection every fortnight.

Residents received a letter from the City recently that states, "almost a third of our (Albany) general waste is made up of scraps that

could easily be turned into a clean compost".

The letter goes on to state that the trial is to test the potential of rolling out the food organics and garden organics (FOGO) system across the entire residential area and to divert food waste from landfill.

During the trial, participants are encouraged to put all food and plant scraps in their green waste bin along with shredded paper and dirty pizza boxes.

FOGO scraps will be sent to the Vancouver Waste Facility to be turned into compost to reduce

greenhouse gas emission, make landfill space more accessible and use the compost for gardening and agriculture.

During the trial, bins will be checked by City of Albany officials for the study.

Trial households have been asked to sort through their rubbish until November 26.

For more information on FOGO or to register your interest in future trials contact the City of Albany Manager of City Operations Mike Richardson on 6820 3979.

Everyone's a winner

CHRIS THOMSON

ALBANY hit the Lotterywest jackpot twice last week when 22 locals scooped the \$10 million OZ Lotto prize pool and two art projects scored a grant from the State-run gambling agency for next month's Remembrance Day commemoration.

On Thursday, Lotterywest announced the \$10 million winning ticket sold at Clark's Newsagency on York Street was the only Division One winner.

On Friday, Albany Mayor Dennis Wellington congratulated the lucky lotto.

"They'll get more than \$450,000 each, so there's a lot of mortgages that will be discharged," he said.

"So, 22 people who've shared some largesse; it's fantastic."

Member for Albany Peter Watson said that at a time when local businesses were doing it tough, the \$10 million injection of good luck could stimulate the Great Southern economy.

"I know quite a few of the winners," he added.

"It's really great to see a group of good people getting it instead of just one person."



Photo: Chris Thomson

■ Matt Ward explains his artwork at Friday's grant announcement.

"Good on 'em."

Mr Watson said while the winners could splash their cash any which way they pleased, he hoped they would use much of it to buy local.

"We've had a big win in Albany over the last week, but even if you don't win a prize personally, you win anyway because Lotterywest gives

back to the community," he explained.

The State Labor member said the Lotterywest model of wealth redistribution was far better than the poker machines over east with their incendiary "social effects".

In town to announce a \$50,000 Lotterywest grant, State Culture and Arts Minister David Tem-

pleman said the funded arts projects would help tell local stories to the world.

"It's a unique lottery system in Australia, if not the world," he said in a one-on-one with *The Weekender*.

"WA is the only place in Australia where there is significant dollars delivered [from lotto] to health, culture and the arts, and sports and recreation."

"So we have to keep reminding people that their investment in lotto tickets, in scratches, whatever it is, it comes back."

The grant will help fund A Light Shade of Red, a free multi-media exhibition created by 30 young people on the theme of remembrance.

Also partially funded will be By Other Eyes: The Armistice Choral Project that will bring Noongar Elders, returned service-people and community choirs together to perform on Remembrance Day, November 11.

Lotterywest also kicked in \$300,000 to get the Field of Light: Avenue of Honour artwork now at Mount Clarence off the ground.



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■ *Field of Light* will illuminate the Avenue of Honour until April next year.

Guiding light brings story home

CHRIS THOMSON

THE LAUNCH of Albany's *Field of Light: Avenue of Honour* artwork at the Mount Clarence war memorial last week sparked vivid memories of Afghanistan for State Veteran Issues Minister Peter Tinley, a onetime member of the crack SAS regiment.

"Those lights, when I stood back and got a good space-and-depth look at them, reminded me of flying in the

Middle East and coming into towns in Afghanistan where there was a smattering of lights," Mr Tinley reflected in an unguarded interview with *The Weekender* on Friday.

"And it brought back memories of ... trepidation and fear of what we might find down there on the ground."

In 1990, Mr Tinley graduated first in class and was Queens Medallist at the Royal Military College Duntroon. For 17 of his 25 years in the Army he

served with the Special Air Service regiment, which is based in Perth.

"It's really good to be part of this continuous and unbroken story of Albany's connection to the Anzacs," he said.

"Actually, I thought the rain made last night's opening even more poignant."

"It just added to that sense of place that was so important to the Anzac story and will continue to be important."

Mr Tinley was the first member in the history of the SAS to advance from Trooper to Squadron Commander.

"One of the things that's really good about *Field of Light* is the inclusion of the 'A' and the 'NZ', in the changing colour of the lights to the Kwhai, the national flower of New Zealand, and the wattle," he said.

"As Veteran's Minister I go around always and acknowledge there is an 'NZ' in

'Anzac', because in major missions in Afghanistan and Iraq and everywhere in between our Kiwi brothers and sisters have been there with us.

"They're two siblings that don't mind going each other, from Rugby to under-arm bowling, but the relationship is still very strong."

During his final appointment as Chief Operations Officer from 2001 to 2004 Mr Tinley was principal planner for operations worldwide including

East Timor, Christmas Island (Tampa), Afghanistan and Iraq.

"The challenge for us in Government is to make sure all of Australia knows what's going on in Albany so people can have a fair opportunity to get here," the Labor Member for Willagee said.

"And it's on until April."

"My eight-year-old daughter has committed me to a road-trip to get to it again so she can see it."

Immortal Olympic protest

CHRIS THOMSON

ALBANY MLA Peter Watson has lauded the Victorian Government for moving to immortalise his late Olympic team mate Peter Norman who in 1968 joined medalists from the USA in a famous civil rights protest atop the victory dais in Mexico.

As Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Mr Watson on Tuesday told his Parliamentary colleagues Norman had been a "personal friend" of his.

"Peter Norman was one of our legends who was badly treated after the Olympics," Mr Watson recalled.

Earlier on Tuesday, the Victorian Government announced Norman, who died in 2006, would be remembered with a statue to be erected in his honour at Melbourne's Lakeside Stadium.

The announcement came on 'Peter Norman Day', 50 years after the Mexico City Olympics where Norman won Silver in the 200m sprint, and Mr Watson ran in heats of the 1500m.

After winning his medal, Norman joined African-American

athletes Tommie Smith and John Carlos during their famous 1968 Olympics Black Power salute, atop the dais as pictured.

Norman's 20.06-second run remains the Oceanian record. But his performance was overshadowed by what is now seen by many people as a courageous and selfless gesture of solidarity.

During the Americans' salute, Norman wore a badge of support to recognise the United States civil rights movement at the time.

On his return to Australia, Norman was shunned and ridiculed for his part in the protest. He suffered reprisals, including exclusion from the 1972 Olympic Games despite achieving a qualifying time.

In 2006, the USA Track and Field Federation declared the day of Norman's funeral from that day forth to be 'Peter Norman Day'.

"I would like to congratulate the Victorian Government on announcing Peter Norman Day," Mr Watson said in Parliament.

"To the late Peter Norman, well done."



■ Peter Norman, Tommie Smith and John Carlos atop the victory dais at Mexico.

Trigger pulled on plan

AGRICULTURAL Region MLC Rick Mazza is seeking to emulate the New South Wales government's planned legislation changes to modify the regulatory structure for paintball guns.

Mr Mazza said that in New South Wales plans were afoot to shift the regulation of paintball guns from the NSW Police to the Department of Finance, Services and Innovation.

He said the guns would no longer be classified as a firearm, be able to be licensed online to 18 year olds and the age limit for using them would be reduced.

He said the NSW changes would reduce red tape while maintaining robust safety controls, with a new Paintball safety course proposed to replace a less relevant firearms safety course.

"In Western Australia, the Department of Sport and Recreation would be an appropriate agency to examine and

modify the anticipated NSW paintball safety course for application in WA," Mr Mazza said.

Western Australia's Firearms Regulations 1974 provides for paintball guns as Category E firearms along with cannons, line throwers, tranquilliser guns and until recently, captive bolt guns.

"Changes to remove captive bolt guns as a Category E firearm were accomplished by a simple change to Regulations approved by Minister for Police Michelle Roberts, and this was gazetted last year," Mr Mazza said.

"I have consistently endorsed the paintball industry's assurances around individual and community safety issues in regard to the use of paintball guns."

"I think it is appropriate for them to be removed from the Firearms Regulations and I will endeavour to advance this initiative."



■ Agricultural Region MLC Rick Mazza.

Time to prepare for fires

AFTER a scorching of a bushfire season earlier this year Great Southerners are doing their best to prepare for the worst.

Last May, Albany experienced some of the worst fires the region had seen in years, with firefighters working tirelessly to keep more than 50 blazes under control.

In preparation for another dry summer, the King River Bushfire Brigade and Emergency Services will hold a community bushfire information session this Saturday.

The seminar will be held at King River Fire Brigade Shed on Millbrook Road and will run from 11am to 12pm.

The brigade will focus on getting locals bushfire ready.

They will cover the importance of reducing fuel around residents' properties in the hope that it reduces the number and severity of bushfires in the coming months.

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Letters to the editor

Friendly welcome

WELCOME to the Albany section of the Perth/Albany Biodiversity Journey. By now you would have discovered that this country is a very isolated and ancient part of the planet. This feature will be confirmed as we show you the diversity of our environment.

Planning the journey has been a great networking exercise for both myself and other Friendship Force members in Albany and surrounding areas.

I have met hundreds of people with an amazing range of community interests. I now know they exist and in turn have now heard of Friendship Force.

It is of great benefit, as that is our objective as a force of Global Friendship continues to expand. We will work with these people on future journeys and many may well become members.

The Albany business community was just as enthusiastic, cooperative and instrumental in making the journey happen. Friendship Force Albany was also supported by The City of Albany, led by the Mayor Dennis



Wellington, who is our patron.

The charter of Friendship Force is to create peace throughout the world by understanding and accepting different

cultures. Australia has the oldest living culture, and on this journey, we meet many Noongar people whose ancestors have walked this country for over 60,000 years.

The Noongar's original way of life, knowledge and understanding of the land continues to be a valuable environmental asset.

Thanks to all ambassadors for participating

in the Perth/Albany Biodiversity Journey. I also thank our club members who have committed to two years of planning and hosting you over the coming weeks.

I also wish to pay a special tribute to my late partner Rosalie Sharon with whom this idea and dream was created.

— Don Titterton, Albany

Troubled water

IT IS a pity that Albany councillors supporting the gazettal of water skiing at Lake Mulloolup appear not to regard the spiritual significance of 60,000 (some scientists say 80,000) years of Aboriginal Dreaming and Songlines – now in tatters Australia-wide – with the respect and humility deserved.

The Dreaming teaches the origin of the universe and the workings of nature and humanity by those who have the longest cultural history of any group of people on earth.

The attempted prevention of an anthropology report regarding the gazettal of Lake Mulloolup from being included for consideration in a council report, and the overbearing and bullying tactics employed are shameful.

— Nathalie Haymann, Kalbar

Kickstart to export

GRACE JONES

THE Lake House Denmark is poised to launch its products into the lucrative Asian food and beverage market, thanks to a little kickstart to help upgrade its packaging and labelling.

Co-owner and CEO Leanne Rogers said the \$2000 funding from the Department of Agriculture and Food was part of the first round of the 'Expert for a Day' program that would allow the winery to have a consultant help them meet the restrictive export laws.

"For the past year we've been researching what we need to do to change our product packaging so we can start exporting overseas," she said.

"We realised there was a lot of requirements to fill so when I spotted that funding was available that would actually help us, I decided to put an application in."

The 'Expert for a Day' program encourages premium producers to continue 'value adding' to food and beverage items.

The Lake House Denmark produces wines and 'vinofood', which is a collection of food items and condiments made on site from locally grown produce and wine products.

Ms Rogers said with the help of their specialist it should be able to hit the Asian market with their locally made wines

soon.

"We're looking to start in the Asian market since it's still close to Australia," she said.

"Some WA wineries have had some great success over there."

"It would be great to sell our vinofood products as well. If we can do both things at once, we will."

Ms Rogers said taking the leap of faith and expanding their business was costly.

"There is always some investment to make and any help is always appreciated," she said.

"It's a great opportunity and being able to put money towards something tangible within the business rather than a

document is wonderful."

Minister for Agriculture and Food Alannah MacTiernan said Western Australia had some of the highest quality fresh produce in the world but lagged behind in food and beverage production.

"Expert for a Day is part of suite of programs aimed at supporting WA business producing premium value-added products," she said.

"The first round of recipients are using their vouchers on everything from e-commerce planning to packing and labelling consulting."

"Giving our growing businesses the best possible chance at taking on the world is important."

Free pass to circus school

ALBANY circus teacher and performer Cassandra Turner has scored \$4500 from a round of Country Arts WA funding to use for a Circus Training Australia course in Melbourne.

Ms Turner is one of four regional artists to receive financial support for their chosen medium, alongside Bunbury-based singer-songwriter Mitchell Martin, Geraldton arts manager Minna Hilton and Narrogin visual artist Casey Thornton.

The funding, as part of The Next Level YCulture Regional Program, aims to provide artists and art workers aged 18 to 26 with money to help them pursue opportunities, gain relevant experience and build professional networks.

Ms Turner is currently attending the circus training course over east and, upon her return, says she will conduct a series of workshops to put into practice the skills and knowledge she has gained from the course.

"There are very few formal trainings for circus performers and teachers in regional WA, let alone nationally," Ms Turner said.

"So getting my Certificate IV in Circus Arts was pretty much the highest I could go until now."

"This has been the best thing to happen to me all year."



■ Cassandra Turner from Albany is in Melbourne attending a circus training course thanks to funding from Country Arts WA.

Have your say on Spencer Park

SPENCER Park locals can have their say on the future of their suburb if they join in the first phase of new urban renewal project Growing Spencer Park.

Housing minister Peter Tinley announced on Friday that the project is one of eight in the state being progressed by the Department of Communities to improve the liveability and connectivity of areas while providing a mix of modern housing options.

He said the first phase of consultation with the Spencer Park community will start on October 22 and include workshops, meetings and displays to prompt conversations about the community's priorities, values and vision for

their neighbourhood.

"This is a great opportunity for Spencer Park locals to have their say on their neighbourhood's future," Mr Tinley said.

"Growing Spencer Park is a great example of government working with the local community to build on community strengths and contribute to long-term growth and prosperity."

Mr Tinley said the project will involve the preparation of a local development plan to guide future development in a precinct surrounding the Spencer Park Shopping Centre that includes Spencer Park Primary School, Bellingham Street and part of Hillman Street.

The plan will show the types of buildings that can be built as well as streetscapes, design elements, open space and linkages to the surrounding area.

The community is encouraged to contribute to the plan's development via a staged consultation process run by ConsultWG.

"The project aims to strengthen community spirit and pride of place while providing quality homes and facilities," Mr Tinley said.

"It will also promote private investment and employment opportunities."

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Hangin' out at the sauna

I'VE got a bit of arthritis in my ankle.

It's probably a combination of old football injuries, having a "cold climate" build (which means, according to one of my lecturers, "more like a walrus than a giraffe") and bad luck. Normally it's not too bad but lately it's flared up a bit.

Anyway, I got a scan and it was a kind of arthritis, and as part of my treatment I'm going to the sauna, because saunas work.

Now – a quick explanation – I am not an alternative therapy person. You have to practice what you believe in, and what I believe in is good, basic meat and potatoes medicine.

But saunas are sort of slightly alternative – you don't often go to a doctor and get prescribed saunas, which is a pity, because, like I said, saunas work.

Saunas are very popular in Finland, which is always listed as one of the happiest countries in the world. And that's despite

temperatures of minus 20, famously terrible food (head cheese, gruel, salty licorice ice-creams) and presumably not much of a night life: kalsarikännit is a Finnish word that means "getting drunk at home in your underwear with no intention of going out". Apparently, this is common enough to require its own word.

Maybe some of it is good health – they've got a strong public healthcare system, high vaccination rates and they look after their elderly and poor.

But maybe some of it is saunas.

Saunas seem to work by putting our body under a kind of good stress, where, for example, your heart rate goes up but your blood pressure doesn't.

They seem to have beneficial effects on the mind and mood – adrenaline-like chemicals are released, increasing alertness and improving your mood.

A recent study (in Finland, unsurprisingly) that looked at 1600 men and women in their 50s,

60s and 70s found that going to a sauna decreased your chance of dying from heart disease, stroke and heart failure – the more you went, the safer you were.

There are risks, but they are small.

If you've got low blood pressure the sauna can work too well – it might drop your blood pressure even more.

I don't think that we know enough about pregnancy to say if it's safe or not.

There are a few heart conditions that could pose a problem, and anyone with a medication patch should not wear it in the sauna.

Obviously, the "weight" you lose after a sauna is water, and if you don't rehydrate very soon afterwards you can damage yourself. If you're at all concerned ask your doctor.

One additional risk – if you behave badly in the



sauna, you may feel the wrath of saunantonttu, the "sauna elf".

I don't know what saunantonttu looks like, and if you see it, maybe don't drive that day, but saunantonttu is taken pretty seriously in Finland, so it's best to be on the safe side.

In countries where saunas

are known about they are very popular – which I suppose is weird if you're not used to it.

You go around to visit someone and instead of popping on the kettle they announce that everyone's going to strip stark naked, sit in a boiling hot room

and then run outside and throw themselves into an icy lake.

I don't know if that's before or after eating the head cheese, but maybe it's why kalsarikännit is also popular in Finland.

But only one of those two things will make you

feel better, live longer and meet interesting people – and it's not the one with the underwear.

– Doc
Brendan



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Garden-lovers bask in sunshine

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Albany local Suzanne Bennetts opened her stunning property to the public on Saturday and Sunday to raise money for Make a Wish, a charity that grants children with life-threatening illnesses a wish, be it a holiday, a ride-on lawnmower or the chance to meet a superstar.

Ms Bennetts' garden was a trail of mystical delight, filled with delicate pottery and ceramic

creations, blossoming flowers, secret pathways and a trehouse toilet.

The property attracted avid gardeners of all ages

looking for inspiration for their next project, as well as locals simply wanting to bask in the glorious buds of the new season.



■ Cherry Pearce and Dorothy Moore.



■ Charlie Hill (9), Anne Robertson and Les Hill.



■ Bruce and Vicki McGuffie.



■ Joy Mealow and Clara Du Bonnet.



■ Chris James and Gail Raven enjoying a cuppa in the garden.

■ The open garden was filled with delicate artworks and plants.



■ A little blue wren stopped by to say hello.

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Controlling your finances

If you are struggling to manage your monthly debts, it might be worth considering talking to Apex Financial to get some professional help on debt consolidation or refinancing your existing situation.

What is debt consolidation?

Debt consolidation is when you take all of your existing debts and put them into one simple, monthly repayment.

Consolidating debt has many benefits; the most beneficial being a single repayment rather than many.

In some cases you may be able to reduce the interest rate from what you were paying to your new loan. This means you can often pay your loans off quicker than if you left them. A consolidation can also save you

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After you have consolidated, your loans continue to pay what you were before to pay the debt off quicker.

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Director



Power of Attorney - What is it and do I need one



A Power of Attorney is a legal document that gives a trusted person the legal authority to act for you and to make legally binding financial and property decisions on your behalf.

Circumstances when a Power of Attorney is particularly useful:

- to relieve yourself of the day to day demands of financial paperwork and record keeping;
- as a safety net when travelling or to allow someone to handle your affairs in your absence;
- to avoid burdening family or friends with the responsibility of looking after your affairs; or
- if you are unable to manage your property or financial affairs.

Does the Attorney need to be a lawyer?

An ideal attorney should:

- be trustworthy;
- have integrity;
- be willing to act in that capacity;
- have competence in areas of relevance;
- be able to act in a business-like manner;
- be able to spare the time necessary for the task;
- live in the locality in which they are to act;
- be agreeable to respecting the confidentiality of the donor's affairs; and
- be impartial and have no known conflict of interest.

Are there different types of Powers of Attorney?

Yes, a General Power of Attorney which is:

- only valid while you have legal capacity;
- useful if you are going away for an extended period and you do not want the authority to continue should you lose legal capacity; and
- usually drawn up for a specific purpose with specific or general powers.

And an Enduring Power of Attorney (EPA) which:

- continues to be valid even if you lose legal capacity due to disability or illness;
- may empower your attorney to make financial and property decisions on your behalf;
- may be activated immediately or only upon loss of legal capacity; and
- allows your attorney to commence or to continue to manage your affairs even though you have lost capacity to give instructions.

How do I know if the person has sufficient mental capacity to make a power of attorney?

There is no simple formula, but in general terms they must be able to:

- understand the major consequences of the decision;
- take responsibility for making that choice; and
- make a choice based on the risks and benefits that are important to them.

If there is any doubt about capacity, it's best to get in touch with a doctor and ask for a written opinion. Remember, different powers require different levels of understanding.

To find out more about Powers of Attorney and their benefits or to instruct us to draft one for you please call us on (08) 9841 1122.

* This column is intended as general information and does not contain personal advice. For specific, personal advice you should obtain a professional legal opinion.



■ Lyn Handasyde.

Photos: Ashleigh Fielding

Early market rise

SPORADIC drizzle did not keep Albany locals away from the farmer's market on Saturday morning, with ongoing foot traffic keeping stall holders busy and produce baskets full right up until lunch time.

There was something up for grabs to sate everyone's bellies, from pastry numbers for a quick bite on the run, to fresh fruit and veggies, free range meat and homemade jams.

The Weekender indulged in a couple of apple-flavoured pastries from Breddo and some strawberry jam from Summer House Supplies, and can confirm they were scrumptious and well worth the early morning trip.



■ Sue Smith.



■ Rhiannon Moon and Andrew Bathgate.



■ Robyn and Marcel Minnee.



■ Sharon Gray, James Robinson and Jasper Robinson (14).

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Twilight a highlight

MARKETGOERS from far and wide descended upon Gilbert Wines in Kendenup on Saturday afternoon for the second annual Spring Twilight Markets.

Stalls showcased local talent and produce with handcrafted bags, jewellery, delicate treats, wines and fresh flowers among the many goodies up for grabs.

The market was part of the Bloom Festival and raised money for Motor Neurone Disease Association WA and the 'Swim for Jim' fundraiser.

The next Twilight Markets will be held in December in time for Christmas.



■ Julie Hallows and Dot Bylund.



■ Bernard and Dana De Bunnetat.



■ Osheana Cooper (15) and Jorja Cooper (9).



■ Trish Holdsworth, Tracey Macgregor and Bolivia Wellstead.



■ Cameron and Anne-Marie Bergsma.

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Gongs for best drops

ASHLEIGH FIELDING

FOUR Great Southern vineyards picked up nine of 24 trophies at the prestigious Wine Show of Western Australia held in Mount Barker last week.

Denmark's Rockcliffe, Castle Rock Estate in Porongurup, Ferngrove Frankland River Wines and Frankland River's Alkoomi Wines won gold across the Riesling, Rosé and Pinot Noir categories and event coordinator Marie O'Dea said it was a great effort.

"We had more than 115 wineries competing," she said.

"Our Singaporean judge, Lim Hwee Peng was quite impressed...it's an indication of the strength of the Great Southern."

Rockcliffe won best Rosé of show with its 2018 Third Reef Rosé and Rockcliffe owner Steve Hall said it was a "very special" wine.

"At last year's show, I purposely went through the rosés with Antony [winemaker] and the winners were very dry and grey, and I thought that was a French style," he said.

"I said to Antony, 'I need this, it's a fabulous wine' and so a lot of hassle, debate and work went into it."

"I thought Antony should make it, and he did, because he is from Provence and we made it in true Provence style."

Mr Hall said Rockcliffe also won the Neale Warrford Trophy for best red blend with the Ironcloud Wines 2017 Rock of Solitude Purple Patch GSM, as Rockcliffe also makes Ironcloud products.

"Winning a trophy is the pinnacle, really," he said.

"We've effectively made the best Rosé in WA."

"It's a massive accolade for us."

Castle Rock Estate won the Winequip Trophy for most successful exhibitor processing under 250 tonnes, best Great Southern white and best Riesling with the 2018 Porongurup Riesling, and best Pinot Noir with the



Photos: Jeff Atkinson

■ International Judge Lim Hwee Peng from Singapore.

2017 Porongurup Pinot Noir.

Winemaker and owner Rob Diletti said the vineyard had competed in the wine show since 1986 and winning kept the Castle Rock name fresh in people's minds.

"We've done well in Perth and other capital city shows, so it's a continual indication showing how our whites are going," he said.

"For Riesling and Pinot Noir, Porongurup is up there creating the best in Australia."

"It's amazing to get it [trophies]."

Mr Diletti said the location of the vineyard at the base of the Porongurup - which has a good balance between being not too rigorous and not too lean in its soil - the elevation of the land, and the easterly sea breeze from the Great Australian Bight all contributed to creating the ideal growing conditions for his grapes.

Ferngrove Frankland



■ Panel Leader Courtney Treacher from Brookland Valley Wines.

River Wines won the title of best Great Southern red and best red varietal for its 2017 Black Label Malbec and vineyard manager Chris Zur said it was earned by a big team effort.

"It's always good news to be recognised for hard work," he said.

"We've been a champion for Malbec in the

region for a long time, and it's because of a lot of work from the whole team."

Mr Zur said despite Frankland River being "probably" the most isolated of the five sub-regions in the Great Southern, its low disease pressure, Mediterranean climate and the cooling influence of the Southern Ocean in the afternoon were desirable for making Malbec.

Alkoomi Wines won best aged Riesling for their 2010 Black Label Riesling.

Owner Sandy Hallett said the vineyard had supported the Wine Show for many years, with Ms Hallett's father being one of the founding members of the prominent event.

"This [trophy] shows that Riesling from our region, whilst delicious young, also has tremendous ageing potential," she said.



■ Rob, Wendy and Angelo Diletti of Castle Rock Estate.

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A QUARTER century of providing Great Southern readers with news and information was celebrated

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few drinks and a bite to eat for the newspaper's 25th birthday.

Folks congregated inside the cosy Master Builders Association venue on Graham Street and shared stories of the past, discussed the present and idealised about the future.

The Weekender's founder's wife, Anne Gaskin,

reminisced about the early days and revealed how Howard started up the newspaper, while long-term staff member Anne Simpson reflected on the paper's major turning points.

After formalities concluded, the birthday cake was cut and the conviviality continued into the night.



■ Production staff Cody Hulkes, Francesca van der Horst and Andy Dolphin.



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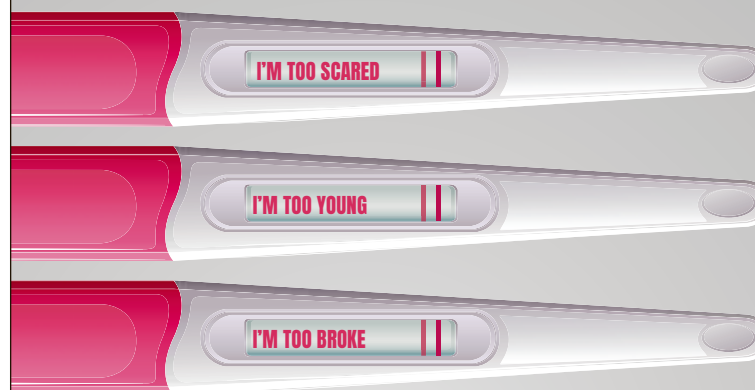
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EAGER buyers wanting to snap up a rare piece of Middleton Beach can do so with this grand property filled with endless potential.

A two-storey house sits on this massive 1338sqm block and offers investors and home owners alike the chance to start fresh or renovate.

It is zoned R25, which gives you multiple options – if you love the land but the house isn't your style, you can start again and rebuild.

If it just needs a few touches to become your dream home; renovate to your heart's content while utilising its strong 1982 bones.

Or, if you see the financial potential of the property, clear the house and build contemporary units for long or short-term accommodation. If you choose to keep the home's original design, the segregated lower storey is perfect for renting out.

It includes one bedroom, a study, bathroom facilities and a kitchen, plus a living and dining area.

It is completely detached from the top floor – with no shared external or internal doors – and so offers complete privacy and separate living.

Whether you choose to convert it to an Airbnb location, lease it to your adult children who aren't quite

ready to leave the nest, or give it to your ageing parents wanting somewhere private to live that isn't too far away from you, the opportunities of this separate lower storey offer great flexibility.

The top storey houses three bedrooms and has large windows in every living space, letting in natural light and showcasing lovely views of the beautifully established gardens, Lake Seppings and the tops of the pine trees at Middleton Beach.

The bedrooms are spacious and are in close proximity to the bathroom, which is modern in design.

The kitchen has a contemporary, rustic chic colour palette and offers

a multitude of cabinets for storage.

The grounds of this property are spectacular – lush fruit trees and shrubbery provide privacy from neighbours and the road, as well as a gorgeous backdrop for summer days spent outside in the sunshine.

Eyre Park and Middleton Beach are a mere 'few minutes' walk down the road and town is a short drive away, making this property a superior location for locals and tourists alike.

If you want a piece of Middleton Beach paradise, contact the exclusive agent, Rita McLean from Ray White Albany, on 0427 423 200 or email rita.mclean@raywhite.com to arrange a private viewing.



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10.00-10.30	21 Ethereal Drive	McKail	\$448,000	4x2	724m2	Rita
11.00-11.30	54 Gill Street	Milpara	\$485,000	4x2	4047m2	Rita
11.45-12.15	2 O'Keefe Parade	McKail	\$385,000	4x2	602m2	Rick
12.00-12.30	3 Gifford Street	Lockyer	\$315,000	3x1	603m2	Rita
12.30-1.00	6 Lakeside Drive	McKail	\$449,000	4x2	730m2	Joe
1.00-1.30	15 Evans Road	Bayonet Head	\$399,000	4x2	805m2	Rita
	487 Lower King Road	Lower King	\$475,000	4x1	2024m2	Linda
	7 Todd Road	McKail	\$385,000	4x2	630m2	Joe
2.00-2.30	4/266 Middleton Road	Mira Mar	\$389,000	3x1	421m2	Joe
	96 David Street	Spencer Park	\$349,000	3x1	909m2	Rita
3.00-3.30	48 Seymour Street	Mira Mar	\$529,000	4x2	443m2	Rita
4.00-4.30	94 Middleton Road	Middleton Beach	\$589,000	4x2	1338m2	Rita
SUNDAY						
11.00-11.30	4 Banks Street	Lockyer	\$259,000	3x1	834m2	Rita
12.00-12.30	98 Mueller Street	Lockyer	\$370,000	5x2	557m2	Edwin
	3 Gifford Street	Lockyer	\$315,000	3x1	603m2	Rita
	2 O'Keefe Parade	McKail	\$385,000	4x2	602m2	Rick
1.00-1.30	4 Broughton Street	Orana	\$275,000	3x1	1012m2	Rita
	91 Douglas Drive	Milbrook	\$629,000	4x2	2ha	Rick
1.30-2.00	12 Whidby Street	Orana	\$359,000	4x2	1298m	Rita
2.30-3.00	9a Nelson Street	Mira Mar	\$620,000	5x2	1259m2	Rita

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Amazing design = stylish living
On just 350m2, this 2011 built 3 storey, 4 bed, 3 bath home is amazing with stunning harbour views from the main living area, master bedroom & bathroom. Timber floors thru out living areas, polished concrete downstairs. R/cycle a/c, massive laundry & ample storage. Dble gge with direct entry into kitchen. Low maintenance gardens. (ALB215)
Sale: \$895,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220




Build a future for your family here
Big, level and awaiting your dream home. This 1329m2 block, in ever popular McKail represents value for money and is possibly sub-dividable. (ZMK778)
Sale: \$177,000
Linda Knight 0409 126 554 / 9841 0210




On duplex size block
Get off the rental treadmill with this ideal starter! 2 bedroom home with lounge, dining, air-con & patio. But wait, there's more! 1985m2 for you to extend, built a shed or grow your own veggies. (C804)
Sale: Offers over \$279,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220




15 Evans Road
Dbi B&T, 4 bed, 2 bath, 2 living areas, gge UMR plus large powered dbi gge at rear, side gate access for boat or van. Dishwasher, wall oven, pantry, security doors & system, solar panels & solar tube HWS, tile fire & 2 r/c air-con. Large block.
View: Saturday 1.00-1.30
Sale: \$399,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Beyond replacement value
Renovated in 2007, this 3 bed, 2 bath, 3 WC home has surround sound, dishwasher, dbi fridge recess & mostly wood floors. Dbl gge UMR plus large Vup caravan gge, 2 exposed aggregate driveways and rainwater tank. 811m2 block. (LG467)
Sale: \$995,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220




How special is this location
Perfect for those who love a peaceful walk along the water's edge. Approx. 1min from the boat jetty on The Esplanade. Wide frontage of 23m, just perfect for access to sheds etc. The relatively level 971m2 has power, scheme water & sewer. Build a home to capture the water views. (ZBH649)
Sale: \$250,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Large family Yakamia home

- 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms
- Open-plan k/dining & living room
- Study, 3 living areas
- 704m2 block
- Drive-thru access to rear (Y669)


Sale: \$478,500
Deb La Rosa 0408 236 094 / 9841 0209




Cul-de-sac location

- 1990 built BV & iron 5x2 home
- Air-con, tile fire, gas HWS
- External games room
- BIRs in all bedrooms
- 1758m2 block with 3 vehicle parking (M296)

Sale: \$499,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220



2 O'Keefe Parade
This 4 bed, 2 bath residence is priced to sell! With room for the boat, caravan & more, the level 602m2, fully fenced property also features a sheltered patio, shed & cellar/store room.
View: Saturday 11.45-12.15 & Sunday 12.00-12.30
Sale: \$385,000
Rick Jackson 0429 436 598 / 9841 0208



First home opportunity

- Open-plan 3x1x2 home with three living areas
- Spacious, well presented bedrooms
- Large semi-enclosed patio
- Double lock-up garage on 886m2
- Walking distance to schools and shops (SP958)

Sale: Offers above \$299,000
Rhett Bull 0408 264 309 / 9841 0206

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Close to shops, schools & parks

- Well-presented 3x1 B&T home on 697m² block
- Built 1984, enclosed carport with remote door
- Solar HWS, shed & water tank
- Open-plan kitchen dining, formal lounge, sunroom
- New privacy fencing being installed (O803)

Sale: \$315,000
Greg Loxton 0427 649 183 / 9841 0205



4 Banks Street

Currently set out as 2 beds, with a formal dining & 2 living areas. Large dbl gge behind the one that faces the street. Studio/teens room. Delightful garden with mature fruit trees, veggie patches, a pizza oven & a fish pond.

View: Sunday 11.00-11.30
Sale: \$259,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Builder's own home

If seclusion & space is what you're seeking, it's exactly what you'll get! 1.8ha with an awesome 4 bed, 2 bath home with media & craft rooms, north-facing sunroom, deck, sheds, rainwater & scheme water plus planning approval for 2nd home. (LG429)

Sale: \$1,150,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220



Cosy, affordable, great for any age!

- 3 bedrooms, 1 bathroom home
- Side access on both sides of the home
- Kitchen w/ access to the carport
- Built in 1996, brick & tile, 406m² (O797)

Sale: \$299,000
Hollie Hummerston
0428 410 006 / 9841 0211



You will be in awe

This beautifully decorated, historic cottage must be seen to be fully appreciated. Close to town with spectacular harbour views, every room is well thought out. The kitchen has quality appliances and the bathrooms are stunning! There is a bonus second home on the property. 1598m². (MTM420)

Sale: Offers over \$899,000
Linda Knight 0409 126 554 / 9841 0210



9a Nelson Street

This 2 storey, brick home has views to the islands & beyond. 5 bedrooms, BIRs to most, a large games/teens room & a main living area that enjoys the views. The kitchen has good bench & cupboards including pantry & dishwasher.

View: Sunday 2.30-3.00
Sale: \$620,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Room for all your toys

1.97ha. Very rare chance to get so much land so close to the beach and golf course. (ZCP028)

Sale: \$750,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220



First impressions

Friendly, spacious, popular all come to mind after viewing this beautifully kept home. Built 1975 on 809m² with rear access, this 3 bed is generously priced to accommodate first home buyers or investors. (BH724)

Sale: \$300,000-\$325,000
Joe Trichilo 0409 370 676 / 9841 0227



91 Douglas Drive

It doesn't matter, this lovely lifestyle property could be yours. Very comfortable 4 bed, 2 bath with verandahs all round, large patio, garaging, stable & ample water on 2.005ha and priced to sell.

View: Sunday 1.00-1.30
Sale: \$629,000
Rick Jackson 0429 436 598 / 9841 0208



Be impressed

- Spacious 3 bed, 2 bath home built 1998
- Powered 6x6 c/bond shed with 2 car access
- Open living area, high ceilings, fans, 4 air/cons
- Formal lounge, internal jarrah trimmings, d/washer
- WIR or BIR & ensuite in master & 2nd beds

Sale: \$410,000
Greg Loxton 0427 649 183 / 9841 0205



Be quick, grab a builder

This block is nice and level, has a double garage at the rear of the lot, and it is 812m² (that is a good sized block). It's convenient to shops and transport and is priced to sell. Call Rita McLean now to arrange a good look at this block. (ZY284)

Sale: \$99,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Stunning period home in CBD

Terrific Princess Royal Harbour views & location are only 2 of the stunning features that make this property. Landscaped gardens, access to dbl gge at rear plus stylish charm & character with polished jarrah floors, high ceilings, leadlight & modernised kitchen & bathrooms.

Sale: Offers above \$999,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



This is the one for you!

- Large 766m² block
- Close proximity to lake & parklands
- Level, fully serviced
- Surrounded by quality homes (ZMK779)

Sale: \$169,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220



4/266 Middleton Road

Hassle free living within a short walk to the CBD. Situated in a gated, friendly complex, this 3 bed villa is ideal for someone who just wants to enjoy life without worrying about maintaining their home.

View: Saturday 2.00-2.30
Sale: \$389,000
Joe Trichilo 0409 370 676 / 9841 0227



Peaceful Robinson

- Comfortable 4x2 home
- Privacy but close to town
- Little Grove School zone
- Great place to raise the kids
- Space for sheds, stables & extensions (RE125)

Sale: Offers over \$499,000
Linda Knight 0409 126 554 / 9841 0210



Investment home ...great potential

- Approval to be subdivided into 3
- Tastefully renovated home - includes furniture
- Enjoy instant income from the Air BnB bookings
- Walk to CBD area. Albany School Zone.
- 3x2 brick home with great views (ALB216)

Sale: \$449,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207



Popular, quiet location

- Quality 2006 built 3x2 home brick & galvanise
- Kitchen/dining, office & formal lounge
- Fire place, high ceilings, spacious dbl gge
- 2 two road access, established yards, quiet location
- Powered 8x15 shed, water tank. (M294)

Sale: Offers from \$575,000
Greg Loxton 0427 649 183 / 9841 0205



6 Lakeside Drive

- Powered shed & access to rear
- Enclosed patio 4 bed, 2 bath
- 710m² corner block opp park
- Spa, dishwasher & alarm

View: Saturday 12.30-1.00
Sale: \$449,000
Joe Trichilo 0409 370 676 / 9841 0227



Lifestyle

Over 50s free standing & delightful 2x1 home is close to medical facilities, shopping and not far to the centre of town. Beaut garden area, single carport – this is the chance to do things at your own pace. (C231)

Sale: \$150,000
Rick Jackson 0429 436 598 / 9841 0208



Space for Pop & Nan cottage

A whopping 1367m², this vacant block is just screaming for a developer or that person wanting to build a large home with plenty of space for a shed or granny flat for Nan & Pop. (ZLK372)

Sale: \$229,000
Joe Trichilo 0409 370 676 / 9841 0227



The perfect building block

Near level 4001m² building site at end of cul-de-sac adjoining large public open space.

Zoned Special Residential. (ZRC073)

Sale: \$235,000
Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220



12 Whidby Street

The home is super large with 4 beds, 2 bath, modern kitchen with ample bench space & 3 living areas. 1298m² with sewer connected. Nice gardens, sheds, patios, and room for extra vehicles.

View: Sunday 1.30-2.00
Sale: Offers above \$359,000
Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207

**Location, views and plans approved**

- Views over Princess Royal Harbour and beyond
- 426m2 block minutes from city centre
- Never lose your views from this position
- Current planning approval and plans available (ZALB033)

Sale: \$255,000

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**Live the life**

Build your dream home here! Stunning location in CBD with amazing harbor views. Walk to all amenities. Just one street off cappuccino strip. (ZALB16-17)

Sale: \$420,000ea

Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220

**WOW factor patio**

With a stunning, decked patio, it's going to be BBQs every weekend as your friends won't want to leave! It's massive & enjoys a great rural outlook. 3 bed, 2 bath home, built in 2014. (BH731)

Sale: \$374,000

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**48 Seymour Street**

- Level modern, open-plan with 2nd living area
- Master bed has great water views & ensuite
- All 4 beds are generous in size with BFRs
- 2 bathrooms, easy-care, double garage.

View: Saturday 3.00-3.30

Sale: \$529,000

Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207

**Renovated starter with shed**

- Tastefully renovated three beds, one bath
- Drive-through access powered shed!
- 888m2 level block, Huge decked patio
- Wood floors, good size bedrooms + more (L295)

Sale: From \$239,000

Hollie Hummerston 0428 410 006 / 9841 0211

**Rare earth!**

This is a fantastic opportunity to build your dream home on a lifestyle sized level 3646m2 block, close to the water in ever popular Little Grove. (ZLG166)

Sale: Offers from \$349,000

Linda Knight 0409 126 554 / 9841 0210

**Buy 1 house, get 2 blocks free**

What an incredible opportunity to capitalise on this enormous block. The 1227m2 block has the potential to be subdivided into 3 – what a great kickstart for your real estate portfolio! (O802)

Sale: \$329,000

Joe Trichilo 0409 370 676 / 9841 0227

**Vogue magazine home**

- 4x2 BVR/CB, fully enclosed 520m2
- BIR/WIR in all beds, spa bath
- Store room, cellar, ample storage
- BBQ area, artificial lawn, water softener
- Fully reticulated front lawns & gardens (MB082)
- 724m2 block with drive-through access

Sale: \$1,700,000

Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220

**Seeing is believing**

Panoramic, uninterrupted views from Emu Point to town, very spacious 4 bed, 3 bath residence with an enormous under home gge/workshop. From the impressive polished jarrah flooring to the entertainment area, this is a home to be loved. Inspire with confidence, call today. (BH717)

Sale: \$695,000

Rick Jackson 0429 436 598 / 9841 0208

**Quality rarely seen**

This spacious 4x2 home with Federation styled interior is a delight. Oodles of living space, a huge kitchen, big bedrooms, study & 2 sided enclosed patio with spa – you need to see it to believe it! All this on a 714m2 block. (Y668)

Sale: \$569,000

Linda Knight 0409 126 554 / 9841 0210

**21 Ethereal Drive**

- Modern 4 bed, 2 bath brick home with shed
- 2 living areas, great kitchen/din/family
- Double garage, decked patio
- 724m2 block with drive-through access

View: Saturday 10.00-10.30

Sale: \$448,000

Rita McLean 0427 423 200 / 9841 0207

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THE ORIGINAL & THE BEST – RAY WHITE ALBANY



Price Reviewed

Between Middleton & CBD

Where do you start when explaining this beautiful, character-filled property? Low maintenance 1223m2 corner block, solid brick 2 storey, 4 bed, 3 bath home with 2 living areas, d/stairs studio/looms retreat. Ideal for a home business/large family, as there is so much space! (MM720)

Sale: \$890,000

Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220

**This beats renting!**

- Large 3 bed, 1 bath home
- Fibro with galvanised roof, built in 1963
- 1012m2 of land with rear access
- Shed, fully fenced, established yards, front verandah
- Jarrah floors, large bedrooms & living areas (O806)

Sale: \$262,000

Greg Loxton 0427 649 183 / 9841 0205

NEW RESIDENTIAL ESTATE - STAGE 2



ONLY 8 LEFT!

TITLES ISSUED

- 41 LOTS • 2024m2 – 2562m2

Moss Ridge Estate, Rufus Street, Milpara, Albany

Sale \$225,000 - \$245,000

Graham Walker 0418 422 266 | 9841 0220



Rural / Lifestyle Properties

**Future development approval**

- B&T 4 bed with huge kitchen and undercover patio
- 12m x 8m shed with 3.42m clearance
- 18m x 12m shed with 4.15m clearance
- 130,000l rainwater tank + bore
- 25acres close to CBD (Y667)

Sale: \$1,350,000

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**Peace & quiet**

- 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms – brick & tile home
- Sheds, bore, water tanks, electric fences & fruit trees
- Approx 5ha, zoned General Agriculture
- Close to the Tavern
- Short drive to Albany's prestige coastline (OD525)

Sale: Offers from \$549,000

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**An absolute masterpiece**

- 2.14ha of pristine turf, bushland and gardens
- Spacious 3x2 Federation style home
- 7.6 x 13.5m workshop with shower & WC
- Views of the inlet and ocean
- Solar panels, bore & water storage (OD522)

Sale: \$1,425,000

Rhett Bull 0408 264 309 / 9841 0206

**Amazing views, amazing house**

- End of quiet cul-de-sac, 4.94ha of land
- 3 car gge, 2 rainwater tanks, reticulated gardens
- Solar heated swimming pool, outdoor rainwater shower
- Large outdoor entertaining area, open-plan kit/living/din
- Huge master bed with ensuite, WIR & study (OD526)

Sale: \$1,250,000

Graham Walker 0418 422 266 / 9841 0220

**Lot 10 Baxteri Rd, Bremer Bay**

\$479,000 3x1 1000m2 Joe

78 Neilson Rd, Willyung

\$520,000 3x1 1ha Rita

215 Emu Point Dve, Collingwood Park

\$750,000 1.97ha Land Graham

101 Jorden Rd, Kalgan

\$950,000 4x3 21.1ha Graham

332 Lancaster Rd, McKail

\$2,000,000 4x1 64.71ha Graham

26 Coogee St, Milpara

\$329,000 3x1 1846m2 Rita

94 Wilson St, Little Grove

\$1,150,000 4x2 1.8ha Graham

7 Boolgana Cr, Little Grove

\$620,000 Land 8.422ha Graham

**54 Gill Street**

A neat & tidy home with a renovated kitchen that's kept the solid jarrah cupboards but added new bench tops & appliances. The brick & tile 4 bed, 2 bath home sits on 1ac with good access for vehicles. Ideal for those wanting space within the city. (M293)

View: Saturday 11.00-11.30

Sale: \$485,000

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OASIS ON EDGE OF CITY

12 Hereford Way, Milpara

Quiet, calming & just on Albany's outskirts, this easy-care landscaped 5,657sqm property abutting reserve poses a special lifestyle for families, tradies, ex-farmers or retirees. The quality built, near new 4x2 home has a wonderfully inviting ambience. There is also plenty of space for a serious workshop & an ATU system & scheme water on tap.

HOME OPEN SATURDAY 1.00PM



Brendon 0432 998 035

Offers Above \$549,000



PERFECT LOCATION FOR THE FAMILY

125 Chauncy Way, Spencer Park

HOME OPEN SATURDAY 2.00PM

- Easy-care 612sqm north-facing residential property
- Wonderful views & top location 2km from Albany's CBD
- Large encl rear deck plus cosy lounge-room with fire
- Walk to schools, shops, medical & sports amenities



Brendon 0432 998 035

Offers Above \$375,000



EXECUTIVE FAMILY STYLE IN QUIET AREA

6 Littleheart Place, McKail

VIEWING BY APPOINTMENT

- Cul-de-sac locale near parks, shops & education
- As new Zac Caramia 4x2x2 home with custom cabinetry
- Tassie oak floors plus vaulted & coffered ceilings
- Gallery foyer, study, sep lounge/media & long table dining



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Offers Above \$499,000



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NEW LISTING
160 Mountain Road, Bernholm
HIDDEN TREASURE
■ Two bedroom delightful cottage
■ Beautifully renovated throughout
■ With 5 acres there is plenty of space for a horse, chooks and vegies
■ Close to beaches, fishing, swimming and surfing
Shayne 0428 481 315 **\$525,000**



NEW LISTING
204 Yellapup Road, Narrikup
"KARINYA" YELLAPUP ROAD - 100AC
■ Located just off Albany HWY, mainly Kike based pasture
■ Timber cattle yards & well fenced with plenty of water
■ Character 4x2 home, lgs games & patio in lovely garden setting
■ 50' x 25' powered GP shed plus separate garage
Barry **\$685,000**



NEW LISTING
544 Harvey Road, Denbarker
COUNTRY SPLENDOR AT IT'S GRANDEST
■ 111ac undulating pasture, winter creek, trees & water
■ Views from mansion on the hill w/ wide verandas
■ Abundance of water, olives, netted fruit trees & garden
■ A 2nd 2x1 house for the family, B&B or maybe Airbnb
Barry 0418 945 487 **\$848,000**



NEW LISTING
173 Gunn Road, Drome
TRADITION & QUALITY "BRADSTOCK DOWNS"
■ Some of the best farming land, North of the COA
■ Brick & Tile, office, 2 big living rooms, garages & sheds
■ Well fenced, laneways, shearing shed, part covered cattle yards
■ Scheme, rain, dam & soak water, good pastures
Barry 0418 945 487 **\$1,600,000**



NEW PRICE
187 Newbold Road, Torbay
OPT OUT ALTOGETHER
■ Give self-sufficiency a red hot go
■ Peaceful 22.25ha range view farmland
■ Run some stock, grow wiggies & more
■ Charming 3x1 home, dams & more
Barry 0418 945 487 **\$599,500**



Lot 504 Collingwood Road, Collingwood Park
SAC - COLLINGWOOD PARK
■ Pastured and fenced lot on edge of town
■ Short walk to beach, golf and fishing
■ Close to all amenities suit horses & ready to build
■ No through road but sealed & scheme water
Barry 0418 945 487 **\$360,000**



346 Lake Barnes Road, Narrikup
LIVE THE DREAM - 90 ACRES
■ Quality S/F shed w/ 2 beds, approved accoom
■ Northern views over property & Porongurup's
■ Approx half pasture suitable, good soil type
■ Make a fantastic lifestyle change
Shayne 0428 481 315 **\$398,000**



Stoney Creek, Porongurup
SUBDIVIDE IN THE PORONGURUPS - 21HA
■ Approved subdivision North side of the range
■ 11 lots from 1ha to 4.7ha
■ Wooded & cleared lots at Stoney Creek
■ The hard work is done, now time to prosper
Barry 0418 945 487 **\$449,000**



Warrenup Heights - Stage 4

NEW 1 ACRE PLUS LOTS FROM \$205,000
Some with lake views • Pleasant rural surrounds

Lot 510.....5,916sqm..... \$240,000	Lot 520.....4,686sqm..... SOLD
Lot 511.....5,915sqm..... \$240,000	Lot 521.....5,281sqm..... SOLD
Lot 512.....4,306sqm..... SOLD	Lot 522.....5,098sqm..... SOLD
Lot 513.....4,245sqm..... SOLD	Lot 523.....4,046sqm..... \$240,000
Lot 514.....5,191sqm..... SOLD	Lot 524.....3,710sqm..... \$270,000
Lot 515.....5,330sqm..... \$240,000	Lot 525.....4,046sqm..... SOLD
Lot 516.....4,336sqm..... \$230,000	Lot 526.....4,004sqm..... SOLD
Lot 517.....4,217sqm..... \$230,000	Lot 533.....3,444sqm..... SOLD
Lot 518.....5,046sqm..... \$230,000	Lot 534.....3,153sqm..... SOLD
Lot 519.....4,154sqm..... SOLD	

Call Barry Panizza 0418 945 487 or Kathleen Mier 0439 421 059



Greenwood - Willyung

Lot 830.....4,012sqm..... \$228,000	Lot 832.....4,026sqm..... SOLD
Lot 831.....4,010sqm..... \$238,000	Call Barry Panizza 0418 945 487 or Kathleen Mier 0439 421 059



Allmore Park

4 UNDULATING PART WOODED LOTS

- 4 new lots, only 7km to City Centre
- Underground power and scheme water
- Close to everything equestrian!

Lot 203.....2ha..... SOLD
Lot 204.....2ha..... \$295,000
Lot 205.....2ha..... SOLD
Lot 206.....2.3ha..... \$330,000

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FOR SALE

Lot 211 - 215 Engleheart Drive, McKail

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1 SOLD TO HAPPY BUYER**



BRAND NEW CONTEMPORARY HOMES
HOME OPEN SATURDAY 11.45AM (LOT 211)

Lot 211 - \$339,900
Lot 213 - 215 - \$335,500

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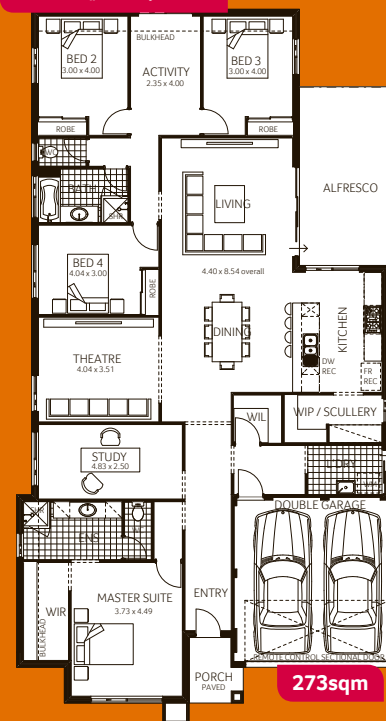
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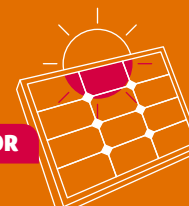
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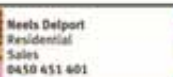


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Weekender Arts & Entertainment Life

Music from Manus

SEBASTIAN COMMONS

DENMARK songstress and human rights activist Dawn Barrington continues to blend two of her passions as she takes her message to the masses.

Barrington was first properly introduced to music seven years ago when she attended a local TAFE music program.

"I went to go and do something for a bit or fun and then I guess I got a bit carried away," she said.

"I was working with a guy called Tony King who is a brilliant teacher.

"He just continues to plant seeds around Denmark, which is great for growing local talents."

Barrington's music developed into a sound she was already very familiar with as part of the local bar and café music scene.

"I usually describe it as contemporary folk, folk-rock maybe," she said.

"It's along the lines of what I think a lot of solo acoustic acts do these days.

"If you're not blues, you're simply folk. I guess it's that kind of thing."



Photo: Sebastian Commons

■ Dawn Barrington.

Barrington explained how her music and activism became more strongly connected over the years.

"I've always been a writer, so that's probably the thread that got me into it," she said.

"A lot of my stuff is activist-based; it's about social and environmental issues."

This was the spark for her latest collaborative project *Music From Manus*.

Music From Manus is

a 40-minute documentary by filmmaker Tim Maisey.

It centres around Barrington's journey to Manus Island to meet the refugees and to connect with them on a musical level.

"I guess my main goal is to let the world know that they're just innocent people; they're real humans like me and you."

When asked why she chose to do this through music, Barrington told *The Weekender* that it was the only way she could.

"I'm not a social worker and I'm not a support worker, but I was connected with the guys working on Manus Island through music," she said.

"When I started to learn about how bad it was and how lovely the guys there were, I knew I wanted to go there and play for them."

She got in contact with Maisey and travelled to the island in March.

After they had arrived back in Australia and Maisey had completed the film, Dawn took to showcasing their work to as many people as possible.

"I took it all over East," she said.

"I did screenings over there and here in WA, met loads of people through it, and got an amazing response."

Through doing something like this on such a big scale, Barrington began to realise that she was becoming a better musician.

"It's brought a new life to my music and songwriting," she said.

"I guess you could say it's my purpose."



■ Celtic Illusion is coming to Albany in November.

Magical homecoming

ASHLEIGH FIELDING

ALBANY product Alanah Woods will make her debut hometown performance with national Irish dance-magic act *Celtic Illusion* next month after spending 10 years away studying and singing across the country.

Woods graduated from Great Southern Grammar in 2008 and was accepted into the WA Academy of Performing Arts in 2010.

After completing her Bachelor of Music in Classical Performance (Voice), she pursued further musical theatre and dance studies in Melbourne.

It was there that the chance of a lifetime fell into her lap.

"I've been in an amateur production of *Anything Goes* and *Strictly Ballroom*," Woods said.

"When I was finishing *Strictly Ballroom*, I saw an ad on Facebook for a singer with Celtic Illusion."

"I messaged them and they sent me a song to learn, and within 24 hours I got the job.

"So, a week after finish-

ing *Strictly Ballroom*, I was on the road again!

"It's my first professional contract, which is pretty exciting."

The 26-year-old said she performs four songs in *Celtic Illusion*, two in the first act and two in the second act.

Her early songs embrace a storytelling format and her later songs act as an introduction to an illusion.

"They're fantastic people," Woods said of the *Celtic Illusion* cast.

"They're all really lovely."

"We're like a little family."

Celtic Illusion director, principal male dancer and lead illusionist Anthony Street said Woods replaced a singer who was retiring from the show.

He said the company was working on developing Woods' role to become more than just a singing one.

Street is the mastermind behind *Celtic Illusion*, premiering his show in 2011 after wanting to make his dream of creating a magic show and a dance show simultane-



■ Illusions form part of the show.

ously come true.

"I was intrigued by a magician at a local fair when I was eight years old, and I've loved magic ever since," Street said.

"Then when I was 14, I found a video of Irish dance and I watched it every day.

"I thought I might not have time to live both dreams of magic and dance, so I combined the two."

"I have to pinch myself sometimes... it's such a

one-of-a-kind show."

Street said his ultimate goal is to see *Celtic Illusion* become comparable to the likes of Cirque du Soleil.

Woods aspires to move to London in the next couple of years and make it on London's West End, and one day, Broadway.

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Give the markets a go



■ Heather Marr, Malcolm Trill and Eve Brink will hold stalls at the new Youngs Siding Spring Market on Sunday.
 Photo: Ashleigh Fielding

A NEW marketplace will commence trading this weekend on the South Coast and organiser Heather Marr hopes to see it become an annual occasion.

The Youngs Siding Spring Market will begin at 9am on Sunday at the Youngs Siding Hall on Station Road and will host a variety of stalls until 2pm.

Ms Marr, a member of the Youngs Siding Community Association, said the Youngs Siding Hall was regularly used for weekly yoga sessions, party hire, meetings and Christmas events, and required ongoing funding to maintain it.

She said the new market had

already attracted 12 stalls and encouraged more people to either join with a stall or attend as a visitor.

"It was Eve's [Brink, committee member] idea as a way to raise money for the hall," Ms Marr said.

"It gives people the chance to bring out their bric-a-brac that they want to get rid of; we're all into spring cleaning out here!"

Ms Marr said the current stall holder list included a coffee cart, jams, soaps, preserves, plants, second-hand books and goods, natural bush remedies, pony rides organised by the local vet, and a sausage sizzle, provided by the local cricket club.

She encouraged everyone to make the 30-minute drive out to the small town to give the event the chance to return next year.

"We are testing the waters with this one, so we can hopefully make it at least annual, or twice a year," Ms Marr said.

"So, come along and help us make it a successful day."

If you would like to hold a stall this weekend, you can reach Ms Marr on 9845 1556 or Ms Brink on 9845 2118.

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— Ashleigh Fielding

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Sydney-bound septet

ASHLEIGH FIELDING

SEVEN young Albany talents are hosting a variety show on October 28 to raise money to send themselves to Sydney for a national music summer school program.

Siblings Bonnie, Josie and Maggie Staude, along with sisters Bella and Ruby Fasolo and Hudson Bell and Jessica Turner will attend the Gondwana National Choral School in January next year at the University of New South Wales in the hope to further develop their vocal skills and advance their musical careers.

Bonnie, who has attended the Gondwana summer school program four times previously, said the septet will spend two weeks in Sydney and live on the university campus.

They will devote school hours to rehearsals with their designated choir, and spend spare time



Photo: Ashleigh Fielding

Jessica Turner (12), Josie Staude (13) Hudson Bell (14), Maggie Staude (12) and Bonnie Staude (16) are five of the seven Albany singers headed for Sydney for a musical summer school program.

partaking in specialist projects, which range from musical theatre, to drumming, to Indonesian dancing.

"Gondwana is a great way to build connections with composers and conductors," Bonnie said. "The Gondwana choirs

are extremely good and of a really high calibre, so it's pretty exciting to think that little of us from Albany will be singing with an international act."

Bonnie said funds raised during the October 28 variety concert, *Pure Imagination*, would contribute to the group's flights, accommodation and participation fees.

"Tickets are going well at the moment, but we would love more people to come," she said.

"And if people can't make the concert, we would greatly appreciate any donations."

Bonnie said *Pure Imagination* will feature snippets of musical theatre, instrumental performances, classical and contemporary music, and a little bit of comedy.

Pure Imagination will be held at the Port Theatre at 4.30pm on October 28 and tickets can be purchased through Paperbark Merchants.

Land inspires collaboration

OCHRE Contemporary Dance Company's new performance *Kwongkan* will debut at the Albany Entertainment Centre next week and showcase a collaboration of indigenous Australian and Indian dancers conveying their feelings towards climate change through dance, physical theatre and aerial acrobatics.

Artistic director Mark Howett said upon learning that by 2050 there would be no more banksia and peppermint trees left in WA, he considered the long-term effects of climate change.

He said *Kwongkan* developed as a result of that and described it as a journey of self-discovery and of people fighting to protect their an-



Photo: Mark Howett

Nadia Martich, Ian Wilkes and Isha Sharvani.

cient cultures and lands from "the tsunami of change".

"Peppermint trees were such a big part of my childhood and have great cultural significance," Howett said. "It made me think... there's so

much to talk about, about how perilous climate change is."

Kwongkan will take centre stage at the AEC on October 13 and tickets can be purchased via the AEC Box Office or online.

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Chicken and asparagus lasagne

From BG's Kitchen

Local asparagus is officially in season, and it's one of my favourite spring vegetables. Asparagus makes great bedfellows with chicken, so it's perfect for a classic chicken lasagne - earthy, creamy and rich. Here's my version:

Ingredients

1kg chicken thighs (preferably local, free range)
500g asparagus (I love Torbay Asparagus for this time of year)
1 packet lasagne sheets
2 litres full cream milk
Extra milk, enough to cover chicken in a deep pan
230g butter
230g plain flour
1 bunch French tarragon, chopped
1 bunch spring onions, chopped
500g shredded mozzarella cheese
200g grated parmesan cheese
1 chicken stock cube
Salt
Pepper
Nutmeg

Method

Spring onion and tarragon béchamel:
Melt the butter in a heavy based saucepan until it begins to foam. Keeping the pan on the heat, add the plain flour and beat with a spatula or wooden spoon until the mixture turns pale.

Add the 2 litres of milk a little splash at a time, beating smooth until completely combined.

Tip: Make sure that the milk is straight out of the fridge and cold in temperature.

Add the tarragon and spring onions, and keep on the heat for a further five minutes, stirring continuously.

Remove from the heat and season by crumbling in the chicken stock cube, and adding salt, pepper and a pinch of nutmeg to taste.

Chicken Thighs:

Season the thighs with butter, tarragon and seasoning and place in a sauté pan or deeper fry pan.

Cover with milk. Bring to a gentle sim-



Photo: Chris Thomson

mer and poach for 15 to 20 minutes until cooked through.

Assembly

Preheat your oven to 180 degrees.

Prepare your asparagus spears by snapping off the woody ends.

If the stalks are thick, slice them thinly, keeping the tips for garnish.

If the stalks are thin, they can go in whole.

Dice your chicken thighs into bite-sized pieces and have the béchamel along with all of the remaining ingredients close to hand.

Grab a baking dish, and spoon a layer of béchamel along the bottom, and top with a layer of pasta sheets.

Build up the layers: béchamel, followed by a sprinkle of each of your cheeses, then sliced chicken thighs, béchamel, pasta sheets and so on. Build the layers up until you fill the dish, or until your ingredients run dry.

Finish the dish with a pasta layer topped with béchamel and a generous layer of both cheeses. This will turn into the molten cheesy crust that makes a great lasagne.

You can place the asparagus spears on the top layer for decoration, if you like.

Bake for 45 minutes or until the crust is golden and bubbling.

Cool slightly, enjoy, and most importantly try not to fight with anyone over who gets the crispy edges!

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Breathtaking '54 Zephyr

Over the next little while, we'll take a look at some of our favourite classic cars from the past few years. Here's one from the 20th July 2017.

THE last time we saw Gordon Hurley, he was showing us his Model T Ford, when he was recognised for his 50 years of continuous membership with the Albany branch of the Veteran Car Club of WA.

The Model T was a beauty, but we also noticed it had a nice little companion in the garage – a sleek black 1954 Ford Zephyr Mark 1, an absolute stunner of a car that gets more than a little drool in the corner of your mouth.

It is another fine example of Gordon's amazing attention to detail resulting in a spectacular restoration.

The Zephyr really takes your breath away, perhaps because of a combination of the ruby red interior, gloss black paint and pristine chrome finishes.

It's a car that is meant to be on the road for everyone to enjoy. Gordon has addressed every detail of the interior, keeping it as original as possible, even finding a new dashboard with the iconic Zephyr badge inlaid into it from a wreck he salvaged on the side of the road.

Gordon's old mate Benny Cahill deserves an honorable mention for getting that upholstery looking fine enough to make you cry. As pretty as she is, the Zephyr is an impressive piece of hardware to have in your collection.

The little car hooks along for sure, proving it's not just one for the young at heart to whip around corners and thrash on the straight, but it also has the pedigree of a rally car.

In 1953, a Zephyr Mk1 driven by Maurice Gatsonides won the Monte Carlo rally, shaming a Jaguar Mark VII into second place, and two years later won the East African Safari Rally driven by Vic Preston and DP Marwaha.

Traditionally a straight six, the Zephyr made up for oomph in what the Ford Consul lacked, and was good enough for Ford to produce a few hundred thousand. Gordon's choice of a Zephyr to restore stemmed from his ownership of one as a young chap.

His first Zephyr was reasonably well looked after, so well in fact that changing the rear axle was an almost regular occurrence.

He has taken a bit more care with this beautiful restoration, and seems to have adjusted his driving habits to suit.

Just looking at the Zephyr transports you back to the 50s, with the covered rear wheel arches and venetian blinds in the rear window.

While Gordon and his wife Maureen have been enjoying both the Model T and the Zephyr for a few years now, Gordon promises he is on his last restoration project, or so he says.

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MOST of the regular readers of this page would be well aware that I have just spent six weeks and a fair bit of money in the north of our state chasing all sorts of things with fins with some success and some frustration.

But after a week of cleaning boats, cars, sorting fishing tackle out and getting the house back in tip top shape I found myself needing a fishing hit.

So, a quick whiting and squid session was planned with Morris Wilkinson and his daughter Mackenzie and it was going to be a time-limited effort as Morris had work commitments at lunch time.

I always try and have a plan before I leave home and it was a bit hard to do this with it being more than eight weeks since I had ventured out into King George Sound.

I had no idea where the fish and squid had been caught and I wasn't even aware of the colour of the water in the Sound. So, it was a pretty fluid plan that was rattling around in my head as we set out.

The first few spots produced some small squid, but no fish.

But I was reasonably confident as it was pretty clear water that greeted us once we got nearer to the islands and I hoped it would be only a matter of time until we hit pay dirt. After about six drifts I finally nailed a fair KG and Morris got a thumper of a sand whiting, but there were no consistent bites.

On about spot number seven, things started to warm up with the KG bite hitting top gear along with a steady stream of good squid. The best thing was the average size of the KGs as the smallest were around the mid 30cm mark with most over 40cm.

When you haven't caught good King George on lightish tackle for a while you forget what a great sports fish they are – pound for pound they are right up there with some of their more illustrious cousins.

Young Mackenzie was having a blast on these fish and ended up with the biggest of the day – a very respectable 4.5cm fish that had her battling for a short while.

It is always good to see the look on someone's face be they young or old when they catch that special fish.

In between the hectic whiting action, the squid thought they would join the party, with a couple of the bigger ones being over 1.5kg, and even they put up a good showing of themselves on the light gear.

In no time we had our bag of 24 KGs so we headed home, one happy crew looking forward to a feed of some of the best seafood the ocean has to offer.

I think two major points came out of the day and that was sometimes you have to be persistent and keep looking when you are chasing KGs, and secondly just what a great fishery we have and one that needs protecting.

— Alby Snr



■ Mackenzie caught this ripper KG.

Tides & Tips

SUN and tide times on the South Coast are as follows. Tide times are printed for Albany. Add 15 minutes for Bremer Bay, subtract 15 minutes for Walpole.

Friday, October 12: Sunrise: 5:30am, Sunset: 6:20pm. Tides: 7:00am 0.47m, 11:42am 0.56m, 3:36pm 0.49m, 11:23pm 0.99m.

Saturday, October 13: Sunrise: 5:29am, Sunset: 6:21pm. Tides: 7:41am 0.51m, 10:14am 0.54m, 3:37pm 0.44m, 11:35pm 0.99m.

Sunday, October 14: Sunrise: 5:28am, Sunset: 6:22pm. Tides: 8:30am 0.55m, 9:35am 0.56m, 3:35pm 0.41m, 11:59pm 0.98m.

Monday, October 15: Sunrise: 5:26am, Sunset: 6:22pm. Tides: 3:36pm 0.39m.

Tuesday, October 16: Sunrise: 5:25am, Sunset: 6:23pm. Tides:

12:25am 0.94m, 3:39pm 0.40m.
Wednesday, October 17: Sunrise: 5:24am, Sunset: 6:24pm. Tides: 12:47am 0.89m, 3:34pm 0.40m.

Thursday, October 18: Sunrise: 5:22am, Sunset: 6:25pm. Tides: 12:43am 0.83m, 3:33pm 0.40m, 11:29pm 0.77m.

GIVE these times a try this weekend.
Saturday: 2:12pm - 2:32pm, 2:22pm, major solunar, rating good. Minor solunar 8:22pm.

Sunday: 1:47am - 2:07am, 1:57am, major solunar, rating good. Minor solunar 7:57am.

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Make sure you write down your plan and give each family member their tasks.

Be sure to include what you will do to protect your pets and

livestock.

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For a full plan go to www.dfes.wa.gov.au and search for bush fire survival plan.

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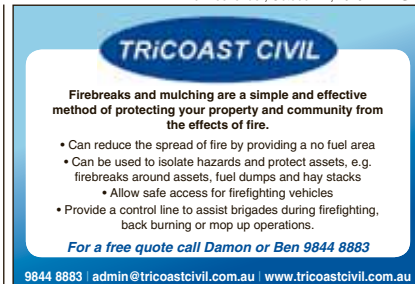
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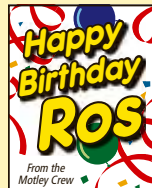
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Tuesday, November 13, 2018, 12:30pm
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Enquiries to 0429 981 567 or 9844 1203.

Tennis Open Day

Lawley Park Tennis Club off Brunswick Road welcomes all to an open day on Saturday, October 13 at 1.30pm. Come and enjoy tennis with a harbour view.

King River Hall Events

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Museum Curatorial

Malcolm Traill will present 170 Years Old: St John's Church in Albany at 10.30am on October 16 in the old Co-op building at the Museum of the Great South.

Denmark Country
Music Club

A country music night will be held at Benbow Hall, Lower Denmark Road on October 13, 8pm until midnight. Live country music by Gumleaf. Please bring a plate of food to share. Members \$10, non-members \$12 and children under 16 are free. For bookings and enquiries, call Helen (0841 853804/077 965 158), Cathy (9846 4306/0427 464 306) or Tom (9848 1339/0407 481 339).

U3A

The new term commences at the Museum of the Great Southern at 2pm on Friday, October 12 when guest Barbara Lister will present "Chief Seattle's Reply" with zither accompaniment. This will be followed by an open discussion. All welcome. Ph: 9844 1150.

Senior Citizen Concert

The concert will be held at Grey Street on Tuesday, October 16 at 1.30pm. Sing-along, guest artist, choir. \$5 includes door price and afternoon tea.

Friends of Yakamia
Creek

The next bush bee will be held on October 14 from 9.30am to 11.30 am. There will be planting of native shrubs and weeding to improve Yakamia Creek. Meet at the foot bridge on Barnesby Dr. Contact Karen for more information on 0435 056 340.

Albany Orchid Society

Albany Orchid Society will hold their next meeting on Sunday, October 14 at the Albany Bridge Club in Mill Street, Albany. Orchid benching is at 1.30 pm and the meeting starts at 2pm. Anyone with an interest in growing orchids is most welcome to attend. For more information, please ring 9841 8921 or 9841 3314.

Albany Community Environment Centre
Albany Community Environment Centre Inc. (ACEC) Annual General Meeting will be held on October 28 from 10am to 1pm at Green Skills, 38 Graham Street, Albany. The meeting will be held first, followed by food - please bring a plate or something for the BBQ. Special business of the AGM is the amendment of ACEC's Constitution and Rules.

Pulmonary Fibrosis Support Group
In Albany. Please contact Di on 9846 4669.

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Croquet

Gromm Park Croquet Club welcomes new players on Wednesday and Saturday mornings at 8.45am. Come and have a free try. Everything available at the club. For more information, ring Val on 9844 9776.

Cheese Club

The Cheese Club of Australia's Albany branch will meet for the Happy Diner Mt Barker on Sunday, October 21 at 2pm. Everyone most welcome. Phone Gladys 0405 429 913.

Leukaemia Friends of the Foundation Albany

A Leukaemia Foundation Community Group assists the Leukaemia Foundation to provide support to any family in our community enduring a blood cancer journey by fundraising towards free services provided by the Leukaemia Foundation for patients and their families. If you'd like to make a difference in our community and meet new like-minded people, please come along to our next meeting on Wednesday, October 3 at Motel Le Grande commencing at 4.30 pm. Join Gayle for a cuppa from 4pm. All welcome. For further details, contact Gayle 0408 904 817 or email gayle63@bigpond.com.

Scotts Craft Markets

The markets will be on again in Scotts Hall on Tuesday, October 4 and 5, 9am to 3pm daily. Browse amongst the good selection of local craft and produce stalls. Entrance from York or Aberdeen Streets. Our thanks to the local Leukaemia Foundation. They will be providing delicious sausage, sandwich lunches and Devonshire teas. Come along and support this worthwhile fundraiser (10am to 2pm each day). Enquiries re stalls to 9841 2725 or 9841 1681.

Albany Breakeas
Ladies Probuss Club

The club meets every third Friday of the month at Junior, the Beryl Grant Community Centre at 31 Townsend Street, Lockyer. Are you retired and looking for fellowship, friendship, food and fun? Plus, stimulating guest speakers? We welcome visitors and new members. For further information, contact 9842 2176 or 0427 511 877.

Light the Night is on
again in 2018

November 17 on the grassed area at Emu Point from 5.30 pm. Keep the evening free and join those who have been affected by a blood cancer. For further details, contact Gayle on 0408 904 817 or email gayle63@bigpond.com.

Glenda Gaggie

The Glenda Gaggie is on again and if your name is Glenda then you are warmly invited to attend this annual gathering that will be held on Saturday, October 13, 6pm until late at Dylan's on the Terrace Restaurant and Café on Stirling Terrace, Albany in the private function area upstairs.

Grief Support Group

Help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member or friend. GriefShare is a special weekly seminar and support group designed to help you rebuild

your life after losing a loved one. Our group is led by an experienced grief and want to help you through the difficult days ahead. We know it hurts and we want to help. Contact us today - Tuesdays 7.30 to 9.30pm on August 28 - November 27 at the Free Reformed Church, Albany. Contact: Kristy on 9847 4217 or ktottelberg@hotmail.com.

Strawberry Hill
volunteers needed

Are you interested in Albany's history and heritage and enjoy discussing it with like-minded people? Do you enjoy meeting and welcoming visitors from around the world? Becoming a volunteer at Old Farm Strawberry Hill, Middleton Road can be just for you. Contact Judy Williams on 0429 984 468 if you are interested in a volunteer position to either meet and greet people, or for garden maintenance and landscaping work.

Albany Bridge Club

12 Mill Street - All welcome. Monday 1pm for beginners and those still learning. Cost \$4. Phone Ann (instructor) on 0405 217 089 or just turn up - no partners required. Tuesday 10am start but arrive 10 mins prior to be seated (bring your cards). Thursday 1pm start but arrive 10 mins prior to be seated. Friday 7pm start but arrive 10 mins prior to be seated. Saturday 1pm but again arrive earlier to be seated. For more information, they meet every Wednesday at 9am. Contact 0429 983 610.

The over 50s cycling group

will meet October 17 at 9am at the Port of Albany. Meeting at 9.30am for the Wind Farm/Robinson Rd Ride. 50 km or 40km. Coffee at Bay Merchants' Centre in Mill St on 0418 647 897 for information.

The over 50s equestrian riders

will meet on October 17 at 9am at Woolstools Place for a ride around the Riding Store. For further information, contact Shaun on 0429 435 085.

The easy pace riders

will meet every Wednesday at 9am at the Port of Albany. Meeting at 9.30am for the Wind Farm/Robinson Rd Ride. 50 km or 40km. Coffee at Bay Merchants' Centre in Mill St on 0418 647 897 for information.

The over 50s walking group

will meet on October 13 at 8.10am at the Old Golf for a car pool to Possession Point. Quarannup Rd. Please bring your own chair and morning tea. For more information, contact Allan on 9844 8536 after 6pm.

The over 50s easy pace walkers

will meet every Tuesday and Thursday at 8pm at PCYC. Enquiries to Shaun on 0498 441 390.

Classes are held at the Scout Hall, cur Sanford and North the RSL Hall (ground floor or visit taoist.org.au for more information.

meetings are October 11, 25 and November 8. Drop in and have a chat or contact Carol 9842 1810 or Anne 0407 929 542.

Meditation

Evening meditation (40 mins) on Tuesdays at 6pm (seated by 5.55pm) at Albany Body Mind & Health on 95 Lockyer Ave, Albany. Bring a cushion. \$4. Info phone Jo 0401 086 862.

CWA Albany

The CWA Hall on Serpentine Rd, Albany is now available for community hire. For details, see Facebook @cwaalbanycwa, email albanycwa@yahoo.com.au or phone Anne on 0412 937 641.

Community Herb
Garden

Albany Body Mind & Health is donating a portion of their road verge garden space for a community garden. Volunteers are required to remove weeds, over soil, mulch, supply and plant a variety of herbs and spices. Expressions of interest can be emailed to admin@albanybodymindandhealth.com.au or ring 0428 287 037.

Cycling

Belles on Bikes is a social riding group for women of all ages, offering short and long rides. The group meets every Wednesday at 9am. Contact 0429 983 610.

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Men's Probuss

The Probuss Club of Albany Central is a non-sectarian, non-political club for retired professional or businessmen. We meet at the Middleton Beach Bowling Club on the second Tuesday of the month for fun and friendship. We have a guest speaker each month to talk on various subjects. We also have outings on the fourth Tuesday of the month, which members' wives and partners are welcome to attend. It's a great way to make new friends. For more information, ring Roger on 0419 302 328.

Combined Probuss Club
of Albany

Retirees and semi-retirees meet for fellowship, friendship and fun at the Combined Probuss Club of Albany. We are a mixed gender club that welcomes singles and couples to enjoy life after retirement. We have many interest groups so you will find like-minded people in a stimulating gathering that is focused on companionship and laughter. Probuss is a worldwide organisation with representation throughout Australia. Contact us on 0488 946 388 or email combinedprobussalbanycwa@gmail.com.

MyTime

Do you have a child with a disability, a developmental delay or chronic medical condition? Would you like to meet with other parents in similar circumstances? Do you want to find out about available community support services that you can access? MyTime is a FREE service that is open and inclusive to all parents and carers that fit the above criteria. Meetings are held each Wednesday during the school term at Wanslea, 26 Prior Street. Call 08 9843 0077

Dancing

Irish/Highland Dance classes now available in Denmark and Albany. All enquiries - Lucy 0404 126 014.

The over 50s line dancing

is held at 9.30am every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday at Scots Hall, York St. Contact Jennifer 9844 1199.

The over 50s social dancing

is held on Thursdays at 1.00pm to 4.00pm at the Scouts Hall, on the corner of North and Sanford Roads. Contact Monica on 0427 374 144.

R/C Yachts

If you are interested in sailing and racing international-class radio controlled model yachts, the Albany Radio Sailing Club Inc sails on Wednesday and Sunday mornings every week from 9am-noon (weather permitting). Ph: Phil 9842 8087 or Ian 0418 936 177.

Albany Master Swimmers

Anyone aged 18 years or over is invited to our aerobic sessions held at ALAC at noon on Sundays, as well as to the anaerobic sessions held at 7pm on Wednesday evenings. Ph: 9844 9401 or 9841 4810.

Free Tutoring

Do you know an adult whose reading and writing is holding them back? Free, one-to-one tutoring with a trained volunteer is available. 1800 018 802 www.read-write-now.org

Friendship Force

Enjoy travelling within Australia and perhaps overseas? Enjoy hosting and showing off our amazing Albany and surrounds to visitors? Make new friends with local club members on social outings and coffee mornings. Friendship Force International is a non-profit, non-religious and non-political group and our aim is to further friendships, peace and cultural understanding. We meet at Lotteries House on the first Thursday of each month at 6.30pm. For enquiries, call 0427 901 722.

Toys
Rainbow Coast Toy Library (behind PCYC, Sanford Road) is available Saturdays 10am to noon during school term. Enquiries to 0435 981 783 or rcytoylibrary@hotmail.com.

Photography
The Albany Photography Society meets on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 7.30pm in the RSL club rooms, Stirling Terrace. The club organises experienced guest presenters, demonstrations, competitions, social outings and more.

Knit and Natter Crafts
Please come to our Knit and

community notices

or email albanycwa@wanslea.asn.au for more. Creche/play helper provided.

Addiction Support
Group

The support group is a self-management and recovery group for recovering or recovered individuals from any form of addiction. Please call 9892 2100 for more information.

Tae Kwon Do

The Kwon Do training will be held at the Senior Citizens Centre, 122 Grey St West on Mondays and Wednesdays, 6-7pm. All people aged five and above are welcome. Call Adam on 0467 532 533 for more information.

Fishing

Fishability invites people with disabilities to participate in regular monthly fishing days in the Albany area. Rods, bait and tackle are provided. Call 0413 296 606 or info.albanycwa@fishabilitywithabilities.org.au

Exercise to Music

The music is held at 9am every Monday and Wednesday at the Scots Hall York St and at PCYC on Sanford Rd on Fridays at 9am. Contact Diane 0428 161 630 (Mon), Win 9842 9884 (Wed), or Jean 0408 095 481 (Fri).

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ings and the opportunity to mix with other photographers. Visitors welcome. Enquiries 0428 413 986 or 9844 1203.

Make-A-Wish

Albany's Make-A-Wish Foundation is seeking new members. If you can spare time, please call 0418 124 805.

Albany Bridge Club

Albany's World Tae Kwon Do Federation affiliated club trains on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. Call 0477 288 603.

Bridge

The Albany Bridge Club meets in Mill St on Tuesdays 10am, Thursdays 1pm, Fridays evenings and Saturdays 1pm. Classes available. Call 0414 697 975.

Depression

The Depression Support Network Albany is open Tuesday to Thursday 10am-3pm at 39 Mokare Rd, Spencer Park. Contact Jo on 0428 280 878.

Albany Senior Citizens
Centre

The Albany Senior Citizens Centre hosts over 55s club (Mondays 1-3pm), pilates (Mondays 10.30am and Thursdays 9am), carpet bowls (Tuesdays 1pm), introductory yoga (Wednesdays 11am), bingo (Thursdays 1pm) and social craft group (Fridays 9.30am).

The Dining Room

The Dining Room is open daily 11.30am to 1pm. Enquiries to 9841 2168 during business hours.

Snake Removal

If you need a venomous snake or a reptile removed, free licensed reptile re-locators are available. Call 0409 753 997.

Knit and Natter Crafts

Please come to our Knit and

Natter craft group on Tuesday afternoons, 1 to 3pm at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church Hall at 322 Albany Hwy - access also from North Road. Enquiries 9844 4791.

Al-Anon

If your home is unhappy because someone drinks too much, we can help you. Contact 9844 8148 after 5pm.

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Parkinson's Disease

The Parkinson's Support Group meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 10am at Lotteries House. Details from Julie - 9844 9284.

Cards & Games
The over 50s cards and games group meets at noon every Thursday at the Guide Hall in Parker St. Cards is grand Canaster; we also play Mahjong and Scrabble. Phone Helen on 0439 194 916 or Kaye 9841 3295 for further details.

Speak confidently
Find your voice. Southern Star Speaking Club meets at the Albany Bridge Club at 6.15pm every Wednesday (except school holidays). Phone 0448 271 246.

Archery
Rainbow Coast Archers shoots on Saturdays, with a 12.30pm muster and 1pm guest competition. Contact John on 9844 8042.

Craft
The Redmont Stitchers meet every Tuesday 10am-3pm at Redmont Progress Hall, Redmont-Hay River Rd. BYO

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Photos: Football West

■ Albany Junior Soccer Association's Under 15's Risdon with coach Wing Kuen Wee showing off their gold medals after being undefeated throughout Country Week.

Sharing the spoils

GRACE JONES

ALBANY Junior Soccer Association players can hang up their boots in pride following the 2018 Country Week competition in Perth recently.

Of the AJSA 10 teams that arrived at McGillivray Oval, six teams brought home podium placements with six players receiving gongs for fairest and best.

ASJA president Grace Knowlson said all teams performed well.

"Six of our teams made it to the grand final and two teams won," she said.

"And we got medals for fairest and best as well."

Albany's Under 14's Kerr came runner up for finals along with Under 11's Jedinak, Under 12's Foord and Under 17 Sainsbury.

Albany's Under 15's Risdon won their finals as well as Under 17 McCallum.

Under 14's Kerr player Tayah Dallimore was awarded fairest and best, with Under 15's Risdon Oliver Trichilo and Parker Wingard from Albany receiving winner and runner-up medals respectively.

Albany's Under 12's Foord player Ella Mar-



■ Albany Junior Soccer Association's Under 14's Kerr proudly showing off their silver medals at Country Week.

wick also received recognition for a successful carnival, with Under 17 Sainsbury's Hamid Naseri coming in as a runner up and Under 17 McCallum's Zara Whooley winning her division.

"This year wasn't any different. "We've been having more and more families head up to Perth with their kids and I think that really gives the players a good boost in support."

Knowlson said Albany's junior teams were known at Country Week for being one of the more competitive sides during the carnival.

"We have a team for each league every year and we're very competitive," she said.

note for the season and she was proud of everyone who participated.

"Country Week rounded off the season really well," she said.

"We really dominated across the game this season."

"Having our players nominated as fairest and best cements the fact that we play fair and we play with respect to the other teams."

"We play the game how it should be played and I'm really proud of that."



■ Albany Junior Soccer Association's Under 11's Jedinak wearing their silver medals at Country Week.

Athletes get set for season

RUNNERS, jumpers and throwers of all ages and capabilities laced up their shoes and shook off the early morning chill on Saturday for the Albany Athletics Club track and field Have-A-G-Day.

Existing members and sport fanatics who wanted to give something different a go lined the starting line for 80, 200 and 800 metre sprints, long jump, hurdles and the javelin for a taster of the upcoming athletics season.

The athletics club will officially start their season this Saturday with track and field events including shot put, discus, high jump, and 60, 200 and 800 metre sprints.

People aged from 12-years-old to more than 79-years-old will meet at the North Road Athletics Club on Wednesdays and Saturdays each week until the official season wind-up in March next year.



■ Maddison Dixon, Arjuna Wright and Will Berry racing to the finish.



■ Miles Deutschman in the lead.



■ Will Berry.



■ Leonie Taylor.



■ Charlotte Mitrovski leaping into the long jump pit.



■ Carl Heslop.

Photos: Ashleigh Fielding

Next week will see our staff heading off to Cape to Cape!

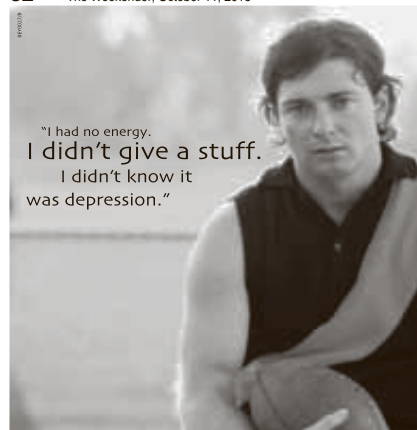
Opening hours are below but please be patient as the Boss is grumpy he can't come!

Fri 19th - 9am to 3pm
Sat 20th - 9am to 12.30pm
Sun 21st - Closed
Mon 22nd - Closed
Tues 23rd - 9am to 5:30pm

Next Events
Cape to Cape - 18th Oct
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Exercise won't offset this one thing

By AMBER CEKEREVAC
Owner BodyCare Health Club

SMASHING yourself at the gym for an hour, then spending the rest of the day stuck in front of your computer or slumped in your favourite armchair watching television, can be likened to being a marathon runner who smokes.

And just like smoking, sedentary behaviour isn't good for you, regardless of whether or not you exercise.

But before you quit the gym, read on. Exercise is definitely good for you, and helps reduce the incidence of nasties like cardiovascular disease and diabetes. But new research suggests that just because you ticked the exercise box for the day, it doesn't prevent the detrimental effects of prolonged periods of inactivity.

Due to advances in technology, being inactive has become one of our most popular pastimes. Studies in recent years have shown a clear association between prolonged periods of inactivity and morbidity (disease) and mortality (death).

A recent study found that individuals who participate in more than seven hours of moderate to vigorous exercise per week BUT who also watch more than seven hours of television per day had twice the risk of cardiovascular mortality as those who do the same amount of exercise but only watch one hour of television per day.

So the message is pretty clear, exercise – yes absolutely – but don't think you can then become a sloth for the rest of the day.

Photo: Ashleigh Fielding

Western Australian Laser Association masters laser coach James Stewart, Max Tate, Joe Harvey, Robert Cronin, Luke Pascoe, Jack O'Farrell, Toby Ryan and Luke Harvey.

Sailors focus on skills

GRACE JONES

WESTERN Australian Laser Association masters laser coach James Stewart set sail over the weekend during a two-day laser coaching session for the Princess Royal Sailing Club junior sailors.

Around 13 boats took to the water under the instruction of the 20-year-old coach, which PRSC assistant training and junior development officer Lisa O'Farrell said was a great way to start the season.

"We had really good numbers over the two days considering last season we only had six lasers out each week," she said.

"Last season was the first season for a few years where we had lasers out on the water."

"We're definitely hoping for around 10 racing each week for this season."

O'Farrell said Stewart's visit gave the club a boost.

"They were all groaning that James would be some old dude teaching them how to use a laser," she said.

"They were really surprised and pleased to have someone younger and more relatable teaching them."

"He was a great mentor to those kids and is already talking about coming back down in December."

O'Farrell said the juniors weren't the only ones to benefit from having Stewart coaching them, with local laser sailor Murray Howson jumping aboard before his next big competition in Fiji.

"Murray is heading off to the Oceania Fiji Laser Masters this week," she said.

"So it was perfect timing for him to get some coaching in by a master-level coach before the competition."

"James was coached by

some of the best and we were very, very lucky to have him."

O'Farrell said the club would hold an open day on October 20 with plenty of activities to do.

"It will be a perfect opportunity to get out there and have a go at sailing if you are interested," she said.

Spectators will have the opportunity to get involved and enjoy the racing too.

Horse of year

ALBANY Horseman's Association members will be brushing and braiding their steeds over the next few days in preparation for the Trophy Gala and Horse of the Year competition on Sunday at the Albany Equestrian Centre.

Renowned Equestrian Australia judge Kerry Wilson will travel down from Perth to judge the proceedings, with local equestrian judge and competitor Carol Bergersen filling the role of encourage judge.

The AHA will also hold a dressage competition on Saturday.

Winners of the day will qualify for the Great Southern Horse of the Year and Great Southern Hunter of the Year to be competed at the Albany Show next month.

For more information on the Trophy Gala and Horse of the Year or dressage competition contact Debbie Panizza on 0418 447 621 or Tracey Sands on 0438 090 337.

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Speedway underway



Photo: SWB Photography

Street stock driver Michael Herbert running some laps at the Mount Barker Speedway Test 'n' Tune day.

CHECK your oil, re-adjust your four-point harness and make sure your racing suit still fits because it's time for the Mount Barker Speedway opening race, the Kelvin Sobey Memorial, this weekend.

Mat Barker Speedway's season has the usual fixtures for the year, including the Ken Taylor Highest Points, Ronnie J Memorial and the production and junior features with the addition of a demo derby and novelty races at the end of the season.

Gates open at 10am for the Mount Barker Speedway Kelvin Sobey Memorial on Saturday with racing starting at 1pm. Nominations are still open for each division on the Mount Barker Speedway Facebook page.

Basketball draw

ROUND one of the Albany Basketball Association is only days away and the highly anticipated fixtures for the season have been released.

Mens A grade kicks off on Tuesday night with Knights and Barking Owls replaying their grand final showdown from earlier this year at 6pm on the Albany Leisure and Aquatic Centre courts.

Knights took home the premiership last season with a 12-point win against the Owls.

Crabs will play Kjarlingar Thunder at 7pm with Albany Spartans and Tigers facing off at the same time.

New addition to this season's roster is The Farm Athletics will make their debut on the court at 8pm against Ambassadors.

Women's A grade will start off their season with the Panthers facing the Magpies at 6pm in a re-match for the last season's final that had Panthers beating back the Magpies in a 30-27 win.

Phoenix will play Flames at 8pm with Raiders U18 girls to have the bye.

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Albany Golf Club

Saturday, September 29.
Men – Four-ball stableford:
A Kinsey & P Larard 47, M Adams & K Selby 47, P Norman & M Dryden 46, E James & T Sargeant 44, I Nichols & P Green 44, R Barnes & B Marshall 43, B Tichelaar & S Vandervyl 43, T Wilson & B Ross 43.

Women – Four-ball stableford:
K Steicke & M Mason 44, P Green & S Burgess 40, K Penton & A George 39, K Moir & T Hunter 39, J Scott & H Groves 38, W Stewart & R Sobey 38.

Tuesday, October 2.
Men – 9 Hole Stableford:
R Philpott 22, M Moran 21, J Williams 20, K Lane 20, F Jafferles 20, W Snowball 20, C Eccles 19, P Soumness 19, B Gaze 18, P Brandhorst 18, M Tink 18.

Wednesday, October 3.
Men – 9 Hole Stableford:
P Larard 20, A Taylor 20, M Morrison 18, K Parker 17, Stableford:
G Moncur 42, M Lee 41, R Meams 39, R Adams 38, T Sargeant 37, M Davies 37, B Omen 37, R Barker 36, B Hicks 36, C Johnson 36, K Selby 36.

Thursday, October 4.
4bb Stableford:
W Snowball & J Jafferles 45, J Jackson & W Ferguson 42, V Crossley & T Sisman 42, G Waugh & G Kneale 41, S Bailey & J Lovejoy 40, D Laffin & A Mackay 40.
Narpanup Golf Club
Sunday, October 7.
Stableford – Mount Barker Co-op trophy:
R Thistle 37, B Pearce 36, K Frost 35, P Pearce 34, NTP#8: K Frost – Ray White trophy, NTP#15: E Pearce, NTP#16: R Thistle – Bendigo Bank trophy, LP#18: R Thistle.

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2011 NISSAN PATROL ST GUV VALUE \$30,990 "The best you will find", Turbo diesel, automatic, 7 seat 4wd with only 81,000 km, heaps of accessories "A plum", Turbo diesel automatic.	2012 NISSAN NAVARA ST-X VALUE \$20,990 Turbo Diesel 4x4, automatic, king cab, below average kms with service history, a host of accessories and very clean. Turbo diesel auto, full service.	2015 MITSUBISHI ZJ OUTLANDER VALUE \$19,990 Ex Local Gov't with full service records, auto, air, steer, cruise, tint, low bar, reversing sensors, drives superb. One owner full records.
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2011 FORD 4X4 RANGER WORTH A LOOK! \$18,990 Low km, one owner, 3l turbo diesel dual cab, with 3 tonne towing capacity, heavy duty oil tray and sides, low bar, tint. Only travelled 63,000 km.	2013 FORD TERRITORY TX VALUE \$18,990 V6 turbo diesel SUV wagon with 111,000 km, very clean with history. Turbo diesel AWD.	2012 HOLDEN COLORADO LT VALUE \$17,690 Turbo diesel auto high rider with tint, low bar, tonneau cover, 3.5 tonne towing, good history, timing belts done! 3.5 tonne towing 165,000 km.
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2012 MITSUBISHI OUTLANDER LS VALUE \$16,990 4cyl auto 4wd SUV with 97,000 km, very well presented with alloys, full electrics etc. 4wd, automatic, suv.	2011 SSANGYONG KYRON VALUE \$14,990 Lovely one owner 4 door SUV with auto trans, turbo diesel, low bar, nudge bar, very clean. One owner, full service records.	2009 NISSAN NAVARA ST-X VALUE \$13,990 Turbo diesel 5 speed manual 4wd dual cab with 140,000 km, very tidy with canopy, low bar etc. Turbo diesel 4x4.
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2010 NISSAN 4X4 LT XTRAIL VALUE \$13,690 Turbo diesel economy here with automatic trans, air con, factory alloys, tint, leather trim. Popular make and model.	2007 HYUNDAI IMAX VALUE \$12,990 Family price 8 seater people mover, auto trans, air con, workshop checked. 8 seater.	2011 HOLDEN VE BERLINA VALUE \$11,990 Family priced Aussie icon with all the Berlina features, and only \$65 per week, drives superb. Only 140,000 clocked.
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2008 SSANGYONG REXTON RX270 VALUE \$13,690 \$11,888 \$10,880 3 tonne towing. 7 seat turbo diesel automatic 7 seater with bull bar, low bar & leather trim, 3 tonne towing capacity. 7 seat turbo diesel with service history.	2009 HOLDEN COMBO E3 VALUE \$10,990 \$9,940 4cyl 5 speed manual, 4 door, 1.4L economy, 119 km, 5 speed manual, 4 door.
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2008 MAZDA CX7 LUXURY VALUE \$10,990 Top of the line SUV AWD, 2.3 turbo petrol with full leather, etc. Fully serviced, timing belts done. Luxury SUV.	2010 FORD TERRITORY TS VALUE \$8,990 4cyl auto, RWD, family wagon, low bar, tint, alloys! Value!	2006 FORD XLS ESCAPE VALUE \$8,990 Popular mid size SUV with a 4cyl economy, automatic trans or con, power steer, complete service history. Value buying 4x4.	2010 VW POLO COMFORTLINE VALUE \$7,690 1.6 turbo diesel 4cyl manual, with good service history. 5 speed manual.
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2008 TOYOTA AURION AT-X VALUE \$7,690 V6 auto luxury sedan.	2011 KIA RIO LS VALUE \$7,490 \$6,990 4cyl 5 speed manual, 36,000 km, 1 owner.	2005 HOLDEN VZ COMMODORE S VALUE \$5,990 4cyl auto, low bar, hard cover, full reckoned, serviced, timing chains etc.	2005 FORD BA FALCON SEDAN VALUE \$4,990 6 cyl auto, air, steer, cruise, front bar protection and only 136,000 km.
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1996 SUBARU IMPREZA CHEAP \$3,990 Oldie but a goodie with only 140,000 from new, 5 speed manual, air, steer.	2001 TOYOTA HIACE VALUE \$3,350 4cyl petrol Hiac manual, cheap.	1998 FORD EL FALCON VALUE \$2,990 Auto, air, steer, cruise and only 104,000 km.
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■ THE Albany Cricket Association's 2018/19 season is rapidly approaching, and while players will enjoy their second season from the comfort of the North Road pavilion, matches weren't always played on grounds with such salubrious amenities. This photo puts today's plush grounds of Foundation Park on Parade Street in a different light. While sporting matches haven't been played there for years, they were no less competitive, despite the patchy surface. Photo: Albany Historical Society.



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A Fresh Look at Albany *Kalgan Sunset*