





A PERFECT storm of factors has transformed the Renmark Paringa Council from debt-free to financially struggling, its mayor says in a pre-Federal **Election pitch for increased**

Peter Hunter has joined the chorus of local government voices pleading – to whoever wins the 3 May poll - to boost Commonwealth financial assistance grants funding.

Mr Hunter says the decrease in funding – from 1 per cent of overall taxation to .51 per cent - comes on top of his district being "short changed" by insurance companies during and after the 2022/23 Murray River flood, plus "cost shifting" from other levels of government.

He says "local funds" have been required to cover 28 per cent of the infrastructure needed to return Renmark Paringa to normal following the flood.

"This may sound low, but if you factor the total costs (of) over \$20 million, then we need to find over \$5 million," Mr Hunter says in a letter to the editor in today's Murray Pioneer.

"(That is) a very significant amount for a council which was debt free prior to the flood.

"If we add to this scenario the cost shifting, expecting local government to fund everincreasing roles, the financial pressures are immense and

Mr Hunter urged community members to speak to political candidates and advocate for a bigger funding share.

Mr Hunter's call follows similar comments from Mid Murray Mayor Simone Bailey, who said her council was struggling to recover from the flood, and that the financial assistance grants

fell well short of what was required.

'If you don't get the federal funding, the only other income is from ratepayers and you can't keep putting up rates," Mayor Bailey told The Advertiser.

"Years ago, we used to get 50 per cent of our assessed need, now it's 37 per cent - if this keeps going backwards, we're really stuffed."

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• One Nation's Jenny Troeth.



Barker MP Tony Pasin.

One Nation-Tony Pasin clarification

DETAILS of a story in last week's Murray Pioneer regarding One Nation candidate for Barker, Jenny Troeth, require clarification.

In last week's Murray Pioneer, Mrs Troeth said via her role in the Renmark Paringa Houseboat Collective she had "reached out to (Barker MP) Tony Pasin".

"And I'm still waiting for a phone call – and that's three years ago," Mrs Troeth said.

The Pioneer was contacted by Mr Pasin's office in response to the item.

The office provided The Pioneer with details of its communications with Mrs Troeth, including its advice to "raise a complaint with

the State Government Ombudsman".

The initial contact was a phone call by Mrs Troeth, asking to speak to Mr Pasin. Instead, she had a phone conversation with a staff member in his electoral office, then sent an email to his office thanking the staff member for speaking to her. These communications happened on 24 March 2022.

Mr Pasin replied by email the following day.

Then, on 22 May 2022, Mrs Troeth commented on a Facebook post made by Mr Pasin, who again replied to her, asking if her complaint "had been raised with the SA Ombudsman".

Mrs Troeth subsequently responded to Mr Pasin. She

said he had hoped the member "would be available to raise concerns with".

"Clearly I was wrong," she said.

When contacted by The Pioneer this week, Mrs Troeth said she stood by her comment in last week's edition that she was "still waiting for a phone call back".

"I didn't wish to give the wrong impression that his office never contacted me, but I feel like I was brushed aside," she said.

"The fact remains that I asked for a phone conversation, not an email. I believe not receiving a phone calls shows a lack of respect for the person making the request."

TEN YEARS OF CHANGING LOCAL LIVES: Marking their 10th anniversary, the Caroline Bristow Wig Library Committee and fellow Riverlanders, came together to celebrate a decade of restoring confidence to those who suffer hair loss earlier this month. Held at the Hotel Renmark Function Room, the celebration featured a fashion parade to showcase the wig library, and celebrated the launch of the recently purchased Sozo Machine, now available at the Riverland Lymphoedema Clinic. PHOTO: supplied





Suspicious envelope sent to Barker MP

HUGH SCHUITEMAKER

AUTHORITIES attended the Mount Gambier office of the Riverland's Federal MP after a suspicious package was received.

An envelope containing a powdered substance was last Wednesday opened by a staff member at Barker MP Tony Pasin's Mount Gambier electorate office.

A statement from Mr Pasin's office said the substance was "currently undergoing testing".

"In accordance with AFP protocols, the appropriate authorities were advised and attended the office," the statement read.

"I take the health and safety of my team very seriously and I am grateful that initial assessments indicate no-one has suffered any harmful effects.

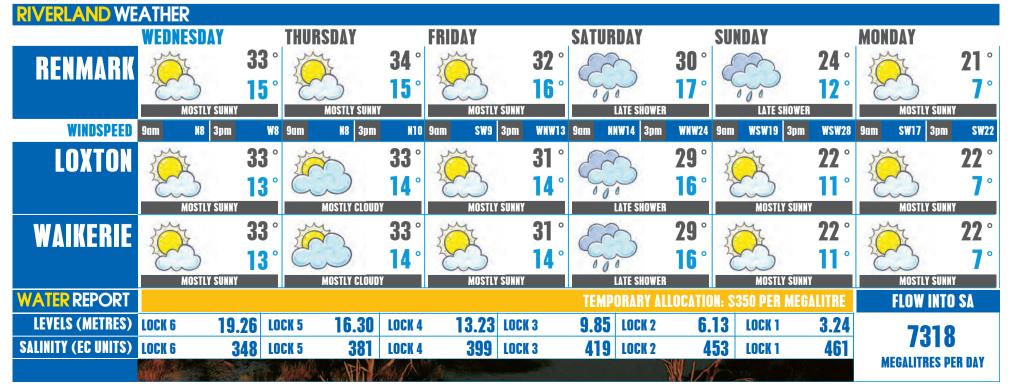
"I thank the first responders who acted quickly with diligence and professionalism."



Colouring comp winner awarded an egg-citing prize

ARIA McKenzie has been named The Murray Pioneer Easter colouring-in competition winner.

Aria, 10, from Loxton, decorated the adorable Murray Pioneer Easter Bunny with a rainbow of colour, and has won a Cadbury Dairy Milk Chocolate Mega Easter Egg Tube and a Darrell Lea Milk Chocolate Easter Bunny for her creative efforts.





Organisers of the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival are looking for a new co-ordinator of the annual Institute Floral Display. FILE PHOTOS

Rose fest SOS

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"We thought we had someone lined up, but they've also chosen to take some time off.

anyone else out there that would like to get involved, and possibly help co-ordinate that side of the festival."

weekend of each festival, was a highlight for many locals

Dominic said.

"We're seeing if there's

Ms Dominic said the institute display, which traditionally runs across the first



The display is held in the Renmark Institute, across the first weekend of the festival each year.

and visitors to the Riverland.

"It's been one of the main drawcards for the festival,"

"Every year it's on the first weekend of the festival, and it's been around since the beginning really.

"It showcases the floral skills of our volunteers, people always know when it's going to be on, and it acts as a very attention-grabbing beginning of the festival."

Ms Dominic said locals with an enthusiasm for floral design were encouraged to inquire regarding the role.

"Anyone that thinks they have the skills in an area like floral design is welcome," she

"It can be men or women. Predominantly it's been women in the past, by there has been a number of men involved in the festival previously.

"They'll be well supported with the other volunteers that will come along and share their experience."

For further information, or to inquire, contact Ms Dominic by phone on 0419 421 594, or email (michelle@ dominicwines.com).

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Straight to the top

HUGH SCHUITEMAKER

ASSURANCE Riverland irrigators will receive 100 per cent water allocations will provide business certainty amid pressure from low rainfall across the state, says a senior local industry figure.

The Department for Environment and Water (DEW) yesterday announced South Australian Murray River irrigators were projected to receive their full water allocations in 2025-26.

Renmark Irrigation Trust chief executive officer Rosalie Auricht said the announcement would alleviate some concern caused by current drought condi-

"It's very positive news for the Riverland that SA Murray Class 3 irrigation allocation is 100 per cent for the coming water year," Ms Auricht said.

"With SA experiencing extreme dry conditions, having this certainty for the whole of the state is wonderful.

"The 100 per cent announcement avoids another complexity for our irrigated horticultural



growers who are already dealing with high interest rates and a high cost of doing business, together with unresolved issues in the wine grape industry."

Availability of South Australia's Entitlement is driven by storage levels upstream, which are considered average for this time of year. Water availability is also expected to improve over the coming weeks, as inflows from rain in the northern Basin reach the Menindee Lakes storages.

DEW executive director, water and River Murray, Sue Hutchings, said this was the fifth-straight year allocations would open at the full 100 per cent.

"Despite record-low rainfall in some parts of South Australia, Murray

River irrigators can go into another water year with the confidence of having full allocations available to them", Ms Hutchings said.

As the projected minimum opening allocation is 100 percent, no more allocation announcements are scheduled for 2025-26.

In line with the River Murray Water Allocation Plan, irrigators will be ineligible to carryover any unused allocation volumes into 2025-26, as the projected minimum opening allocation for 2025-26 is greater than 50 per cent.

Further information is available by visiting the DEW website (www.environment.sa.gov.au/topics/ river-murray/water-allocation-and-carryover/waterallocations-and-announcements).

Woman found dead at Balah

THE body of a woman was recovered from a dam, after police attended a private property, at Balah, near Morgan.

At 5.45pm on Wednesday 9 April, emergency services were called to the property, where they found a 62-yearold woman stuck in a dam.

The local woman, later identified as Sonya Irwin, was recovered from the water and pronounced dead at the

Ms Irwin operated Balah Station about 36km north of Morgan - alongside her husband James, was part of a known wool-growing family, and was a keen golfer. As an important member of the Burra Golf Club, the club's website stated that Ms Irwin recorded the best score of the day in the 2023 Barossa Valley Open.

Riverland police are preparing a report for the Coroner, with no suspicious circumstances surrounding the woman's death.



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Renmark High School year 11 student Angus Leesue arrived in Vietnam last week for a study tour of the war-time experiences of men and women throughout Australian history. PHOTO: Madison

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Angus awarded for his Anzac spirit

MADISON EASTMOND

RECIPIENT of the 2024 Premier's ANZAC Spirit School Prize Angus Leesue touched down in Vietnam this week, as part of a study tour awarded to the Renmark High School student for his passion and connection to history.

Learning about and commemorating the sacrifices of Australian men and women throughout history, Angus' research on a former Renmark High School student, and WWII soldier. John Lill, was selected from a state-wide cohort of year 9 and 10 projects last year, making him one of 20 recipients of the ANZAC Spirit School Prize, and the 2025 study tour to Vietnam.

"My history teacher (Ben) Files told us about the ANZAC Spirit School Prize mid-last year," Angus

"I have always loved history. Before I really liked learning about Egypt, but since learning about WWI and WWII with Mr Files, it's my new interest."

Picking Mr Lill as his solider because his "middle name was (the same)", Angus said the best part about the project, after many hours of researching and interviewing Mr Lill's family members, was finding out "how alike (they) both were".

"It felt like he was just like me," Angus said.

"He lived out Renmark West, he went to my primary school, he went to Renmark high, and he worked on a fruit block like I do on my Christmas holidays. He also played a lot of the sport I do.

"Even when I interviewed his family, they said he sounded like me.

"It made me feel really connected to him."

Leaving Australia last Sunday, the now year 11 student is set to spend the following fortnight expanding his knowledge on war-time experiences and another culture, with Angus naming the Chi Chi Tunnels, Ben Thanh Markets, and a local orphanage — where he will take equipment donated from the Renmark North Cricket Club — as just some of the spots he is "most excited to see".

"I am excited for all of it though really," Angus said.

"I just can't wait to see all the things I have learned about in real

Local farmers left out to dry?

RIVERLAND-based MLC, and opposition spokesperson for regional South Australia, Nicola Centofanti says local farmers may be "past the point of no return" to benefit from recent state drought support.

The State Government last week announced it would be building upon drought support measures with a \$55m package for affected farmers and communities

With most of South Australia experiencing drought conditions, including some regions seeing their lowest rainfall on record. Dr Centofanti was concerned by the "delays" in assistance, with the "drought support package (having) been a long time in the coming".

"The Opposition have been advocating for additional support for months now," Dr Centofanti said.

"I shudder to think how many farms have now (gone) past the point of no return, because of the delays in meaningful support on drought from this government.

"We are pleased that this funding has been released after continued pressure from the Opposition, farmers and industry bodies, but unfortunately many farmers have reached out... frustrated that details around the package have been

Dr Centofanti said access to more favourable loan terms would relieve financial pressure on farms.

"One thing that we and farmers wanted to see which did not appear in this package were no and low concessional loans for farmers," Dr Centofanti said.

"Current federal government RIC loans are 5.18 per cent and variable, so not low for many of these farmers who are struggling for cash flow.

"They want a hand up not a hand out, and no, (or) low concessional loans provide this."

Dr Centofanti said Emergency Service Levy (ESL) rebates failed to help all impacted farmers.

'The ESL and vehicle registration fee rebates are only for those farmers receiving Farm Household Allowance," Dr Centofanti said.

'We have heard feedback from farmers and they have voiced their frustration with the eligibility criteria in relation to the asset test.

"Because of the economies of scale that farmers need to deal with these days to be sustainable, especially when it comes to machinery, so many of them simply aren't eligible, so will not see the support with regards to ESL and vehicle registration fee rebates, and this is a missed opportunity.

"Drought preparedness is important going forward but this is about emergency support needed now, and farmers are telling us it doesn't matter how prepared you were for this drought, it is that severe in so many parts across the state that almost everyone is affected in some way.'

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Receiving a National Emergency Medal for recovery work in the 2019-2030 Kangaroo Island bushfires, Fraser Peters said his experience in emergency response was "completely eye-opening". PHOTO: Madison Eastmond



Fraser Peters (from the left) was among four past and current Renmark Paringa Council staff members — Matt Richardson, Reg Kelbie, and Les Mount — who were awarded a National Emergency Medal by Minister for Veterans' Affairs Joe Szakacs (left). PHOTO: supplied

Fantastic Fraser: Renmark's aid nationally honoured

MADISON EASTMOND

RENMARK Paringa Council civil service worker Fraser Peters received last week a National Emergency Medal for recovery work during the 2019-2020 Kangaroo Island bushfires.

Mr Peters was among four past-and-current Renmark Paringa Council staff members — alongside Matt Richardson, Reg Kelbie, and Les Mount — who received the prestigious honour at the Local Government Association presentation ceremony, with the medal recognising those who have given sustained or significant service in response to a national emergency.

Mr Peters said he put his hand up to provide aid during the recovery period of the 2019-2020 bushfires on Kangaroo Island, a national disaster that saw almost half the island's 440,500 hectares burnt, 87 houses destroyed, two lost lives, and 60,000 live-

stock and countless wildlife perish.

"The fires were still smouldering, but it had been contained," he said.

"I was part of a (Renmark Paringa Council) team of four, and we were there to help with the aftermath.

"My job included helping to push trees off roads with a loader... (and) doing audits, by marking unsafe trees and seeing which roads need grading.

"We stayed for over a week, (and) we were doing between 12-and-14-hour days.

"It was completely eye-opening seeing the destruction — there was just nothing left."

Mr Peters said receiving an award for his contributions was "totally unexpected".

"It has been quite a long time since we went over, so it was a real surprise getting the medal," he said.

"However, it wasn't just me that was awarded — there were over 200 council

members across the state receiving a medal. "It was a good effort by everyone."

Renmark Paringa Council Mayor Peter Hunter said "council (was) proud to recognise the efforts of Fraser Peters, Matt Richardson, Reg Kelbie, and Les Mount, who offered to travel and work with the Kangaroos Island Community to minimise the impact of their wide-spread fires".

"This is an excellent example of how councils across the state band together to support each other when in need," he said.

"As a council we have also benefitted from other councils sending staff and equipment to assist at very-short notice, to help us manage the risks with the 22/23 (Murray River) floods and keep ratepayers safe.

"In times of disaster any individual council knows they can rely on other councils through the i-Responda listing of available equipment.

"This is an important safety net for communities in need of support.

"Councils have highly skilled staff and a wide range of equipment to manage the daily works of individual councils, but when we work together to mitigate a disaster zone, the strength is compounded as we show and enact support for each other."

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Drought support package for affected Riverland farmers

A SENIOR Riverland agricultural industry figure has commended the announcement of major support measures for South Australian farmers impacted by drought.

The State Government last week announced a \$55m support package, designed in direct consultation with primary producers, including a roundtable with farmers and key industry bodies hosted by the Premier.

Most of South Australia, including the Riverland, is experiencing drought conditions, including some regions seeing the lowest rainfall on record.

Grain Producers SA chair John Gladigau said "the State Government has clearly acknowledged the challenges facing grain producers due to the ongoing drought through this package, and we commend their commitment to delivering targeted support to both farmers and regional communities".

"Grain Producers SA has actively advocated for many of the key initiatives within the \$55m drought support package, and we are encouraged to see the government respond to these calls with decisive action following the Premier's Drought Roundtable," Mr Gladigau said.

"We are committed to working closely with the State Government and the Drought Advisory Group to ensure the effective and timely delivery of these initiatives, ensuring support reaches those who need it most."

SA Premier Peter Malinauskas said "when we announced our first drought relief package (last) November, I made clear that we would closely monitor the rollout of support and would not hesitate to act if needed".

"In the time since, the drought has not abated, (and) in fact, things have gotten worse," Mr Malinauskas said.

"We cannot make it rain. But we can take practical action to support our farmers and help prepare them for the next drought.

"(This package) includes immediate financial relief for

those doing it toughest, significant mental health supports, support for wider regional communities and businesses, and I encourage all South Australians to support our primary producers where they can."

The package has been designed to complement existing Commonwealth assistance, which includes the Farm Household Allowance, concessional loans, resilience planning, and the Farm Management Deposit Scheme alongside taxation measures.

For more information on drought support visit the website (pir.sa.gov.au/drought).



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THE YEARS GO BY

BY PETER AND CARLA MAGAREY

Countdown is on

LANDING the figurative stiff punches, or something close to a knockout blow, is crucial in any Federal Election campaign, especially one as short as we're currently in the midst of.

We saw the first major debate between the two contenders play out last Wednesday in the first leaders' debate, where it was deemed by the audience that, on that evening, Mr Albanese had put forward the moreconvincing case of the two.

The Sky News setting made that outcome somewhat surprising, however it was also a debate where a little more than one-fifth of the audience were left undecided.

With only 17 sleeps to go until the big election day, this sets the stage for an exciting campaign, where the political effectiveness of both in trying to reach their target audience will be tested.

While neither Mr Albanese or Mr Dutton may never be the most attention-grabbing type of politician, the two have been very clear in the approach, and policy platform, they will be taking into the first weekend of

Attempting to focus the political lens of voters largely on the current cost-ofliving battle, the Liberal Party appears to be hoping slogans and advertisements emphasising how many daily costs have risen since the last election will be as successful for Mr Dutton as this tactic was for Donald Trump in last year's USA election.

On the opposite side of the spectrum, Mr Albanese's team seemingly sees their success in focusing around the country's potential future. Labour have always been – slightly – more sympathetic in areas such as energy, education and health, and many of the potentially large number of undecided voters will have vested interests in these areas.

However, containing this examination to just Labor and Liberal parties would be overlooking a slew of candidates from across the political spectrum. One look at the upcoming Barker ticket, with its 10 candidates, illustrates this.

Attempting to sway the above-mentioned grey area of the undecided is always vital to any political election hopeful, and while both major parties are clear with their messaging, a section of the Australian public is failing to connect with Labor and Liberal political figures.

What impact will this have in our electorate of Barker? With vocal, and locally based candidates providing what they say is a direct voice for the Riverland, be able to rally the community?

With the next instalment of the leaders' debates set for tonight, will we see challenge and speak with your if Mr Dutton – like a true contender – can rebound off the ropes, or if Mr Albanese will continue to cement himself as the 3 May favourite.



What is this device? And is that an up-turned bell at the top? An instrument like this was found in a recent clean-out of an old kitchen cupboard. The three-legged stand has an adjustable screw for balance, and a pendulum arm has a fixed scale inscribed in ounces (35oz =1kg). In the 1920-30s, many people raised chooks for their eggs. Some people had sufficient supply to sell, but chooks lay eggs of different colour, shape and weight. For consistency in sales, the surplus eggs needed checking for quality and were weighed with a small low-cost set of scales (pictured). The scales were marked with categories of egg-weight ranging from 1.5 to 2.5 ounces/egg (equivalent to 18-30oz/dozen). Specific categories sometimes used for the eggs were: small (1.5-1.75 oz/egg), medium (1.75-2.0 oz), large (2.0-2.25 oz), and extra large (2.25-2.5oz/egg). Eggs have long been an Easter symbol for Christians. Human-kind, when held in the Heavenly 'balance' of life, is found wanting. Jesus, being 'weighed' on the 'scales' of Heaven, was found to be the only one worthy to die for the failures of humanity. The bell is also a symbol of Easter... Jesus 'laid' down his life for his sheep, and in giving praise for his sacrifice and resurrection, the bells of thanksgiving 'ring' praise for his love in bringing new life for 'whosoever will'. PHOTO: victorian collections.net.au.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR Opinions expressed in Letters to the Editor are those of the writers, and not those of the Murray Pioneer.

Riverland councils left high and dry

WE commented in The Murray Pioneer on 2 April regarding the very real cuts to Commonwealth Financial Assistance Funding for local government ('What about us?', pg 3), and make no mistake, the decreasing of funding from 1 per cent of Commonwealth taxation, to .51 per cent (nationally) has a verysignificant impact on our local community's ability to fund our commitments to ratepayers.

On top of this, our community has been shortchanged by insurances (flood related), requiring local funds to cover 28 per cent of the infrastructure needed to return our infrastructure to normal.

This may sound low, but if you factor the total costs over \$20 million, then we need to find over \$5 million – a very significant amount for a council which was debt free prior to the

If we add to this scenario the cost shifting, expecting local government to fund everincreasing roles, the financial pressures are immense and growing.

We urge all country communities to speak to the various political candidates and strongly encourage a commitment from them, that should they be successful, they would support a national commitment to fund infrastructure.

This would be a long-term solution, releasing pressure on council costs – while at the same time providing employment and a safer road network.

Nationally, these areas include \$1.1 billion per year for enabling infrastructure to unlock housing supply, \$500 million per year for community infrastructure, \$600 million per year for safer local roads, \$900 million per year for increased local government emergency management capability and capacity, and \$400 million per year for climate adaptation.

Please consider taking the political representative – to support funding for infrastructure.

PETER HUNTER Mavor

Renmark Paringa Council

Getting back on track

A LETTER printed in last week's edition of The Murray Pioneer, from Ian Penno, contained misleading statements regarding the fuel excise (tax). I write to correct these statements.

An elected Liberal Government will halve the fuel tax for 12 months. Our plan will deliver immediate cost-of-living relief. A household with two cars filling up once a week can expect to save around \$1500 over 12 months under our plan.

This is one of many Liberal policies that will help Australians get their household budgets back on track.

Reducing the fuel tax paid by consumers has no direct impact on investment in our road network, because like most federal taxes, including income tax, the fuel excise goes into the government's general revenue.

This general revenue is then drawn upon to fund transport infrastructure, just as it is drawn upon to fund many other forms of public infrastructure and

An elected Liberal Government has no plans to reduce the level of investment in our road network.

On the contrary, our plan includes reinstating the federal funding contribution towards nationally significant road projects (such as the Truro Bypass) to 80 per cent. By reinstating the 80:20 Federal-State funding model that the Albanese Labor Government reduced to 50:50, we are ensuring that more regional road projects progress.

After three years and more than \$30bn of cuts, cancellations and delays to infrastructure under Albanese, only a Liberal Government can be trusted to get our road network, including the Truro Bypass and Sturt Highway, back on track.

TONY PASIN Barker MP

Views on caravan park debate

THE Edwards Group claim that Waikerie's free RV park is impacting on visitation to the town's caravan park. I doubt

There could be many reasons

for a decline in numbers to the caravan park, and any dynamic business needs to constantly adapt their offering and marketing strategies to remain successful.

Caravaners can be a diverse group, and often seek very different accommodation options.

They tend to either stay in caravan parks, or opt for a more independent, 'off grid' offering. All these visitors contribute to the town's economic prosperity.

Waikerie's free RV park is an alternative offering to the caravan park, which does not offer unpowered sites.

I think the free RV park provides an important contribution to Waikerie's economy. Visitors spend money in shops, cafés, supermarkets, pub/clubs, and service stations.

If Waikerie's free RV park was to close, then those visitors will just go somewhere else.

I believe Waikerie's free RV park is no threat to the town's caravan park and needs to remain open.

E FRANKEL Good Hope Landing

Looming cash crisis

WITH so many former bankers in parliament, I don't think there is anyone in authority that is prepared to tell the banks to simply do their job. So, banks have no fear of the government, or of the government actually doing what we elected them to do, or using their legislated power over the banks to do it, such as protecting us from predatory behaviour of big corporations and governing for the common good.

I think banks are a big part of causing the cost-of-living crisis, by trying to socially engineer all Australians onto digital payments so they can charge fees, conduct surveillance, and harvest data for monetisation.

They reduced access to cash by closing bank branches and ATMs. Now they are squealing because fewer people are using cash and it is somehow unfair for the banks to pay for the distribution of cash.

An economic cash crisis is looming if banks don't work out a deal with Armaguard, by June, to replace Westpac's current cash distribution contract with

the Reserve Bank.

Without cash regional Australia will suffer, as will many elderly and Indigenous Australians who rely on cash, and who are among the 26 per cent of Australians who are not 'digitally included '.

The small business sector will be very hard hit, which is 98 per cent of all Australian businesses.

I believe National Party leader David Littleproud, a former banker, is protecting banks against the farmers, who elected him, by rejecting a very-compelling business plan in favour of a public Post Office Bank, after telling West Australian voters before the recent state election that he would support a public PO Bank.

Communities don't even have to be 'remote' to be affected by power or internet outages, as York Peninsula's recent outages demonstrated.

The Australian Citizens Party (ACP) has been campaigning for a public Post Office Bank for a long time to service communities as the big banks left, and have challenged the myth that people don't rely on bank branch services.

The ACP's solution to the looming cash crisis is for the government to order the banks to do their job. They have caused the looming crisis and they should fix it.

The ACP is running Senate candidates in every state and territory in the coming Federal Election. The time has come for voters to seriously consider this party's push for a public Post Office Bank. Research them online (citizensparty.org.au).

Crossbench MP's are predicted to have much more influence in the new Federal Parliament. With all the dissatisfaction with major parties it's time to support a party that is not beholden to banks for election donations.

JEANETTE STAEHR Barmera

Waikerie RV park 'loss' queried

I WONDER where the figure of \$2m loss comes from, because a few vans park in the free RV park in Waikerie ('Free RV site causing financial losses, Murray

facebook/themurraypioneer

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Pioneer, 26 March 2025).

I have taken part in this discussion for years, and it is obvious to me that those who stay in these areas do not stay in caravan parks – mainly because of the cost of caravan parks.

We tripped around the country for seven years and would not have been able to do that if we had to stay in caravan parks.

Most users of the RV parks do not object to a small fee, though, especially if there are toilets available. It would be great if there were toilets/showers (paid) at the Waikerie RV

I have spoken to many of the people who stay in the RV park, and they will spend their money in the town because they don't have to pay.

If there is not a free RV park in the town, they will go on the next one. Just as we did in the seven years on the road.

Kimba had to extend its RV park (which is not free, but a small fee – \$10 from memory) because of its popularity. Similarly at Kingston SE. These two parks are always very well populated.

While staying in a free camp in WA this was a topic of discussion among the campers in about 20 vehicles.

We asked everyone to write down what they had spent in the nearest town: a total of \$10,000 plus.

True story.

I think the value of the users of a free RV park is underestimated by most people, and I remains permanently.

CHRIS LUKSA hope that the Waikerie RV park

Wrong approach for energy?

DUTTON'S energy plan is, practically-speaking, in my eyes,

No Australian Senate is going to cop a highly inflationary cap of 54 per cent on renewable energy which will be reached, and will be impactful, and likely unpopular, within every Senator's term.

For similar reasons, in the US, not all House Republicans support repealing Biden's tax breaks for clean energy, and some are warning that they may oppose the party's budget bill if some of these incentives are not

Without the cap, renewables will continue to grow their share



the foreseeable future.

JIM ALLEN **Panorama**

Representing the entire state

REGARDING Tim Whetstone's comment on the State Government supporting the Whyalla steelworks and not the drought issues with our farmers ('Let down by drought response', letters, 19/3/25), the reason is perhaps because Labor are supporting its Labor-held seats, and not Liberal seats, which represent many rural areas affected by drought. This is what I think the reason is.

I have a rental property in Whyalla and am happy the district is getting support, but I also have rental properties in rural areas affected by drought.

I believe the Labor Government should look after all the state, not just in the seats it represents.

JOHN FLANIGAN Ramco

Housing affordability reaches record lows

THE latest Housing Affordability Report from the Real Estate Institute of Australia (REIA) reveals that housing affordability in Australia has reached its lowest point since monitoring began.

Over the December quarter of 2024, affordability declined for the third-consecutive quarter,

median family income.

Unfortunately, the first report of the year, covering the last quarter of 2024, has not brought good news for housing affordability. Over the December quarter 2024, housing affordability again declined. This is the third-consecutive quarter in which housing affordability has declined to a new all-time low.

The average loan repayment now amounts to 50.1 per cent of the median family income, an increase of 1.4 percentage points, and the highest proportion since the REIA started monitoring housing affordability in 1996.

Declining affordability was observed across all states and territories, with the steepest drop recorded in Western Australia (down 2.5 percentage points) and the smallest decline in Victoria (down 0.6 percentage points).

Rising property prices have been the primary driver of reduced affordability, with larger mortgages required to secure a home. Despite this, national median weekly family income saw a modest increase of 0.9 per cent over the quarter and 3.7 per cent over the past 12 months, reaching \$2528.

Interest rates remained stable, with the standard variable rate averaging 8.8 per cent and the three-year fixed rate decreasing slightly to 6.1 per cent.

In contrast to homeownership affordability, rental affordability

decreased to 24.7 per cent, a drop of 0.2 percentage points over the quarter. New South Wales remains the least-affordable state for renters, while the Australian Capital Territory is the most affordable.

Encouragingly, the number of first-home buyers increased by 5.5 per cent over the quarter to 31,036, though this figure remains 1.3 per cent lower than the previous year. Victoria recorded the highest number of first-home buyers (10,334), while the Northern Territory saw the fewest (258). The average loan size for first-home buyers rose by 1.2 per cent to \$542,644.

Looking ahead, the REIA report suggests potential improvements in affordability in 2025. The Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) cut interest rates by 0.25 per cent in February, with further reductions anticipated. Historically, each 0.25 per cent rate cut leads to a 1 percentage point decrease in the proportion of income required to service a mortgage. Additionally, rising vacancy rates could help slow rental price growth.

While housing affordability remains a critical challenge, these early indicators suggest that 2025 may bring some relief for both home buyers and rent-

> **LEANNE PILKINGTON** President

Looking back...

10 years ago 17 April 2015



Booming almond industry's new heart in Riverland

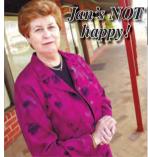


HOME BASE: THE Riverland is set to become the heart of Australia's booming almond industry after it was announced an \$11 million research centre will be based in Loxton. Following months of discussions over whether the centre would be based in South Australia or Victoria, Minister for Agriculture, Food and Fisheries Leon Bignell confirmed earlier this week that the National Centre of Excellence would berun from the Loxton Research Centre.

20 years ago 8 April, 2005



Grapes selling 'at any price'





SKATE PARK COMES ALIVE: The Renmark skate park will be a popular location tomorrow with live music. fashion parades, skate competitions and cartooning. The Renmark Paringa Council youth committee, known as RACY, have organised a host of activities for a day out known as Evergreen. The festivities are all part of National Youth Week celebrations. Local cartoonist Brian Todd will be showing his artistic skills at Evergreen.

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A huge thank you to the kind lady who found and returned my purse to Renmark Foodland on Sunday. Your honesty is appreciated.

JULIE Renmark

Who's the nitwit that put up 60km/h speed restrictions on the Sturt Highway after Blanchetown heading to Accommodation Hill last week, but forget to also put up a 110k/h sign after the roadworks? You wouldn't think it's a complicated task. No wonder

motorists ignore temporary speed restrictions. Whoever's responsible should be fined.

Reading the Pioneer article 'Inherited debt' (2/4/25), stirred my juices. Councils are a political platform and if more ratepayers cared, and voted for competent people, and took some more notice in what is happening in the council arena, then such issues would be dramatically reduced.

As a population I feel we just don't learn and have become too

Cooltong

I will always call Suicide Bridge by that name, and I understand it has also gone by the name Lunatic Bridge. I assume the SA Heritage Council know why the bridge was named as such. The change will cost money. Where does this stupidity end? Why not change black, white and brown

street? How many people did the RCSPN consult prior to getting the

TEXT LINE

change done? Also, have they all been there? I think some people have too much time on their hands.

LONG Renmark

Why can't the AFL penalise field umpires? They penalise goal umpires.

> WAYNE Renmark

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Monday to Friday 8.30am-4pm

Vehicle crashes onto Renmark Paringa District Hospital

A VEHICLE crashed into a major local hospital after police tried to stop the driver numerous times across Renmark

At about 12.40am, on Thursday 10 April, Riverland Police spotted a white Suzuki station wagon travelling on Renmark Avenue, and attempted to stop it, but were unsuccessful.

About five minutes later, police were called to Ral Ral Avenue, at Renmark, after reports the same car had collided into the main entrance of the Renmark hospital and then left the scene.

A short time later, the vehi-

cle was seen at a shopping centre car park and upon spotting patrols, the car drove towards the patrol car and mounted a

Police attempted to speak with the driver, however the car took off onto Renmark Avenue.

The car was then stopped on Industry Road, and the driver was removed from the car.

The man was submitted to a drug test, where he returned a positive result to methamphetamine.

He was taken by ambulance crews to hospital where he was assessed.



VIS **□** RECE A vehicle crashed into the Renmark hospital entrance on

Thursday 10 April PHOTO: Madison Eastmond



Beating out fellow contestants on Monday night, Berri's Rob Lawry will now go on to play additional rounds in the weekly Mastermind Australia final this Friday, at 6pm. PHOTO: supplied

Rob proves himself a master

BERRI man Rob Lawry has represented the Riverland on national television this week, following an appearance on Mastermind Australia.

The SBS quiz show sees four Australians showcase their specialised knowledge on a subject of their choosing, before answering an additional round of general knowledge questions.

Mr Lawry, whose subject was the Mission: Impossible film franchise, beat fellow contestants on Monday night, whose subjects ranged from the book and film Ready Player One, the state of New Jersey, and South Africa's wine industry.

Mr Lawry will now go on to play additional rounds in the weekly final this Friday, at 6pm, competing against the winners of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday's epi-

Mr Lawry, who is part of the programming team on 5RM and Magic 93.1, originally expressed his desire to be on the program while hosting Magic's Tabby and Bob breakfast show in 2024.

"It was a surreal experience to be joking about it with Tabby and then be actually filming episodes nine months later," he said.

To have done so well is something else.

"They ask you to nominate a few subjects of interest at that stage and there's an online quiz.

"Anyone who scores high enough on that gets an interview, and it's a chance to refine exactly what might make for an entertaining and unique specialist subject.

Mr Lawry said one subject he pitched during his initial application was turned down very quickly.

'The producers told me they only allow one The Simpsonsthemed subject per year, because so many people want to do it on the show," he said.

"I reckon every Australian my age fancies themselves an expert, so I had to let go of that one pretty

However, as a self-described film-buff, he said the Mission: Impossible franchise was an obvious choice from the beginning.

"It's actually very self-serving of me," Mr Lawry said.

"There's a new movie coming out in May and I want to believe there's someone I can convince to send me to the Australian premiere, now that I've proven myself as the nation's foremost authority on the subject.

"What's the good in working for a big media conglomerate if I can't score myself a free ticket?"

As his Mastermind journey continues, Mr Lawry said he remains enthusiastic.

"I wanted to be on the show because I'm such a fan and the experience didn't disappoint," he said.

"Everyone from the casting department to the question team, the makeup artists and Marc himself were so committed to us having a good time.

'They made us so comfortable and happy on the set.

"I've told everyone that if they have friends to stay with in Sydney, they won't regret applying".

Mastermind Australia airs 6pm, weeknights, on SBS One and SBS OnDemand.



Bring the chocolate, leave fruit and veg at home

EASTER travellers heading to the Riverland are being urged to leave restricted produce random road-side checks and vehicle inspecbehind, in an aim to protect the region's tions, and travellers caught carrying restricthorticulture industry from fruit fly.

The Department of Primary Industries and Regions (PIRSA) will have a strong presence at quarantine stations and key border entry points over the long weekend.

PIRSA's fruit fly emergency response incident controller Jason Size said "the increased movement of people and food over Easter presents a serious risk".

"We haven't seen any new Queensland fruit fly outbreaks in the Riverland for more than two months, which is great news," Mr Size said.

"This Easter is a critical moment. with more travellers heading into South Australia – many visiting families, bringing food, or heading to the Riverland – we're urging everyone, don't bring in fruit or vegetables.'

Quarantine officers will be conducting ed fruit or vegetables face on-the-spot fines of \$417.

"To avoid a fine and help protect local growers, just do one simple thing, leave your fruit and veg at home. If you've packed any by mistake, eat it before the border or use one of the many quarantine bins located on major highways," Mr Size said.

"If you're travelling with home-grown produce, prepare it properly before you go - or better yet, enjoy it at home. We've even shared some great recipe ideas online so you can preserve or cook your fruit safely before travelling.

For a complete list of restricted produce and guidance on how to meet quarantine rules, visit the website (fruitfly.sa.gov.au/ restricted-produce).

Grocery prices soar during Easter

SEBASTIAN CALDERON

RECENTLY released data revealed price increases across a range of items, including those in the Riverland, adding extra pressure on household budgets during the current cost-of-living crisis.

The latest Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) data, from December 2024, revealed a significant increase in the prices of common grocery items:

- ☐ Bread up 24.9 per cent. ☐ Milk – up 18.9 per cent.
- ☐ Eggs up 36.2 per cent. ☐ Chocolate – up 18.4 per
- ☐ Cheese up 20.7 per cent. ☐ Fish – up 14.4 per cent.
- ☐ Alcoholic beverages up 12.3 per cent.
- ☐ Cakes and biscuits up 22.1 per cent.

Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone said "here in the Riverland, Easter is a time for family and visiting our region is a longheld tradition for many".

"This year the cost of living is hitting hard and when the cost of basics like bread and chocolate goes up by 20 to 30 per cent, some will be forced to choose between tradition and affordability," Mr Whetstone said.

"We shouldn't have to choose between an Easter celebration and covering the weekly shop. Sadly, the current government doesn't understand regional pressures.

"Despite the challenges, our proud regional communities will welcome visitors to the Riverland to enjoy our local produce and warm hospitality.

"Supporting our small businesses and local events helps keep our community healthy, and there's no better time to experience all the Riverland and Mallee has to offer"

"Our region has some of the best, and most unique camping locations in Australia, and I remind anyone who is camping here to leave their campsites as they find them, take their rubbish home and leave the natural environment untouched.

"The Riverland is open and ready to welcome you this long weekend, and I encourage everyone to take advantage of the four-day weekend."

Opposition leader Vincent Tarzia said "the cost-of-living crisis is affecting both households and small businesses – forcing many shoppers to reconsider their Easter plans".

"Easter is a time many South Australians look forward to, but for too many, the rising cost of living across the board, including at the checkout, is making it harder to celebrate," Mr Tarzia said.

"Whether you're facing higher power and water prices at home, or you're a small business owner feeling the pinch of increased costs of doing business such as rising

insurance prices or payroll tax, the last thing you want is to then have to face rising costs at the checkout too.

Treasurer Stephen Mullighan said "in the last State Budget, the Government delivered a \$266.2m cost-of-living relief package targeted to South Australians most in need of support".

"In total over its three budgets, the government has committed over \$800m of additional cost-of-living measures to support South Australians most in need," Mr Mullighan said.

"The most recent budget included an additional one-off Cost of Living Concession payment of \$243.90 paid in June last year, effectively doubling the concession for the year, as well as doubling the existing Cost of Living Relief Concession payment from \$127.80 to \$255.60 for eligible households.

"Families with school children benefited from the material and services subsidy of \$200 per public school student, and the doubling of the School Sports Vouchers initiative to \$200.

"We have abolished stamp duty for First Home Buyers who build or purchase a new property.

"Small businesses were also supported with \$30m of upgrades to their premises to cut their energy bills."



Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone said Riverlanders shouldn't have to choose between an Easter celebration and covering the weekly shop. PHOTO: supplied

Child and Family expo a success

MORE than 200 Riverlanders attended the River Families First Baby and Child Expo last weekend.

The Our Town Berri initiative hosted local service providers and businesses at the Berri Town Hall, last Saturday, with the event showcasing what the region offers for Riverland families.

"Businesses got involved with special events for families, (and) it was a true community effort," Our Town Berri community steward Julie Ahrens said.

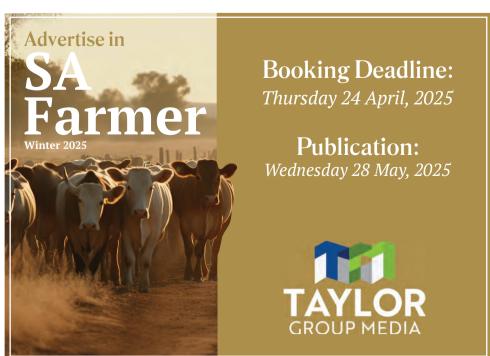
"The most popular session was the Sleep Consultant, from Adelaide, as we don't have one here.

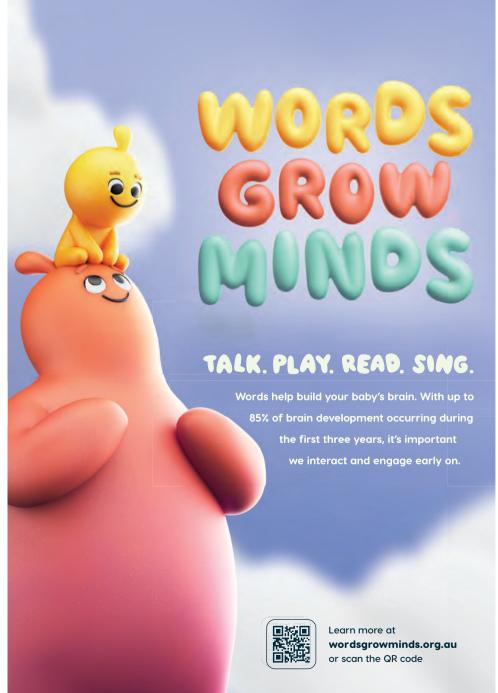
"At one stage there were 30 prams in the Town Hall.



The Our Town Berri Team at the Baby and Child expo last Saturday: Emma, Julie, Britney, Kirste, and Sara.

PHOTO: Supplied





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Renmark Paringa councillors last week viewed the current construction progress on the new Twentyfirst Street bridge, which is expected to be finished in May. PHOTOS: supplied



Bridge on track for May completion



THE new Twentyfirst Street bridge, in Renmark, is set to be finished next month, according to the local council.

Renmark Paringa councillors were last week given a tour of the Twentyfirst Street Bridge construction site.

A post on the Renmark Paringa Facebook advised all structural concrete aspects of the bridge were now complete, the shareduse footpath concrete was ready to be poured, and culvert and scour protection has been completed.

The next steps of the project

include road construction and sealing of the road, constructing cement-treated shoulders, and hydroseeding to stabilise the road edges

It is understood the bridge – which has been closed since sustaining damage in the 2022/23 flood event – remains on schedule for completion in May.

Further information regarding the project is available by visiting the website (www.engagement.renmarkparinga.sa.gov.au/twentyfirst-street-bridgereplacement).

Hospital helipad to be upgraded

MADISON EASTMOND

UPGRADES to the Riverland General Hospital helipad are underway, set to improve access and safety for both pilots and Riverland patients.

Entering into a 21-year lease, with one right of renewal, at the community rate of \$251 per year with the Berri Barmera

Council, the Department for Health and Wellbeing will have now commenced with upgrades to the local helipad, including:

- ☐ Update of the concrete pad and its perimeter fence.
- ☐ Covered walkways from helipad to hospital.
- ☐ Raised crossing with line markings and associated signage at the wombat cross-

ing across Maddern Street, with the street lights at the crossing set to be switched on when a helicopter lands to provide free and unrestricted access to the hospital.

"Council has approved a lease to be put in place to enable SA Health to upgrade the helipad site in Berri," Berri Barmera Mayor Ella Winnall said.

"It's a frequently used facility by people in need from across the whole Riverland.

"We're fully supportive of improved safety for SA Health staff, pilots, and of course,



patients arriving or departing by helicopter at the Riverland General Hospital.

"The Riverland General Hospital helipad is vital for the health of the community, and we look forward to seeing these upgrades take place."





Help shape the future of your region

Public consultation is now open for the **Murray Mallee** and **Limestone Coast Regional Plans.** These plans will guide housing, infrastructure, and environmental strategies to support growth while addressing the unique needs of each region.

Explore the plans and share your feedback at: yoursay.sa.gov.au



Scan the QR code to find out more or register to attend a community engagement event.

Consultation closes 11:59 pm, Tuesday 17 June 2025. Have your say and help shape your region's future!

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Vehicle charger coming for Berri

AN electric vehicle (EV) charging station is set to be installed in Berri, with the free service to Riverland drivers run at no cost to council.

Through electrical company Flow Power, an EV charging station is set to be installed at the Berri Senior Citizens Club at no annual feeds at any stage, including construction, electricity, and maintenance for the first five years of operation.

While Flow Power may remove the chargers at no cost to council after the five-year period, if council chooses to retain ownership of the chargers, there will be a responsibility for maintenance and electricity cost, or alternatively, Flow Power can implement a system where council charges users for electricity consumption.

Berri Barmera Mayor Ella Winnall said the local council "welcomes Flow Power undertaking a feasibility study for the installation of an electric vehicle charging station".

"If it goes ahead, council supports The Berri

Senior Citizens Club carpark as a logical location as it remains close to the town centre, without detracting from existing high-turnover carparks in the centre of Berri.

"The Berri Senior Citizens Club carpark is already a popular untimed parking spot in Berri, and like the existing chargers in Berri and Barmera, provides a good option for travellers and locals with EVs."

- MADISON EASTMOND





Representatives of the Riverside Rodders and Riverland Customs & Classics car clubs, with Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone (left), and Berri Barmera Mayor Ella Winnall (right), giving a \$10,000 donation to the RFDS Riverland Support Group. PHOTOS: Ross Menz Image Solutions

Rev heads give a big \$10k to R

LAST Sunday saw more than 50 vehicles attend the monthly Coffee & Cars Riverland meeting, by Lake Bonney, in

The Riverside Rodders and Riverland Customs & Classics car clubs, who hosted the Auto Street Party back in March, revealed the total amount raised and donated to the Royal Flying Doctor Service (RFDS) Riverland Support Group.

Riverland Customs & Classics president Bill Sweet said "in addition to the amazing 170 old, new and everything in between vehicles on display, the RFDS aircraft simulator was a huge attraction, and the 19 market stalls, including those auto-orientated, provided something for

"There was ample food and

drink available, and the live bands played nonstop over the five hours of the event," Mr Sweet said.

While it was an extremely successful weekend, the weather again proved to be somewhat of a challenge to the vehicle numbers entering and spectators attending, as the thermometer peaked at 38C. The majority of vehicles attracted to events like these are from the classic era, and very few are fitted with air conditioning, plus a lot of their owners want to avoid parking all day in the extreme heat.

This has raised questions within the clubs over the timing of future Auto Street Parties, and where they may fit within the automotive car scene calendar. A decision regarding this will need to be made as soon as possible to provide everyone with ample warning for arranging accommodation, and saving the future date on their auto events calen-

During the presentation, Riverside Rodders president Graham Matthews made mention of the amazing support received from the 27 sponsors of the event. The funds raised on the day and the sponsor support was all put in a big bucket, and after all the expenses were paid, the clubs topped the total up to the nice round figure of \$10,000.

There were several RFDS representatives on hand for the presentation, and they were overjoyed with the total figure and the fact that it was to be used by the Riverland Support Group.

Group president Robin Foley

time and effort the club members volunteer to host an event that attracts car enthusiasts and spectators from everywhere, they've been a valued RFDS supporter for the past three years".

"On the day our members were pleased to participate by manning the various public entry gates and receiving donations,' Ms Foley said.

"While speaking to many at the presentation, I was pleased to hear how grateful they are for the service that RFDS provides, and how they or their family members owe their lives to the RFDS.

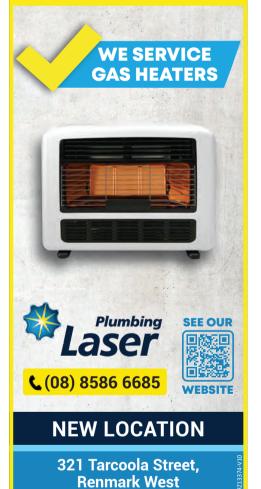
"On average we fly into the Riverland twice a day, landing at Renmark, Loxton or Waikerie, as well as in the Mallee. These valued funds will keep the flying doctor flying for all of us."

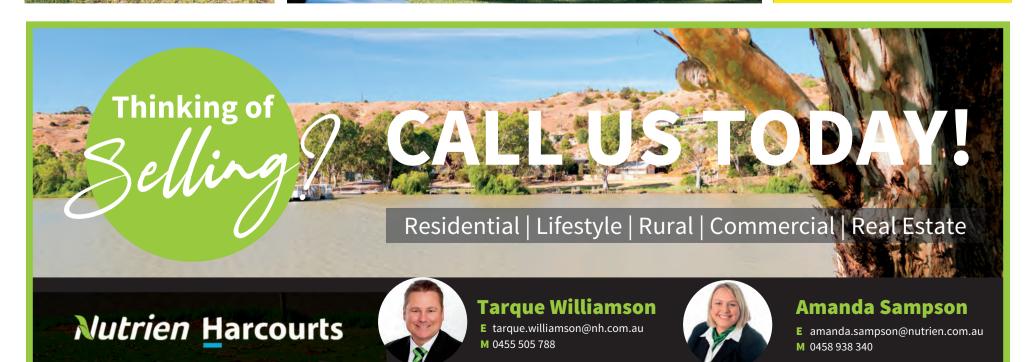






More than 50 vehicles participated in the latest Coffee & Cars Riverland meeting, by Lake Bonney, in Barmera.





Council receives feedback on standpipe sustainability

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

MID Murray Council received 49 responses in a recent community consultation about the potential decommissioning and automation of standpipes in its district.

Feedback was sought from 28 November 2024, to 17 January 2025.

The council presently operates 14 standpipes of SA Water supplied water, which provide community access to a common water supply source where there is no direct SA Water mains supply to individual properties.

The Standpipe Sustainability Community Engagement Report, presented to elected members at the March Mid Murray Council meeting, said the council had managed standpipe water usage since SA Water outsourced it to them in the late 1990s.

In a report to the March council meeting, Mid Murray

Council's director of infrastructure and field services David Hassett said council had sought feedback from the community and undertaken public consultation on standpipes on two occasions.

The first consultation, held from 18 March 2024, to 12 April 2024, on the service, usage and options of water extraction accountability, received 134 responses.

This consultation was undertaken as part of its sustainability measures review, to ascertain the views of the community on the provision of the service.

Mr Hassett, in his report to the March meeting, said the latest consultation was aimed to "seek community feedback on the proposal to rationalise and automate various standpipes to ascertain the viability of this service provision to the broader community".

The Standpipe Sustainability
Community Engagement

Report, and the full submissions received, were presented to council last month.

The report said council distributed 893 emails to community members registered to receive council news, including shack associations, and progress associations, as part of the consultation.

Public consultation notices were posted to 478 individuals or businesses that have been invoiced for water from standpipes within the last five years.

Details about the process were also regularly posted on social media, the council's website and public consultation notices were published in newspapers across the district, and placed on each of the standpipes for the duration of the consultation period.

Among the 49 responses received in the public consultation on standpipe sustainability were one from Swan Reach, and one from Blanchetown.



The standpipe at Morgan, on Ring Road. PHOTO: supplied

Advance health care decisions and future planning important at all ages

RIVERLANDERS of all ages are being encouraged to make their advance health care decisions known.

Ensuring an individual's wishes are clear, and significantly easing the burden on loved ones during difficult times, advance care planning includes:

☐ Advance Care Directive: Outlines wishes

for healthcare, lifestyle, and accommodation decisions.

- ☐ Enduring Power of Attorney: Designates someone to manage financial and legal affairs if you become incapacitated.
- ☐ Will: Ensures property and possessions are distributed to chosen individuals after death.

☐ Organ and Tissue Donor Registration: Makes your wishes known regarding organ donation.

An Advance Care Directive is a free legal form that allows anyone over the age of 18 to:

- ☐ Record their healthcare, living arrangements, and end-of-life preferences.
- □ Appoint one or more substitute decisionmakers to make these decisions on their behalf if they're unable to do so themselves.
- "Planning ahead isn't just for the elderly

 life can change unexpectedly, and hav-

ing a plan in place means less stress for you, your family, and your healthcare team," Minister for Ageing Well Nat Cook said.

"Make sure your voice is heard, even when you can't speak for yourself. It's your future – take control of it, no matter your age."

Minister for Health and Wellbeing Chris Picton said "these conversations might not be easy but they are important".

For more information visit the website (www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/wps/wcm/connect/public+content/sa+health+internet/conditions/legal+matters/planning+ahead/planning+ahead).

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Volunteers to be highlighted at council's annual event

RENMARK Paringa Council has encouraged the community to recognise local volunteers who "invest time, energy and passion to make our area a better place", as part of National Volunteer Week

Council is again set to host its annual Celebrating Volunteers Event, on Wednesday 21 May, at the Hotel Renmark Function Room.

Mayor Peter Hunter said volunteers

were "at the heart of everything that makes Renmark Paringa a welcoming, vibrant and resilient community".

"Volunteers are the quiet achievers who bring our community to life," he said.

"They're the coaches, the committee members, the event organisers, the helpers behind the scenes – and they do it all because they care.

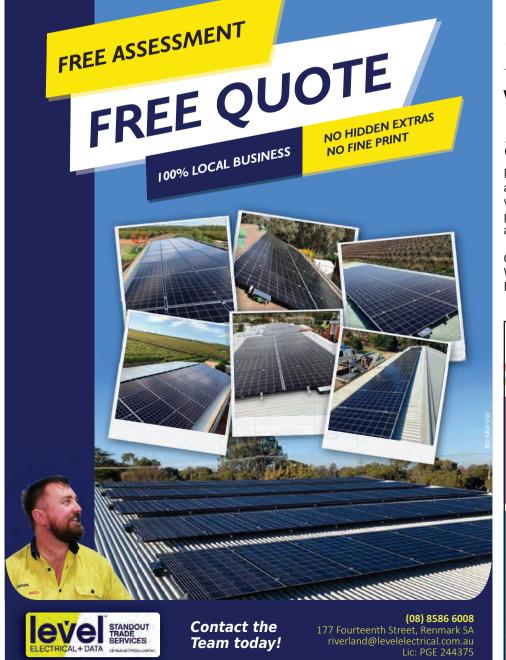
"National Volunteer Week gives us a moment to pause and say thank you, and I encourage everyone to nominate someone who deserves to be recognised for the difference they make.

"Last year's event was a really special one, with the largest number of nominations we have ever received. It was a real honour to treat all of the nominated volunteers to a meaningful celebration and we look forward to doing the same again this year."

Nominated volunteers will be invited to the event, presented with a certificate of appreciation, share in a light lunch and celebrate their volunteering achievements with their peers.

Information on how to nominate can be found on council's website, and hard copy nomination forms are available at the Renmark Paringa Library, the Renmark Civic and Community Centre, or online (www.engagement.renmarkparinga. sa.gov.au/renmark-paringa-celebrating-volunteers).

Nominations close on Monday 28 April, at 10am.





Mid Murray Mayor Simone Bailey says her council is grateful for the funding support the state government has provided towards its regional standpipe water supply project. PHOTO: supplied



Funding received for Mid Murray standpipes project

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

MID Murray Council has received funding from the SA Government towards its community and regional standpipe water supply

The council's director of infrastructure and field services David Hassett, in a report he prepared for the April meeting held yesterday, advised elected members that \$207,500 in funding had been received from the State Government.

He said the money was received after council applied for a Strengthening Industries Program grant of \$415,000 from Primary Industries and Regions South Australia.

Mr Hassett said in his report, council had applied for the grant after tabling its Standpipe Sustainability Report at its19 November 2024 meeting, and presenting its Standpipe Sustainability Community Engagement Report to council in March.

Last week, Mid Murray Council learnt it would also benefit from the State Government's allocation of \$1.4m to co-invest with councils in the upgrade of regional standpipes.

The funding is part of the SA government's \$55m package of comprehensive assistance for drought-affected SA farmers and communities.

Mid Murray Mayor Simone Bailey said council was grateful for the funding support the SA government was providing for its regional standpipe water supply

"It is encouraging to see the State Government recognising how critical this infrastructure is in regional areas.

"The \$207,500 grant will go a long way in helping council move forward with upgrades that will improve water access for our residents, farmers, and local industries," Ms Bailey said.

"This is in addition to the State Government's \$1.4m in funding support to co-invest with councils to upgrade regional standpipes.'

Ms Bailey said the money from the SA Government should fully support the automation of around seven of the council's community standpipes, making them more accessible, efficient, and financially sustainable.

"Automating a standpipe means 24/7 access for users without needing to obtain a physical key during business hours, and it ensures more accurate water usage tracking and instant payment," she said.

"It's a smart investment in long-term service reliability and sustainability, and it reduces the administrative and operational burden on council."

Ms Bailey said together these two State Government funding contributions brought council much closer to delivering the upgrades needed across the standpipe

"While it may not fully cover automation of all 12 public standpipes, it should allow council to prioritise and proceed with a significant portion of the project,"

"As part of the motion in December 2024, council is also exploring co-investment opportunities with other stakeholders to fully deliver the upgrade across as many sites as possible."

Ms Bailey on Monday said council was expected to receive the report at the council meeting regarding the funding offered by the State Government.

"As per council's motion in March, a further report will be provided to council exploring alternatives for the provision of standpipes, considering the community consultation received as part of the engagement process," she said.

"Council will continue to seek external funding for the automation of standpipe facilities within the region.

"Unfortunately the timing of the announcement didn't allow staff time to report on the alternatives this meeting.'

Mr Hassett, in the report he prepared for discussion at yesterday's council meeting, said a further report would be provided to council in May for elected members to consider the next steps and alternatives.

He said current standpipe operations would remain in place until any decisions on the future operations of the standpipes were made by

MMC Mayor Bailey welcomes \$55m drought support package

MID Murray Mayor Simone Bailey has welcomed the SA government's \$55m of comprehensive assistance to support drought affected farmers and communities across the state.

Ms Bailey said the funding would provide some financial support to farmers and community members who were in immedi-

"The money provides a mix of practical support, from fodder transport to mental health and water access," she said.

"It's a good start, though we know the road to recovery for many farmers will be long and will require sustained assistance."

Ms Bailey said farmers were struggling to maintain stock and crops in the current dry conditions.

"Many have been in drought for more than four to five years while also grappling with rising costs and limited support from federal funding streams," she said.

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven said "access to clean, potable water is something that all communities should expect, and this investment will deliver lasting benefits to the Mid Murray region".

"We know the ongoing drought condi-



tions mean that communities are facing huge challenges right across South Australia," Ms Scriven said.

"These upgrades will ensure more efficient, reliable, and accessible water supply infrastructure and will also help primary producers who have exhausted their water supply for their livestock.

'We recognise the important role standpipes play, particularly in times of drought in regional and remote areas, and this funding will help ensure that infrastructure is modernised to meet current and future needs."

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Renmark North Primary school captions Lucy and Indy, with Variety Brats Breton and Logan.

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Brats begin their bash at Renmark North

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THE Variety Brats Bash kicked off their more than 1600km trek earlier this month in the Riverland, with the convoy's first stop providing a donation of \$5000 to Renmark North Primary School.

With families, friends, and children filling a convey of 19 decorated and costumed cars, The Variety Brats Bash spent the past week travelling from the Riverland, to Alice Springs, to raise vital funds for children who are sick, living with disability, or experiencing disadvantage.

Starting their engines at Renmark North Primary School on 7 April, the Brats Bash presented the local students with \$5000 to fund a whole-school site excursion to Monarto Safari Park, later this year.

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"Variety have been amazing," Renmark North Primary School principal Mary Shannon said.

"They got in touch with us, asked us what we would like help funding, and have just made it happen.

"Monarto have provided the busses, and now Variety have covered the rest of the costs and all the entry fees — students from preschool to year 6 will now be able to enjoy this fantastic experience.

"We wanted to take the kids somewhere special and all together, and this is an experience many families couldn't otherwise access due to cost of distance.

"It's been really tough times for families over the past few years, so we're very thankful we can provide this for our students"



Matthew Fry, of Loxton, who won the Murray River Giant Pumpkin competition last year.

Cadell's annual contest for our giant pumpkins and sunflowers

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

ORGANISERS of the Cadell-based Murray River Giant Pumpkin and Sunflower competition, to be held on Saturday, are hoping for a good number of entries from across the Riverland and SA.

The annual contest for giant pumpkins is in its 18th year and for the first time in 2024, the event included a giant sunflower competition.

Cadell Community and Tourist Association vice-chairperson, and Murray River Giant Pumpkin and Sunflower Competition organiser, Kevin Myers, who is also a Mid Murray councillor, said it was always hard to gauge how many people will enter.

"You only really find out on the day, when you see people arriving with their pumpkins and sunflowers on their utes or trailers," he said.

Mr Myers said the hot

weather could have caused some problems to those growing pumpkins and sunflowers.

He said the heat had made it quite difficult to grow pumpkins.

"We have had so many hot spells and in my own case, rabbits ate my pumpkin plants," Mr Myers said.

"I have learnt that the garden I grow my pumpkins in needs a fence around it."

Mr Myers has had better luck with his sunflowers.

"Sunflowers are an amazing plant, they take a lot less time than pumpkins to grow," he said.

"This year, I have put a stake in the ground to prop my sunflower up.

"It is very similar to growing tomatoes, I suppose."

Prizes for the heaviest, ugliest, prettiest, and best fancy dressed pumpkin will be on offer.

MGA Insurance Brokers is the major sponsor of the prizes, and is offering a \$5000 bonus prize to a pumpkin weighing over 395kg, and not weighed anywhere in Australia before 19 April.

The pumpkin record was set on 24 April 2011, by Dale Oliver from Knockrow, NSW, with a pumpkin weighing in at 394kg.

Mr Myers said entries of pumpkins and sunflowers will be received on Easter Saturday 19 April, from 10am until about 11.30am, at the Cadell Heritage Centre, with the winners announced at 1pm.

The event is part of the Cadell Club Family Fun Day, which starts at 11am.



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Anna received a Master of Audiology from Flinders University in 2005 and worked in Adelaide and regional SA before moving to the Riverland 10 years ago.

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Michael Atsaves has been the principal lawyer at Riverland Legal & Conveyancing for six years and has practised law for 19 years. Born and raised in Renmark, Michael completed all his schooling locally before earning his Law and Commerce degrees at the University of Adelaide. He began his legal career at Freehills (now Herbert Smith Freehills), one of Australia's largest firms, then returned to Adelaide to work at Kelly & Co Lawyers for four years.

Eventually, Michael moved back to the Riverland with his young family, joining a local firm before starting his own practice. Drawing on experience from top-tier city firms, he says the most rewarding part of being a lawyer in the country is building relationships and helping clients with their legal and conveyancing needs. He values being part of a close-knit community and is committed to achieving the best outcomes for his clients.

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Gary Penney

MUSIC ALIVE

Job title: Store Manager

I've spent many years playing guitar in a range of bands throughout the Riverland, and music has always been a huge part of my life. That passion led me to a role at Music Alive, where I began teaching guitar and working part-time in the shop.

Working alongside Karyn Skewes, I helped grow the business in stages, expanding our product range to better support the needs of local musicians.

Over time, we introduced a wide variety of instruments and accessories, catering especially to beginners and intermediate players. Our stock now includes acoustic and electric guitars, bass guitars, practice amps, PA systems, as well as both acoustic and electronic drum kits.

I feel incredibly fortunate to be able to use the experience I've gained through performing and teaching to help others. Whether it's offering advice, helping someone choose their first instrument, or doing a quick re-string or repair on a guitar or ukulele, I love being part of someone's journey into music.



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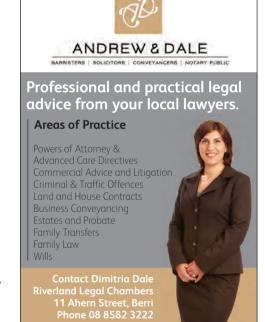
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Shirley Pontt

ALTSCHWAGER FAMILY FUNERALS

Job title: Manager / Funeral Director

Shirley views caring for the deceased and their families as an "absolute privilege." After the sudden loss of her husband Mick nearly five years ago, she sought a career change from her 30-year job at the Loxton postal outlet.

"On my very last day there, Warren (Altschwager Family Funerals director) came in and asked if I had ever considered the funeral industry and I honestly said, 'no'." Shirley took a break, reconsidered the offer, and joined the team. She began by assisting with funerals, then moved to the mortuary.

"I find it's an absolute privilege and honour to be able to be with people after they've lost a loved one and talk with them," she said. In January, she became the funeral director and manager, a role she embraces enthusiastically.

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Barker MP Tony Pasin with Foodbank, Murraylands regional manager Bronwyn Tyler. PHOTO:

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Liberals commit \$50m to food charity services

A LIBERAL Federal Government would provide funding in order to increase the capacity of food charities, such as Foodbank in the Riverland, to help more families dealing with cost-of-living challenges.

The Federal Opposition earlier this month announced a \$50m pledge to help food charities such as Foodbank, SecondBite and OzHarvest – expand services, if it is successful at the upcoming Federal Election.

Barker MP Tony Pasin said increased support was necessary for Riverlanders struggling with

cost-of-living pressures.

"Australia's food relief sector has been calling on the Labor Government to provide an urgent and dramatic increase in funding to respond to the unprecedented levels of demand for food relief, including from Australians who have never previously relied on that support," Mr Pasin said.

"However, the calls for funding have fallen on the Government's deaf ears

"Unlike Labor, we have listened to the sector and know Australians need increased support now."

The funding would include:

- \square \$20m in the first year (2025-26), to provide immediate support to Australians in need, with \$10m for the three national food relief charities, and \$10m for other
- □ \$10m each year from 2026 to 2029, to further support the three national food relief chari-

charities providing food support.

Mr Pasin said the impacts of food insecurity on the region included:

☐ More than 35 per cent of people in Barker have experienced food insecurity in the last 12 months.

 \Box The demand for food relief in the same period for this electorate was 2,173,769kg kilograms.

- Foodbank has supplied 976,491kg kilograms of food relief, both direct and indirect across the electorate.
- ☐ Despite best efforts, unmet demand for food relief is 1,197,278kg.

Foodbank Australia CEO Brianna Casey said the pledge was "an important acknowledgement of the growing demand for food relief in communities right across Australia".

"Despite Foodbank sourcing a quarter of a million meals a day and supporting more than 1 million people a month, the organisation is acutely aware that demand is outstripping supply, with the cost-of-living crisis also driving up the cost of sourcing, storing and transporting food relief," said Ms

"This funding commitment is a significant first step towards gaining the upper hand on food insecurity in Australia, and strong recognition of just how essential food relief organisations have become."



Support is required to help put together this year's display of hand-knitted poppies for Anzac Day, in Renmark. FILE PHOTO

Help needed for Renmark Anzac Day poppy display

RENMARK Paringa locals are needed to assist the setup of a very popular annual display commemorating Riverland military service.

Renmark woman Sherrie Axon is seeking support from fellow locals to help construct her annual display of handknitted poppies for Anzac Day, on Thursday April

Mrs Axon said the proximity to Easter had prevented some volunteers from being able to help with the display. "I have two sites in

mind, firstly in the parkland strip opposite the skate park, at 9am, and then we'll move onto the town clock area," Mrs Axon said.

"It will only take about two hours in total. I bring all regulatory equipment and generally we have fun amid lots of banter.

"The pack up day is then scheduled for Tuesday 29 April, again at 9am."



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\$14m boost for students with disabilities dren can attend their local school.

A BOOST to infrastructure at public schools across the state is being delivered to support students with disabilities, including in the Riverland.

A commitment of \$3.5m a year over four years has been made by the State Government to establish new Special Options - both specialist classes and disability units - at schools to better meet student demand and ensure all South Australians can enrol in their local school.

The announcement will ensure students have access to suitable supports, resources, and infrastructure to support their education, and families have the choice of attending their local school.

Additionally, the Department for Education is trailing state-wide improvements to support year 6 students who have disabilities in their transition to high school.

The new approach will align the processes and timing with the enrolment process for mainstream students, improving communication and increasing the involvement of students, parents and schools.

Improvement in data collection will also help determine forecasting to ensure chil-

The number of students in special classes has been steadily increasing and while special options have been established, no specific budget has previously existed to support medium or long-term planning for the buildings, toilets, or other extensive works necessary for a school to be able to provide a special class.

The (State) Government is demonstrating our commitment to equity and improving schools so that students with a disability and their families are given the support they deserve," Minister for Education, Training and Skills Blair Boyer said.

"The Disability Royal Commission demands change - which is why our government is taking comprehensive action to make schools in South Australia more inclusive of students with disabilities. Important work is also being undertaken to identify and plan areas of future need.

"This work will create services and certainty for families where and when they need it, and ensure they have a voice in this



Australian Almonds increases global ambassador presence

ALMOND growers are set to benefit from the current financial instability between the United States and China, allowing regional industry to enjoy better advantages.

The changing geo-political landscape is providing Riverland almonds growers with a fresh opportunity to leverage the existing free trade agreement with China.

The USA's decision to impose levies on imports from China was met with reciprocal tariffs, with Californian almond growers now facing an extra 10 per cent in taxes, bringing total

tariffs to 35 per cent.
Almond Board of Australia CEO Tim Jackson said "those punitive tariffs provide Australian almond growers with an increased advantage in one of the world's-largest almond mar-

"The trade agreements our federal governments have delivered have made a huge difference to grower returns and the retaliatory tariffs tend to accentuate that advantage," Mr Jackson said.

"Just like China, if there are advantages in certain countries as a result of retaliatory tariffs being imposed on US product, market forces will inevitably direct buyers toward supply sources where the import costs are cheaper.

"Amidst the growing uncertainty the tariff changes will have on global trade, the Australian almond industry is razor-focused on building its brand presence globally."

Last year, Australian Almonds announced acclaimed chef and television personality Poh Ling Yeow as a new global ambassador.

Looking to improve its global branding, Australian Almonds has announced swimmer Kyle Chalmers will join the global team of ambassadors.

"I am super excited to be partnering with Australian Almonds," Mr Chalmers

"For me it makes a lot of sense - they are something I eat every single day in my

"I'm a massive almond eater and always have been. My grandfather had an almond tree in the backyard and we would pick and snack on them, so I have grown up loving them and having that special bond with my grandpa too.

'I see a great opportunity for me to help spread the word of how great Australian almonds can be for you and how regularly I eat them to be able to train and compete at the level I need to."

Mr Chalmers' ambassadorship aims to connect consumers with the highquality nature of Australian almonds.

'Kyle joins us at a time when we have an opportunity to leverage our prominence in the market and take our message on the advantages of buying Australian almonds to a broader cohort," Mr Jackson said.

'The fact remains that the world needs Californian almonds to meet demand, given it produces almost 80 per cent of the world's sup-

"Our role in Australia, with about 10 per cent of the world's almonds, is to provide a credible alternative source of supply and our primary goal is to target the premium end as much as possible to maximise returns to Australian growers."

Global markets, especially the US, are looking to benefit from the advantages of almonds grown and imported from Australia, and the industry hopes to build on its positive results from the 2024-25 season, which saw record exports, one of the lowest carry-outs in years and 30 per cent year-on-year sales growth.

The total volume sold was 163,444 tonnes, with exports to China, India, Europe, and the Middle East leading the way, and Indonesia emerging as a potential growth market.



POWER UPGRADE AT **HOLIDAY PARK: After** significant damage during the 2022/23 flood, power upgrades have been essential to restoring powered camping sites at the Loxton Riverfront Holiday Park. Several sites are now open for bookings, and Loxton Waikerie council is looking forward to having the entire lower half of the caravan park fully operational by Easter. PHOTO: DCLW



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OVERALL WINNERS: MABEL AND MADDIE

Picture Perfect Pets Winners Announced!

THE Murray Pioneer would like to extend a big thank you to all our readers who the submitted their Picture Perfect Pets this month.

With more than 170 local entries being submitted, The Murray Pioneer team has been overwhelmed with the number of photos and cuteness of the

Riverland's most photogenic

A huge congratulations to our weekly winners, Wally from Monash, Diesel from Barmera, and Jimmy from Renmark, with each winning a \$100 voucher at the Riverland Veterinary Practice.

Special mention to Shadow

from Lyrup, winning some rabbit treats from Rosie's.

The overall winners, Mabel and Maddie, from Renmark, will enjoy a big Rosie's dog treat prize pack, valued at more than \$200.

Though this is the final week of the competition, Picture Perfect Pets will return next year.



PRINCESS CHARLOTTE 5 months old // Berri



TULLY 1 year old // Glossop



SHAUN THE SHEEP 5 years old // Loveday



Almost 2 years old // Barmera



FLORENCE 11 years old



MABEL & MADDIE 6 and 9 years old // Renmark



2 years old // Renmark



3 years old // Berri



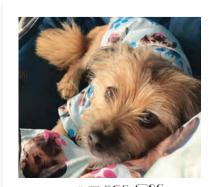
11 years old // Loxton



ERNIE 3 years old // Waikerie



ROXIE 7 months old // Cobdogla



BARKLEY 5 years old // Monash





JIMMY 5 years old // Renmark



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AUBREY 4 years old // Renmark



6 years old // Loveday

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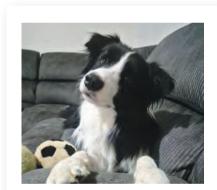
ALBIE 6 years old // Renmark



KAI 7 years old // Renmark



BINDI 1 year old // Glossop



MONTY 2 and a half years old // Paringa



COCO 4 years old // Paringa



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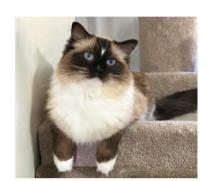
ECHO 10 months old // Renmark



SCOUT & MAISY 4 and 2 years old // Renmark



MOE 3 years old // Renmark



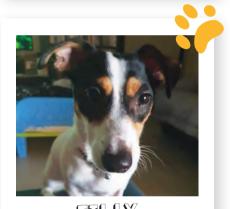
CHARLIE Renmark



SKYE 2 years old // Berri



RUBY 7 years old // Renmark



TILLY 5 years old // Renmark



<u>COCO</u> 1 and a half years old // Barmera



PATCYN 3 years old // Renmark



OREO 7 years old // Lyrup



BENJI 15 years old // Renmark



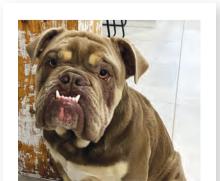
KEVIN 4 years old // Renmark



8 years old // Renmark



ROXY 3 years old // Renmark



FRANKIE 3 years old // Loxton



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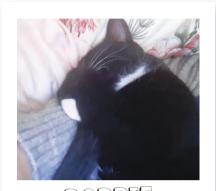
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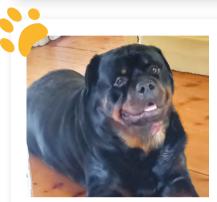
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KITTY Renmark



BELLA 1 year old // Renmark



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DONK 2 years old // Barmera



MADDIE 9 years old // Renmark



DUDLEY 1 year old // Renmark



MIA 2 years old // Loxton



Are Renmark's public toilets among the best in Australia? FILE PHOTO

The 2025 Dunny Hunt has started

RIVERLANDERS and those visiting the region over the holidays are encouraged to join an annual hunt for the country's best public toilets, for a chance to win \$500.

Hosted every year by the Continence Foundation of Australia, the Great Dunny Hunt urges locals to get involved in finding the nation's best three public toilets.

The Great Dunny Hunt is an initiative to ensure every available toilet is added to the National Public Toilet Map, with this year's hunt starting Monday 14 April, and running until Sunday 11 May, coinciding with the start of World Continence Week.

Continence Health Australia chief executive Jim Cooper said "we believe there are thousands of public toilets across the country that remain unaccounted for on the National Public Toilet Map".

"These may be hidden in small towns, parks, libraries or service stations, as well as newly built community spaces," Mr Cooper said.

"There are commercial businesses like transport companies, service stations and convenience chains, and shopping centres that have public toilets, and many may be missing from our map. We are asking businesses, as well as individuals to share their knowledge and help us update the map.

'These toilets are essential for many Australians, particularly those managing continence issues."

The National Public Toilet Map is a cru-

cial resource for those living with incontinence. A recent consumer survey found 49 per cent of respondents currently feel uncomfortable embarking on long trips without knowing where the first toilet stop will be.

While knowing the proximity and accessibility of public toilets may seem insignificant, those that were surveyed showed:

- ☐ 42 per cent said incontinence has caused a reluctance to leave home.
- □ 25 per cent are reluctant to go about daily activities.
- ☐ 22 per cent say incontinence has affected their relationships with family or friends. Annually, there are over 3.2 million searches for public toilets carried out on the

National Public Toilet Map. Dunny hunters can upload their submissions to the National Public Toilet Map, and can include information on adult change facilities, baby change, dump point (including wash out water, afterhours access) and

ambulant facilities. The information also includes drinking water facilities, sharps disposal, showers, sanitary, and incontinence product disposal.

Continence Health Australia is inviting everyone to find the hidden public toilets near them, upload the details and go in the draw to win one of three \$500 Eftpos vouch-

Visit the website (www.continence.org.au/ great-dunny-hunt) or (www.toiletmap.gov. au) for more information.



Renmark's Angove Family Winemakers is among a number of South Australian wine brands currently being showcased in Canadian stores. FILE PHOTO

Angove on show in **Canadian stores**

WINES from one of help "drive sales, tastings the Riverland's mostrecognisable wineries are being tasted by new potential consumers in one of South Australia's largest export destinations.

Angove Family Winemakers, based in Renmark, are among 14 South Australian brands being showcased throughout April in a series of 'popup shop' activations across Ontario, in Canada.

Minister for Trade and Investment Joe Szakacs said the campaign would and awareness for South Australia's premium wine".

"Our state's exports to Canada have seen tremendous growth over the last 12 months," Mr Szakacs said. "With the growing global

instability in trade, led by the re-emergence of tariffs, the South Australian Government is redoubling its efforts to support diversifying and growing broad markets.

"This program, backed by Australia's strong trade relationship with Canada, is creating more opportunities for our wine producers.

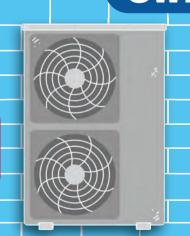
"Countries like Canada are calling out for South Australia's premium, worldclass wine and this government is committed to supporting businesses that want to connect across the globe."

According to Australian Bureau of Statistics data, Canada is South Australia's fifth-largest destination market for wine exports, valued at \$105.2m in the year to January 2025.





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Waikerie Easter Horse Show is a popular event for SA and interstate equestrians. PHOTOS: Paul McCormick

Easter horse show tradition back for 2025

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

RIDERS from across SA and interstate will be competing in the annual Waikerie Easter Horse Show, which begins on Good Friday, and runs until Sunday.

More than 100 competitors of all ages are expected to take part in the event, at the Waikerie Horse and Pony Club grounds, on Curtis Road.

"We will have riders as young as three years of age, and some in their 70s," show secretary Emma Marks said.

"Our showjumping feature classes running throughout the weekend are always great for spectators," she said.

"The show features the Riverland Classic, Riverland Championship, (and) Junior Championship, all running on Sunday."

Ms Marks said the JSA Series Show Jump classes would also be running throughout the weekend.

Dressage, encourage hacking, and topsy ring events will all be featured.

"Our Fashions on the Field has moved to Sunday morning, followed by the affiliated hacking, and interschool classes," Ms Marks "Dressage is running on Friday and

Saturday." An Easter egg hunt will be held on Sunday morning for the children.

Ms Marks said businesses from Riverland West and across SA have provided strong support to the show.

Businesses both locally and throughout the state have been very generous with their sponsorship and donations toward our Waikerie Easter Horse Show," she said.

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Spectators will enjoy watching the skills of competitors in this year's three-day Waikerie Easter Horse Show, which starts on Good Friday.

Consultation for East Terrace speaker upgrade

A PROPOSED upgrade to the Loxton main street speakers is now available for public feedback, ensuring that any potential works reflect the needs and preferences of the community.

The Loxton Waikerie council has launched a community feedback regarding a proposed upgrade to the



East Terrace speaker system, which would be carried out

through the website in the next financial year. (engagement.lwdc.sa.gov. Residents interested in au/east-terrace-speakerproviding feedback can upgrade).

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Andrew La Nauze, Louisa Rose, Carolyn Mcleod and Heather Fraser from Hill-Smith Family Estates. PHOTO: Hill-Smith Family Estates

Oxford Landing's Earth Month effort

RIVERLAND winery Oxford Landing has partnered with Endeavour Group to support native revegetation efforts across Australia during Earth Month.

Committing to regenerating 1sq m of bushland for every bottle of One to One wine sold during April, the initiative is centred around Earth Day, on 22 April.

Oxford Landing head of sustainability Louisa Rose said "every bottle of One to One sold has a positive impact on the planet".

"Restoring and enriching habitats and regenerating ecosystems with (1sq m) of bushland for every one case sold - that's our One to One promise," she said.

"We love working with Endeavour Group on our Earth Month campaign, as we know customers are looking to support planetpositive initiatives.

"Customers can head online, or to any Dan Murphy's and BWS outlet, (and) purchase a participating product this April knowing that Oxford Landing will commit to regenerating (1sq m) of bushland for every bottle of One to One sold."

New laws strengthen the voice of victims

A NEW law, known as 'Joanne's Law' is aimed to address a lack of control and knowledge South Australian victims, including in the Riverland, have about delivering an impact statement.

Since 1 April, courts are required to adjourn sentencing proceedings under certain circumstances to give victims a reasonable opportunity to prepare a victim impact statement.

In addition, victims will have to be informed about their right to provide a statement, and how it may be considered during the sentencing process.

Courts will also be unable to refuse to receive a statement on the grounds it contains irrelevant or inflammatory material, and instead will maintain the discretion to determine what parts of the statement are relevant to the sentencing process, reducing the need for any editing of the victim's statements.

The time for victims to seek victims of crime compensation has also been extended to five years from either the date of the offence, or the death of the victim – giving people more time to apply for compensation for their injuries resulting from an offence.

Joanne's Law was advocated by Ron Lillecrapp, brother of Joanne, as well as former commissioner for victims' rights Bronwyn Killmier and current commissioner Sarah Quick.

Mr Lillecrapp had his victim impact statement edited in 2022 at a parole hearing for Joanne's murderer.

Attorney-General Kyam Maher said "while victims of crime may never be fully healed from the trauma they have experienced, it is important to ensure that measures are in place to ensure their voices are



Kyam Maher.

heard loud and clear through the sentencing process".

"Putting steps in place to help give victims adequate time to prepare a victim impact statement, and ensuring there are clear rules around how any admissibility questions are dealt with, will help them both have their say, and be heard," Mr Maher said

"Victim impact statements are an important part of the criminal justice process and victims deserve to have their voices heard.

"I want to pay tribute to the advocacy of Ron Lillecrapp, the former commissioner for victims' rights Bronwyn Killmier and her successor Sarah Quick, who have advocated for this important reform to our laws."

SA launches \$80m State Cultural Policy

THE State Government last week launched South Australia's first 10-year cultural policy, A Place to Create, ushering in a new era for arts, culture and creative industries in areas including the Riverland.

An initial investment of more than \$80m will support the delivery of a policy designed to ensure all South Australians have access to arts, cultural and creative experiences across their lifetime.

Through the policy, the State Government is supporting more artists and creatives to thrive, and ensuring our state's arts organisations, creative businesses, and cultural institutions are sustainable for the future.

Highlights include:

- ☐ More than \$15m to support the Art Gallery of South Australia to deliver world-class programs and attract new audiences including through a new Winter Art Series.
- ☐ More than \$3m to build the international profile of South Australia's arts, culture and creative industries through showcasing our creative capabilities to the world.
- ☐ More than \$2.5m to kickstart opportunities for children and young people to develop their creativity, including through Adelaide Youth Orchestras, Carclew and an interactive new language-rich experience for young children at the State Library of South Australia.
- □ \$1m to boost philanthropic opportunities and attract private investment to strengthen the sector, including dollar-for-dollar matched fundraising programs for cultural organisations such as the Adelaide Festival.
- ☐ More than \$1m to increase grant programs to support arts organisations and create new, original work by South Australian artists and creatives.
- ☐ More than \$2.3m into First Nations arts and culture in South Australia.
- ☐ More than \$1.5m to increase existing programs and initiatives supporting more original local music and live music venues, through the Music Development Office.
- ☐ More than \$500,000 to enliven regions with arts, culture and creativity, including through programs delivered by Country Arts SA.

Priority will also be given to:

☐ Addressing working conditions includ-

ing through a partnership with Creative Australia's Creative Workplaces.

☐ A \$4m contribution to transform the Adelaide Central School of Art into a new Creative Hub, in addition to the Federal Government's \$7m investment.

In addition to the extra \$80m invested through this policy, its delivery will be supported through an annual investment of \$149m in the arts, cultural and creative industries, through the Department of the Premier and Cabinet.

"South Australia has long been a hub of arts and culture, but this didn't happen by chance — it was built through deliberate effort," Premier Peter Malinauskas said.

"And today we are building on that effort for the long term with a comprehensive \$80m policy, to formally enshrine our state as a place where people can live, work and create.

"Our international reputation for hosting events like the Adelaide Festival and Fringe relies on a thriving grassroots arts community.

"This policy will serve as a blueprint for supporting artists in their essential work of strengthening our community, fostering creativity and shaping a vibrant and hopeful future for our state."

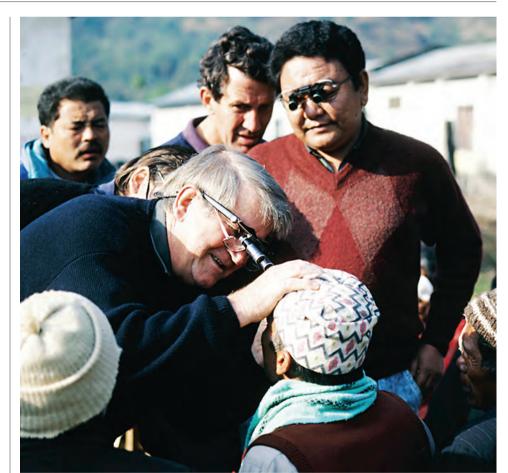
Minister for Arts Andrea Michaels said "arts, culture and creativity are intrinsic to who we are in South Australia and the (State) Government is committed to supporting our artists and creatives to thrive".

"For the first time, our state has a 10-year strategy designed to strengthen South Australia's arts, culture and creative industries, organisations and institutes for the future," she said.

"A Place to Create recognises the vital role artists and creatives play both culturally and economically in South Australia.

"Not only do they entertain us, inspire us and bring us joy every single day with their music, performances, film, works of art and so much more, they also contribute more than \$1.8b to our state's economy each year.

"I'd like to thank everyone who contributed to the development of this policy, we heard wonderful ideas, plans, and visions for our creative state from many in the arts, and I'm confident we have captured the spirit of that in this policy."



The Fred Hollows Foundation founding director Gabi Hollows said "the Fred and Humanity Awards are a testament to Fred's deep faith in the goodness of everyday Australians".

PHOTO: supplied

Fred Hollows searches for local unsung heroes

THE Fred Hollows Foundation has opened nominations for the annual Fred and Humanity Awards, which can recognise Riverlanders making a real difference in their community.

The Fred and Humanity
Awards celebrate the legacy
of eye doctor Fred Hollows,
opening for nominations
on what would have been
Fred's 96th birthday.

The Fred Hollows
Foundation founding direc-

tor Gabi Hollows said "the Fred and Humanity Awards are a testament to Fred's deep faith in the goodness of everyday Australians".

"He would be incredibly proud," she said.

"We invite (everyone) to nominate a friend, family member or colleague in this year's Fred and Humanity Awards.

"We all know someone who makes the world a better place and deserves to be celebrated." A judging panel, led by Gabi Hollows, will short-list a group of finalists who will be put to a public vote, from which the 2025 Fred Hollows Humanitarian will be decided.

The Foundation will also select a group of year 6 junior Ambassadors.

Nominations are open until 18 July.

For more information, visit the website (hollows. org/awards).



The Waikerie and District Ladies Probus Club 2025 committee members (from back) Chris Hoffmann, Elsie Ridley, Charlie Fielke, Kath Watkins, Pam Collins, Cheryl Davies, Faye Davies, Ros Simpfendorfer, Pat Brandon, and Maxine Morley. PHOTOS: supplied



Ms Morley with Dave Miller, who was guest speaker at the group's March meeting.

Police insights at Waikerie Probus March meeting

RETIRED policeman Dave Miller was the guest speaker at the Waikerie and District Ladies Probus Club's March meeting.

He became a SAPOL cadet at 16, in 1978, and graduated two years later. His first choice for a placement was the Riverland, but he was advised to go north as there was a long waiting list for the area.

Coober Pedy, with 57 nationalities, was an interesting first step, though not as tough as the old days when the police patrolled on cam-

Dave met his future wife, Penny, at the Oodnadatta Races and they married at his next posting, Whyalla.

Kingscote, with three police and no radio communication, followed for two years, then came a promotion, and position at Woomera.

Ceduna – a physically beautiful place impacted by racial tension – was next for four years, then Leigh Creek, with four staff for a 100,000km2 patrol area, and a population of about 1500 people outside Leigh Creek.

Wanting a different lifestyle and stable education for their children led them to Waikerie, in 2001.

Dave and Penny bought a house and decided they would stay after Dave retired. Retirement didn't last long though and Dave is now enjoying a part-time job at BWS. Knowing the community well is a bonus.

When asked how policing has changed over the years, Dave explained that now training is over a shorter time span. Physical strength and size are less relevant, though fitness is essential.

More women have also joined. Kate Cocks, from Moonta, was appointed in 1915 and was the first policewoman in the world with the same powers as a male police constable. When she retired, in 1935, there were 14 policewomen, although that has changed signifi-

Communication skills and deescalating situations are crucial, as there has been an enormous increase in domestic violence, social issues, and mental health problems.

Like many jobs, there are good days and bad. Dealing with violent incidents, suicides, informing families of deaths, and other duties take a big toll, and staffing is unable to keep up with retirements.

Young officers, like doctors, prefer shorter hours and working in Adelaide, although efforts are underway to recruit UK officers.

Equipment has changed to keep up with the times, including stab vests, cameras, tasers and spray, as well as guns. Shooting is the final response option, and must match the threat, and incidents are always investigated. Dave has been shot at, but never shot anyone.

Members greatly appreciated Dave's talk and his willingness to answer questions.

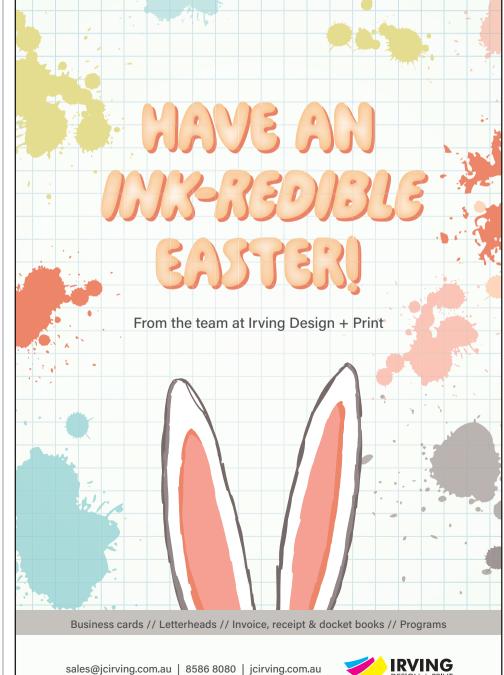
The AGM part of the meeting went smoothly, and Pat Brandon was re-appointed as president, and other positions remaining the same.

Guest speakers Elaine Wilkinson and Jo-Anne Cain will feature at the 22 April meeting. Elaine will speak about the Cobweb shop, and Jo-Anne about her life, and Soul Essence therapy and life coaching

Visitors are welcome, 10am, at the Waikerie Bowling Club.



PATH PROGRESS: Works along Stanley Street, in Waikerie, are progressing with the upgrade of the footpath between Coombe Terrace, and Lawrie Terrace. The project, which received funding from the State Government through the Way 2 Go program, will be completed in the coming weeks with the installation of pram ramps, line marking, and hot mix asphalt, PHOTO: supplied



Renmark Ladies Probus tours Frank Harding gallery

FOLLOWING the April meeting of the Renmark Ladies Probus Club, we were hosted by Megan, daughter of Frank Harding, to a viewing of his art in their private gallery, on Murtho Street. Megan explained about her father's self-taught gift of painting.

The Bushranger ceiling murals, viewed with a mirror, were a real drawcard for many of our members.

The 6 May meeting of the club will be held at Hotel Renmark, at 10am, with guest speaker Danni Munn, from The Haven Riverland, discussing aspects of domes-

The 2 June meeting will be our 38th birthday celebration, with a visit to the Murray River Queen, at Loxton, for morning tea and a presentation about the history and future plans, by current owner Donna Neale.



Brenda Dowling, Jenny Natrass, Joy Doevendans and Chris Petersen discussing some of the art works. PHOTOS: supplied



Frank Harding's daughter, Megan, speaking to Renmark Ladies Probus Club members



Probus club members viewing the gallery's artworks.





Kay Pope and Betty Hermel, two members of the porcelain art group exhibiting at the Rain Moth Gallery, in front of Betty's porcelain painted tile. PHOTOS: supplied

Porcelain talent at the Rain Moth

THE Rain Moth Gallery, in Waikerie, is currently hosting an exhibition by 17 artists from the Adelaide-based Australasian Porcelain Teachers Association.

The exhibition features 100 pieces of both traditional and modern pieces along with glass, watercolours and jewellery.

A number of pieces include stunning hand-painted tiles mounted to be hung on

Gallery chairperson Karen Richardson said a demonstration of porcelain painting at the opening event "proved popular, showing the time, patience and skill needed to complete each of the items".

"To fully appreciate the detail in the porcelain and variety of pieces is well worth a visit to the gallery and a great place to take Easter visitors in the region," Ms Richardson said.

"The exhibition will run through until the end of May.'



Porcelain artworks from 17 artists are currently being displayed at the Rain Moth



Artist Betty Hermel demonstrating porcelain painting techniques to a captivated group.



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Community Diary

A GUIDE TO WHAT'S ON IN THE RIVERLAND FOR COMMUNITY NON-PROFIT EVENTS

THUR 17 APRIL

Charity for All Bingo is for Riverland Boxing. Doors open 6pm, eyes down 7pm sharp. At The Loxton Club. Get a table together, for an exciting evening of bingo, prizes

SAT 19 APRIL

Loxton's free Easter Picnic. 10am - 12noon. Enjoy an egg-cellent morning with kids' activities, egg hunt, locally-baked Hot Cross Buns, drinks and easter eggs from Easter Bunny. At the Rotunda Lawns, East Terrace.

SAT 19 APRIL

Loxton Historical Village Alive Day, 10am to 4pm. Working exhibits, blacksmithing, printing, whip cracking, free horse and cart rides, food and craft stalls, kids games and more. A great day out for the whole family. Phone 8584 7194.

THU 24 APRIL

Waikerie & Districts Cancer Support Group. 10am, at the Waikerie RSL rooms, in Thompson Street. Planning for the Biggest Morning Tea to be held with Waikerie Rotary in May. Join us for tea/coffee and cake. All welcome.

FRI 25 APRIL

Anzac Day Dawn Service, 6am, Moorook waterfront, followed by a Gunfire Breakfast at Moorook Community Hall. Moorook Bowling Club Legacy Bowls Day then held from 9.30am to 2pm, and Moorook & District Club AFL Anzac Day game from 2pm to late.

SAT 26 APRIL

Renmark Lions Club 'Fundraising Bazaar', 8am-12noon at Renmark No 2 Oval - W E Wood Hall. Eftpos, barbeque, hot donuts. Funds raised go to Lions local community projects. Come along and grab a bargain. All enquiries phone 0457 006 631

WEEKLY EVENTS

MONDAY & THURSDAY

The Berri Community Men's **Shed** is open from 8am to 12 noon on Mondays and Thursdays. New members welcome. Inquiries phone president lan Campbell 0418 839 963.

MONDAY & THURSDAY

The Barmera Community Men's Shed is open Monday and Thursday from 8am to 12.30pm at the Bruce Oval. All men are welcome. Not open on public

MONDAY & THURSDAY

Happy Wanderers Renmark walk Monday and Thursday mornings at 9.30am near the Renmark Visitor Centre. All walkers are welcome. We walk under the banner of Heart Foundation Walking.

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY

Visit the **Renmark Paringa** Community Museum and watch the Paringa Bridge lift most days at 2.30pm. Preserving the past, more than 70 vintage stationary engines. Contact Wayne 0407 618 311, open Mon/Wed/Fri from 10am to 3pm.

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

Card and boards games every Monday, even long weekends, 1.30pm to 4pm. Carpet bowls every Wednesday, 1.30pm to 4pm. Renmark Lutheran Church, 62 Seventeenth Street, Renmark. Phone Yvonne Kruschel 0428 963 195.

MONDAY

Riverland Concert Brass Band meets Monday nights 7pm to 8.30pm, except public holidays. 1 Verran Terrace, Berri. All musicians welcome.

MONDAY

Rock 'n' roll and partner dancing at Monash Community Hall Mondays from 7pm to 10pm with the River Rock Dance Club. \$5 entry, visitors welcome to come

along and enjoy great music, dancing and a friendly atmosphere.

TUESDAY & THURSDAY

Social badminton at the Barmera Recreation Centre Thursday evenings, 6.30pm to 8pm, and Tuesday mornings, 9am to 10.30am. Racquets available and all welcome. For more information contact Judy 8588 8000.

TUESDAY - SATURDAY Barmera Theatre Art & Craft

Gallery in the Bonney Theatre complex open for sales Tuesday to Friday 10am to 2pm, and Saturday 9.30am to 11.30am. Inquiries to Ruth 0428 899 506.

TUESDAY - SUNDAY

Loxton Historical Village open Tuesday to Sunday, 10am to 4pm. and public holidays. Pet friendly. Phone 8584 7194 or visit the website (www.thevillageloxton. com.au).

TUESDAY

Palms Bingo Club hold a bingo session every Tuesday at the Monash Club. Doors open at 11am and eyes down at 11.30am. Lunch and drinks available.

TUESDAY

Berri Senior Citizens welcome anyone over the age of 55 to attend the BSC Hall at 4 Draper Road, Berri, each Tuesday, 1pm to 4pm. Activities include bridge, cards, games, pool, computer use and socialising.

Loxton Senior Citizens Club meet every Tuesday from 1pm to 4pm at RVCC, corner of Bookpurnong Road and View Street. New members welcome.

Please phone Jean 8584 7313. **TUESDAY & THURSDAY**

AA meetings throughout the Riverland. Kingston Institute Hall, Sunday, 2pm. Loxcare, Tuesday, 8pm. Loxton Uniting Church Hall,

Thursday, 12.30pm. St Mary's Catholic Church Hall, Berri, Thursday, 8pm.

WEDNESDAY

Barmera Lake Bonney Quilters meet every Wednesday 9am to 4pm at the Riverland Field Days site. Friendly group. All welcome, beginner or experienced. Contact 0438 837 307.

WEDNESDAY & SUNDAY Riverland Woodworkers at

the old Renmark High School, Ral Ral Avenue, Wednesdays 9am to 4pm, and Sundays 10am to 4pm. Any skill level welcome. For more information contact 0407 608 081.

WEDNESDAY

U3A Riverland yoga in the CWA rooms, Loxton. Every Wednesday from 9.30am.

WEDNESDAY & SATURDAYS Berri Bowling Club Social

bowls held each Wednesday and Saturdays. Name in by 12.30pm for 1pm start. Phone 8582 1830 and leave name or turn up and put your name down. Cost \$5. Winners and runners-up prize. Two games, three bowls triple.

THURSDAY

Crafty Capers at Renmark Lutheran Church, 9am to 3pm. Bring your own crafts, knitting, sewing, card making, scrapbook making and have some fellowship. Phone Rita on 0407 949 546

THURSDAY

Riverland Bridge Club, 9am to 1pm, Loxton Bowling Club, Bookpurnong Road. New members always welcome. Need to register first, phone John 0438 391 232.

THURSDAY

Mainly Music for children aged 0 to 5 at Rivergum Christian College. Every Thursday, 9am to 10.30am during school terms. \$5 per week, per family. Cost goes towards morning tea for adults,

pack a snack for your child. Come and try your first session free.

THURSDAY

The **SACWA Loxton District** Branch meets every Thursday, from 10am-2pm, at its hall on Kokoda Terrace, Loxton. Come along and enjoy a cuppa and companionship.

THURSDAY - MONDAY

Olivewood Historic Homestead and Museum open Thursday to Monday, 10am to 4pm and on public holidays. Pet friendly. Inquiries call 8586 6175.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & **SATURDAY**

Moorook Club, at 624 Kingston Road, Moorook, is open Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Meals Friday nights, for bookings contact 0447 021 238. Children's play area. Family friendly club.

THURSDAY

Ukulele every Thursday during school terms, from 5.15pm to 6.45pm at the Monash Hall supper room. Inquiries to Margot (0407 796 508). Beginners welcome.

THURSDAY

Thursday evenings 6.45pm at the Monash Memorial Hall. Singing as a group with Sing Australia Riverland. Fun, relaxing evenings for everyone. Come and try. Ph: 0438 839 691

THURSDAY

Renmark Bowling Club on Cowra Street would like to welcome you to bingo. Every Thursday night

THURSDAY

Renmark Smallbore Rifle Club Come and try Thursday nights at 7.30pm. No licence required. Club rifles available, 246 Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark. For more info contact Mark on 0417 883 892.

Meet, Greet & Eat at Loxcare

Community Hub. 13 Drabsch Street, Loxton, every Friday at 10am. Come and enjoy morning tea and a chat. For inquiries phone 8584 6954.

FRIDAY

Messy Church Kids Activities. First Friday of each month (not school holidays). Fun and crafts. Kids 5 to 14yrs. Parents must accompany. Light dinner to follow. Gold coin donation. 4-6pm, Renmark Uniting Church Hall.

SUNDAY

Riverland Model Aero Club Inc, flying from 9am. New members always welcome, free training for new flyers. Yearly events include float plane and indoor flying. For more information contact Bruce 0422 908 967.

SUNDAY

The Ulysses Mallee Branch meets at the Barmera Club every Sunday Morning at 10am for coffee and chat, unless we are on a designated ride.

Pacemakers bingo every Sunday. Eyes down at 2pm. Come support various charities around the Riverland. Contact Mel Bristow 0436 004 867.

SUNDAY

Guided tours of The Pines **Historic House** are held every Sunday at 2pm, at 18 Henry Street, Loxton. Gardens open seven days. Extra tour inquiries to Marian 0412 649 766.

SUNDAY AND TUESDAY The Cobdogla Steam Friends

hold working bees at the Loveday Workshops in Morris Street, Loveday, each week, from 8.30am to 4pm. We are restoring exhibits, including steam engines, tractors and railway items. Anyone with mechanical ability is welcome. Phone 0403 036 949 for details.

MONTHLY & BI-MONTHLY EVENTS

FIRST MONDAY OF EACH MONTH.

Combined Berri Probus Club meets at Berri Cottage Homes Function Centre, Mcgilton members, friends, members all welcome. Further information 0408 821 425.

FIRST THURSDAY OF MAY. JULY. SEPTEMBER AND NOVEMBER

Ostomy Support Group Riverland. First Thursday of May, July, September and November at Renmark RSL, 91 Fifteenth Street. 10am till 12 noon. All Ostomates and partners welcome. Contact Neville Sharp 0419 849 822.

SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

Ladies Probus Club of Loxton meets sec-

ond Tuesday of the month, at the Loxton Club, Bookpurnong Terrace, Loxton, 10am until 12 noon followed by optional lunch. come. Further information 0409 855 843.

SECOND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Friends of Berri. An initiative of Our Town Berri Inc. Second Wednesday of each month, 5pm at 23 Wilson Street. An inclusive space for Berri folk to connect, yarn, innovate, learn and share ideas. All welcome. Email (ourtownberri@gmail.com).

THIRD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

Men's Probus Club of Loxton meets at the Loxton Club, Bookpurnong Tce, on the third Tuesday of the month, from 10am to noon.

For information phone 0427 546 237.

LAST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

Renmark RSL Sub Branch meets at 7pm, last Tuesday of each month. Members and intending members welcome. Meet for a meal from 5:30pm, Main Bar, Hotel Renmark. Any other information, contact: Lloyd Wright - 0409 194 323.

THIRD FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

Loxcare Community Hub free mobile phone/ tablet/computer questions and answers on the third Friday of each month from 10am. Enjoy a cuppa and learn about your devices as part of the Be Connected Network.

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH Berri Barmera Garden Club meets every third Sunday of the month at the Riverland Central Church on Mortimer Road, Berri at 1.30pm. New members welcome. Phone

FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH

The Loxton Legacy Widow Group meet on the fourth Monday of the month at 10.30am at the Loxton RSL hall.

FOURTH SUNDAY EACH MONTH

Loxton Garden Club hold monthly meetings on the fourth Sunday of the month. Next meeting's at The Loxton Club-Woolshed Room, 2pm. Contact Jacque Schulz on 0402 158 759, or lan Cass on 0428 876 220. Email (loxtongardenclub@ gmail.com).

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NEW CITIZENS: Loxton Waikerie Mayor Trevor Norton (left) and Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone (right) at a citizenship ceremony in Loxton earlier this month for Antonia Mancino, Ariel Gallo and Vincenzo Gallo. РНОТО:



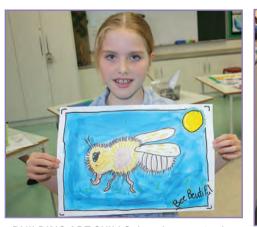


THE **REGION'S ROTARIANS:** Riverland **Rotary Clubs** gathered at the Berri Hotel on Wednesday 26 March for this year's Combined Riverland Rotary Meeting. PHOTOS: supplied



A ROTARY GETAWAY: Current and past members of the Loxton Rotary Club travelled to Lake Cullulleraine for a social weekend, held on 21 and 22 March. PHOTO: supplied





BUILDING ART SKILLS: Local youngster lvy with one of her artworks, created in ongoing art classes run by Riverland teacher, and artist, Greg Reeks. PHOTOS: supplied





Emily.

OUT & ABOUT



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PROBUS FRIENDS SAY GOODBYE: **Loxton Ladies** Probus Club members recently said goodbye to long-time member Rosalie Jaeschke, after the Ladies March Morning Tea, held at the Country Bakehouse, in Loxton. Besides being a member for 16 years, Rosalie also held the position of treasurer for six years. Saying goodbye were a few of the club members Noeleen Milich, Julie Hill, Val Cornish, Rosalie, Teresa Eerden, Judy Falting and Beth Graham. PHOTO: supplied



Maurice O'Connell was a guest speaker at the meeting, providing an insight into his three, six-month trips to Ukraine during the current conflict with Russia.



Tim Mee also spoke at the meeting regarding Rotary Australia World Community Service and Rotary international projects.

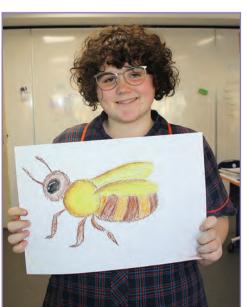


PROBUS LADIES AT THE BAKERY: A total of 19 ladies from the Loxton Ladies Probus Club enjoyed catching up at their March Morning Tea at The Country Bakehouse, in Loxton. PHOTO: supplied









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Renmark Lions Club gets environmental and upgrades local favourite donut van

CLUB activities during March included working bees at the Renmark 'Welcome Wall' and cemetery, where maintenance of the gardens at each location was carried out. Volunteer club members also tidied up the grounds at the Lions Arthur Shepherd BBQ Park, near the entrance to the Big 4 Holiday Park.

Our club has responsibility for managing an area surrounding OakBore, in the Calperum Station National Park as part of the club's Environmental Project. During March and April, a dedicated team of club volunteers travelled to OakBore to carry out fox baiting. This usually happens twice a year in March and April, and September and October, as well as doing any maintenance to buildings as required.

Following recent storms and hot weather, the work required removing many trees that had fallen over and were blocking access tracks needed for the fox baiting.

Club catering events were significantly less during March, which enabled our club to renovate and upgrade our donut van to comply with new Health SA Food Handling Regulations.

This work was carried out by club members, under the supervision of president Paul Farr, and Neville Sharp. The van was completely emptied of all equipment and gutted back to the original cupboard layout, with the renovations

CLUB activities during March included working bees at the Renmark 'Welcome Wall' and creating a new layout with new stainless-steel benchtops, splashbacks, and other features.

This work also involved removing all the unwanted and unusable equipment. The new layout has the cookers, drums of oil, containers for hot oil, now at the front end of the van, and all the food preparation, mixer, mix containers, sugar, and utensils, are at the back end. All electrical cords, mops, brooms, chemicals, banners, and tools are now stored outside in the new large storage bin on the front of the van, where there is a small hot water service fitted. This has proven to be a more efficient operating use of the van, with more space in the working area.

Club catering was active again in April, with the club catering with donuts only at Renmark Mitre10 Trade Centre, on Saturday 5 April, for their 'Greenworks Demo Day' event. Following a request from Bunnings in Berri, our club agreed to cater at their 'Easter Family Day' event, on Thursday 10 April, also with donuts only.

Our monthly Fundraising Bazaars continue to be well supported by our community, with a very successful event and barbeque held on Sunday 30 March.

This was a special event with the proceeds of the bazaar sales supporting a minimum donation of \$3000 to the Australian Lions Foundation (ALF) Disaster Appeal,



Dylan Blackley (centre), from Support & Connect Riverland, pictured with Renmark Lions Rozz Dyer and Paul Farr. PHOTO: supplied

to assist those communities in Queensland. and northern NSW affected by Cyclone Alfred and the subsequent floods.

The catering proceeds at this bazaar event was in support for the annual Lions Biggest BBQ, raising funds for the Australian Lions Childhood Cancer Research Foundation (ALCCRF). The next bazaar and barbeque will be held on Saturday 26 April 2025 (Anzac Day long weekend). So, everyone is invited to come and join us and enjoy the family atmosphere at Renmark's No 2 Oval (W. E. Wood Hall), between 8am and 12 noon. All Bazaar enquiries can be made to 0457 006 631.

Locally, Renmark Lions Club

gives ongoing support to many organisations, recently donating:

- \$1350 to Support & Connect Riverland, in Berri, to assist finance the purchase of a driving simulator for use by their clients.
- □ \$180 to Renmark Primary School to assist a student from disadvantaged circumstances to purchase a musical instrument in order to be involved in the school's music program.
- □\$1000 to Renmark West Primary School to assist finance students from disadvantaged circumstances to go the school camps.
- □ \$3500 to ALF Disaster Appeal.□ \$1200 to ALCCRF to assist with cancer research.



Club dinner meetings with members partners have enjoyed interesting guest speakers in recent months, with Dylan Blackley from Support & Connect Riverland talking about his Recreational Hub in Berri, and Ann Ryan talking about the Hotel Renmark Museum.



- What is the traditional Easter flower?

 8. In which century did the Easter bunny originate:15th, 16th or 17th century?
 - What is the holiday called that takes place directly before Easter and includes fasting?

 9. The Easter Bunny was originally a hare: True or False?
 - Which European country is considered the home of the Easter bunny?

 10. Easter Island forms part of which South American country?
 - Which item is associated with Easter Parades?

 11. How many pieces of silver did Judas trade the life of Jesus for?
 - 12. Which country produced the world's largest Easter Egg Hunt: Germany, Italy or UK?

13. Which animal is used in the place of the bunny in Australia?

- 14. To avoid bad luck, what chore should you avoid on Good Friday?
- 15. What meat is traditionally eaten on Easter Sunday?
- 16. The Romans, as a way to mock Jesus, gave him what?
- 17. What fruit is traditionally in hot cross buns?
- 18. What food is often served on Shrove Tuesday?
- 19. Which island celebrates the start of Easter with a kite flying festival?
- 20. Who wrote The Tale of Peter Rabbit?



Which European country produced the world's largest

What is the traditional Easter dessert in Italy?

What is the name of a male rabbit?

Easter egg: USA, UK or Italy?

How much did the largest chocolate egg weigh?
Answer in next week's Quiz.

Answers on page 40

QUIZ MASTER
TOM TRIFONOFF

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Loxton RSL Sub-branch historian and assistant secretary Lorraine Masters, with Howard Hendrick, Barker MP Tony Pasin, and the wine Mr Hendrick received as one of only five WWII pilots still living in South Australia. PHOTOS: supplied





Sharyn Schlein with Loxton RSL Sub-branch president Neil Schlein, SA RSL Adelaide president Meredith Burgess, and Loxton RSL sub-branch vice President Robert Manuel, at the Anzac Dinner last Saturday evening.

Howard honoured at RSL Anzac Dinner

THE Loxton RSL Sub-branch members, along with the Loxton hospital catering crew, were very impressed with the biggest number of guests ever to attend the annual Loxton RSL Anzac Dinner, which was held in the Loxton RSL Hall, last Saturday evening, with 117 folk attending.

Proceeds from the evening's dinner went to the Loxton Hospital Complex, who served a beautiful and tasty two-course meal with a choice of two for each course.

The evening was capably compared by RSL vice president Robert Manuel, and president Neil Schlein.

Pastor Mat Eckermann, from the Loxton Lutheran Parish, gave the address and a blessing.

Guest speaker for the evening was Bill Denny, from Adelaide. In more than 21 years in the military he served in South Vietnam, Papua New Guinea, as aide-de-camp to the Governor General, and on exchange duty with the British Army, in Germany. He left the Army in 1990, with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Upon departure from the military, Bill had a diverse career in many areas, including graduating with a Bachelor of Laws and Legal Practice (Honours), being admitted as a barrister and solicitor in the Supreme Court of South Australia, joining the state public service as an advisor to the Attorney General, then being appointed the inaugural director of Veterans SA, and overseeing the establishment of the veterans' affairs portfolio in our state. He continued in community service through his role as chair of the RSL Anzac Day Committee, chair of the Anzac Day Commemoration Council, and as founder – and currently patron - of the Anzac Eve Youth Vigil.

Mr Denny founded and co-chaired the Vietnam War Memorial Committee, and co-chaired the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander War Memorial Fundraising Committee. He is also patron of the National Servicemen's Association and Military Vehicle Preservation Society, and a member and recently appointed ambassador – of the Board of Reconciliation SA.

His long list of achievements includes being a state finalist in the Australian of the Year awards, and in 2015 when he was named an RSL Anzac of the Year.

An exciting event was the Life Membership awarded to 101-year-old WWII veteran Howard Hendrick. Mr Hendrick has been a member of the Loxton branch since coming to Loxton, running his own fruit block after the war. Although he never held any executive positions on the Loxton committee, Mr Hendrick has, and still is, helping in the background, attending meetings, and doing what needs to be done to keep the Loxton RSL sub-branch alive and thriving.

The second exciting event of the evening was the auctioning of a bottle of wine Mr Hendrick donated to the Loxton RSL Subbranch. Mr Hendrick was awarded the wine from the Air Force Association, to commemorate this month's 80th anniversary of the end of World War II.

The series comprises five wines named after living South Australian World War II veterans. Mr Hendrick (flying officer) enlisted in 1942, and completed 30 operational missions as a pilot with 460SQN flying Lancasters. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for displaying 'the utmost fortitude, courage and devotion to duty'. Post-war he continued flying as a civilian pilot before returning to his local

community, becoming a treasured local veteran.

Loxton Waikerie Mayor Trevor Norton was the auctioneer for the evening.

Barker MP Tony Pasin won the auction, buying the prized bottle for \$1000 and immediately donating it back to the Loxton RSL Sub-branch.

Mr Schlein said the bottle would have pride of place in Mr Hendrick's cabinet in the Loxton RSL Museum room.

A continuous raffle kept guests entertained, along with a short presentation that Mr Manuel had taken for the Lon Tan dinner, held in 2016, for the 50th anniversary.

Mr Schlein said the Loxton RSL Subbranch is always looking for new members, and becoming an affiliate member is possible. Volunteers are always needed as RSL members are aging, and often declining health prevents members from keeping the hall and the sub-branch running.

Morning tea is offered every Wednesday, at 10am, at the RSL Hall, and Mr Schlein said anyone is welcome to come for a cuppa and a chin-wag anytime.

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Humphrey Howie, from Renmark, Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone, and Michael Vowles, from Loxton, enjoyed catching up at the Anzac Dinner in the Loxton RSL Hall.



Pam and Tony Lyon, with Ray Edwards, and Karina Bates, from Loxton.

Cadets from the Riverland Air Force 603 SQD enjoyed joining in the dinner, at the Loxton RSL $\label{thm:condition} \textit{Hall.} \textit{ The Cadets are currently raising funds and working on having a flight simulator.}$



Sharyn Schlein, Neil Schlein, Meredith Burgess, guest speaker Bill Denny, and wife Clare, from

RSL members Alan and Lut Mattheissen, from Loxton, enjoyed catching up with Elizabeth and Graham Redway, from Berri.



Neil Schlein's family: grandchildren Taya and Aidan, daughter-in-law Lisa, and son Brett Schlein.

Darren Gregory, and Jonathon Sutton, from the Riverland Air Force Cadets 603 Squad, who were presented with a cheque from the Loxton RSL Subbranch for their flight simulator project.



Kevin and Dianne Manuel, Dianne Golding and Chris Nelson.



Pastor Mat Eckermann, from the Loxton Lutheran Parish, gave a short address and prayers at the Anzac Dinner. With him is his wife Liz, Kim Richards and her father-in-law, Barry Laundy, from Loxton.



Loxton High School prefects offered to be waiters at the Loxton RSL Anzac Dinner. Traditionally the Prefects do this community service which is appreciated by all who attended. Those who helped were William, Matilda, Saskia, Sophie and Jacob.



Loxton Waikerie Mayor Trevor Norton was the auctioneer for the 2020 Howard Hendrick cab sav bottle of wine Mr Hendrick donated to the Loxton RSL Sub-branch.



Melissa Blythman, from Loxton, won the door prize at the RSL Anzac Dinner.



101-year-old WWII veteran Howard Hendrick received Life Membership of the Loxton RSL Sub-branch.



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50th **BIRTHDAY**

MCCORMICK, Paul.

Happy birthday to our very own Waikerie representative who is celebrating 50 years!

> We hope you had a great day.

Wishing you all the best from The Murray Pioneer team.

DEATHS

BANNISTER, Jane.

Passed away peacefully at the Barmera hospital on Sunday 13 April, 2025.

Aged 77 years.

Loved wife of Fred.

Loving mum of Mark, Brett; Robert and Danni.

Loved Nanna Jane of 4 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

> A special smile, A special face, And in our hearts A special place.

Jane's family would like to thank all staff at the Berri and Barmera hospitals for their care of Jane.

Jane was privately cremated, according to her wishes.



DEATHS

HALLIDAY, Tony.

Passed away suddenly on 5 April, 2025

Loved son of Carmel and John (deceased).

Much-loved brother of Phillip, Tim, Kathy, Mark, Nicole, and their partners Sarah, Shayne, and Kelly.

Cheeky uncle to Bianca, Luke, Olivia, Archer, Jorjette, Skyla, and Zane.

Loved and proud father to Rhyan and Samm. and their partners. Rosie and Michael

He adored and loved his grandchildren Ivy and Jasper xx

RIP Tony. free to drive your Chrysler with your golf sticks in the back to wherever you want.

Family golf days won't be the same without you.



HENRY, Daryl Ronald.

25/4/1942 -7/4/2025

Died peacefully at home.

Now reunited with Maureen.

Dearly loved sister-in-law and brother-in-law of Janet and Bill.

Loved uncle of Dean, Mel, Jeremy, and Jordan.

Loved great-uncle.

Funeral details to be notified in future edition.



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DEATHS

LOCK, Alice Mary.

Passed away at Riverland General Hospital on Thursday 10 April, 2025.

Aged 90 years.

Wife of Carl (deceased).

Mother of Myra, Chris, and Carrie. Much-loved aunt of

James and Veronica Long and kindred spirit of Carol.

Will be sadly missed and forever in our hearts and memory.

A private gathering for Alice will be held.



REYNOLDS. Ruth Kay (nee Linke)

Passed away peacefully on 12 April, 2025 at Waikerie hospital, surrounded by her family.

Aged 82 years.

Partner of Len (deceased).

Loving mother and mother-in-law of Sharon.

Chis and Mark, Greg and Deb, Anne and Dudley.

Loved nanna of Tim and Shanette, Matt, Hannah and Scott (deceased), Jay (deceased), Thalia, Nick and Nellie,

Nanna Ruth of Kerry, Kellie, Jeremy, Shane, and their families.

Skye and Andrew.

Much-adored GG of Jasmine, Sophie, Bodee, Cora, Mackenzie, Pippa and Cleo, and adopted GG of Riley, Aurora and Andre.

Sincere thanks to all of her medical staff at both Waikerie Medical Centre and RAH. Nursing staff at Waikerie hospital and SA Ambulance staff for their care.

The family would also like to thank Country Health Connect, especially Kelly and the staff and residents at Warrawee Lodge, for their friendship and support of Ruth in the last 7 years.

DEATHS

REYNOLDS, Ruth

Passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on 12 April, 2025.

No gift on earth is greater, No treasure held above. The joy that comes from knowing, A mother's endless love. In spite of how it's tested, It grows from

year to year. Providing strength and comfort, It gently draws

us near. It warms and it protects us, And guides us from afar. Shedding light

upon us, Like a bright and shining star. And when all things are measured, Not one shall

rise above. Or be compared in value, To a mother's endless love.

Dearly loved mum and nanna of Anne and Dudley, Jay (deceased), Thalia, Skye and Andrew.

Adored GG of Bodee, Aurora, Andre and Cleo 💜

To our loving mum and nanna, Your life was full of loving deeds, Thoughtful to your family's needs, And always there to lend a hand, To those who were in need.

And though you're now gone, your spirit stays. guiding us through life's tough maze.

Remembering you will be easy, We'll do it every day. But missing you will be a heartache, That never truly goes away.

Love Chris, Mark, Matt, Hannah, Scotty (deceased), Nick and Janelle.

And your girls Cora, Mackenzie and Pippa 💙



DEATHS



ROSEWARNE, James Kenneth 'Ken'.

Passed away surrounded by family at Cogan Wing, Barmera on Monday 7 April, 2025.

Aged 91 years.

Loved husband and best friend of Joy (deceased).

Loving father and father-in-law of Lee and Craig, George and Teena, and Michael.

Loved grandfather of Chad and Steed; Hayden, Shaynee and Mitchell; Melissa, Tyson and Teylah.

Loving great-

grandfather to 11 great-grandchildren. His legend and legacy will live on

through all of us. THOMPSON, Robert

Passed away peacefully, surrounded by family at the Renmark hospital, on Sunday 13 April, 2025.

Aged 82 years.

Loved and loving husband of Shirley.

Loved dad of Michelle, Bronty, Clinton and their families.

> ~Forever in our hearts.~



FUNERALS

REYNOLDS, Ruth

Ruth's family and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral service to be conducted at the Waikerie Lutheran Church, Cates Avenue, Waikerie on Wednesday 23 April, 2025 at 11am.

In lieu of flowers if desired, a donation to Warrawee Lodge in Ruth's memory would be appreciated. Donations may be made at the service. At the conclusion of the service the cortege will proceed to the Waikerie cemetery for committal.



ROSEWARNE.

Family and friends of Ken Rosewarne are respectfully invited to attend his funeral service to be conducted entirely at the graveside in the Barmera Lawn Cemetery, McKenzie Road, Barmera on Thursday 24 April, 2025 at 2pm.



THOMPSON, Robert. Family and friends of

Mr Robert Thompson are respectfully invited to attend his funeral service to be conducted entirely at the Riverland Funerals Chapel, 231 Twentyfirst Street, Renmark on Tuesday 22 April, 2025 at 1pm, followed by a private cremation at the Riverland Crematorium.

In lieu of flowers if desired, a donation to tne Royai Flying Doctor Service in Robert's memory would be appreciated. Donations may be made at the



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LUETH, Madison

9/4/1999 -18/4/1999

They say that time's a healer, The pain will go away. But the pain we feel is so strong, We deal with it every day. We often sit and wonder. About you each and every day. And think about your bravery, As you fought so hard to stay. As the years continue on,

One thing remains so true. We will forever remember, And we will always love you.

"Too precious to be forgotten"

Always our angel.

Love Dad, Mum, Zane and Delaney

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PERRY, David.

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Department for

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NOTICE BOARD

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Catholic Church **UNITING CHURCH Mass Times**

Our Lady of the River Catholic Parish

Holy Thursday, 17 April Berri & Loxton 7pm Good Friday,

18 April Renmark & Barmera 3pm Waikerie 5pm

Holy Saturday Easter Vigil, 19 April

Berri 7pm Easter Sunday, 20 April

Morgan 9am Renmark 9am Loxton I Iam Waikerie Ham Barmera 6pm

Call 8586 2700

Church of Christ

1025 Old Sturt Highway Good Friday, 18 April 9am

Easter Sunday, 20 April I0am

Phone 0419 783 779 **All Welcome**

Anglican Church Riverland **Good Friday**

1.30pm - Renmark

Ecumencial "Way of the Cross" larrett Memorial Gardens (Next to St Augustine's)

3pm - Renmark Tenebrae Service for the seven Moments on Good Friday.

St Augustines Easter Sunday 19 April

6.30am - Renmark Sunrise Morning Prayer, arrett Memorial Gardens (Next to St Augustine's)

10.30am - Waikerie Eucharist St James

4pm - 6pm - Renmark Eucharist and BBQ St Augustine's

Contact: Fr. David Patterson 8586 3288

Ine Voice

Good Friday, 18 April 9am - İ 0am Easter Sunday,

20 April 9am - 10am 46 Bookpurnong Terrace, Loxton

Ps Red Elliott 0439 507 096 Ps Sheryl Giles 0423 884 002





Easter Sunday Divine Service

April 20 8:00 AM

Pinnaroo Lutheran Mission warmly invites vou to join us as we gather to rejoice in the resurrection of our Lord and Saviour. Jesus Christ.

Brown's Well Football and Netball Club West Terrace. Paruna SA 5311.

Following the service, we invite you to stay for breakfast: hot cross buns,

Children are welcome to participate in an Easter egg hunt after the service

bacon, and eggs.

"He is not here, for He has risen, as He said." — Matthew 28:6

PUBLIC NOTICES



The Loxton RSL Sub-Branch will conduct the annual ANZAC Day Dawn Service from

6:15 on Friday, 25th April, 2025 at the Cross of Sacrifice opposite the roundabout between Kokoda and Tobruk Terraces.

Afterwards, a Gunfire Breakfast at the RSL Hall.

Parties intending to lay a wreath are asked to advise the Secretary on 0473 364 881 before Tuesday, 22nd April, 2025

You're invited to the combined Inaugural 'RIVERLAND CHURCHES TOGETHER'

Psalm 133:1 "How good and pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity."

Sunday April 27th from 6:30pm at the Berri Town Hall.

Message by Ps. Craig Bailey A love offering will be taken for community projects (projects to be confirmed)

Bring a plate of sweet or savoury to share. All are welcome.



1.Lily 2.Lent 3.Germany 4.Colomba Pasquale 5.Easter bonnet 6.Buck 7.Italy **8.**17th century **9.**True **10.**Chile **11.**30 pieces 12. United Kingdom 13. Bilby 14. Washing clothes 15. Roast lamb 16. A crown of thorns 17. Raisins 18. Pancakes 19.Bermuda 20.Beatrix Potter

BONUS QUESTION ANSWER

(From last week): The Athenian tragedy 'Oedipus Rex' was written by Sophocles.

ROAD CLOSURE



SOUTH AUSTRALIA POLICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 33 ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1961

I, Christopher Drew Holland, Senior Sergeant First Class of Police, for, and on behalf of the Commissioner of Police, exercise the authority delegated by the Minister for Transport under Section 11 Road Traffic Act, and make the following order under Section 33 of the Act.

declare that the '2025 ANZAC Day Commemorative Service and Mid Morning march' is an event to which this section applies and that the following roads be closed to traffic between 5.00am and 1.00pm on Friday 25 April 2025:

Within the Renmark Paringa Council area: -

- Murray Avenue, Renmark between Renmark Avenue and Para Street.
- Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark between Renmark Avenue and Thurk Street.

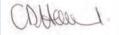
I direct that persons taking part in the '2025 ANZAC Day Commemorative Service and Mid Morning march' on the above roads be exempted from all Australian Road Rules relating to pedestrian behaviour on roads.

I also hereby authorise the Renmark Paringa Council or its agents and contractors to install and remove, or cause the installation and removal of necessary and appropriate traffic control devices for the conduct of this event.

I direct that the installation and removal of necessary and appropriate traffic control devices for the conduct of this event can only be performed by a person with work zone traffic management training.

All works to be undertaken must be done so in accordance with the "SA Standards for Workzone Traffic Management" (which calls up the Austroads Guide to Temporary Traffic Management and AS1742.3).

The permit holder must ensure that, a legible and complete copy of this Approval (as either a hard copy or electronic copy) is available at the event site at all times that workers are present and is immediately provided to an Authorised Officer upon request.



C.D. HOLLAND SS1C 36182 For and on behalf of COMMISSIONER OF POLICE 21 March 2025

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PUBLIC NOTICES

ADVICE TO BOAT OPERATORS

Navigation Restrictions Lock 3

Lock closed for 16 weeks from Monday 28 April 2025

On behalf of the Murray Darling Basin Authority, we are undertaking extensive essential maintenance on Lock 3 at Overland Corner This maintenance work is vital to ensuring the longevity of the lock structure

While this work is undertaken, vessels will be unable to navigate through Lock 3 and public access to the lock grounds will be restricted.

For further information please call River Murray Operations Berri office on (08) 7424 2488 or Lock 3 on (08) 8588 7005.



Government of South Australia







WAIKERIE ANZAC DAY MARCH ROAD CLOSURE

Pursuant to Council By Law No.5 of 2017

The District Council of Loxton Waikerie hereby exercises the power pursuant to Section 33 of the Road Traffic Act, 1961 and Clause "F" of the Instrument of General Approval of the Minister dated 12 March 2001 to:

(1) Pursuant to section 33 (1) of the Road Traffic Act 1961, hereby make an order directing that the following schedule of roads be closed to traffic between 7:00am and 10.00am on Friday 25 April 2025 for the 2025 Waikerie Anzac March.

Burns Street from Jemison Street to Lawrie Terrace Lawrie Terrace from McCoy Street Northern roundabout to Stanley Street Jemison Street from Burns Street to Cates Street

(3) Pursuant to Section 33 (1)(b) of the Road Traffic Act 1961, hereby make an order directing that persons taking part in the Event be exempted (in relation to the roads) from the duty to observe Australian Road Rules 230 and 238

> For further information contact Greg Perry 8584 8000 council@lwdc.sa.gov.au

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Of the Association will be held at the Renmark Paringa Council Chambers, Eighteenth St, Renmark.

Wednesday May 7th, at 4pm.

All members and interested persons are invited to attend.



POSITION VACANCY FULL TIME

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The successful applicant will have the following:

- Excellent customer service and communication skills,
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- Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA)
- · Positive and enthusiastic attitude
- Previous bottle shop experience (not a must)
- Forklift licence (not a must)

In this role you will:

- Deliver knowledgeable, friendly and engaging service to customers.
- Assist customers on liquor and wine selections
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TO APPLY

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https://www.berribarmera.sa.gov.au/your-council/employment

Applications close 12.00 noon on Monday 5 May 2025.

You can apply by sending a covering letter and resume to **recruitment@bbc.gov.au**. If you have any queries, please contact Abbey Durdin on 8582 1922.

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You'll need:

- Social Work Degree
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For more information & to apply: www.centacare.org.au/about/careers Applications close: 30 April 2025

Murray Pioneer

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WATER LICENSING OFFICER (POOL)

Department for Environment & Water Hills & Fleurieu (Adelaide),

Murraylands and Riverland (Berri), the Limestone Coast (Mount Gambier) regions

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The Water Licensing Officer is responsible for the effective administration of the licensing and permit provisions of relevant legislation, regulations, plans, policies and procedures. The Water Licensing Officer is responsible for processing, making determinations and providing recommendations regarding the eligibility of applications, the provision of timely and accurate information and advice to departmental customers and ensuring the objectives of the units work and business plans are achieved. The position also provides information and advice on the administration of the Landscape South Australia Act 2019, regulations and associated water management plans or policies to internal and external customers.: head to I Work for SA to read the role description and follow the instructions to apply. Applications will only be accepted through I Work for SA.

Initial enquiries to: Christine Fiebig (Manager, Customer Service & Regional Delivery); 0427 813 850; Christine.Fiebig@sa.gov.au

To apply and for more information visit the I WORK FOR SA website: www.iworkfor.sa.gov.au and search by vacancy number.

Applications close: 11pm, Tuesday 22 April 2025

The Department for Environment and Water is committed to building a diverse and inclusive workplace. We encourage applications from people with diverse backgrounds including all ages and gender identities, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, people with disability, culturally and linguistically diverse and

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Water safety operations during Easter weekend

RIVERLAND police will be increasing patrols across the Easter weekend, in a bid to reduce accidents and prevent unconsidered behaviour.

Back-to-back Easter and Anzac Day long weekends will see officers from South Australia Police (SAPOL) continue working with partner agencies as part of ongoing water safety operations, amidst the increase in people using waterways.

SAPOL's water operations unit senior sergeant Darian Leske said "we encourage the public to make the most of the warm weather and enjoy our waterways, but they must do so safely".

"Police will be working with our partner agencies to ensure everyone is acting responsibly while on the water, by detecting breaches of the Harbours and Navigation Act," Mr Leske said.

"We will be conducting safety equipment checks and random alcohol and drug testing of boat operators, observers and skiers, because as on land, a blood alcohol limit of 0.05 applies."

According to SAPOL's statistics, from 27 December to 3 February, Operation Riversafe saw 205 vessel checks by police alone, 204 alcohol tests, 115 drug tests, 28 cautions, eight expiations and six reports (four for positive drugs, two for prescribed concentration of alcohol).

In addition to having a road safety operation in place, SAPOL is also mindful avoidable water tragedies can occur when risks are taken.

"While South Australians are being asked to 'keep it sweet on the road' this Easter, let's also keep it sweet on the water," Mr Leske said.

"Alcohol or drugs and water don't mix. An incident at Mannum over the Australia Day long weekend is a prime example of this."

Failing to carry appropriate safe-

ty equipment, misuse of, or not carrying lifejackets, outdated flares, unregistered vessels and exceeding speed limits were the top five noncompliance issues among water users last Easter period.

Department for Infrastructure and Transport manager marine safety and compliance Gordon Panton said "it only takes a moment to put a lifejacket on, but not wearing one on the water when trouble strikes can cost your life in an instant".

"More than one third of the vessels we checked last Easter on coastal waters and at boat ramps were non-compliant," Mr Panton said

"People are reminded to check their lifejackets are to standard, fit well, and are in good working condition, that they are operating safely and keeping to speed limits around other water users, and they have the right safety equipment on board." Since 1 January, older standard lifejackets have no longer been acceptable to use, and jackets must now meet the AS 4758 standard.

Fisheries will also have an onwater and on-land presence across the entire state over the Easter and Anzac Day long weekends. and officers will be especially checking compliance with the no take zones for snapper over the period.

PIRSA acting general manager operations support Gary Darter said "we ask that fishers adhere to size and bag limits and fishing gear regulations and are encouraged to access the Rec Fishing App or the PIRSA website for further information."

- Other recommendations include:

 Let someone know where you're going and when you'll be back.
- ☐ Slow your vessel to four knots when near other boats, ramps, jetties, swimmers, surfaces and

the shore.

- ☐ Keep your keys in a safe location. Avoid hiding them in your car, caravan or boat.
- ☐ Remove fishing rods, tackle boxes and eskies from boats and trailers when not in use.
- ☐ Securely attach trailers and boats to a vehicle or a solid fixture when not in use.
- ☐ Be aware of water safety issues at the beach or at the river, including rips and currents, maritime safety and the dangers of marine life.
- ☐ Never leave valuable items unattended or under a beach towel. Use a watertight container or leave your items secured in your holiday home.

For more information on boating rules and regulations, visit the website (marinesafety.sa.gov.au).

Report any suspicious behaviour to SAPOL by calling 131 444.

Keeping the roads safe across South Australia

POLICE will deploy state-wide operations during the Easter Weekend, including in the Riverland, aiming to promote safe road behaviour and reduce fatalities.

Operation Safe Holidays will be deployed from Thursday 17 to 21 April, with a focus on the Fatal Five factors that lead to road trauma.

Murray Mallee local service area

superintendent Cynthia Healey said "people using local roads can expect a police presence ensuring safety in the region".

"During last year's Easter long weekend, police made around 80 speeding and 30 dangerous' driving detections in the Murray Mallee region," Supt Healey said.

"South Australia has some beautiful countryside. Take your time and enjoy it.

"If you're travelling this Easter, con-

sider the distance you need to travel by planning your rest stops and consider the weather conditions.

"Remember it's not about how quickly you can get to your destination, but the fact you'll make it alive."

During 2024, there were three lives lost and 18 serious injuries as a result of road trauma during the Easter long weekend on South Australian roads.





Hop into nature this Easter long weekend

RIVERLANDERS seeking to travel this Easter are encouraged to secure a holiday camping site as South Australia's national parks and reserves fill up.

While campsites in ever-popular sites including Deep Creek, Dhilba Guuranda-Innes and Ikara Flinders Ranges national parks are almost booked out, there are still spots available in other parks across the state including:

☐ Flinders Chase National Park.

☐ Coorong National Park.

☐ Vulkathunha-Gammon Ranges National

☐ Cape Gantheaume Conservation Park.

☐ Acraman Creek Conservation Park.

☐ Chadinga Conservation Park.
National Parks and Wildlife Service South

Australia tourism and commercial services director Mel Carson said whether you were looking for adventure, off-grid relaxation or a beach escape, there was a national park for you.

"Camping in, or visiting, one of our national parks is a great cost-effective way to enjoy nature this Easter," Ms Carson said.

"Last Easter we had 6418 campsite bookings across our network of national parks and reserves, with sites across 27 parks completely booked out.

"Make sure to go online soon and check availability so you don't miss out on a fantastic holiday."

To book at a national park or reserve campground, visit the website (parks.sa.gov. au).

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- Barmera Newsagency
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Round 6



Points margin in highlighted game:

Entries close Thursday 17 April, 4pm

Brisbane Lions	Collingwood	
North Melbourne	Carlton	
West Coast Eagles	Essendon	
Melbourne	Fremantle	
Adelaide Crows	GWS Giants	
Richmond	Gold Coast Suns	
Sydney Swans	Port Adelaide	
Western Bulldogs	St Kilda	
Geelong Cats	Hawthorn	
Name	 	
Address		
Phone	 	

Round 7



Points margin in highlighted game:

Entries close Thursday 24 April, 4pm

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Melbourne		Richmond	
Collingwood		Essendon	
Fremantle		Adelaide Crows	
St Kilda		Brisbane Lions	
Port Adelaide		North Melbourne	
GWS Giants		Western Bulldogs	
Gold Coast Suns		Sydney Swans	
Carlton		Geelong Cats	
Hawthorn		West Coast Eagles	
Name			
Address			
Phone			

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ROUND 5 RESULTS

Philip Lockyer	(8)36
Vicki Jones	(6)36
Les Webb	(7)35
Marlene Schultz	(7)35
Trevor Flint	(7)35
Jasmine Harris	(7)34
Robyn Raeder	(7)34
Bob Taylor	(7)34
Deb Griffiths	(7)34
Rosemary Campbell	

Dapinie Fonti	1)54
Dylan Petch(6)34
Caleb Hampel(6)34
Darren Schultz(8)33
Duani Vowles	8)33
Chloe Brown	7)33
Sam Koskinas	7)33
Gwen Webber	
Peter Wieckowski	

Clive Fisher.....(7)33

CONGRATULATIONS

TO OUR TOP TWO TIPSTERS

Archie Stoeckel & Brianka Harris

AND BONUS VOUCHER WINNERS

Melissa Greer & Tyson Lange

WEEKLY WINNERS

If there are more than two winning tipsters, then it will be decided by the points margin. Winners announced in Wednesday's edition. Voucher amounts may vary.

















RIVERLAND SAPSASA UPDALE

The Riverland's swimmiing team that competed in the 2025 SAPSASA carnival earlier this month. PHOTOS: supplied





THE Riverland swimming team has produced some amazing results recently at the SA Aquatic Centre. All swimmers were determined to perform in the 2025 SAPSASA carnival.

Collectively they rallied together with great team spirit and showcased their talents. These outstanding achievements resulted in Riverland taking third place for the day.

Well done to the following individuals on their medals, and to the Riverland relay teams who contributed to the six medals in all six relays.

2025 SAPSASA CARNI-**VAL MEDALS:**

Annie Hooper Gold: 50m Butterfly Gold: 50m Freestyle Gold: 50m Backstroke

Mercedes Sparrow Silver: 50m Freestyle

Clara Parotta

Bronze: 100m Freestyle Bronze: 50m Butterfly

Angus Milton Bronze: 50m Breaststroke

Gold: Girls Open Medley Relay Emilia Jabs - Backstroke Sharla Edwards - Breaststroke Clara Parotta - Butterfly

Zara Sampson - Freestyle

Bronze: Boys Open Medley Relay

Fred Waters - Backstroke Angus Milton - Breaststroke Noah Walkington - Butterfly Patrick Wyatt - Freestyle

Gold: 10/11 Girls Freestyle Relay Molly Schulz

Mercedes Sparrow Zara Gray Annie Hooper

Bronze: 10/11 Boys Freestyle Relay

Eddie Waters Marlon Brown Carter Goodhand Noah Walkington

Silver: 11/12 Girls Freestyle Relay

Clara Parotta Sharla Edwards

Lara Paull Zara Sampson

Silver: 11/12 Boys Freestyle Relay

Fred Waters Jameson Buzza Alcide Morelli Patrick Wyatt

A special mention to Abigail Sims and Nikita Seekamp, who both displayed the ultimate commitment to the Riverland team. They travelled to Adelaide to support the swimmers after some late relay changes.

Thank you to all of the parents and grandparents for your support with attendance at the swimming trainings and the SAPSASA carnival.

It was great to have Mic Kassebaum on pool deck again in 2025 as coach, and the team thank him for his guidance and passion for their sport.

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RIVERLAND GOLF

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SUNDAY 6 APRIL - MIXED STABLEFORD

S. Dawson 44, T. Allder 41, S. Polst 41, H. Banks 38, T. Edwards 38. M. Ubhey 31

WEDNESDAY 9 APRIL MIXED STABLEFORD

L. Berry (from Berri GC) 38, M. Ubhey 38, T. Wood 37, P. Frahn (from Berri GC)37, R. Nagy (from Berri GC) 36, E. van Hensbergen 36, J. Kelly 36, D. Zeliff (from Berri GC), 36 J. Maschotta 35, C. Gladwin 35, L. Krollig 34, B. Finn 34, C. BERRY (from Berri GC) 34, G. Levson (from Berri GC) 34. R. Wurth 34 G Walsh 34 THURSDAY 10 APRIL LADIES STABLEFORD

S. Rogers 33, S. Thomas 30, K. Jericho 29, S. Smith-Allen 28. S. Dawson 27.

SATURDAY 12 APRIL STABLEFORD DON WALKER MEMORIAL

R. Swanbury 39, P. Butterworth 38, J. Bobilak 37, P. Ivanovic 36, S. Jericho 36.

H. Hallam 34, N. Kelly 34, I. Girdler 34, N. Henschke 34, B. Poole 34, B. Mudge 33, L. Rasheed 33, T. Wood 33, M. Rumball 33, D. Hodgson 33, B. Whitehead 33.

SUNDAY 13 APRIL ROLLBUSCH QUALITY MEATS RUMP AND ROAST 4 PERSON AMBROSE

1 P. Efthimiou / H. Banks / S. Jericho / D. Joshua

2 B. Uren / J. Millington / P. Butterworth / W. Cowling

- 3 M. Tyler / S. Grein / L. Shearer / D. Tyler 58.12 4 T. Pontt / C. Pontt / B. Rollbusch / B. Victor 58.5 5 P. Keane / S. Thomas / A. Threadgold / L. Krollig
- 6 T. Wood / B. Lieven / J. Kanyi / M. Ubhey 59.87 7 C. Cassell / C. Langford / S. Harris /J. Cassell 60.25 8 G. Abdulla (Jnr) / M. Rigney / M. Abdulla / M. Rigney 60.87
- 9 D. Hodgson / T. Graetz / G. Millard / N. McPherson

10 H. Hallam / Hallam / J. Butson / S. Hallam 61.12 11 N. Schmidt / S. Rigney / J. Martin 61.17

12 J. Maschotta / T. Hocking / J. Nixon / M. Winen 62 13 C. Harman / Y. Reynolds / J. Reynolds / P. Harman

14 J. Walker / M. Rudiger / B. Albrecht / M. Walker

62.12

15 N. Kelton / M. Jenke / S. Smith-Allen / J. Cowling 63.37 16 K. Moore / L. Smith / S. Minns / C.

Watkins 67

LOXTON

WEDNESDAY 9 APRIL

Men - E. O'Callaghan 36, D. Unferdorben 35, N. Andonopoulos 34, P. Harman 34, R. Gray 33, B.

Skinner 33, B. Rollbusch 32, S. Semmler 32, A. Hume 32, K. Martin 32, J. Reynolds 32, S. Patching 31, P. Everingham 31, O. Walkley 31, H. Kara-Ali 31 Women - M. Thomson 36, J. Ling 35, Y. Reynolds 31, B. Rollbusch 30, Y. Tatt 30.

SATURDAY 12 APRIL

Men A - N. Harman 43, A. Pfeiler 41, S. Palat 41, J. Goldsworthy 36, H. Kara-Ali 36, A. Lodge 36, M. Pannell 35, D. Unferdorben 34, D. Tyler 34, K. Martin 34, P. Richardson 33, P. Harman 32, M. Maczkowiack

Men B - J. Newmann 39, K. Wagnitz 36, S. Mills 35, M. Menz (Barmera) 35, M. Cash 35, B. Skinner 34, P. Andison 34, J. Reynolds 33, R. Wooldridge 32, O. Walkley 30, G. Polymiadis 30, P. Rohrlach 30, B. McCleary 30.

Women - A. Gray 39, J. Bullock 35, J. Sawade 35, L. Shearer 34, S. Grein 34, M. Thomson 34, S. Pannell 34, Y. Reynolds 31, J. Patching 29.

Junior fix for two-timing RFLW

RIVERLAND officials hope a focus on junior numbers - including an under 13 competition – will help rebuild senior women's football, as locals prepare for a two-team senior competition in 2025.

Just a few years after a five-team competition was staged, dwindling players numbers have seen the 2025 season reduced to just eight scheduled matches – all between Barmera-Monash and Berri.

RFL president Bruce Gehling said all options were on the table before the current fixture was adopted.

They included a combined RFLW (RFL Women) team or teams joining the Barossa Light and Gawler League, a three-team RFLW competition with one 'combined' team, and a four-team competition with reduced numbers, such as nine-a-side.

"All of these options were discounted for a number of reasons, but mainly the small and inconsistent number of available players," Mr Gehling told The Murray Pioneer.

"Obviously a two-team competition is not the ideal scenario, but with the available RFLW senior players in 2025, the two-team competition - supported by players from all RFL clubs - was seen as the only way for girls to play in a senior girls competition in

"The other option was to disband the RFLW senior competition, but this was not seen as being in the best interests (of) future growth of women's football in the Riverland."

Instead, focus will turn to growing junior numbers in the Riverland, with the aim of ultimately creating senior sustainability.

"The RFL is working on a revised women's football strategy where it is highlighted that senior women's numbers are challenging and focuses on a junior RFLW program, Mr Gehling said.

"We need a senior RFLW competition for the juniors to have a senior pathway to aspire

"The plan for a girls' under 13 competition for 2025 is the first step."

Females from Loxton and Waikerie will be encouraged to play for Barmera-Monash this season, while those from Loxton North and Renmark will be encouraged to line up for Berri.

Mr Gehling said he hoped the sport would still be available for girls and women to play in the Riverland in five years' time.

"But there is a lot of work to do by parents, schools, RFL clubs and the RFL," he said.

Mr Gehling said the RFLW's lack of numbers was mirrored in many country sporting clubs and competitions.

"I wish I knew the specific answer and then we could easily fix the numbers challenge," he said.

'There are numerous challenges to all country sporting clubs at the moment, with factors such as cost-of-living and social pres-

"The RFLW is not alone having difficulty attracting player numbers. Many football associations and clubs have challenges attracting necessary player numbers and support staff in a range of age group and genderspecific teams.

"I believe that these problems are also being encountered by other sporting codes."

The 2025 RFLW season begins on Saturday 10 May when Barmera-Monash hosts Berri from 5.15pm.



THE Riverland Crows Supporters Group (RCSG) has had a busy start to April. Hopes and expectations are rising among Crows supporters after a strong start to the season from the Adelaide Football Club, and its players and fans are getting excited.

April has gotten off to a bang for the RCSG. Five intrepid travellers from the group joined members of the Fleurieu Crows Supporters group on a trip up to the beautiful Gold Coast on the 5th of April for a match against the Suns. All members had a fabulous time, meeting for dinner, exploring the coast and I raised the banner for the Crows before the game. Unfortunately the team couldn't come away with the win, but you couldn't remove the five smiles from our faces!

Also in April the RCSG had a successful bingo afternoon at the Palms Bingo, Sunday 6 April at the Berri Hotel. A huge thanks to all our members and others who were present.

Coming up on May 11 the Crows AFLW Team will be in the Riverland for two days. A dinner will be held, at the Barmera Club, at 6pm. This is a fantastic chance to come along for a meal, at your own cost, or just have a chinwag with some of the best footy players in the country. Bookings need to be made at the Barmera Club for dinner, on 8588 2025

The Crows players have continued their flying start to 2025, with a solid win over North Melbourne at Adelaide Oval, in round 3, propelling them into the top two. Unfortunately, the team just came up short in round 4, away to the Gold Coast Suns, by one point

Members are advised to keep an eye out for updates on upcoming screenings and club get-togethers through the club newsletter advising them of dates and venues. The RCSG group attending a game will also be updated.

All members are up and about, and onboard for a successful Crows year. But more importantly wishing the boys

Go you mighty Crows

- James MacCulloch





Waikerie's senior division 2 tennis team James Smith (back left), Ben Venning, Angelos Myer, Darcy Bald, Will Kroehn, Rob Smyth, Indy Venning (front left), Sarah Kroehn, Simone Ward, Amanda Hull and Hope Winter. PHOTOS: Supplied

Waikerie tennis success

THE Waikerie Tennis Club is celebrating one of its most-successful seasons in four years.

Club committee member Olga Myer said Waikerie entered five teams this year in the Riverland Tennis Competition.

She said three junior teams, Green 1, Green 3, Green 4, and the Senior Division Two team made it to the semi- finals.

Green 4 Waikerie were this year's Riverland tennis premiers for their division: Sid Goss, Hugh Thomson, Jacob Thiel, Lily Goss, and Harry Sutter.

PHOTO:

Lachlan Dand

The Junior Green 3, Junior Green 4 and Senior Division two teams all won a place to compete in the Riverland Tennis grand

The Junior Green 4 team were premiers in their division, and the Junior Green 3 team came runner-up in their division.

Waikerie's Senior Division Two team came runners-up against

Cobdogla in the Riverland Premiership for that divi-

Ms Myer said Waikerie was unable to enter a senior team for four years, and the club was thrilled with the success of their players in the 2024/2025 season.

Angelos Myer won the 2024/2025 Riverland Senior Division 2 trophy for most valuable male player.





Waikerie senior division 2 player Angelos Myer won the most valuable male player award in the Riverland senior two division.



Renmark Tintra Lawn Tennis Club president John Pick says a \$3000 ACP grant will support the purchase of equipment and maintenance. PHOTO: Madison Eastmond

Riverland clubs receive grassroots funding

MADISON EASTMOND and SEBASTIAN CALDERON

A POPULAR Riverland tennis club will be able to purchase new equipment and maintain its courts after successfully applying for state government funding.

Numerous Riverland sport and active recreation clubs, including the Renmark Tintra Lawn Tennis Club, will receive Active Club Program (ACP) funding, aiming to help drought-affected communities.

Renmark Tintra Lawn Tennis Club president John Pick said the funding would help boost the club's operations.

"It's really helpful (to receive this funding) for us, and other Riverland clubs who have been able to take advantage of this offer," Mr Pick said.

"It's a nice kick-along for not-for-profit voluntary clubs to keep going — the \$3000 can be well spent on lots of tennis balls, paint for lining, and lots of different things that are needed.

"It's very much appreciated."

Mr Pick said continuing to support the

development of junior tennis players in the area was a personal goal.

"Somebody once asked me 'what's more important, senior or junior teams, and where should you put your focus?'," he said.

"The best answer is both.

"To have a good program for juniors to progress to seniors is terrific, but if you haven't got a good focus on both, you're sure to implode.

"They're both equally important — it's the only way to have a club go forward."

Through the ACP, more than \$1.3m will be distributed to 565 recipients across South Australia, with nearly half of all grant recipients being based in regional or greater metropolitan areas, highlighting the grassroots benefits of the program across SA.

Minister for Recreation, Sport and Racing Emily Bourke said "we want to recognise the incredible work of grassroots clubs and get behind the staff and volunteers who keep them going".

"This program is one of the ways we are investing in clubs across the state so they can deliver initiatives that make a real impact within their communities," Ms Bourke said.

"Having access to better uniforms and equipment, providing further education and delivering an inclusive space for girls and women will help clubs meet local needs.

"Expanding this support to drought-affected areas is another vital measure to help the many South Australians doing it tough to stay active."

Other Riverland clubs benefitting from the grants are:

- Girl Guides South Australia Incorporated
- (Renmark and Barmera)
- ☐ Riverland Dinghy Club Incorporated
- ☐ Renmark Angels Softball and Baseball Club Incorporated ☐ Renmark Rowing Club Incorporated
- ☐ Renmark Paringa Pistol & Shooting Club
- Associate Member Incorporated ☐ Berri Basketball Association Incorporated
- ☐ Berri Bowling Club Incorporated
- ☐ Berri Football Club Incorporated
- ☐ Berri Netball Club Incorporated
- ☐ The Berri Hockey Club Incorporated
- ☐ Loxton Amateur Basketball Association Incorporated

- ☐ Loxton Hockey Club Incorporated
- ☐ Loxton Squash Club Incorporated
- ☐ Barmera Bowling Club Incorporated
- ☐ SSAA Barmera Pistol and Rifle Club Incorporated
- ☐ The Loxton Football & Sporting Club Incorporated
- ☐ The Loxton Golf Club Incorporated
- ☐ Waikerie Amateur Basketball Association Incorporated
- ☐ Brown's Well Cricket Club Incorporated
- ☐ Cadell Pistol Club Incorporated

Through the current round of the ACP, clubs with 100 or more members received \$3,000, while those with 20 to 99 members received \$1500.

An additional round of funding, the Drought Relief Round, will include \$2m in assistance for regional clubs impacted by drought to provide accessible and affordable ways for their community to stay active.

Regional sport and active recreation clubs can apply for the new Drought Relief Round when the initiative opens later this month.



The recent Rural Support Charity Match raised \$173,000 for South Australian farmers impacted by drought. PHOTO: supplied

Charity soccer game supports SA's farmers AWARENESS for the with monetary donations derful way to bring people

including in the Riverland, were highlighted in a recent charity soccer game.

The third annual Rural Support Charity Match took place earlier this month before the A-League Men's soccer match between Adelaide United and Sydney FC, at Coopers Stadium, in Adelaide.

The game saw the Pick a Local, Pick SA! team - comprising of growers, retailers and wholesalers - taking on a government team of ministers, parliamentarians, and government representatives

struggles of drought- by attendees matched dol- together and support our impacted farmers across SA, lar for dollar by the State hardworking producers.' Government.

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven said the initiative was "a great way for South Australians to support our state's primary producers".

"Our primary producers are facing challenging times; we are seeing drought conditions across the state, other adverse weather conditions, biosecurity issues and impacts globally," Ms Scriven said.

"The Rural Support Charity Match is a won-

Rural Business Support CEO Brett Smith said "donations from the Rural Support Charity Match will go directly to where they are needed most — covering everyday essentials and providing farming families with critical breathing space while they focus on what comes next".

Donations to the cause can also be made through the Rural Business Support Relief Fund.

For more information and to donate visit the website (ruralbusinesssupport.org.



The 2025 Mindarie-Halidon Cup meeting will be held on Sunday 14 September. PHOTO: Grant Schwartzkopff

Mindarie-Halidon Cup date confirmed

confirmed for the 2025 Mindarie-Halidon Cup meeting.

The meeting will be held at the Halidon Racecourse on Sunday 14 September, the day after the Riverland Football League grand final.

The Mindarie-Halidon Racing Club received confirmation of the date earlier this month from the sport's governing body, Racing SA.

A club spokesperson said it was now "all systems go", as planning for the meeting steps up a notch.

"We had our latest committee meet-

ing last week and there's plenty of enthusiasm and optimism about the 2025 meeting," the spokesperson said.

"Patrons will again see some oncourse improvements this year, with infrastructure upgrades that will make the race-day experience even better.

"It's a family-friendly day, featuring heaps of off-course activities, like fashions on the field and live music, plus of course the wonderful catering that racegoers have come to love."

The spokesperson also said the club was working on some "exciting" plans for the racing program, which is always highlighted by the 1800m Mindarie-Halidon Cup.

"We had great backing from the South Australian racing fraternity at last year's meeting, which attracted some of the best jockeys and trainers in the state," the spokesperson said.

"But we were also rapt by the support of the Riverland and Mallee communities, both before the meeting and on the day.

"We've had nothing but positive feedback about the 2024 event, and we're working hard to make the 2025 meeting even better."



round three of the Riverland Darts Association, the Cobdogla Eagles faced the Lake Leviathans in what could be described as the closest match of 2025.

The Eagles were able to come out on top, but had to reverse the scoreboard during the first round of singles, which was led by the Leviathans.

The second round saw the Eagles come back and level the score 6-6 before going into the doubles.

The doubles and final round was a tight match, with the Eagles claiming the win 8-7.

Eagle's Ray Stemp had low games of 16,19 and 24, and a high peg of 120, and teammate Jeff Broekers continued his good form with a high average of 20.48, and low games of 2-24 darts. Leviathans Broden May continued his brilliant form with low games of 17, 23, 24 darts and a 20.48 average.

Elsewhere, Waikerie Vipers were able to hold off the Lyrup Lionhearts with a 10–5 win, with Chris White being the best Vipers player with low games of 19 and 24. Lionhearts Steve Lockwood impressed with a high peg of 120, the highest of the night.

Monash Wanderers won over Lakeside Joey's 13-2, with Calib Martin being the pick of the Wanderers, with low games of 16, 23, 24 darts and an average of 22.46. Corey Wagner was best for Joey's with a high peg of 100.

R C Ones were able to overcome B.R.D.T, winning 15-0. R C Ones Lee Rasheed scored two 180, and a low game of 21 darts.

Cobby Eagles 8 (D. Parfitt 140

RESULTS

x 3, 125, 100, 4, R. Stemp 140 x 3, 121, 100 x 2. 120 peg out, J. Broekers 140 x 2, 125, 123, 116, 100 x 5, N. Peatey 123, 100, G. Dyer 121, C. Cassel 100 x 2, A. Sostegni 100) d Lake Leviathans 7 (B. May 140, 125 x 2. 120, 100 x 6, J. Lindsey 140, 125, 100 x 6, T. Collins 140, 125, 100 x 4, B. Springall 140 x 2, B. Martin 115, 100) Waikerie Vipers 10 (C. White 140, 121 x 3, 100 x 5, M. McDonnald 135, 120 x 2, 100 x 6, D. McClelland 135, 119, 100, M. Court 128, 121, J. Twigden 100 x 2, C. White 100) d Lyrup Lionhearts 5 (J. Francis 140, 121, 100 x 2, S. Lockwood 133, 121, 120, 100 x 2, 120 peg out, D. Crack 120, 116, 100 x 6, D. Roessel 123, N. Loffler 105, R. Burgess 100 x 3). Monash Wanderers 13 (C. Martin 140 x 5, 135, 125, 121, 115, 100 x 4, K. Hayes 125, 100, J. Willett 121 x 2, 100 x 4, D. Martin 156, M. Hayes 117, W. Bonham 100 x 3) d Lakeside Joeys 2 (C. Wagner 140, 132, 125, 121, 100, 100 peg out, K. Kenefick 140, 105, B. Kenefick 133, D. Strother 129). R C Ones 15 (L. Rasheed 180 x 2, 140, 100 x 4, W. Schwartzkopff 140, 123, N. Flack 140, 102, 100 x 6, B. Pallat 115, T. Stoneham 100) d B.R.D.T nil (L. Lihou 107, T. Josephs 106, A. Kennedy 100).



Berri and Barmera-Monash are set to play out a two-team RFLW competition this year. FILE PHOTO



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WEDNESDAY APRIL 16

ABC TV [CH2]

- 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Four Corners. (R)
- **10.45 Q+A**. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 National Press
- **Club Address.** Media Watch. (PG, R)
 Restoration Australia: Keera
 Vale, NSW. (PG, R) 1.35 2.00
- 2.55 Back Roads. (PG, R) 3.25 **Grand Designs New**
- Zealand. (R) 4.10 Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 5.00 A Bite To Eat With Alice.
- Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce. (R)
- 6.25 Federal Election Announcement. (R)
- 6.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R) **Federal Election**
- Announcement. (R)
- 7.00 **ABC News.** 7.30 7.30.
- Australia Votes: Leaders' 8.00 **Debate.** Coverage of the 2025 leaders' debate.
- 9.00 **Insiders: Debate Analysis** Special. A panel analyses the leaders' debate.
- 9.30 The Weekly With Charlie **Pickering.** A satirical news program. (PG)
- 10.00 Fresh Blood: Westerners. New Series. (M)
- 10.30 Planet America. 11.05 Mayfair Witches. (MA15+, R)
- 11.50 ABC Late News.
- 12.05 The Business. (R) **12.25** In Limbo. (M, R)
- 1.20 **Grand Designs New** Zealand, (R)
- Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 2.10
- **Rage.** (MA15+) 2.55 **Parkinson In** 3.25
- Australia. (PG, R)
- **Gardening Australia.** (R)

6.00 Children's Programs. 2.40

5.30 7.30. (R)

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

Ready Eddie Go! 2.45 Fizzy And Suds. 3.00 Play School. 3.30 Wiggle. 3.40 Mecha Builders. 3.55 Andy's Prehistoric Adv. **4.10** Kiri And Lou. 4.15 Millie Magnificent. 4.25 Builder Brothers Dream Factory. 4.40 Vida The Vet. **4.50** Bluey. **5.00** Peppa Pig. 5.10 Pfffirates. 5.20 Kangaroo Beach. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 PJ Masks Power Heroes. **6.15** Bluey. 6.25 Octonauts: Above And Beyond. 6.35 Hey Duggee. 6.40 Kiri And Lou. 6.45 Ben And Holly. 7.00 Supertato. **7.05** Dino Dex. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. 7.35 Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. 7.50 The Inbestigators. 8.05 Operation Ouch! 8.35 BTN Newsbreak. 8.40 Abbott Elementary. (PG) 9.25 Doctor Who. (PG) 10.55 Merlin. (PG) 11.40 MythBusters "There's Your Problem!". (PG) 12.05 Late Programs.

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

6.00 Children's Programs. 7.10 We Bare Bears. (PG) 7.20 My Little Pony. (G) **7.40** Miraculous. (PG) **8.05** Total DramaRama. (G) 8.15 Teen Titans Go! (PG) 8.25 Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) 8.45 The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 9.10 Miraculous. (G) 9.30 One And Guess **9.55** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! (G) **10.15** We Bare Bears. (PG) 10.35 Total Drama Island. (PG) 11.10 My Family. (PG) 11.40 Breeders. (M) 12.05 Gavin & Stacey. (M) 12.35 Heartbreak High. (PG) **2.05** ER. (M) **2.50** QI. (PG) **3.20** Doctor Who. (PG) **4.05** Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4.40 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) 7.00 My Family. (PG) 7.30 QI. (M) 8.00 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8.30 Mayfair Witches. (M) 9.20 Friday Night Dinner. (M) **9.45** ER. (M) **10.30** Breeders. (M) 10.55 Rage. (MA15+) 11.55 Movie: Syriana. (2005) (MA15+) 2.00 Late Programs.

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

- 6.00 Sunrise. The Morning Show. The latest news and views. (PG)
- 12.00 Seven's National
- News At Noon. **Movie: Darrow And Darrow:** 1.00 **Body Of Evidence. (2018)** Kimberly Williams-Paisley, Tom Cavanagh. A lawyer reinvestigates a murder case. (PG, R)
- Beat The Chasers UK. Presented by Bradley Walsh. (R)
- 4.00 Seven News At 4. The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.
- 6.00 Seven News.
- **Home And Away.** Kirby crosses a line. (PG)
- 7.30 The 1% Club UK. Lee Mack hosts a game show where contestants must answer increasingly obscure questions. (PG, R)
- 8.30 The Front Bar. Hosts Sam Pang, Mick Molloy and Andy Maher take a lighter look at all things AFL. (M)
- 9.30 Unfiltered. Hosted by Hamish McLachlan. (PG)
- 10.00 The Stevenson Experience: Stranger Twins. Comedy duo The Stevenson Experience bicker their way through songs, razor sharp stand-up and banter. (MA15+)
- 11.30 Autopsy USA: Dick Clark. Examines the 2012 death of Dick Clark. (M, R)
- 12.30 Midnight Texas. Manfred tries to help one of his new neighbours. (MA15+)
- 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) **NBC Today.** News and
 - current affairs.
- **Sunrise Early News.**
- 5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 Shopping. 6.30 Escape To The Country. 7.30 Harry's Practice. 8.00 Million Dollar Minute. 9.00 Medical Emergency. (PG) 9.30 NBC Today. 12.00 Better Homes And

Gardens. (R) 1.00 Escape To The Country. (R) 2.00 Sydney Weekender. (R) 2.30 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R)

- 3.30 Harry's Practice. (R) 4.00 Medical Emergency. (PG, R) 4.30 Better Homes And Gardens. (R)
- 5.30 Escape To The Country. (R) 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Heartbeat. (PG, R) 8.45 Lewis. (M, R)
- 10.45 Law & Order: UK. (M, R) 11.45 Bargain Hunt. (R) 12.45 My Greek Odyssey. (PG, R)
- 2.00 Harry's Practice. 2.30 Medical Emergency. (PG) **3.00** Better Homes. 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. 5.00 My Greek Odyssey. (PG)

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6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) 7.00 My Fishing Place. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** Drag Racing. NDRC Top Fuel Championship. Round 4. Highlights. **9.00** Deadliest Roads. (PG) **10.00** Mountain Men. (PG) 11.00 Storage Wars (PG) 11.30 American Pic (PG) 12.30 Pawn Stars. (PG) 1.30 Outback Truckers. (PG) 3.30 Duck Dynasty. (PG) 4.00 Mountain Men. (PG) 5.00 American Resto. (PG) 5.30 Storage Wars. (PG) 6.00 American Pickers. (PG) 7.00 Pawn Stars. (PG) **7.30** Highway Patrol. (PG) 8.30 The Force: BTL. (PG) 9.30 World's Wildest Police Videos. (M) 11.30 Police Strike Force. (M) 12.30 Storage Wars. (PG) 1.00 American Pickers. (PG) 2.00 American Resto. (PG) 2.30 Pawn Stars. (PG) 3.00 World's Wildest Police Videos. (M) **5.00** Big Shrimpin'. (PG)

NINE [CH9, 8]

- 6.00 Today. Today Extra. A mix of topical 9.00 issues. (PG)
- 11.30 9News Morning. 12.00 Movie: Finding Love In Saint Lucia. (2023) Brooke Burfitt, Philip Boyd. An ornithologist and a journalist partner up. (PG)
- 2.00 Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG)
- Tipping Point. Hosted by
- Ben Shephard. (PG, R)

 9News Afternoon. **Tipping Point Australia.** 5.00 Hosted by Todd Woodbridge. (PG)
- 6.00 Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by 6.00 9News. Grant Denyer.

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2.30 Lingo.

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6.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 7.00

Bad Chef. (R) **8.00** The Bold And

The Beautiful. (PG, R) **8.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **9.00** Lingo. (R) **10.00**

Entertainment Tonight. (R) 10.30

The Dog House Australia. (PG, R)

11.30 Judge Judy. (PG, R) **12.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. **12.30** Family

Feud. (PG, R) **1.00** 10 News First:

Neighbours. (PG) The Bold And The

Beautiful. (PG)

10 News First.

day's news.

Lunchtime. 2.00 Wheel Of Fortune.

10 News First: Afternoon.

The Project. A look at the

The Dog House Australia. Laura needs a dog to ease

her loneliness but a staffy

might be too much for her.

agrees to a puppy. (PG)

8.40 Elsbeth. A party girl wakes

The Woodcock family finally

up on Halloween after a wild night on the town afraid

she may have committed murder. (M)
9.40 NCIS: Origins. The team

Neighbours. (PG, R) 7.30 Good Chef

- 7.00 A Current Affair. The Hundred With 7.30 Andy Lee. Comedy panel show. (PG)
- 8.30 The Grand Tour. Richard Hammond, Jeremy Clarkson and James May head to Loch Ness in Scotland. (M, R)
- Wild Cards. Max and Ellis go behind the scenes of a vampire TV show when a stalker sends cryptic death threats to the cast. (M)
- 10.50 9News Late.
- 11.20 The Equalizer. McCall helps a man with amnesia. (MA15+, R) 12.10 Next Stop. A look at holiday
- destinations. 12.40 Tipping Point. Hosted by
- Ben Shephard. (PG, R) **TV Shop: Home** Shopping. (R)
- 2.30 Global Shop. (R) TV Shop: Home
- Shopping. (R) Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PG) 4.00
- A Current Affair. (R)
- **Today Early News.** 5.00
- 5.30 Today.

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6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) 7.00 Creflo. (PG) 7.30 Skippy.

8.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 10.30 Pointless. (PG, R) 11.30 My Favorite Martian. (R) 12.00 Dales For Sale. (R)

1.00 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 1.30 Movie: The Moonraker. (1958) (G, R)

- 3.15 Movie: They Who Dare. (1954) (G, R)
- 5.30 Yorkshire Auction House. (R) 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 7.30 Yes, Prime Minister. (R) 8.30 Midsomer Murders. (M, R) 10.30 The Closer. (M, R)
- 11.30 See No Evil. (M, R) 12.30 My Favorite Martian. (R) 1.00 Creflo Dollar Ministries. (PG, R) 1.30 Movie: They Who Dare.
- 3.40 Gideon's Way. (PG, R) 4.35 Antiques Roadshow. (R)
- **5.00 Yorkshire Auction House.** (R)

6.00 Pokémon Horizons: The Search

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(1954) (G, R)

For Laqua. 6.30 Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **7.00** Barbie: Dreamhouse Adventures. 7.30 The Actually Really Very Difficult Show. **8.00** The Nanny. **9.00** Bewitched. **9.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. 10.00 Seinfeld. 11.00 Speeders. 12.00 Movie: My Super Ex-Girlfriend. (2006) 2.00 The Golden Girls. 2.30 The Nanny. 3.30 Seinfeld. 4.30 The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. 5.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 6.00 The Golden Girls. 6.30 The Nanny. 7.30 Seinfeld. 8.30 Movie: The Terminator. (1984) 10.40 Ghost Hunters. 11.40 The O.C. 12.35 Love Island UK. 1.40 Supernatural. 3.30 The Addams Family. 4.00 Teen Titans Go! 4.30 LEGO Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. 4.50 Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens. 5.10 Bakugan. 5.30 Pokémon.

- investigates when the evidence room is broken into and significant cash goes missing. Lala opens up to Gibbs. Kowalski struggles to move forward. (M)
- 10.40 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather. The Project. A look at the

news and talk show.

- day's news. (R) 12.05 The Late Show With
- Stephen Colbert. (PG) Home Shopping. (R) CBS Mornings. Morning

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

6.00 GCBC. 6.30 Everyday Gourmet. **7.00** Drew Barrymore. (PG) **8.00** Wheel Of Fortune. 8.30 Ent. Tonight. **9.00** Neighbours. (PG) **9.30** Bold. (PG) 10.00 Family Feud. (PG) 10.30 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 11.30 Deal Or No Deal. 12.00 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 1.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 2.00 Becker. (PG) 2.30 Frasier. (PG) 3.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 4.00 GCBC. **4.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **5.00** Becker. (PG) 5.30 Frasier. (PG) 6.30 Neighbours. (PG) 7.00 Friends. (PG) 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) 9.00 Big Bang. (M) 9.30 Big Bang. (PG) 10.00 Becker. (PG) 10.30 Frasier. (PG) 11.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 12.00 King Of Queens. (PG) 12.30 Ent. Tonight. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 South Park. (MA15+) 2.00 Shopping. 2.30 Bold. (PG) 3.30 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 4.30 Shopping.

10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

6.00 Home Shopping. (R) 8.00 What's Up Down Under. (PG, R) 8.30 Navigating The World. (R) 9.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R)

10.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 11.30 JAG. (PG, R) 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R)

4.30 JAG. (PG, R) 7.30 NCIS. Gibbs and the team assist Ziva with "the one thing" she said she would need to take care of before finally being reunited with

her family. (M, R) 10.30 The Weekly Kick-Off. A panel discusses Australian soccer news. 11.00 Fire Country. The crews are called to a backfire. (M. R) 11.55 Jake And The Fatman. (PG. R)

12.50 Home Shopping. (R) 2.20 NCIS. (M, R) 3.15 JAG. (PG, R)

SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. **6.30** Al Jazeera. 7.00 BBC News At Six. 7.30 France 24 English News. 8.00 DD India News Hour. 9.00 Destination Flavour. (R) 9.10 Curious Traveller. (R) 10.10 Matched. (PG, R) 11.00 Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. (R) 12.00 BBC News At Ten. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 Dateline. (R) 2.30 Insight. (R) 3.30 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 3.40 Plat Du Tour. (R) 3.45 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) 4.15 Mystery Of The Ark Of Covenant. (PG, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

- 6.00 Mastermind Australia. Presented by Marc Fennell.
- 6.30 **SBS World News.**
- Alone Australia. The 7.30 survivalists' race to catch a wallaby and procure muchneeded protein is on. (M)
- 8.40 The Handmaid's Tale. June struggles to save her loved ones. Commander Lawrence welcomes diplomats to New Bethlehem. Aunt Lydia searches for Janine. (MA15+)
- 10.20 SBS World News Late. 10.50 My Brilliant Friend. Elena embraces the feminist cause. (M, R)
- My Brilliant Friend. Elena 1.00 rushes to Naples. (MA15+, R)
- 1.55 My Brilliant Friend. Elena's doubts about Pietro grow. (M, R)
- **Inside The Modelling** 3.15 **Agency: December.** (PG, R)
- 4.10 Bamay. (R)
- Bamay. (R) 4.35
- Poh & Co. Bitesize. (R) **NHK World English** 5.00
- News Morning.
- **ANC Philippines The** 5.30 World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.50 News. **7.20** FBC News. **7.55** France 24 Feature. 8.10 ABC America Nightline. 8.40 CBC The National. 9.30 BBC News At Six. 10.00 The Movie Show. (M) 12.00 France 24 English News. 12.30 Hoarders. (M) 2.05 Queer Sports. (PG) 3.15 The Weekly Football Wrap. 3.45 News. 3.50 BBC News At Ten. 4.20 ABC World News Tonight. 4.45 PBS News. 5.45 History's Crazy Rich Ancients. (PG)

6.10 Mysteries From Above. **7.05 Jeopardy!** (R) 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does

Al Jazeera.

Countdown. (M, R) 8.30 Movie: Body Of Lies. (2008) (MA15+, R)

10.50 Movie: Moneyball. (2011) (M, R) 1.15 Letterkenny. (M, R) 2.50 NHK World English News. 5.00

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

6.00 All Roads Lead To Rome. (2015) (PG, R) 7.45 Mary And The Witch's Flower. (2017) (PG, R)

9.40 The Glassworker. (2024) (Urdu, PG, R)

11.30 The Promise. (2016) (M, R) 55 Murder Party (French, PG, R) **3.50 The Last Wave. (1977)** (PG, R)

5.50 Sun Children. (2020) (Farsi, PG, R) 7.40 6 Days. (2017) Mark Strong.

Gunmen invade the Iranian embassy. (M, R) 9.30 The Girl With The Dragon

Tattoo. (2009) Michael Nyqvist. A journalist and a hacker explore a mystery. (Swedish, MA15+, R) 12.15 Dead Man Down. (2013)

(MA15+, R) 2.25 The Handmaid's Tale. (1990) (MA15+, R)

4.25 Coalesce. (2020) (M, R)

THURSDAY APRIL 17

ABC TV [CH2]

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Foreign Correspondent. (R)

10.30 Back Roads. (R) 11.00 Restoration Australia. (R)

12.00 ABC News At Noon. **1.00 Sherwood**. (M, R) Restoration Australia: Holowiliena, South 2.00

Australia. (R) 3.00 Back Roads. (R) **Grand Designs New** Zealand. (R)

4.15 Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 5.00 A Bite To Eat With Alice. Antiques Roadshow. Hosted

by Fiona Bruce. (R)

6.30 Hard Quiz. Presented by Tom Gleeson. (PG, R)

6.55 **Federal Election** Announcement. (R) 7.00 **ABC News.** 7.30. Presented by Sarah 7.30

Ferguson. 8.00 Restoration Australia: Orange Edwardian. A couple restore an Edwardian fixer

upper. (PG) 9.00 Grand Designs Australia: Fish Creek. Hosted by Anthony Burke. (R)

9.55 **Bill Bailey's Wild West** Australia: Far South. Bill Bailey explores WA. (PG, R) 10.45 ABC Late News.

11.00 The Business. Presented by Alicia Barry. (R)

11.20 Darby And Joan. Jack and Joan investigate a poisoning. (M, R)

12.05 Grand Designs New Zealand. (R)

12.50 Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 1.35 **Rage.** (MA15+)

3.15 Parkinson In Australia. (PG, R)

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

Gardening Australia. (R)

6.00 Children's Programs. 3.40

5.30 **7.30.** (R)

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

6.00 Sunrise. News, sport and weather.

The Morning Show. The 9.00 latest news and views. (PG) 12.00 Seven's National

News At Noon. Movie: Murder, She Baked: A Chocolate Chip Cookie Mystery. (2015) Alison Sweeney, Cameron

Mathison. A baker pursues a

killer. (PG, R) The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)

4.00 Seven News At 4. The Chase Australia. Hosted 5.00 by Larry Emdur.

6.00 Seven News.

Football. AFL. Round 6. Brisbane Lions v Collingwood. From the Gabba, Brisbane.

10.00 AFL Post-Game Show. Post-game discussion and interviews taking a look back at all the action from the game.

10.30 Kick Ons. Kane Cornes, Josh Jenkins and Jason Richardson debate the hottest topics and preview the upcoming AFL matches.

11.00 The Chernobyl Disaster: Fallout. Looks at the containment of Reactor 4. (M, R)

12.00 Emergency Call. A mother calls for help. (M, R)

Harry's Practice. Information about pet care. (R)

Travel Oz. A look at holiday destinations. (PG, R) Home Shopping. 2.00

NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 **Sunrise Early News.** The latest news, sport

and weather.

5.30 Sunrise.

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG)

11.30 9News Morning. 12.00 The Hundred With Andy Lee. (PG, R)

Getaway. (PG, R) My Way. Julia Busuttil 1.30 Nishimura heads to north Queensland. (R)

2.00 Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG)

Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R) 9News Afternoon.

4.00 Tipping Point Australia. 5.00 Hosted by Todd Woodbridge. (PG, R)

police units. (M, R)

Emergency. Doctors

in after having been beaten with a baseball bat and bitten. (M, R)

10.30 My Feet Are Killing Me.

11.50 Tipping Point. Hosted by

12.40 Pointless. Presented by

TV Shop: Home

Global Shop. (R)

TV Shop: Home

Shopping. (R) Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PG)

A Current Affair. (R)

Today Early News.

Shopping. (R)

Ben Shephard. (PG, R)

dancer. (M)

11.20 9News Late.

RBT. Follows the activities of

Jonathan Papson and Emma

lose his crushed arm. (M, R)

Infirmary, a man is brought

Dr Schaeffer helps a ballet

Alexander Armstrong. (PG, R)

A+E After Dark. At Hull Royal

West worry a mechanic might

6.00 9News.

7.30

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1.30

2.30

4.00

5.00

5.30 Today.

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7.00 A Current Affair.

11.30 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 12.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. 12.30 Family Feud. (PG, R) 1.00 10 News First: Lunchtime. 2.00 Wheel Of Fortune. 2.30 Lingo.

6.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 7.00

Neighbours. (PG, R) **7.30** Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) **8.00** The Bold And

The Beautiful. (PG, R) **8.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **9.00** Lingo. (R) **10.00**

Entertainment Tonight. (R) 10.20

The Dog House Australia. (PG. R)

10 News First: Afternoon. 3.30 Neighbours. (PG) The Bold And The 4.00 4.30

Grant Denyer.

The Project. The hosts and

the day's news, events and

TV fanatics open up their

reactions to popular and

Taskmaster Australia.

Comedians must make

topical TV shows.

unveiling. (M)
9.40 Law & Order: SVU. An

charges. (M, R)

day's news. (R)

12.05 The Late Show With

living rooms to reveal their

their wishes come true. The

Taskmaster is truly confused

by Waka's unsophisticated

assault in the street leads

news, sport and weather.

Stephen Colbert. Hosted by

10.40 10's Late News. Coverage of

Stephen Colbert. (PG)

news and talk show.

Home Shopping. (R)
CBS Mornings. Morning

11.05 The Project. A look at the

Carisi to pursue hate crime

hot topics. **Gogglebox Australia.**

guest panellists take a look at

Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

6.30

7.30

8.30

TEN [CH10,5]

SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. **6.30** Al Jazeera. 7.00 BBC News At Six. **7.30** France 24 English News. **8.00** DD India News Hour. **9.00** Destination Flavour. (R) 9.10 Curious Traveller. (R) 10.10 Matched. (PG, R) 11.00 Food Markets. (R) 12.00 BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight. **12.55** PBS News. **1.55** Alone Australia. (M, R) **3.00** Going Places. (R) 3.30 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 3.40 Plat Du Tour. (R) 3.45 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **4.15** Mystery Of Blackbeard's Lost Treasure. (PG, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by

Presented by Marc Fennell. 6.30 **SBS World News.**

6.00 Mastermind Australia.

The Secret DNA Of Us: 7.30 Bairnsdale. New Series. Marc Fennell visits Bairnsdale. (PG)

8.35 Sydney's Super Tunnel: Testing Times. With 30 kilometres of tunnelling finished, it's time to start building railway stations, laying tracks and testing driverless trains. (PG)

9.35 Virdee. Harry relives a trauma from his past. (MA15+)

10.45 SBS World News Late. Breaking Point. Lorenz's past catches up with him. (MA15+)

12.05 Blinded. (MA15+, R) 1.50 **Desperate Measures.** Simmons interrupts Rowan. (M, R)

Could Hitler Have Been 3.30 Stopped? (PG, R)

4.20 Bamay. (R)

Destination Flavour Down 4.50 Under Bitesize. (R)

NHK World English News Morning.
ANC Philippines The 5.30

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 Shopping. **6.30** Escape To The Country. **7.30** Harry's Practice. **8.00** Mecha Builders. 3.55 Andy's Prehistoric Adv. 4.10 Kiri Ánd Lou. Million Dollar Minute. 9.00 Medical **4.15** Millie Magnificent. **4.25** Builder Emergency. (PG) **9.30** NBC Today. **12.00** Better Homes. **1.00** Escape To Brothers Dream Factory. 4.40 Vida The Vet. **4.50** Bluey. **5.00** Peppa Pig. **5.10** Pfffirates. **5.20** Kangaroo The Country. 2.00 South Aussie With Beach. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 Cosi. (PG, R) 2.30 My Impossible House. (PG, R)
3.30 Harry's Practice. (R)
4.00 Better Homes And Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 Bluey. **6.25** Octonauts: Above And Beyond. 6.35 Hey Duggee. 6.40 Kiri And Lou. Gardens. (R) 5.00 Escape To The Country. (R) 6.45 Ben And Holly. 7.00 Supertato. **7.05** Dino Dex. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** 6.00 Bargain Hunt. Shaun The Sheep. 7.35 Star Wars: 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 7.30 Father Brown. (M, R) 8.30 Murdoch Mysteries. (M) Young Jedi Adventures. 7.50 The Inbestigators. 8.05 Operation Ouch! 8.35 BTN Newsbreak. 8.40 Secrets 11.30 Father Brown. (M, R) Of The Zoo. (PG) 9.25 Harry Potter: **12.30 Bargain Hunt.** (R) Wizards Of Baking. 10.05 Merlin. 1.30 The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) 10.50 MythBusters "There's (PG) **2.00** Harry's Practice. **2.30** Your Problem!". (PG) 11.15 Officially Medical Emergency. (PG) 3.00 Better Amazing. (PG) 11.45 Operation Ouch! Homes. 4.00 Million Dollar Minute.

6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) 7.00 Creflo. (PG) 7.30 Skippy. 8.00 TV Shop. 10.30 Pointless. (PG) 11.30 My Favorite Martian. **12.00** Dales For Sale. **1.00** Movie: Ghost Ship. (1952) Dermot Walsh. (PG) **2.30** Movie: The Amazing Howard Hughes. (1977) Tommy Lee Jones, Ed Flanders. (PG) 5.00 Yorkshire Auction House. 6.00 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 7.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. Manly Sea Eagles v St George Illawarra Dragons. 11.00 Only Fools And Horses. (PG, R)

9.15 Thursday Night Knock Off. 10.00 Outback Opal Hunters. (PG) 11.30 Dales For Sale. 12.30 My Favorite Martian. 1.00 Creflo. (PG) 1.30 Movie: Ghost Ship. (1952) Dermot Walsh. (PG) 3.00 Skippy. **3.30** Gideon's Way. (PG) **4.30** Only Fools And Horses. (PG) **5.00** Yorkshire Auction House.

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

6.00 GCBC. 6.30 Everyday Gourmet. **7.00** Drew Barrymore. (PG) **8.00** Wheel Of Fortune. 8.30 Ent. Tonight. **9.00** Neighbours. (PG) **9.30** Bold. (PG) **10.00** Family Feud. (PG) **10.30** Drew Barrymore. (PG) 11.30 Deal Or No Deal. 12.00 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 1.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 2.00 Becker. (PG) 2.30 Frasier. (PG) 3.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **4.00** GCBC. **4.30** King Of Queens. (PG) 5.00 Becker. (PG) 5.30 Frasier. (PG) 6.30 Neighbours. (PG, R) **7.00 Friends.** (PG, R) $\textbf{8.00 The Big Bang Theory.} \ (\mathsf{PG}, \ \mathsf{R})$ **9.30 Becker.** (PG, R) 10.00 Frasier. (PG, R) **11.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 11.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 12.00 Ent. Tonight. 12.30 Shopping. 1.30 South Park. (MA15+) 2.00 Shopping. 2.30 Bold. (PG) 3.30 Stephen

World Tonight. SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.50 Te Ao With Moana. **7.20** FBC News. **7.55** France 24 Feature. 8.10 ABC America Nightline. 8.40 CBC The National. 9.30 BBC News At Six. 10.00 The Movie Show. (M) 12.00 France 24 English News. 12.30 Hoarders. (M) 2.10 Planet A. (PG) 2.40 Insight. 3.40 News. 3.45 BBC News At Ten. 4.15 ABC World News Tonight. 4.40 PBS News. **5.40** History's Crazy Rich Ancients. (PG) **6.05** Over The Black Dot. 6.35 Travel Man. (PG) 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.30 News. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does

Countdown. (M, R) 8.30 History's Greatest Mysteries. (M) 9.20 History's Greatest Mysteries. (PG)

10.10 The UnXplained. (M) 11.00 Homicide. (M) 1.45 Dark Side Of The Ring. (MA15+) 2.40 NHK World English News. 5.00 Al Jazeera.

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

(G) 12.00 Late Programs.

6.00 Children's Programs. **7.40** Miraculous. (G) **8.05** Total DramaRama. (G) 8.15 Teen Titans Go! (PG) 8.25 Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) 8.45 The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 9.10 Miraculous. (PG) 9.30 Scooby-Doo And Guess Who? (G) Cool, Scooby-Doo! (Po 10.15 We Bare Bears. (PG) 10.35 Total Drama Island. (PG) 11.00 My Family. (PG) 11.30 Breeders. (M) **11.50** Friday Night Dinner. (M) **12.15** Heartbreak High. (PG) 1.45 Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M) 2.10 ER. (M) **2.50** Doctor Who. (PG) **3.40** A Bite To Eat. (G) 4.10 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4.40 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) 7.00 My Family. (PG) **7.30** QI. (M) **8.00** Would I Lie To You? (PG) **8.30** The Weekly. (PG) **9.00** Gruen. (PG) **9.40** Guy Mont Spelling Bee. (PG) 10.30 Planet America. 11.00 ER. (M) 11.45 Rage. (MA15+) 12.50 Late Programs.

7MATE [CH74, 60]

5.00 My Greek Odyssey. (PG)

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) 7.00 My Fishing Place. (PG) 7.30 Creek To Coast. (G) 8.00 Drag Racing. NDRC Top Fuel Championship. Round 5. Highlights. **9.00** Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Taupo Super400. Day 1 Highlights 10 00 Mountain Men. (PG) 11.00 American Resto. (PG) **11.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **12.00** American Pickers. (PG) **1.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) 1.30 Highway Patrol. (PG) 2.30 The Force: BTL. (PG) 3.30 Duck Dynasty. (PG) 4.00 Mountain Men. (PG) **5.00** American Resto. (PG) 5.30 American Pickers. (PG) 6.30 Football. AFL. Round 6. Brisbane Lions v Collingwood. 7.00 Pawn Stars. (PG) 7.30 Dogs Behaving (Very) Badly. (PG) 8.30 Britain's Got Talent. (PG) **10.00** The Amazing Race. (PG) 11.30 Movie: Superbad. (2007) (MA15+) 1.55 American Resto. (PG) 2.30 Late Programs.

9GO! [CH93, 82]

6.00 Children's Programs. 7.00 Barbie: Dreamhouse Adventures. 7.30 The Actually Really Very Difficult Show. 8.00 The Nanny. 9.00 Bewitched. 9.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 10.00 Seinfeld. 11.00 Motor Racing. IndyCar Series. Round 3. Prix of Long Beach, Highli 12.05 Movie: Elf. (2003) 2.00 The Golden Girls. 2.30 The Nanny. 3.30 Seinfeld. 4.30 The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. 5.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 6.00 The Golden Girls. 6.30 The Nanny. 7.30 Survivor 48. 9.00 Movie: The Hangover Part III. (2013) Bradley Cooper, Ed Helms, Zach Galifianakis. **11.00** Made In Korea: The K-Pop Experience. 12.00 Love Island UK. **1.00** Supernatural. 3.00 Surfing Aust. 3.30 The Addams Family. **4.00** Teen Titans Go! **4.30** LEGO Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. 4.50 Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens. 5.10 Bakugan. 5.30 Pokémon.

10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

Colbert. (PG) 4.30 Shopping.

6.00 Home Shopping. (R) 8.00 What's Up Down Under. (R) **8.30 Navigating The World.** (R) 9.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) 10.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 11.30 JAG. (PG, R) 2.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) 3.30 Jake And Th **4.30 JAG.** (PG, R) **7.30 NCIS.** The team investigates after a body is found at an

unmanned aerial-vehicle testing site. (M, R) **9.25 Blue Bloods.** Danny and his nephew investigate the homicide of a delivery driver who may

have been connected to an illegal narcotics ring in the city. (M) **10.20 Fire Country.** (PG, R) 11.15 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 12.15 Home Shopping. (R) 2.15 Diagnosis Murder. (M, R)

3.10 JAG. (M, R)

4.05 JAG. (PG, R)

6.00 Little Nicholas' Treasure. (2021) (French, PG, R) 7.55 Sun Children. (2020)

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

(Farsi, PG, R) **9.45 RBG. (2018)** (PG, R) 11.35 Mass. (2021) (M, R) 1.40 All Roads Lead To Rome. 3.25 Arthur And The Revenge Of Maltazard. (2009) (PG, R) 5.10 Ride On. (2023) (Mandarin, PG, R) 7.30 Gold. (2016) Matthew McConaughey. The tale of one man's pursuit of gold. (M, R) 9.45 The Girl Who Played With Fire.

(2009) Noomi Rapace. A hacker is accused of committing three murders. (Swedish, MA15+, R) 12.10 Wild Target. (2010) (M, R) 2.00 I Want You Back. (2022) (M, R)

4.05 6 Days. (2017) (M, R) 5.50 The Movie Show. Critics review movie releases. (PG, R)

6.00 Gardening Australia. (R) 7.00 News Breakfast. 9.30 The Cook And The Chef. (R)

10.00 Planet America. (R) 10.30 The Pacific. (R) 11.00 ANZAC Battlefields. (PG)

12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 The Cook And The Chef. (R)

Unforgotten. (M, R) 1.00 2.00 Restoration Australia. (R) Back Roads. (R) 3.30 **Grand Designs New**

Zealand. (R) 4.15 Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 5.00 A Bite To Eat With Alice.

5.30 **Antiques Roadshow.** (R)

6.30 Hard Quiz. Presented by Tom Gleeson. (PG, R)

ABC News. A look at the top 7.00 stories of the day.

Gardening Australia. Costa 7.30 Georgiadis discovers the history of cacao and crafts dyed Easter eggs. Millie Ross makes a holiday herb basket.

8.30 **Sherwood.** The Sparrows are forced to join the Bransons on their revenge mission, and must act quickly. (M)

The Weekly With 9.30 Charlie Pickering. A satirical news program exposing the humorous. absurd and downright hypocritical. (PG, R)

10.00 Fresh Blood: Westerners. A painter explores the world of arts panels. (M, R)

10.30 Father Brown. Brenda is embroiled in a deadly local dispute. (PG, R)

11.20 Mayfair Witches. Rowan must find Lasher before more people are hurt. (MA15+, R)

Rage New Music. New music 12.10 videos. (MA15+) **5.00 Rage.** (PG)

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

6.00 Children's Programs. 3.55 Andy's Prehistoric Adv. 4.10 Kiri And Lou. 4.15 Millie Magnificent. 4.25 Builder Brothers Dream Factory. **4.40** Vida The Vet. **4.50** Bluey. **5.00** Peppa Pig. 5.10 Pfffirates. 5.20 Kangaroo Beach. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 Bluey. 6.25 Octonauts: Above And Beyond. **6.35** Hey Duggee. **6.40** Kiri And Lou. **6.45** Ben And Holly. **7.00** Supertato. 7.05 Gardening Australia Junior. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Shaun The Sheep. 7.35 Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. **7.50** Teen Titans Go! (PG) **8.00** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! (PG) 8.25 MythBusters "There's Your Problem!". (PG) 8.50 Robot Wars. 9.50 Harry Potter: Hogwarts Tournament Of Houses. (PG) 10.35 Merlin. (PG) 11.20 Dragon Ball Super. (PG) 11.45 Operation Ouch! (PG) 12.00 Late Programs.

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

6.00 Odd Squad. (G) **6.10** Hotel Transylvania. (PG) **6.25** Bionic Max. (G) **6.35** Mystery Lane. (PG) **7.00** We Bare Bears. (G) 7.10 My Little Pony. (G) 7.30 Miraculous. (G) 8.15 Miraculous World: London, At The Edge Of Time. (PG) 9.10 The Powerpuff Girls (PG) 9 Doo And Guess Who? (G) 9.55 Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! (G) 10.20 Harry Potter: Wizards Of Baking. (G) 11.00 My Family. (PG) 11.30 Breeders. (M) **11.55** Heartbreak High. (PG) **1.25** ER. (M) **2.05** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (PG) **2.50** Doctor Who. (PG) **3.35** A Bite To Eat. (G) 4.05 Would I Lie To You? (G) 4.40 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) 7.00 My Family. (PG) 7.30 Ql. (PG) 8.00 Would I Lie To You? (G) 8.30 Movie: J. Edgar. (2011) (M) **10.45** ER. (M) 11.30 Breeders. (M) 11.50 Rage. (MA15+) 12.55 Late Programs.

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

6.00 Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 12.00 Seven's National

News At Noon. 1.00 **Jabba's Movies School Holiday Special.** Presented by Jason "Jabba" Davis. (PG, R)

Better Homes And 1.30 Gardens. Hosted by Johanna Griggs. (R)

Football. AFL. Round 6. North Melbourne v Carlton. From Marvel Stadium, Melbourne.

The Chase Australia. Hosted 5.30 by Larry Emdur. (R)

7.00 Better Homes And Gardens.

Johanna Griggs and Pete

wraps around a beloved

Witherspoon, Josh Lucas,

Candice Bergen. A New York

married and left behind, years

socialite returns to Alabama

earlier. However, she soon

realises putting her past to

than she imagined. (PG, R)

derailment causes multiple

The Black Donnellys. Sean

Travel Oz. A look at holiday

Hosted by Grant Denyer. (R)

loses his health cover. (M)

destinations. (PG, R)

Home Shopping. (R)

Million Dollar Minute.

NBC Today. News and

6.00 Shopping. 6.30 Escape To The

Country. 7.30 Harry's Practice. 8.00

Million Dollar Minute. 9.00 Jabba's

Movies School Holiday Special. (PG) **9.30** NBC Today. **12.00** Better

2.00 The Great Australian

3.30 Harry's Practice. (R)

4.30 Better Homes And

Gardens. (R)

6.30 Bargain Hunt.

11.30 Bargain Hunt. (R)

12.30 Australia's Best

Backyards. (R)

7MATE [CH74, 60]

2.30 Sydney Weekender. (R)

Doorstep. (PG, R)

Homes. **1.00** Escape To The Country.

3.00 Australia's Best Backyards. (R)

4.00 Medical Emergency. (PG, R)

5.30 Escape To The Country. (R)

7.30 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R)

8.30 Escape To The Country.

1.00 Our Town. 2.00 Harry's

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker.

(PG) 7.00 My Fishing Place. (PG)

Motor Racing. Australian Top Fuel

Championship. Round 6. Highlights.

Highlights, 10.00 Blokesworld

Championship. Taupo Super400. Day

(PG) 10.30 Mountain Men. (PG) 11.30

American Resto. (PG) **12.00** Storage

Wars. (PG) 12.30 American Pickers.

(PG) 1.30 Pawn Stars. (PG) 2.00

Desert Collectors. (PG) 3.00 Duck

Dynasty. (PG) 3.30 Timbersports.

(PG) 4.00 Mountain Men. (PG)

Round 3. Port Adelaide v South

(M) **12.15** Pawn Stars. (PG) **12.45**

Late Programs.

Pawn Stars Do America. (PG) 2.00

5.00 American Resto. (PG) **5.30**

Storage Wars. (PG) 6.00 American

Pickers. (PG) 7.00 Football. SANFL.

Adelaide. 10.00 Movie: The League

Of Extraordinary Gentlemen. (2003)

7.30 Creek To Coast. (G) **8.00**

9.00 Motor Racing. Supercars

Practice. 3.00 Better Homes. 5.30

The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG)

current affairs.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

10.45 GetOn Extra. A look at the

injuries. (M, R)

11.15

12.15

1.15

2.00

weekend's best racing.

9-1-1: Lone Star. A train

rest may be far more difficult

to divorce the man she

Colquhoun visit a home that

6.00 Seven News.

pepper tree.

8.30 Movie: Sweet Home Alabama. (2002) Reese

6.00 9News.

4.00

5.00

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Today. The latest in news and

12.00 Movie: Learning To Love.

2.00 Pointless. Presented by

Ben Shephard. (PG)

9News Afternoon.

Hosted by Todd

Woodbridge. (PG, R)

(2023) Ina Barrón, Philip

Boyd. A woman tutors two

Alexander Armstrong. (PG)

Tipping Point. Hosted by

Tipping Point Australia.

Today Extra. A mix of topical

current affairs.

issues. (PG)

11.30 9News Morning.

sisters. (G)

7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 West Coast Cops. Follows four of the recruits as they adjust to their new lives down

under. (M)

8.30 Movie: Noah. (2014) Russell Crowe, Jennifer Connelly, Emma Watson. After experiencing visions of an apocalyptic flood, a man builds an ark to protect his family. (M, R)

11.10 **Hotel Chocolat: Inside The Chocolate Factory.** A look at one of Britain's best chocolate makers. (R)

12.05 Next Stop. A look at holiday destinations.

Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R) 1.30 **TV Shop: Home**

Shopping. (R) Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. 4.00 Sonny visits a travelling

carnival. (R) 4.30 Global Shop. Home shopping. (R)

TV Shop: Home

Shopping. (R) 5.30 Postcards. (PG, R)

9GEM [CH92, 81]

6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) 7.00 Creflo. (PG) **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. 10.30 How We Celebrate. New Series. (PG) 11.30 Movie: Crossplot. (1969) Roger Moore, Martha Hyer, Claudia Lange. (PG) 1.30 French And Saunders: Easter Special. (PG) 2.30 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. Canterbury Bulldogs v South Sydney Rabbitohs

5.30 Yorkshire Auction House. (R) **6.30 Antiques Roadshow.** (R) 7.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. Dolphins v Melbourne Storm. 9.25 Golden Point.

10.15 Movie: John Wick. (2014) (MA15+, R)

12.15 French And Saunders: Easter Special. (PG) 1.10 Creflo. (PG) 1.40 Movie: Second Fiddle. (1957) Adrienne Corri, Thorley Walters. (G) **3.10** Skippy. **3.40** Gideon's Way. (PG) **4.35** Antiques Roadshow. **5.00** Yorkshire Auction House.

9GO! [CH93, 82]

6.00 Pokémon Horizons: The Search For Laqua. 6.30 Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **7.00** Barbie: Dreamhouse Adventures. 7.30 The Actually Really Very Difficult Show. **8.00** The Nanny. **9.00** Bewitched. **9.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. 10.00 Seinfeld. 11.00 Speeders. 12.00 Movie: Oddball. (2015) 2.00 The Golden Girls. 2.30 The Nanny. 3.30 Seinfeld. 4.30 The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. 5.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 6.00 The Golden Girls. 6.30 The Nanny. 7.30 Movie: Charlie And The Chocolate Factory. (2005) Johnny Depp, Freddie Highmore. 9.50 Movie: Beetlejuice. (1988) Michael Keaton. 11.45 The O.C. 12.40 Love Island UK. 1.35 Supernatural. 3.30 The Addams Family. 4.00 Teen Titans Go! 4.30 LEGO Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. 4.50 Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens. 5.10 Bakugan. 5.30 Pokémon.

TEN [CH10, 5]

6.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 7.00 Frugal Foodie. (R) 7.30 Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) 8.00 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) **8.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **9.00** Lingo. (R) **10.00** Entertainment Tonight. (R) 10.20 Airborne: Nature In Our Skies. (PG, R) **11.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **12.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. **12.30** Family Feud. (PG, R) 1.00 Jamie Oliver: Cooking For Less. (R) 2.00 Wheel Of Fortune. **2.30** Lingo. (R) **3.30** Family Feud. (PG, R)

4.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

6.00 Deal Or No Deal. Contestants compete in a high-stakes game where they must beat The Banker to win a cash prize. (R)

The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

7.30 Airborne: Nature In Our Skies: Love In The Air. Takes a look at how rivals fight for love, from amorous acrobatics to seduction by scent. (PG)

8.40 The Graham Norton Show. Celebrity guests include Zoë Saldaña, Selena Gomez, Miranda Hart and Ncuti Gatwa. (M, R)

11.00 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. (R)

12.00 The Late Show With

Stephen Colbert. Stephen Colbert interviews a variety of guests from the worlds of film, politics, business and music. (PG)

1.00 Home Shopping. (R)

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

6.00 GCBC. 6.30 Everyday Gourmet. 7.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 8.00 Wheel Of Fortune. 8.30 Ent. Tonight. **9.00** Neighbours. (PG) **9.30** Bold. (PG) 10.00 Family Feud. (PG) 10.30 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 11.30 Deal Or No Deal. 12.00 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 1.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 2.00 Becker. (PG) 2.30 Frasier. (PG) 3.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 4.00 GCBC. 4.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 5.00 Becker. (PG) 5.30 Frasier. (PG) **6.30 Friends.** (PG, R) 7.30 Movie: Forrest Gump. (1994) (M, R) **10.10 Becker.** (PG, R) **10.35** Frasier. (PG) **11.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 12.00 King Of Queens. (PG) 12.30 Ent. Tonight. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 South Park. (MA15+) **2.00** Shopping. **2.30** Bold (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) 4.30 Shopping. 5.30 Joseph Prince.

10 BOLD [CH12, 51] 6.00 Home Shopping. (R)

11.30 JAG. (PG, R)

3 30 Jake And Th

4.30 JAG. (PG, R)

SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. **6.30** Al Jazeera. 7.00 BBC News At Six. **7.30** France 24 English News. **8.00** DD India News Hour. 9.00 Cook Up Bitesize. 9.05 Curious Traveller. 10.05 Matched. (PG) 11.00 Food Markets. (PG) 12.00 BBC News At Ten. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS News. 2.00 Destination Flavour. 2.10 The Holy Grail Mystery. (M) 2.55 The Point: Road To Referendum History Bites. 3.00 Nula. 3.30 Destination Flavour. 3.40 Plat Du Tour. 3.45 The Cook Up. 4.15 Mystery Of The Loch Ness Monster. (PG) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers.

FRIDAY APRIL 18

6.00 Mastermind Australia. Presented by Marc Fennell.

6.30 **SBS World News.** 7.30

William And Harry: The Unseen Photos. New Series. Looks at the lives of princes Harry and William, drawing on hundreds of unseen photos, eyewitness interviews and expert analysis. (M)

9.15 Scotland's Scenic Railways: Strathspey Steam Railway. Takes a look at Scotland's Highland Mainline railway that runs through Cairngorms National Park. (R)

10.10 SBS World News Late. 10.40 A Body That Works. Ellie still hasn't returned after a week. (M)

11.40 Romulus. Wiros and Yemos settle their score. (M, R) Agent Hamilton. (MA15+. R)

Could Hitler Have Been 3.20 Stopped? (PG, R)

Bamay. (PG, R) 4.15

Bamay. (R) 4.45

NHK World English 5.00 News Morning.
ANC Philippines The

5.30 World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.50 DW English News. 7.20 FBC News. 7.55 France 24 Feature. 8.10 ABC America Nightline. 8.40 CBC The National. 9.30 BBC News At Six. 10.00 The Movie Show. (M) 12.05 France 24 English News. 12.35 The Nine Lives Of. (M) 1.30 Hypothetical. (M) 2.25 Video Killed The Radio Star. (M) 2.55 Over The Black Dot. 3.25 News. 3.30 BBC News At Ten. **4.00** ABC World News Tonight. 4.30 PBS News. 5.30 Is The Cloud Damaging The Planet? 6.05 If You Are The One. **7.05 Jeopardy!** (R) 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (M, R) 8.30 Woodstock. (M, R) 10.20 Adam Looking For Eve. (MA15+, R) **11.15 Pose.** (MA15+)

2.15 NHK World English News. 5.00 Al Jazeera Newshour.

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

6.00 The Movie Show. Critics review movie releases. (PG, R) 6.25 The Glassworker. (2024) (Urdu, PG, R) 8.20 Arthur And The Revenge Of

Maltazard. (2009) (PG, R) 10.10 Dating The Enemy. **12.10 6 Days. (2017)** (M, R)

2.00 Sun Children. (2020) (Farsi, PG, R)

3.50 RBG. (2018) (PG, R) 5.40 Whisky Galore. (2016) (PG, R) 7.30 Thirteen Days. (2000) Kevin Costner. President Kennedy tries to prevent war. (M, R)

10.10 The Girl Who Kicked The Hornet's Nest. (2009) Michael Nyqvist. (Swedish, MA15+, R) 12.50 Midsommar. (2019)

(MA15+, R) 3.30 Gold. (2016) (M, R) **5.45 The Movie Show.** Critics review

movie releases. (PG, R)

Gibbs' friend met on a dating site. (M, R) 10.20 FBI. The team welcomes a new member. (M, R) 11.15 Jake And The Fatman. A drug dealer is murdered in Honolulu. (PG, R)

8.00 What's Up Down Under. (R)

8.30 Navigating The World. (R)

9.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R)

2.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R)

7.30 NCIS. The suspect in a murder

investigation is linked to a woman

10.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R)

12.15 Home Shopping. (R) 2.15 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) **3.10 JAG.** (M, R) 4.05 JAG. (PG, R)

SATURDAY APRIL 19

ABC TV [CH2]

6.00 Rage Charts. (PG) **7.00** Weekend Breakfast. **9.00** Rage. (PG) **12.00** ABC News At Noon.

12.30 Death In Paradise.
Final. (M, R)
1.30 Darby And Joan (M |

1.30 Darby And Joan. (M, R)2.15 Extraordinary

Escapes. (PG, R)

3.00 Megafauna: What Killed

Australia's Giants? (PG, R)
3.50 A Life In Ten Pictures:

3.50 A Life In Ten Pictures:

 Alexander McQueen. (PG, R)

 4.45 Creative Types With Virginia Trioli: Tim Minchin. (M, R)

5.10 Landline. (R)

5.40 Australian Story: Duped - Donna Nelson. (R)

6.10 Father Brown. Father Brown investigates murder at a food fayre. (PG)

6.55 Federal Election
Announcement. An election
announcement. (R)
7.00 APC News Takes a leak

7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at the top stories of the day, including coverage of developing stories and events.

7.30 Movie: Made In Dagenham. (2010) Sally Hawkins, Bob Hoskins. Female workers at a car plant walk out in protest against sexual discrimination and pay inequality. (M, R)

9.20 Midsomer Murders. The body of a wealthy landowner goes missing on the night of his death, exposing a web of secrets. (M, R)

10.50 Unforgotten. Mel and Asif are taken into custody. (M, R)

11.40 Boat Story. Janet and Samuel plot their next move. (MA15+, R)

12.40 Rage. Music video clips. (MA15+)

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

5.00 Rage. Continuous music programming. (PG)

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

6.00 NBC Today.7.00 Weekend Sunrise.10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. Highlights from

the past week. (PG)

11.30 Horse Racing. All Aged
Stakes Day. From Royal
Randwick Racecourse,
Sydney. Mornington
Cup. From Mornington
Racecourse, Victoria. WATC
Derby Day. From Ascot
Racecourse, Perth.

5.00 Seven News Adelaide.
5.30 Border Security: Australia's Front Line. Narrated by Grant Bowler. (PG, R)

6.00 Seven News. 6.00 9News Saturday.

7.30

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2.30

5.00

7.00 The Americas: The Frozen North. In the frozen north, wolves and polar bears vie for food, hares outsmart lynx and walrus sing on rocky shores. (PG)

8.00 Movie: Twister. (1996) Helen Hunt, Bill Paxton, Cary Elwes. A trio of stormchasers and meteorologists attempts to insert a revolutionary measuring device into the heart of a tornado, only to find themselves at the mercy of a storm. (PG, R)

10.20 Movie: Anna. (2019) Sasha Luss, Helen Mirren, Luke Evans. A young woman unleashes incredible strength and skill to become a feared government assassin. (MA15+, R)

12.50 The Black Donnellys. Tommy is asked to host a wake at the Firecracker. (M, R)

2.00 Home Shopping. (R)4.00 It's Academic. Hosted by

Simon Reeve. (R)

5.00 My Greek Odyssey. Hosted by Peter Maneas. (PG, R)

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Getaway. (PG, R)6.30 A Current Affair. (R)7.00 Weekend Today.

10.00 Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) 12.00 Surfing Australia TV.

12.30 Destination WA. (R)
1.00 Let's Eat With George.
Final. (R)

1.30 Movie: Getting Even With Dad. (1994) (PG, R)

3.30 The Hundred With Andy Lee. (PG, R)

30 The Garden Gurus. A look at an eco-friendly pest control solution.

Torvill & Dean: Our Last

sits down with ice skating

legends Jayne Torvill and

Christopher Dean.

Movie: Willy Wonka & The

Chocolate Factory. (1971)

Gene Wilder, Peter Ostrum.

A poor yet honest boy wins

sweets factory owned by an

Carrey, Zooey Deschanel. A

Easter celebrations. (PG, R)

Showcases Surfing Australia's

man resolves to say yes to

eccentric businessman. (G, R)

a guided tour of a famous

10.35 Movie: Yes Man. (2008) Jim

12.30 How We Celebrate. A look at

Surfing Australia TV.

The Incredible Journey

everything. (M, R)

programs. (R)

Presents. (PG)

Shopping. (R)

TV Shop: Home

Global Shop. (R)

TV Shop: Home

5.30 Helping Hands. (PG, R)

Shopping. (R)

Dance. Dimity Clancey

5.00 9News First At Five.

5.30 Getaway. (PG)

7.00 A Current Affair.

TEN [CH10,5]

6.00 Camper Deals. 6.30 Reel Action. **7.00** On The Fly. **7.30** Escape Fishing. 8.00 I Fish. 8.30 Everyday Gourmet. 9.00 My Market Kitchen. 9.30 Key Ingredient. (R) 10.00 The Weekly Kick-Off. (R) 10.30 Australian Survivor. (PG, R) 11.40 Farm To Fork. (R) 12.00 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 12.30 Australia By Design: Architecture. (R) **1.00** 10 Minute Kitchen. **1.30** Frugal Foodie. Final. 2.00 Silvia's Italian Masterclass. (R) 2.30 Taste Of Aus: BBQ. (R) 3.00 What's Up Down Under. (R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (R) 4.00 My Market Kitchen. 4.30 GCBC. (R) 5.00 News.

6.30 The Dog House Australia. A

strive to keep up with a

playful labrador. (PG, R)

renovating their Rozelle

decide whether to stay

Gogglebox Australia. A

never got around to

or leave.

8.30

9.30

Love It Or List It Australia.

A couple of IT professionals

house as planned and can't

diverse range of people open

their reactions to popular and

cameras which capture every

Paramedics are called to help

a 92-year-old pinned under

his mobility scooter. (M, R)

she may have committed

unnerving discovery. (M, R)

unpredictable moment. (R)

Ambulance Australia.

10.30 Elsbeth. A party girl is afraid

murder. (M, R)

12.30 Home Shopping. (R)

11.30 FBI. The team makes an

their living rooms to reveal

topical TV shows, with the

help of special, locked-off

pup could be the bundle of

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SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. 6.30 Al Jazeera. 7.00 BBC News At Six. 7.30 France 24 English News. 8.00 DD India News Hour. 9.00 Incredible Homes. (R) 10.00 Hugh's Wild West. (R) 11.00 BBC News At Ten. 11.30 PBS NewsHour. 12.30 Motor Racing. Bathurst 6 Hour. Qualifying. **2.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 3.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Paris-Roubaix. Women's Race. Highlights. 4.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Paris-Roubaix. Men's Race. Highlights. 5.00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG, R) **5.30** Venice: Building Beauty From A Swamp. New Series.

6.30 SBS World News.
 7.30 The Wonders Of Europe:

 The Tower Of London. A
 historical chronicle of the
 Tower of London. (PG)

8.30 The Wonders Of Europe:
Wawel Castle. Looks at
Wawel Castle. (PG)

9.30 Stanley Tucci: Searching For Italy: Bologna. Stanley Tucci heads to Bologna. (M. R.)

heads to Bologna. (M, R)

10.20 Great Coastal Railway

Journeys: Morpeth To

Amble. (PG, R)

10.50 Great Coastal Railway
 Journeys: Alnmouth To Bamburgh. (R)

 11.20 Homicide: Life On The

Street. (M, R)
1.10 Homicide: Life On The

Street. (PG, R)
2.05 Homicide: Life On The

Street. (M, R)

3.50 Bamay. (R)

3.50 Bamay. (R) 4.20 Bamay. (R)

4.50 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R)

4.55 Poh & Co. Bitesize. (R) 5.15 France 24 Feature.

5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 Children's Programs. 2.45 Fizzy **6.00** Shopping. **6.30** Shopping. **7.00** Shopping. **8.30** Travel Oz. (PG) **9.30** And Suds. 3.00 Play School. 3.30 Better Homes. 11.00 GetOn Extra. PJ Masks Power Heroes. 4.15 Play School Show Time. 4.20 Odd Squad. 11.30 Harry's Practice. (R) **4.35** Little J And Big Cuz. **4.45** 12.00 Escape To The Country. (R) Gardening Australia Junior. 5.00 3.00 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R) Peppa Pig. 5.10 Kiya And The Kimoja 4.00 Escape To The Country. (R) Heroes. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 5.00 Horse Racing. All Aged Stakes Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 Day, Mornington Cup and WATC PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 Bluey. Derby Day. **6.25** Octonauts: Above And Beyond. 5.30 Medical Emergency. (PG, R) **6.35** Hey Duggee. **6.40** Kiri And Lou. 6.00 Dog Patrol. (PG) 6.45 Ben And Holly. 7.00 Supertato. 6.30 Bondi Vet. (PG) **7.05** Rocket Club. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** 7.30 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R) 8.30 Escape To The Country. 11.30 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R) Harry Potter: Wizards Of Baking. 8.10 Harry Potter: Hogwarts Tournament Of Houses. (PG) **8.55** Fresh Off 12.30 My Greek Odyssey. (PG, R) The Boat. (PG) 9.35 Speechless. 1.30 The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) 10.00 Officially Amazing. (PG) (PG) 2.00 Australia's Best Backyards. 10.25 Dragon Ball Super. (PG) 10.50 2.30 Creek To Coast. 3.00 Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) Weekender. 3.30 Weekender. 4.00

9GEM [CH92, 81]

6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) 7.00
Leading The Way. (PG) 7.30 TV
Shop. 8.00 Thunderbirds. 8.30
Tomorrow's World. (PG) 9.00
Turning Point. (PG) 9.30 TV Shop.
10.00 Helping Hands. (PG) 10.30
My Favorite Martian. 11.00 Edgar
Wallace Mysteries. (PG) 12.20 The
Baron. (PG) 1.30 Movie: The Heart Of
The Matter. (1953) (PG) 3.45 Movie:
Dunkirk. (1958) John Mills. (PG)
6.30 Rugby Union. Super Rugby
Pacific Round 10 Western Force v

6.30 Rugby Union. Super Rugby Pacific. Round 10. Western Force v Hurricanes.

9.00 Super Rugby Pacific Post-Match. 9.15 Movie: The Jackal. (1997)

(MA15+, R)
11.45 Movie: The Vengeance Of
Fu Manchu. (1967) Christopher
Lee, Douglas Wilmer. (M) 1.40
Movie: Dunkirk. (1958) (PG) 4.20
My Favorite Martian. 4.50 The
Baron. (PG)

6.00 | Love VIP Pets. 6.30 Pet Shop

Science Investigators. 8.00 Allo! Allo!

Zombies. 7.00 Booba. 7.30 Earth

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

5.00 Hour Of Power.

6.00 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.30 Wheel Of Fortune. (R) 10.00 Ridiculousness. (PG, R) 11.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) **11.30 Deal Or No Deal.** (R) 12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG, R) 2.00 Ridiculousness. (PG) 3.00 Frasier. (PG, R) 4.00 Friends. (PG, R) 6.30 The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) 7.30 The Big Bang Theory. The girls hold a "do-over" prom. (M, R) 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. The boys clean out an office. (PG, R) **10.30 Frasier.** (PG, R) 11.30 Ridiculousness. (PG, R) 12.30 South Park. (MA15+, R) 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 1.30 South Park. (MA15+, R)

SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.50 DW English News. 7.20 FBC News. 7.55 France 24 Feature. 8.10 ABC America Nightline. 8.40 CBC The National. 9.30 BBC News At Six. 10.00 The Movie Show. (M) 11.00 The Movie Show. (PG) 11.35 The Movie Show. (M) 12.05 Bad Education Reunion Special. (M) 1.00 Dating's Dangerous Secrets. (M) 1.50 Beyond Oak Island. (M) 2.40 Beyond Oak Island. (PG) 3.30 News. 3.35 BBC News At Ten. 4.05 ABC World News Tonight. 4.35 PBS News. 5.35 Over The Black Dot. 6.05 Our Law. (PG, R) **6.40 Engineering Tomorrow.** (Final) **7.35 Impossible Engineering.** (R) 8.30 Movie: Silverado. (1985) (M, R) 11.00 Movie: Romantic Comedy. (2019) (MA15+, R) 12.25 PEN15. (M, R) 1.35 Gun Shot Wound. (M, R) 2.40 NHK World English News.

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

5.00 Al Jazeera Newshour.

10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

3.00 Home Shopping. (R)

6.00 Home Shopping. (R) 9.00 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 10.00 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) 11.00 JAG. (PG, R) 1.00 Escape Fishing With ET.

1.30 Soccer. A-League Women. Round 23. Melbourne Victory v Brisbane Roar.4.00 Soccer. A-League Men.

Round 27. Melbourne Victory v Auckland FC. **6.30 Football Tonight.** Takes a look

at the world of soccer.

6.55 Soccer. A-League Men. Round 27. Western Sydney Wanderers v Melbourne City. From CommBank Stadium, Sydney.

9.30 NCIS. A petty officer is found dead in his car while working an undercover mission. (M, R)
1.10 Blue Bloods. (M, R)
2.05 Fire Country. (M, R)

2.05 Fire Country. (M, R) 4.00 JAG. (PG, R) 5.00 Home Shopping. (R)

3D3 WORLD MOVILS [CH32]

6.00 The Movie Show. Critics review movie releases. (PG, R) 6.15 RBG. (2018) (PG, R) 8.05 Ride On. (2023) (Mandarin, PG, R) 10.25 Wild Target. (2010) (M, R) 12.15 Gold. (2016) (M, R) 2.30 Rabbit-Proof Fence. (2002) (PG, R) 4.15 Hum Do Hamare Do. (2021)

4.15 Hum Do Hamare Do. (2021 (Hindi, PG)

6.35 Funny Face. (1957) Audrey Hepburn. (G, R)

8.30 Larry Crowne. (2011) Tom Hanks, Julia Roberts. A middleaged man enrols in college. (M, R) 10.20 99 Moons. (2022) (Swiss

10.20 99 Moons. (2022) (Swis German, MA15+, R) 12.30 The Girl Who Kicked The Hornet's Nest. (2009)

(Swedish, MA15+, R)
3.10 Thirteen Days. (2000) (M, R)
5.50 Hum Do Hamare Do. (2021)
(Hindi, PG, R)

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

11.10 Crazy Fun Park. (PG) 11.40

Operation Ouch! (PG) 12.10 Late

6.00 Odd Squad. (G) 6.10 Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. (G) 6.25 Hotel Transylvania. (PG) 6.35 Bionic Max. (G) **6.45** Mystery Lane. (G) **7.10** We Bare Bears. (G) 7.30 My Little Pony. (G) 8.15 Teen Titans Go! (G) 8.35 The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 9.00 Good Game Snawn Point Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) **9.50** Transformers: EarthSpark. (PG) **10.15** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! (G) **10.35** We Bare Bears. (G) 11.15 Heartbreak High. (PG) 12.00 Breeders. (M) 12.25 Movie: Anne Of Green Gables: The Good Stars. (2017) (G) **1.50** ER. (M) 2.35 Doctor Who. (PG) 3.25 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (PG) **4.05** A Bite To Eat. (G) 4.35 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) **7.00** Spicks And Specks. (PG) **7.30** Ql. (M) **8.00** Live At The Apollo. (M) 8.45 Gavin & Stacey. (M) 10.15 ER. (M) 11.00 Rage. (MA15+) 12.00 Late Programs.

7MATE [CH74, 60]

5.30 Shopping.

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) **7.00** Tackling Australia. (PG) **7.30** Fishy Business. (PG) **8.00** Drag Racing. NDRC Top Fuel Championship. Round 7. Highlights. 9.00 American Pickers. (PG) 10.00 American Resto. (PG) 10.30 Storage Wars. (PG) 11.00 Ja Movies School Holiday Special. (PG) 11.30 Life Off Road. (PG) 12.00 The 4WD Adventure Show. (PG) **12.30** Timbersports. (PG) **1.00** Blokesworld. (PG) 1.30 Australia ReDiscovered. (PG) 2.00 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. (PG) 3.00 Circuit Boat Drivers Championship. Season preview. Replay. 4.00 Full Custom Garage. (PG) 5.00 Counting Cars. (PG) 5.30 Football. AFL. Round 6. Adelaide v GWS Giants. **8.30** Mega Mechanics. (PG) 9.30 Air Crash Inv: Accident Files. (PG) 10.30 When Big Things Go Wrong. (PG) 11.30 Mighty Ships. (PG) 12.30 Late Programs.

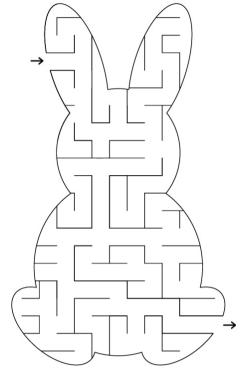
Harry's Practice. 4.30 Better Homes.

9GO! [CH93, 82]

9.10 Only Fools And Horses. 9.50 David Attenborough's Dynasties II. 11.00 Ancient Aliens. 12.00 Movie: Flight Of The Navigator. (1986) Joey 55 Motor Racing, ABB F Formula E World Championship. Round 5. Highlights. **3.00** Hunting Hitler. **4.00** Jeopardy! UK. **5.00** Young Sheldon. 5.30 Movie: Agent Cody Banks. (2003) Frankie Muniz, Hilary Duff, Angie Harmon.
7.30 Movie: The Hunger Games: Catching Fire. (2013) 10.30 Movie: Power **Rangers.** (2017) 12.50 The Originals. 2.40 Jeopardy! UK. **3.35** David Attenborough's Dynasties II. **4.30** Pokémon: XYZ. **4.50** Lego Dreamzzz. **5.10** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. 5.30 Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens.

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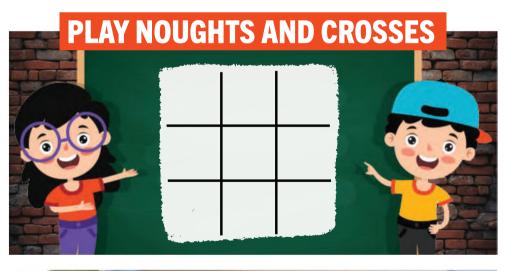


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- Creek (6) 29.
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- 33. Collision (5)
- 36. Former Russian ruler
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- 37. Slim (4)
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Can you find all the words listed? The leftover letters will spell out a secret

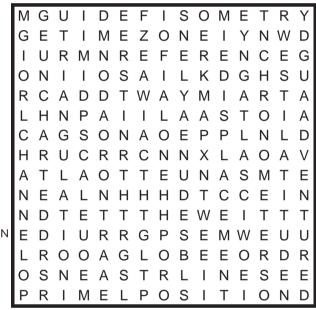
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Using the nine letters in the grid, how many words of four letters or more can you list? The centre letter must be included and each letter may only G be used once. No colloquial or foreign words. No capitalised nouns, apostrophes or plural nouns ending in 's'

Today's Aim: 15 words: Good 22 words: Very good 30 words: Excellent

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

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Horoscopes April 2025: week 3



A difficult aspect to Saturn could make you a little negative at times. Take advantage of a burst of energy later in the week. Romance. A person whom you meet in a familiar place will help you to understand yourself a little better. Listen carefully to what this person tells you.



A dream at the end of the week will help you to understand a period in your life which you haven't yet been able to make sense of. Your dream will help you to make a connection between different events which you thought were unrelated. Romance. A romantic get-together this week will pull your love life back together.



A visit to a friend will put you back in touch with people you have not seen for some time. Romance. A favourable aspect to Venus will help to inject some spark back into your relationship. You need to spend a bit more time relaxing in each other's company. Avoid getting into an argument about money.



You might need to be a little more patient with a friend who finds it difficult to see things from your point of view. There is something about this person that you are not aware of. Romance. A romance which seemed to be losing momentum will suddenly pick up speed. You have judged this person too soon!



An unexpected message from a friend may not be what you want to hear. You need to take all this input seriously, however: your friend may need help. Romance. You may be upset because of a recent let-down. Another gettogether with this person later in the week will be much more fruitful.



A long streak of bad luck will soon be at an end: a favourable aspect to Jupiter this week will soon put you back on track. Until then, make sure that you don't take any big risks. Romance. A surprise from your partner will help to cement your relationship after a recent row.



This week might not be the best time for keeping things under wraps: a powerful aspect to Pluto could bring some long-forgotten secrets out of the closet. Romance. You will be especially sensitive to your partner's needs at the moment. A surprise gift will be appreciated.



A message which is misinterpreted will have more serious consequences than you realise. Make sure that you get all the details right before you make any decisions! Romance. This will be a fairly quiet time for romance. You will have to bide your time before any sparks fly.



Don't forget to write back to a friend that you have not contacted for many years. A brief email could bring you back in touch with this person. Romance. Time spent at a local sports club may be more productive than you expect. A chance meeting will help to put you on the right track with a new acquaintance.



DEC 22ND - JAN 20TH

Your family may seem to be a little intrusive at times. If you feel you need more independence don't be afraid to make this clear. Romance. A contact whom you meet through a mutual friend will help to improve your selfesteem. This person thinks the world of you and won't be shy about making tnis clear.



Mixing business with pleasure could get you into quite deep water. Be careful of a situation which is harder to get out of than to start in the first place. Romance. You may need to move quickly in order to take advantage of some recent changes. Listen to the advice of a close friend.



FEB 20TH - MAR 20TH

Keep going with a long-term project, even if you can't achieve exactly what you are aiming for. You will be successful in a completely different way. **Romance.** A day-dream may take you away from your day-to-day routine for a while. Don't spend so much time thinking that you forget what is happening in real life.

6.00 Rage. (PG)

7.00 Weekend Breakfast.

9.00 Insiders.

10.30 The World This Week. (R) 11.00 Compass: The Bishop Who Knew Too Much. (PG, R)

11.30 Songs Of Praise. (PG) 12.00 ABC News At Noon.

12.30 Landline. 1.30

Gardening Australia. (R) The Pope's Easter Vigil. From St Peter's Basilica in the Vatican. (R)

5.00 Restoration Australia: Orange Edwardian. A couple restore an Edwardian fixerupper. (PG, R)

6.00 Back Roads: Musical Road **Trip Through Western** Queensland. (R)

6.25 **Federal Election**

Announcement. (R) Compass: Island Of The 6.30 Dead. (PG)

Federal Election 6.55 **Announcement.** An election announcement by the Greens. (R)

7.00 ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.

Darby And Joan. Final. Jack 7.30 and Joan race to clear his name. (PG)

Unforgotten. Final. Jess and 8.15 Sunny get the truth. (M)

9.05 Boat Story. Final. The final face off with The Tailor ensues. (MA15+)

10.05 Movie: Ten Canoes. (2006) Crusoe Kurddal. A man covets the wife of his older brother. (M, R)

You Can't Ask That. (M, R) 12.05 Rage. (MA15+)

Ask The Doctor. (R) 3.05

Outback Ringer. (PG, R) 3.35

Gardening Australia. (R) 4.05

5.05 Easter In Australia. (PG, R)

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

6.00 Children's Programs. 1.40 Ben And Holly. 1.55 Kangaroo Beach. 2.05 Paddington. 2.20 Thomas. 2.30 Love Monster. 2.40 Ready Eddie Go! 2.45 Fizzy And Suds. 3.00 Play School. **3.30** The Monster At The End Of This Story. 4.00 Kiri And Lou. 4.05 Grace's Amazing Machines. 4.20 Odd Squad. 4.35 Little J And Big Cuz. 4.45 Gardening Australia Junior. 5.00 Peppa Pig. 5.45 Tish Tash. **5.50** Paddington. **6.05** PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 Bluey. 6.25 Octonauts: Above And Beyond. 6.35 Hey Duggee. 6.40 Kiri And Lou. **6.45** Ben And Holly. **7.00** Supertato. **7.05** Rocket Club. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Bluey's Big Play. 8.20 Harry Potter: Wizards Of Baking. 9.40 Fresh Off The Boat. (PG) 10.25 Abbott Elementary. (PG) 11.05 Speechless. (PG) 11.30 MythBusters "There's Your Problem!". (PG) 11.55 The PM's Daughter. (G) 12.20 Late Programs.

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

6.00 Odd Squad. (G) 6.10 Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. (G) 6.25 Hotel Transylvania. (PG) 6.35 Bionic Max. (G) 6.45 Mystery Lane. (PG) **7.10** We Bare Bears. (G) **7.20** The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 7.30 My Little Pony. (G) 8.15 Mystery Lane. (G) Badielly (G) 9.00 Odd (G) **9.25** Hardball. (G) **9.45** Popularity Papers. (G) 10.10 Holly Hobbie. (G) 10.30 Gangnam Project. (G) 11.20 Heartbreak High. (PG) 12.05 Breeders. (M) 12.30 Movie: Storm Boy. (2019) (G) **1.55** ER. (M) **2.40** Doctor Who. (PG) **3.25** A Bite To Eat. (G) 3.55 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (PG) 4.40 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) 7.00 Spicks And Specks. (PG) 7.30 QI. (PG) 8.00 Lucy Worsley Investigates. (PG) 9.00 Louis Theroux: Altered States. (M) **10.05** The Weekly. (PG) **10.35** ER. (M) 11.20 Breeders. (M) 11.45 Rage. (MA15+) 12.45 Late Programs.

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

6.00 NBC Today.7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show:

Weekend. (PG) 11.00 The Crows Show. A look at the Adelaide Crows.

11.30 Sunday Footy Feast. Catch up on the key stories from the round.

2.00 AFL Pre-Game Show. Pregame coverage of the match.

Football. AFL. Round 6. Sydney v Port Adelaide. From the SCG.

5.30 South Aussie With Cosi. Hosted by Andrew "Cosi" Costello. (PG)

6.00 Seven News.

Football. AFL. Round 6. Western Bulldogs v St Kilda. From Marvel Stadium, Melbourne.

10.00 AFL Post-Game Show. Post-game discussion and interviews taking a look back at all the action from the game.

10.30 Movie: Midnight Run. (1988) Robert De Niro, Charles Grodin, Dennis Farina. A tough bounty hunter transports a thieving accountant from New York to Los Angeles. (M, R)

Harry's Practice. Dr Harry 1.30 Cooper and Dr Katrina Warren present information about animals and pet care. (R)

Home Shopping. (R) 2.00

Million Dollar Minute. Hosted by Simon Reeve. (R) **NBC Today.** News and

current affairs. 5.00 **Sunrise Early News.**

The latest news, sport and weather. Sunrise. News, sport and weather.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 My Greek Odyssey. (PG) **7.00** Tomorrow's World. (PG) **7.30** Leading The Way. (PG) 8.00 David Jeremiah. (PG) **8.30** Shopping. **9.00** Cities Of The Underworld. (PG) **10.00** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) 10.30 Australia's Best Backyards 11.00 Escape To The Country. 1.00 The Surgery Ship. (PG) **2.00** South Aussie With Cosi. (PG) **2.30** Cities Of The Underworld. (PG) 3.30 Better Homes. 4.30 Escape To The Country. (R) 7.30 Rosemary & Thyme. (PG, R) 8.30 Vera. (M, R) 10.30 Great Rail Restorations. (PG, R) 11.30 The World's Most Scenic Railway Journeys. (PG, R) **12.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) 1.00 Vera. (M) 3.00 This Rugged Coast. 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** My Greek Odyssey. (PG)

7MATE [CH74, 60]

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) **7.00** My Fishing Place. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. 8.00 Drag Racing. NDRC Nitro Funny Cars. Round 1. Highlights. 9.00 Counting Cars. (PG) 10.00 Pawn Stars. (PG) 11.00 Storage Wars. (PG) 11.30 Portland Charter Boat Wars (PG) 12.00 The Fishing Show By AFN: Best Of. (PG) **1.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) 2.00 Fishy Business. (PG) 2.30 Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. (PG) 3.00 Mighty Ships. (PG) 4.00 Deep Water Salvage. (PG) 5.00 Counting Cars. (PG) 5.30 The Wash Up. 6.30 Football. AFL. Round 6. Western Bulldogs v St Kilda. 6.50 The 1% Club UK. (PG) 7.50 Mrs Brown's Boys. Series Return. (M) 9.20 Billy Joel Live At Madison Square Garden. (PG) 11.20 Movie: Air Force One. (1997) (M) **1.55** Blokesworld. (PG) **2.30** Towies. (PG) 4.00 Big Shrimpin'. (PG) **5.00** Counting Cars. (PG)

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Hello SA. (PG. R) 6.30 A Current Affair. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 AFL Sunday Footy Show. (PG)

12.00 Wide World Of Sports. (PG)

Fish Forever. **Drive TV: Drive Car Of The Year.** (PG)

2.00 Customs. (PG, R)

Torvill & Dean: Partners 2.30 On Ice. (R)

David Attenborough's The Mating Game: Jungles - In The Thick Of It. (PG, R)

Building Ideas. (PG) 5.00

9News First At Five. 5.30 Hello SA. (PG)

6.00 9News Sunday. **7.00 60 Minutes.** Current

affairs program. 8.00 RBT. Police pull over a construction worker who has downed four whisky soda cans during his trip home. (M)

8.30 The People V Michael Jackson. Takes a continued look at the 2005 People versus Michael Jackson criminal trial from the jurors' point of view. (MA15+)

10.30 Footy Furnace. A look at the latest round of the AFL. (M)

11.30 9News Late.

12.00 The First 48: Close To Home. A father of three is gunned down. (M)

12.50 Destination WA. A look at Western Australian lifestyle. 1.20 9Honey: He Said She

Said. (PG, R) 1.30 **TV Shop: Home**

Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PG)

Drive TV: Drive Car Of The Year. (PG, R)

Today Early News. 5.00

Today. 5.30

9GEM [CH92, 81]

6.00 Skippy. 6.30 Amazing Facts With Doug Batchelor. (PG) **7.00** Leading The Way. (PG) 7.30 In Touch. (PG) **8.00** Beyond Today. (PG) **8.30** The Incredible Journey. (PG) **9.00** Turning Point. (PG) 9.30 TV Shop. 10.00 My Favorite Martian. 10.30 NRL Sunday Footy Show. (PG) 12.30 Movie: Foreign Intrigue. (1956) Robert Mitchum, Jean Galland. (PG) 2.30 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. Newcastle Knights v Cronulla Sharks. **5.30 Getaway.** (PG, R) 6.00 Dad's Army. (R) 6.30 M*A*S*H. (PG, R) 8.30 Movie: Gran Torino. (2008) (M, R) 10.55 Movie: Son Of God. (2014) (M, R) 1.40 Movie: The Heart Of The Matter. (1953) Trevor Howard. (PG) 3.50 Movie: Time, Gentlemen, Please! (1952) Hermione Baddeley. (G) 5.30 My Favorite Martian.

9GO! [CH93, 82]

6.00 I Love VIP Pets. 6.30 Pet Shop Zombies. 7.00 Booba. 7.30 The Gamers 2037. 8.00 Allo! Allo! 9.10 Only Fools And Horses. 9.50 David Attenborough's Dynasties II. 11.00 Ancient Aliens. 12.00 Innovation Nation. 12.10 Movie: Red Dog. (2011) Josh Lucas, Rachael **2.05** Motor Racing. IndyCar Series. Round 3. Grand Prix of Long Beach. Highlights. 3.15 Hunting Hitler. 4.15 Jeopardy! UK. 5.15 Young Sheldon. **5.45 Movie: Show Dogs.** (2018) Will Arnett. **7.30 Movie: Speed.** (1994) **9.50 Movie: Species II.** (1998)

11.50 Gotham. 12.50 Arrow. 1.50 Jeopardy! UK. 2.50 David Attenborough's

Dvnasties II. **4.00** Bakugan. **4.30** Cry Babies Magic Tears. 4.50 LEGO Friends: Girls On A Mission. **5.30** Pokémon The Series: Sun & Moon Ultra Adventures.

TEN [CH10, 5]

6.00 Mass. 6.30 Key Of David. (PG) 7.00 Joseph Prince. 7.30 Australia By Design: Innovations. (R) 8.00 The Yes Experiment. (R) 8.30 Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) 9.00 Freshly Picked With Simon Toohey. Final. 9.30 Silvia's Italian Masterclass. (R) 10.00 10 Minute Kitchen. (R) 10.30 Pooches At Play. (PG, R) 11.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) 11.30 Buy To Build. (R) 12.00 Australian Survivor. (R) 1.30 Cook With Luke. (R) 2.00 The Dog Down Under. (PG, R) 2.30 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. (R) 3.30 All 4 Adventure. (PG, R) **4.30** Farm To Fork. (R) 5.00 10 News First.

6.00 The Sunday Project. Joins panellists for a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

Matlock. Billy tries to help 7.00 Sarah when her client is arrested after his business partner is found murdered. Matty and Olympia contend with a pressing confidential matter.

9.00 FBI. The team discovers there may be more to a story than just a feud when a famous rapper and two teen fans are gunned down on a tour bus. (M)

11.00 The Sunday Project. Joins panellists for a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. (R)

12.00 Home Shopping. (R) **4.30 CBS Mornings.** Morning news and talk show, covering breaking news, politics, health, money, lifestyle and pop culture with Gayle King, Tony Dokoupil and Nate Burleson.

6.00 Deal Or No Deal. (R)

2.00 Ridiculousness. (PG)

10.00 Ridiculousness. (PG, R)

11.00 The Late Show With Stephen

6.30 The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)

7.30 The Big Bang Theory. Sheldon

applies for a mission to colonise

leads to a final family dinner in her

10.00 Frasier. Maris' lawyers drag

out the divorce. (PG, R)

11.00 Ridiculousness. (PG, R)

12.00 South Park. (MA15+, R)

12.30 Home Shopping. (R)

1.30 South Park. (MA15+, R)

3.00 Home Shopping. (R)

6.00 Home Shopping. (R)

9.30 What's Up Down Under. (R)

11.00 Escape Fishing With ET. (R)

12.00 Navigating The World.

1.00 Pooches At Play. (PG, R)

4.00 Australian Survivor. (R)

1.30 Top Gear Australia. (PG, R)

3.00 Australian Survivor. (PG, R)

the Army Criminal Investigative

Unit to investigate an officer's

10.20 SEAL Team. (M, R)

11.15 Fire Country. (M, R)

3.00 48 Hours. (M, R)

5.00 JAG. (PG, R)

2.00 Fire Country. (PG, R)

4.00 Diagnosis Murder. (M, R)

5.30 JAG. (PG, R) **7.30 NCIS.** The team joins forces with

8.00 Tough Tested. (R)

10.00 Pat Callinan's 4x4

9.00 Reel Action. (R)

Adventures. (R)

death. (M, R)

8.00 The Big Bang Theory. A blackout at Mrs Wolowitz's home

8.00 Frasier. (PG, R)

Colbert. (PG, R)

3.00 Frasier. (PG, R)

4.00 Friends. (PG, R)

Mars. (M, R)

honour. (PG, R)

SBS [CH3] 6.00 DW English News. 6.30 Al Jazeera News. 7.00 7.30 8.00 DD India News Hour. 9.00 Incredible Homes. (PG, R) 10.00 Lap Of Luxury: Escapes Down Under. (R) 10.30 Motor Racing. Bathurst 6 5.00

PBS Washington Week With The Atlantic. Ascot Kayaking. The 5.25 story of a para-canoeist

Panorama, NSW

athlete. (PG, R) 5.30 **Rediscovering Venice.** (PG)

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France 24 English News.

Hour. Race. From Mount

APAC Weekly.

6.30 SBS World News.

7.30 Ancient Empires. Looks at the story of Cleopatra. (M) Secret Lebanon: The

Treasures Of Byblos. Looks at Byblos, an ancient city of Lebanon, after a team of archaeologists opened a new site in an unexplored area. (PG)

10.10 Mayhem: Secret Lives Of Georgian Kings: George III Mad Or Misunderstood? Takes a look at George III. (M, R)

11.05 Rebel With A Cause:

Oodgeroo Noonuccal. (M, R) 48 Hours To Victory: 12.05 Dunkirk. (PG, R)

1.05 48 Hours To Victory. (PG, R) 48 Hours To Victory. (PG, R) 2.00

Britain's Great Outdoors. (PG, R)

3.25 **Britain's Great Outdoors.** (R)

3.50 Bamay. (R) Bamay. (R) 4.20

Poh & Co. Bitesize. (R) 4.55

NHK World English 5.00 News Morning. France 24 Feature.

5.30 Al Jazeera News.

SBS VICELAND [CH31] **10 PEACH** [CH11, 52]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.30 France 24 Africa News. **6.50** DW English News. 7.20 FBC News. 7.50 France 24 Feature. 8.10 ABC America Nightline. 8.40 CBC The National. 9.30 Small Business Secrets. (PG) 10.00 The Movie Show. (M) 12.10 Motorcycle Racing. World Superbike Championship. Round 3. Pirelli Dutch Round. 1.10 Figure Skating. ISU European Championships. Replay. **2.45** Jeopardy! **4.50** ABC World News Tonight. 5.20 PBS Washington Week. **5.45** The Day The Rock Star Died. (PG) 6.15 Abandoned Engineering. (PG) 8.05 Letterkenny. (M) **8.30** Cycling. UCI World Tour. Amstel Gold Women's Race. 10.00 Cook Up Bitesize. 10.05 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Amstel Gold Men's Race. **12.50** Cook Up Bitesize. **12.55** The UnXplained. (PG) **1.45** Letterkenny. (M) **2.15** NHK World English News. 5.00 Al Jazeera.

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32] 10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

6.00 Hum Do Hamare Do. (2021) Continued. (Hindi, PG, R) 8.10 Whisky Galore. (2016) (PG, R) 10.00 Thirteen Days. (2000) (M, R) 12.40 To Chiara. (2021) (Italian, M, R) 2.55 Lara. (2019) (German, PG, R)

15 Rabbit-Proof Fence (2002) (PG, R)

6.30 To Catch A Thief. (1955) Cary Grant. A former burglar is accused of some robberies. (PG, R)

8.30 Truth. (2015) Cate Blanchett, Robert Redford, Dennis Quaid. After getting their hands on some incriminating documents, journalists run with a story about President George W. Bush. (R)

10.50 The Hummingbird. (2022) Pierfrancesco Favino. (French, M) **1.15 99 Moons. (2022)** (Swiss

German, MA15+, R) **3.25 Larry Crowne. (2011)** (M, R) 5.15 Lara. (2019) (German, PG, R)

Classifications: (PG) Parental Guidance (M) Mature Audiences (MA15+) Mature Audiences Only (AV15+) Extreme Adult Violence (R) Repeat
Consumer Advice: (a) Adult themes (d) Drug references (h) Horror (s) Sex references (l) Language (m) Medical procedures (n) Nudity (v) Violence. Please note: Listings are correct at the time of print and are subject to change by networks.

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Unforgotten. Final. (M, R) 10.50 The Assembly. (PG, R) 11.30 Creative Types With Virginia Trioli: Tim Minchin. (M, R)

12.00 ABC News At Noon.

Landline. (R) 1.00

Restoration Australia. (R) 2.00

2.55 Back Roads. Final. (R)

3.25 **Grand Designs New** Zealand. (R)

Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 4.15 A Bite To Eat With Alice. Alice Zaslavsky is joined by 5.00 Kitty Flanagan

Antiques Roadshow. (R) 5.30

6.30 Claire Hooper's House Of

Games. New Series. 6.55 **Federal Election** Announcement. (R)

7.00 **ABC News.**

7.30 7.30.

8.00 Australian Story: Herding Katter - Bob Katter. A portrait of maverick MP Bob Katter.

8.30 Four Corners. Investigative journalism program.

Media Watch. Presented by

9.15 Linton Besser. (PG)

9.35 **The Truth About Menopause With** Myf Warhurst. Myf Warhurst learns about menopause. (PG, R)

10.30 ABC Late News. 10.45 Planet America. (R) 11.15 The Weekly With Charlie

Pickering. (PG, R) 11.45 **Grand Designs New**

Zealand. (R) 12.30 Long Lost Family. (PG, R)

1.20 **Rage.** (MA15+) **Parkinson In** 3.10

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

Australia. (PG, R) **Gardening Australia.** (R)

5.30 7.30. (R)

6.00 Sunrise. News, sport and weather. 10.00 The Morning Show. The

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

latest news and views. (PG) 11.00 Athletics. Stawell Gift. Easter Monday session. From Central

Park, Stawell, Victoria. 2.00 AFL Pre-Game Show. Pre-

game coverage of the match. 2.30 Football. AFL. Round 6. Geelong v Hawthorn. From the MCG.

The Chase Australia. 5.30 Contestants race to answer quiz questions correctly to avoid being caught by The Chaser.

6.00 Seven News.

Home And Away. Justin fears the worst. (PG)

Farmer Wants A Wife. Series 7.30 Return. Natalie Gruzlewski brings together a group of new farmers on a quest to find true love, each meeting eight ladies on flirtatious speed dates and choosing five women to take back to their farms. (PG)

9-1-1: Lone Star. TK gets 9.15 a huge surprise on his 30th birthday. Tommy is determined to push through her latest crisis. Wyatt attempts to talk down a suicidal caller. (M)

10.15 The Agenda Setters. An expert panel tackles the biggest AFL topics. (R)

Suits L.A. Ted and Harvey team up to right a wrong. (M)

12.15 Treadstone. Doug solves a problem. (MA15+)

1.15 Travel Oz. (PG, R) Home Shopping. (R)

4.00 **NBC** Today.

Sunrise Early News. 5.00 5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 Children's Programs. 8.00 6.00 Shopping. 6.30 The Surgery Bluey's Big Play. 8.50 Children's Ship. (PG) **7.30** Harry's Practice. Programs. 3.40 Mecha Builders. 8.00 Million Dollar Minute. 9.00 3.55 Andy's Safari Adventures. 4.10 Medical Emergency. (PG) 9.30 NBC Kiri And Lou. 4.15 Millie Magnificent. Today. 10.30 Better Homes. 1.00 4.25 Builder Brothers Dream Factory The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) 4.40 Vida The Vet. 4.50 Bluey. 5.00 1.30 Australia's Best Backyards. Peppa Pig. 5.10 Pfffirates. 5.20 2.00 Weekender. 2.30 World's Most Scenic Railway Journeys. (PG) **3.30 Harry's Practice.** (R) Kangaroo Beach. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 4.00 Medical Emergency. (PG, R) Bluey. **6.25** Octonauts: Above 4.30 Better Homes And And Beyond. 6.35 Hey Duggee Gardens. (R) **6.40** Kiri And Lou. **6.45** Ben And 5.30 Escape To The Country. (R) 6.30 Bargain Hunt. Holly. 7.00 Supertato. 7.05 Dino Dex. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The 7.30 Farmer Wants A Wife. (PG) Sheep. 7.35 Star Wars: Young Jedi 7.35 Doc Martin. (PG, R) Adventures. 7.50 The Inbestigators. 8.30 Shetland. (M, R) 8.05 Operation Ouch! 8.35 The 11.15 Bargain Hunt. (R) Crystal Maze. (PG) 9.20 MythBusters **12.15 Doc Martin.** (PG, R) "There's Your Problem!". (PG) 1.15 This Rugged Coast. 2.30 Medical 9.45 Merlin. (PG) 10.30 Officially Emergency. (PG) 3.00 Better Homes. Amazing. (PG) 11.30 Operation Ouch! 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. 5.00 My (PG) 12.00 Late Programs. Greek Odyssey. (PG)

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23] **7MATE** [CH74, 60]

6.00 Children's Programs, 7.20 My Little Pony. (G) 7.40 Miraculous. (G) 8.05 Total DramaRama. (G) 8.15 Teen Titans Go! (PG) **8.25** Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) 8.45 The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 9.10 Miraculous. (G) **9.30** Scooby-Doo And Guess (PG) 9.55 Be Cool Doo! (PG) 10.15 We Bare Bears. (PG) 10.35 Total Drama Island. (PG) 11.10 My Family. (PG) 11.40 Breeders. (M) 12.05 Gavin & Stacey. (M) 12.35 Heartbreak High. (PG) **2.05** ER. (M) 2.50 Doctor Who. (PG) 3.35 A Bite To Eat. (G) 4.05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4.35 MythBusters. (PG) **5.30** Heartbreak High. (PG) **7.00** My Family. (PG) 7.30 QI. (M) 8.00 Would I Lie To You? (M) 8.30 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (PG) 9.10 Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M) 9.35 MythBusters. (PG) **10.25** ER. (M) **11.10** Breeders. (M) 11.35 Rage. (MA15+) 12.35 Late Programs.

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) **7.00** My Fishing Place. (PG) **7.30** Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. (PG) 8.00 Drag Racing. NDRC Nitro Funny Cars. Round 2. Highlights. 9.00 Deep Water Salvage. (PG) 10.00 Counting Cars. (PG) 10.30 Foley's Gift. (PG) 11.00 Border Security (PG) 11 Big Shrimpin'. (PG) 12.30 Counting Cars. (PG) 1.30 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. (PG) 2.30 Towies. (PG) 3.30 Duck Dynasty. (PG) 4.00 Mountain Men. (PG) 5.00 American Resto. (PG) **5.30** Storage Wars. (PG) 6.00 American Pickers: Best Of. (PG) 7.00 The Agenda Setters. 8.00 Outback Opal Hunters. (PG) 9.00 Gem Hunters Down Under. (PG) 10.00 Appalachian Outlaws. (M) 11.00 Swamp People: Serpent Invasion. (PG) 12.00 American Resto. (PG) **12.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **1.00** American Pickers: Best Of. (PG) 2.00 Late Programs.

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

Today Extra. A mix of topical issues. (PG)

11.30 9News Morning.

12.00 Movie: Paris Can Wait. (2016) Diane Lane. Alec Baldwin. A woman travels through France. (PG, R)

2.00 Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG)

Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R)

9News Afternoon.

4.00 Tipping Point Australia. 5.00 Hosted by Todd Woodbridge. (PG)

6.00 9News. 7.00 A Current Affair.

Travel Guides. Series Return. 7.30 Ordinary Australians become travel critics, starting with a trip to New York City. (PG)

9.00 Footy Classified. A team of footy experts tackles the AFL's big issues and controversies. (M)

10.00 9News Late. 10.30 The Prison Confessions Of Gypsy-Rose Blanchard: Only Way Out. Gypsy is desperate to escape her mother. (MA15+)

11.20 Police After Dark. A break-in is reported at a garage. (M, R)

12.10 Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R)

Hello SA. (PG, R) **TV Shop: Home**

Shopping. (R) Global Shop. (R) 2.30 3.00 TV Shop: Home

Shopping. (R) Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PG) 4.00

A Current Affair. (R)

Today Early News. 5.00

5.30 Today.

9GEM [CH92, 81]

6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) 7.00 Creflo. (PG) **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 Rainbow Country. 10.30 Pointless. (PG) 11.30 My Favorite Martian. 12.00 Next Stop. (PG) 12.30 Dad's Army. 1.00 Antiques Roadshow. 1.30 How We Celebrate. (PG) 2.30 Movie: Irma La Douce. (1963) Jack Lemmon, Shirley MacLaine. (PG) **5.30 Yorkshire Auction House.** (R) 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 7.30 Death In Paradise. (M, R) 8.40 The Madame Blanc Mysteries. Series Return. (M) 9.40 Grantchester. (M, R) **10.50 The Closer.** (M, R)

11.50 100% Footy. (M) 12.50 Explore. 1.00 Creflo. (PG) 1.30 Movie: The Small Voice. (1948) James Donald. (PG) 3.15 Explore. 3.30 Gideon's Way. (PG) 4.30

Antiques Roadshow. 5.00 Yorkshire Auction House.

9GO! [CH93, 82]

6.00 Children's Programs. 7.30 The Actually Really Very Difficult Show. **8.00** The Nanny. **9.00** Bewitched. 9.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 10.00 Seinfeld. 11.00 Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders. 12.00 Movie: National Lampoon's Vacation. (1983) **2 00** The Golden Girls **2 30** The Nanny. **3.30** Seinfeld. **4.30** The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** The Golden Girls. 6.30 The Nanny. 7.30 Seinfeld. 8.30 Movie: National Lampoon's European Vacation. (1985) Chevy Chase, Beverly D'Angelo, Dana Hill. 10.30 Ghost Hunters. 11.30 The O.C. 12.30 Love Island UK. 1.30 Supernatural. 3.30 The Addams Family. **4.00** Teen Titans Go! 4.30 LEGO Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. 4.50 Jurassic World: Double Trouble. 5.10 Bakugan. 5.30 Pokémon.

TEN [CH10, 5]

6.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) **7.00** Neighbours. (PG, R) 7.30 Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) 8.00 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) **8.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **9.00** Lingo. (R) **10.00** Entertainment Tonight. (R) 10.30 Airborne: Nature In Our Skies. (PG, R) **11.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **12.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. 12.30 Family Feud. (PG, R) 1.00 10 News First: Lunchtime. 2.00 Wheel Of Fortune. 2.30 Lingo.

10 News First: Afternoon. 3.30 Neighbours. (PG) 4.00

The Bold And The 4.30 Beautiful. (PG)

5.00 10 News First.

6.00 Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer.

The Project. A look at the 6.30 day's news.

7.30 Gogglebox Australia. TV fanatics open up their living rooms to reveal their reactions to popular and topical TV shows. (R)

8.40 Sam Pang Tonight. A weekly tonight show hosted by Sam Pang, featuring a monologue roasting the news of the week, a mix of local and international guests and plenty of artists from across

the comedy world. (M)
Taskmaster Australia. 9.40 Comedy game show featuring comedians performing a series of tricky tasks. Hosted by Tom Gleeson. (M, R)

10.40 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather. The Project. A look at the

day's news. (R) 12.05 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)

1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

6.00 GCBC. 6.30 Everyday Gourmet. **7.00** Drew Barrymore. (PG) **8.00** Wheel Of Fortune. 8.30 Ent. Tonight. 9.00 My Market Kitchen. 9.30 Bold. (PG) 10.00 Family Feud. (PG) 10.30 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 11.30 Deal Or No Deal. 12.00 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 1.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 2.00 Becker. (PG) 2.30 Frasier. (PG) 3.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 4.00 GCBC. 4.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 5.00 Becker. (PG) 5.30 Frasier. (PG, R) 6.30 Neighbours. (PG, R) **7.00 Friends.** (PG, R) 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) 10.00 Becker. (PG, R) 10.30 Frasier. (PG, R)

11.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R) 12.00 The King Of Queens. (PG, R) 12.30 Ent. Tonight. 1.00 Shopping. 2.30 Bold. (PG) 3.30 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 4.30 Shopping.

10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

6.00 Home Shopping. (R) 8.00 What's Up Down **Under.** (PG, R) 8.30 Reel Action. (R) 9.30 Camper Deals. (R) 10.30 Everyday Gourmet With **Justine Schofield.** (R) .30 What's Up Down Under. (R) **12.30 Navigating The World.** (R) **1.30 JAG.** (PG, R) 2.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 4.30 JAG. (PG, R) 7.30 NCIS. A technician's death is investigated. (M, R) **9.25 NCIS.** The team tries to verify the identity of a former sailor who claims to have served aboard the USS Arizona. (PG. R) 10.20 FBI. (M, R) 11.15 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) **12.15 Home Shopping.** (R) 2.15 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R)

3.10 JAG. (PG, R)

SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. 6.30 ABC America This Week. 7.30 France 24 English News. 8.00 DD India News Hour. 9.00 Destination Flavour. 9.20 Curious Traveller. (PG, R) 10.20 Matched. (PG, R) 11.10 Scandinavia, New Series, 12.10 BBC News At Ten. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS News Weekend. 1.30 Al Jazeera News Hour. 2.00 The Body On Somerton Beach. (M, R) 2.45 Travel Shooters. (PG) 3.20 Going Places. (R) 3.50 The Cook Up. (R) 4.20 Mystery Of The Puzzling Pyramids Egypt. (PG, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

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6.00 Mastermind Australia. Presented by Marc Fennell.

6.30 **SBS World News.**

Milan With Michael Portillo. 7.35 Michael Portillo comes faceto-face with a lion. (PG)

8.25 Big Fat Quiz Of Everything. Guests include Harry Hill, David Mitchell, Roisin Conaty, Sophie Willan, Josh Pugh and Fatiha El-Ghorri. (M)

10.05 Rock Legends: Queen. Charts rock band Queen's rise to fame. (PG, R)

10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Classified. New Series. Two people deal with a shooting. (MA15+)

11.50 Infiniti. Baikonur greenlights Anna's space mission. (MA15+, R)

1.55 Son Of. (MA15+, R) Paul O'Grady's Little 3.35

Heroes. (PG, R)
Paul O'Grady's Little 4.05

Heroes. (PG, R) 4.35 Bamay. (R)

NHK World English 5.00 News Morning.

ANC Philippines The 5.30 World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 WorldWatch. 6.50 The 77 Percent. 7.20 WorldWatch. 8.10 APAC Weekly. 8.40 DW Euromaxx. (PG) 9.30 Small Business Secrets. (PG) **10.05** The Movie Show. (M) 12.15 France 24 English News. 12.45 Most Expensivest. (M) 1.40 Devoured. (M) 2.35 Wine Lovers' Guide. 3.05 BBC News At Ten. 3.25 ABC World News Tonight. 3.55 ABC America This Week. **4.50** PBS News Weekend. 5.20 Alone: Frozen. (PG) 6.10 Mysteries From Above. (PG) **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.30** News. **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats. (M) 8.30 UFOs: Investigating The Unknown. (PG)
9.25 Music Videos That Shaped The 80s. (M) **10.30** Alone Australia. (M) **11.40** Fuzoku: The World Of Sex Entertainment In Japan. (MA15+) **12.45** Threesome. (MA15+) **1.15** Threesome. (M) **1.45** QAnon: The Search For Q. (MA15+) 2.40 NHK World English News. 5.00 Al Jazeera.

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

6.00 Lara. (2019) Continued. (German, PG, R)
7.05 Rabbit-Proof Fence. **(2002)** (PG, R) 8.50 Funny Face. (1957) (G, R) 10.45 Joyride. (2022) (M, R) 12.35 Larry Crowne. (2011) (M, R) 5 Farth To Echo. (4.05 The Band's Visit. (2007) (Arabic, PG, R) 5.40 All Quiet On The Western Front. (1979) (PG, R)

8.30 Recon. (2019) Alexander Ludwig, Chris Brochu. In the final days of World War II, four American soldiers are sent on a reconnaissance mission. (MA15+, R)

10.20 Unknown Soldier. (2017) Eero Aho. (Finnish, MA15+, R) 12.50 Hearts And Bones.

(2019) (M, R) 2.50 Truth. (2015) (R)

5.10 All Quiet On The Western Front. (1979) (PG, R)

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Australian Story. (R) 10.30 Compass. (PG, R) 11.00 The Weekly With Charlie

Pickering. (PG, R) **11.30 Space 22**. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Call The Midwife. (PG, R)

2.00 Restoration Australia. (R) Claire Hooper's House Of Games. (R)

3.30 **Grand Designs New** Zealand. (R) Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 4.15

A Bite To Eat With Alice. 5.00

5.30 Antiques Roadshow. (R)

6.30 Claire Hooper's House Of Games.

Federal Election 6.55 Announcement. (R)

7.00 **ABC News.** 7.30 7.30.

8.00 Foreign Correspondent.
International affairs program. 8.30 **Creative Types With Virginia**

Trioli: Jenny Kee. Virginia Trioli meets Jenny Kee. (PG) 9.00 Swingers: How To Win An **Election.** Casey Briggs looks

at swing voters. The Assembly: Anthony 9.30 Albanese. The students interview PM Anthony Albanese. (PG, R)

10.15 The ABC Of... (M, R) 10.45 ABC Late News.

11.00 The Business. (R) 11.15 Four Corners. (R)

12.00 Media Watch. (PG, R) 12.20 Grand Designs New Zealand. (R)

Long Lost Family. (PG, R)

1.50 **Rage.** (MA15+) **Parkinson In** 3.45

Australia. (M, R) **Gardening Australia.** (R)

5.30 7.30. (R)

6.00 Seven News. the line. (PG)

Farmer Wants A Wife. The 7.30 search for love continues as two more farmers go speed

9.05 Doc. New Series. When Chief of Internal Medicine Dr Amy Larsen suffers a catastrophic brain injury, her life is turned upside down. Determined to she charts a new path forward. (M)

expert panel tackles the biggest AFL topics. (R)

11.05 The Irrational. Alec and Rose infiltrate a community theatre production. (M)

12.05 The Act. Dee Dee and Gypsy each attract charming men. (MA15+, R) **Travel Oz.** (PG, R) 1.15

5.00 The latest news, sport and weather.

5.30 Sunrise.

ABC FAMILY [CH22]

6.00 Children's Programs. 3.30 Wiggle. 3.40 Mecha Builders. 3.55 Andy's Safari Adventures. 4.10 Kiri And Lou. 4.15 Millie Magnificent. 4.25 Builder Brothers Dream Factory. 4.40 Vida The Vet. 4.50 Bluey. 5.00 Peppa Pig. 5.10 Pfffirates. 5.20 Kangaroo Beach. 5.35 Fireman Sam. 5.45 Tish Tash. 5.50 Paddington. 6.05 PJ Masks Power Heroes. 6.15 Bluey. 6.25 Octonauts: Above And Beyond. 6.35 Hey Duggee. **6.40** Kiri And Lou. **6.45** Ben And Holly. 7.00 Supertato. 7.05 Dino Dex. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. **7.50** The Inbestigators. **8.05** Operation Ouch! (PG) **8.35** BTN Newsbreak. 8.40 Deadly 60. 9.10 Ice Age. (PG) 9.55 Merlin. (PG) 10.40 MythBusters "There's Your Problem!". (PG) 11.05 Officially Amazing. (PG) 11.35 Operation Ouch! (PG) 12.05 Late Programs.

ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]

6.00 Children's Programs. **7.40** Miraculous. (G) **8.05** Total DramaRama. (G) 8.15 Teen Titans Go! (PG) 8.25 Pokémon: Diamond And Pearl. (G) 8.45 The Powerpuff Girls. (G) 9.10 Miraculous. (PG) 9.30 Scooby-Doo And Guess Who? (PG) Cool. Scooby-Doo! (G) 10: We Bare Bears. (G) 10.35 Total Drama Island. (PG) 11.05 My Family. (PG) 11.35 Breeders. (M) 12.00 Gavin & Stacey. (M) 12.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) 2.05 ER. (M) 2.45 Doctor Who. (PG) 3.40 A Bite To Eat. (G) 4.05 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 4.35 MythBusters. (PG) 5.30 Heartbreak High. (PG) **7.00** My Family. (PG) **7.30** QI. (M) 8.00 Would I Lie To You? (PG) 8.30 The Cleaner. (M) 9.00 Fresh Blood: Westerners. (M) 9.35 ER. (M) 10.20 Friday Night Dinner. (M) 10.45 Breeders. (M) 11.10 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (PG) 11.50 Rage. (MA15+) 12.55 Late Programs.

SEVEN [CH7, 6]

6.00 Sunrise. News, sport and weather.

The Morning Show. The 9.00 latest news and views. (PG) 12.00 Seven's National

News At Noon. To Be Advised. Beat The Chasers UK. Contestants take on The

Chasers for the chance to lay claim to the prize pool. (R) Seven News At 4.

The Chase Australia. Contestants race to answer quiz questions correctly to avoid being caught by The Chaser.

Home And Away. A life is on

dating. (PG)

once again practice medicine,

10.05 The Agenda Setters. An

2.00 Home Shopping. (R)

NBC Today. Sunrise Early News.

7TWO [CH72, 62]

6.00 Shopping. 6.30 Escape To The Country. 7.30 Harry's Practice. 8.00 Million Dollar Minute. 9.00 Medical Emergency. (PG) 9.30 NBC Today. 12.00 Better Homes. 1.00 Escape To The Country. (R) 2.00 Creek To Coast. (R) 2.30 My Greek Odyssey. (PG, R) **3.30** Harry's Practice. (R) **4.00** Medical Emergency. (PG, R) 4.30 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.30 Escape To The Country. (R) 6.30 Bargain Hunt. **7.30 Ludwig.** (M, R) **8.45 Foyle's War.** (M, R) 10.55 The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R) 11.55 Bargain Hunt. (R) **12.55** One Road: Great Australian Road Trips. 2.00 Harry's Practice. 2.30 Medical Emergency. (PG) 3.00 Better Homes. 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. 5.00 My Greek Odyssey. (PG)

7MATE [CH74, 60]

6.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. (PG) **7.00** My Fishing Place. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. (G) 8.00 Motor Racing. NDRC Nitro Funny Cars. Round 3. Highlights. 9.00 Mountain Men. (PG) 10.00 Swamp People: Serpent Invasion. (PG) 11.00 Storage Wars. (PG) 11.30 American P Best Of. (PG) 12.30 Pawn Stars. (PG) 1.30 Outback Opal Hunters. (PG) 2.30 Gem Hunters Down Under. (PG) 3.30 Duck Dynasty. (PG) 4.00 Mountain Men. (PG) 5.00 American Resto. (PG) 5.30 Storage Wars. (PG) **6.00** American Pickers. (PG) **7.00** The Agenda Setters. 8.00 Outback Truckers. (PG) 9.00 Outback Truckers. (M) 10.00 Railroad Australia. (PG) 11.00 Deadliest Roads. (M) 12.00 American Resto. (PG) **12.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **1.00** American Pickers. (PG) 2.00 Pawn Stars. (PG) 3.00 Outback Truckers. (PG) 4.00 Late Programs.

NINE [CH9, 8]

6.00 Today. Today Extra. A mix of topical 9.00 issues. (PG)

11.30 9News Morning. 12.00 Movie: Love In Zion **National: A National Park** Romance. (2023) Cindy Busby. A woman finds love in Zion. (PG)

2.00 Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG)

Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R) **4.00 9News Afternoon**.

Tipping Point Australia. 5.00 Hosted by Todd Woodbridge. (PG)

6.00 9News.

7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 **Tipping Point: Travel** Guides. New Series. Hosted

by Todd Woodbridge. 9.00 Footy Classified. A team of footy experts tackles the AFL's big issues and

controversies. (M) 10.00 9News Late.

10.30 Australian Crime Stories: Killing Florence. Takes a look at the murder of Florence Broadhurst. (M, R)

11.40 The Equalizer. An operative kills a group of researchers. (MA15+, R)

12.30 Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R) 9Honey Hacks. Presented by

Shelly Horton. (PG) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
Building Ideas. (PG, R)

TV Shop: Home

Shopping. (R) Believer's Voice Of Victory. Religious program. (PG)

A Current Affair. (R) **Today Early News.** 5.00

5.30 Today.

9GEM [CH92, 81]

6.00 Gideon's Way. (PG) **7.00** Creflo. (PG) **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 TV Shop. 10.30 Pointless. (PG) 11.30 My Favorite Martian. 12.00 Next Stop. (PG) 12.30 Dad's Army. 1.00 Antiques Roadshow.

1.30 Movie: Escapement. (1958) (PG, R)

3.05 Movie: The Sound Barrier. **(1952)** (PG, R) 5.30 Yorkshire Auction House. (R)

6.30 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 7.30 New Tricks. (M, R) 8.40 The Chelsea Detective. (M, R)

10.40 The Closer. (M, R) **11.40 Next Stop.** (PG, R) 12.10 Dad's Army. (R) 12.35 My Favorite Martian. (R) 1.00 Creflo. (PG) 1.30 Movie: The Sound Barrier. (1952) Ralph Richardson, Ann Todd, Nigel Patrick. (PG) **3.55** Gideon's Way. (PG) **5.00**

9GO! [CH93, 82]

Yorkshire Auction House.

6.00 Children's Programs. 6.30 Ninjago: Dragons Rising. 7.00 Barbie: Dreamhouse Adventures. 7.30 The Actually Really Very Difficult Show. 8.00 The Nanny. 9.00 Bewitched. **9.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **10.00** Seinfeld. 11.00 Motorway Cops: Movie: National Lampoon's European Vacation. (1985) 2.00 The Golden Girls. 2.30 The Nanny. 3.30 Seinfeld. 4.30 The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. 5.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 6.00 The Golden Girls. 6.30 The Nanny. 7.30 Seinfeld. 8.30 Movie: Real Steel. (2011) Hugh Jackman, Dakota Goyo, Evangeline Lilly. 11.05 Ghost Hunters. 12.05 Love Island UK. 1.05 Supernatural. 3.00 Motor Racing. ABB FIA Formula E World Championship. Round 5. Highlights. **4.00** Tom And Jerry. **4.30** Jurassic World: Double Trouble. 4.50 Ninjago. 5.10 Bakugan. 5.30 Pokémon.

TEN [CH10, 5]

6.00 Drew Barrymore. (PG) 7.00 Neighbours. (PG, R) **7.30** Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) **8.00** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.30 Deal Or No Deal. (R) 9.00 Lingo. (R) 10.00 Entertainment Tonight. (R) 10.30 Jamie's Air-Fryer Meals. (R) **11.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **12.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. **12.30** Family Feud. (PG, R) 1.00 10 News First: Lunchtime. 2.00 Wheel Of Fortune. 2.30 Lingo.

10 News First: Afternoon. 3.30 4.00

Neighbours. (PG) The Bold And The 4.30 Beautiful. (PG)

5.00 10 News First.

6.00 Deal Or No Deal. Contestants compete in a high-stakes game where they must beat The Banker to win a cash prize.

The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

7.30 The Dog House Australia. Glen and Cheri long for love. An 81-year-old searches for a companion. Louise wants to rescue a dog no one wants. (PG)

8.40 NCIS.

10.30 10's Late News.

Comprehensive coverage of local, national and international news, as well as the latest sport and weather.

10.55 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. (R)

12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)

Home Shopping. (R) CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.

10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

6.00 GCBC. 6.30 Everyday Gourmet. **7.00** Drew Barrymore. (PG) **8.00** Wheel Of Fortune. 8.30 Ent. Tonight. **9.00** Neighbours. (PG) **9.30** Bold. (PG) **10.00** Family Feud. (PG) **10.30** Drew Barrymore. (PG) 11.30 Deal Or No Deal. 12.00 Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 1.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 2.00 Becker. (PG) 2.30 Frasier. (PG) 3.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG) 4.00 GCBC. 4.30 King Of Queens. (PG) 5.00 Becker. (PG) **5.30 Frasier.** (PG, R) 6.30 Neighbours. (PG, R) **7.00 Friends.** (PG, R) 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) **10.00 Becker.** (PG, R) **10.30 Frasier.** (PG, R) 11.30 Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R) 12.00 The King Of Queens. (PG, R) **12.30** Ent. Tonight. **1.00** Shopping. **2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen

10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

Colbert. (PG) 4.30 Shopping.

6.00 Home Shopping. (R) 8.00 What's Up Down **Under.** (PG, R) 8.30 Navigating The World. (R) 9.30 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R) 10.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) 11.30 JAG. (PG, R) 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) **4.30 JAG.** (PG, R) **7.30 NCIS.** Gibbs and Fornell pursue the leader of a drug ring who supplied drugs to Fornell's daughter. (M, R) 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. Sam's friend Tom Olsen finds himself being hunted down by enemies from his past. (M, R) 10.20 FBI. (M. R) 11.15 Jake And The Fatman. (PG. R)

12.15 Home Shopping. (R)

3.10 JAG. (PG, R)

2.15 Star Trek: Voyager. (PG, R)

SBS [CH3]

6.00 DW English News. 6.30 Al Jazeera. 7.00 BBC News At Six. 7.30 France 24 English News. 8.00 DD India News Hour. 9.00 Cook Up With Adam Liaw Bitesize. (R) 9.05 Travel Quest. (PG, R) 10.05 Matched. (PG, R) 11.00 Scandinavia. 12.00 BBC News At Ten. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 Egypt Code Breakers. (R) 3.00 Pita With Vegemite. (PG) 3.35 Plat Du Tour. (R) 3.40 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **4.10** The World's Most Beautiful Landscapes. (R) 5.05 Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

TUESDAY APRIL 22

6.00 Mastermind Australia. 6.30 SBS World News. **Great Coastal Railway** Journeys: Dun Laoghaire To Rosslare. (R)

Great Coastal Railway 8.00 Journeys: Portland Harbour. Hosted by Michael Portillo. (PG, R)

8.30 Insight. Kumi Taguchi explores the daily realities and impacts of living with invisible and chronic illnesses.

9.30 Dateline. Looks at El Salvador.

10.00 SBS World News Late. 10.30 Living Black: Marion Scrymgour - Path To Success. (R) **11.00 The Point.** (R)

12.00 Guillaume's Paris. (PG, R) 12.30 Unbroken. (M, R)

Faking Hitler. (M, R) Paul O'Grady's Little 4.00 Heroes. (PG, R)
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4.30 Heroes. (PG, R) NHK World English

News Morning. **ANC Philippines The** 5.30 World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND [CH31]

6.00 TRT World News. 6.50 Indian Country Today News. **7.20** FBC News. **7.55** France 24 Feature. **8.10** DW English News. 8.40 CBC The National. **9.30** BBC News At Six. **10.00** The Movie Show. (M) **12.00** France 24 English News. 12.30 Movie: Subject. (2022) (M) 2.15 The Artist's View: Van Halen. (M)

2.45 Bamay. 3.15 News. 3.20 BBC

News At Ten. 3.50 ABC World News

Tonight. 4.20 PBS News. 5.20 Alone: Frozen. (PG) 6.10 Mysteries From Above. (PG) **7.05 Jeopardy!** (R) 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (M, R) 8.30 Guy Martin: Top Gun.

9.50 Aircraft Crash Experts. (M, R)

12.40 Shoresy. (MA15+, R) 2.05 NHK World English News.

10.50 Taskmaster. (M, R)

5.00 Al Jazeera Newshour.

SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32] 6.00 All Quiet On The Western Front. (1979) Continued. (PG, R) 8.00 To Catch A Thief. (1955) (PG, R) 10.00 The Hummingbird. (2022) (French, M, R) 12.25 Truth. (2015) (R) 2.45 Tourism. (201

4.10 The Kids Are Alright. (2021) (Spanish, PG, R) 5.50 The Scarlet And The Black. (1983) Gregory Peck. (PG, R) 8.30 Defiance. (2008) Daniel Craig,

Liev Schreiber, Jamie Bell. Fleeing the Nazis, four Jewish brothers come across a group of refugees in the forests of Eastern Europe. (MA15+, R) 11.00 Voyage Of The Damned.

(1976) Faye Dunaway. (M, R) **2.00 Recon. (2019)** (MA15+, R) **3.45 Joyride. (2022)** (M, R) 5.30 The Band's Visit. (2007) (Arabic, PG, R)



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NINE and Rugby Australia have confirmed the renewal of their landmark partnership, securing a new multi-year agreement that cements Nine as the home of rugby through to 2030. With the deal now to be ratified by SANZAAR, this extended collaboration ensures more rugby than ever before, giving fans unparalleled access to the game across Stan Sport, 9Network, 9Now and amplified by Nine's unrivalled suite of assets across digital, publishing, and audio.

Stan Sport remains the place for fans to witness all the major moments of Rugby Union, both here and around the world, including every Super Rugby Pacific round and the biggest international showdowns in a single destination. All Australians can unite behind their Wallabies and Wallaroos. with every home match and all of the Bledisloe Cup live and free on the 9Network and 9Now.

Set to make international rugby even more of a must-watch event, the deal will include the new Nations Cup, upon the final competition framework being confirmed.

This biennial tournament will pit the SANZAAR Unions, Japan and Fiji against the might of the Six Nations Unions in a nail-biting new addition to the global rugby calendar.

Since the beginning of the partnership in 2021, Rugby Australia and Nine have worked together to elevate the profile of rugby across Australia, significantly growing audiences – up 11 per cent on Stan and 17 per cent on Nine year-on-year – and delivering unforgettable and entertaining moments at all levels of the game.

Nine CEO Matt Stanton said "today's announcement reinforces Nine's position as the home of Australia's biggest sporting moments – bringing unrivalled entertainment, access and reach to fans, and the strongest and most effective partnership for premier sporting bodies that delivers like no other Australian media organisation can," Mr Stanton said.

"We know there is no better combination than the 9Network, 9Now and Stan Sport to grow a sport's popularity and deepen its connection with its fan base. "We are thrilled to extend our partnership with Rugby Australia at a time when live sport continues to demonstrate its ability to drive strong growth across streaming and free-to-air audiences.

"This agreement isn't just about showing world-class rugby – it's about delivering fans a world-class experience on their screens. Whether through live coverage, streaming, expert commentary or exclusive insights, we're ensuring every moment of Rugby on Nine is an unmissable event."

The partnership ensures coverage of the extensive domestic and international rugby calendar for the Wallabies, All Blacks, Springboks and Argentina, including The Rugby Championship and Bledisloe Cup, as well as the newly-announced SAAB tours showcasing the All Blacks and Springboks tours.

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