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Variety support crew James Chappel, Greg Spriggs, Leon Menz, and John Kniter prepare for the Bash this coming Saturday. PHOTO: Madison Eastmond

## Liberal Party discuss plan for wine industry support...

# UNDERSTAND AND LISTEN



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# Sessions examining the way forward for wine

MEMBERS of the Riverland wine industry are encouraged to attend information sessions being run by a peak representative body.

Riverland Wine will tomorrow and Friday hold 'Let's plan a way forward' seminars at the Barmera Club.

The sessions will feature speakers from Wine Australia, Murray Valley Winegrowers, SARDI, and Rural Business Support.

The sessions will be held at the Barmera Club, on Thursday 8 August, from 6pm to 8pm, and on Friday 9 August, from 7am to 9am.

Bookings can be made by visiting the website (<https://tinyurl.com/43vvzd4j>).



Riverland winemakers and grape growers met at the Barmera Club in February to discuss ongoing industry challenges. Similar meetings will be held again this week. FILE PHOTO



The scene in Loxton on Saturday night, when fire broke out in a concrete-floored shed at the back of a Second Street property, temporarily threatening neighbouring homes. PHOTO: supplied

## Saturday night fire destroys Loxton shed

FIRE destroyed a shed in the backyard of a Loxton home on Saturday night.

The local CFS unit was called to the Second Street property around 7.40pm, when the fire became noticeable to neighbours in the residential area.

Concerns were initially held for adjoining properties, as the shed – which had a concrete floor – was situated at the rear of the block. Fortunately CFS members were able to swiftly extinguish the blaze before it spread.

## Drivers caught over the weekend

NUMEROUS motorists were caught driving under the influence in the Riverland during weekend traffic stops.

On Sunday 4 August, Murray Mallee Police stopped a 24-year-old man driving on Derrick Street, Berri.

The man from Berri was submitted to a drug test, which allegedly tested positive.

The driver was issued with a three-month instant loss of licence and may be summonsed to attend Berri Magistrates Court pending a forensic analysis.

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On Sunday 4 August, Police stopped a 51-year-old man driving on Cooper Street, Berri.

The Loveday man was submitted to a drug test, which allegedly tested positive for illicit substances.

The driver was issued with a three-month instant loss of licence and may be summonsed to attend Berri Magistrates Court pending a forensic analysis.

## Camera footage leads police to thieves

A LOCAL couple were arrested in relation to the theft of equipment from a Loxton business.

On Tuesday 30 July, a business on Bookpurnong Road, Loxton, reported the disappearance of building materials and plants worth approximately \$2000.

Loxton Police attended a business

and viewed CCTV images identifying two suspects.

After investigations, police attended a Loxton home in which the stolen property was located, in addition to a quantity of drugs, drug paraphernalia and a gel blaster firearm.

A 63-year-old man and a 53-year-old woman were arrested after the incident.

The man has been charged with two counts of theft, unlawful possession, and possession of drugs and an unregistered firearm. The woman has been charged with two counts of theft and unlawful possession.

They were bailed to appear in the Berri Magistrates Court at a later date.

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# NATIONAL HOMELESSNESS WEEK 2024



Paringa man John William Mason has previously been homeless while living in the region and says the issue is growing among local communities. PHOTO: Hugh Schuitemaker. INSET: A tent that was set up last week by a homeless member of the community, alongside the Sturt Highway between Paringa and Renmark. PHOTO: supplied.

## 'Getting worse and people don't realise'

### HUGH SCHUITEMAKER

WHILE the majority of Riverlanders have remained comfortable through the past week's winter conditions, access to stable accommodation is becoming a concern for a growing section of the population.

Local individuals and families are among South Australians increasingly at risk of struggling with homelessness, due to cost-of-living pressures and low housing availability.

Paringa man John William Mason – who had previously been homeless upon moving to the

Riverland – has witnessed increasing numbers of homeless staying at local campgrounds.

"I came here about three years ago from Moroka, in Victoria, with my brother, and we lived on the river for a time," Mr Mason said.

"I was homeless for about five months. We struggled because my brother was very ill."

"First we went to Plush's Bend... then we went to Ral Ral Creek."

"If you went down to the river, you'll find different people in tents, because they don't have homes."

Mr Mason said awareness of fellow locals struggling needed to be

increased among Riverland communities.

"It should be recognised in the community that there's a lot of homeless people here," he said.

"You don't have to be a drug addict, or an alcoholic, to be on the river."

"It's got to be highlighted, because the problem is getting worse and people don't realise."

ac.care Riverland Homelessness Service regional manager Michelle Storry said a lack of affordable housing and cost-of-living pressures continued to impact vulnerable people in the region, with limited housing options available for

people experiencing hardship.

"Homelessness is the result of many factors and life experiences and can be quite different from person to person," Ms Storry said.

"Unfortunately, there is no quick fix to this issue, and it is not a unique challenge to the Riverland."

"What is important is that the community works together towards positive, sustainable outcomes for those facing hardship so we can break ongoing cycles of disadvantage."

Ms Storry said the country agency worked in partnership with people seeking support, respecting their individual journeys, and pri-

oritising good connections between services to help each person navigate their challenges.

With National Homelessness Week being acknowledged this week, the ac.care Berri Community Centre will hold a free community barbecue on Friday. The community is invited to attend between 9am and 11am at the centre, located at 5 Kealley Street, Berri.

If you or someone you know is at risk of or experiencing hardship, visit the ac.care Berri Community Centre, or call (08) 8580 5300 during business hours.

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## Salvation Army highlights homelessness among children and youth

A SALVATION Army report has revealed Riverland children and youth are at risk of the growing issue of homelessness in Australia.

Over the past year, the Salvation Army's homelessness services reported a 5 per cent increase in the number of people assisted

compared to the same time the year before, and youth services increase by 11 per cent.

"We're raising awareness of the scale of the issue and educating the community about what to do if they, or anyone they know, may be at risk of becoming homeless,"

Salvation Army state manager for homelessness Peter McGrath said.

With a total figure of 45,850 children and youth homeless in Australia on any given night, the Salvation Army report highlighted an increased vulnerability to housing breakdowns, includ-

ing violence in the home, poverty, and leaving school early.

"Children and young people should have the freedom and opportunity to grow up in safe environments. Most importantly, they deserve to feel safe at home," Salvation Army Youth Services gener-

al manager Natalee O'Brien said.

"The sad reality is that there are many children without a safe place to live."

Recently, more than 300 school students banded together to form the number 45,850 on their school

oval to highlight the issue of youth homelessness in Australia.

"With Homelessness Week coming up, we encourage everyone to learn more, join us in raising awareness and reach out if they need help," Ms O'Brien said.



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"The point of the trip was to get feedback from locals, including a roundtable on the state of the wine industry, about what an incoming Federal Liberal Government

could do to assist the situation," Mr Pasin said.

"There was a lot of talk about how the government might support expansion of the Export Market Development Grants, including larger wineries we find in the Riverland.

"This wouldn't be a solution for the current situation the wine industry finds itself in, but whatever we can do to help will be acknowledged and appreciated."

Mr Pasin said further resources should be directed toward wine industry support.

"The more Federal Members of Parliament understand the depth and breadth of the crisis in the wine industry, the better we'll be," he said.

"(There's) a view the problem has been solved by re-engagement with China, and I think that's a perpetration of a cruel hoax on



Barker MP Tony Pasin, Angove Family Winemakers managing director John Angove, federal opposition spokesperson for trade and tourism Kevin Hogan, and Riverland-based MLC Nicola Centofanti, at the Angove winery, in Renmark, last week.

PHOTO: supplied

Riverland grape growers, who need to know the crisis won't be solved simply through our re-entry to China.

"Were there to be a change in government, there would be a change of attitudes to the need to be present and listening in the community.

"It's only when you're in the community and you're listening you get a full appreciation of how serious this problem is."

Dr Centofanti said ongoing consultation with grape growers and winemakers was a priority.

"It's clear that Mr Hogan understands the challenges facing the wine industry here in the Riverland and he has

a clear vision and focus on how the Coalition will assist the sector through trade opportunities if successful at the next Federal Election," Dr Centofanti said.

"Importantly, we learned from industry leaders and producers who were loud and clear. They are calling for an expansion of the eligibility criteria for Export Market Development Grants through Austrade.

"People working in the wine sector know what the sector needs. They have spent their careers developing contacts and networks on the ground and can find opportunities and tailor solutions better than any government.

"Let's work to get civil

servants out of the way of industry and let those in the know lead the rebuild of our wine sector."

Mr Pasin and Mr Hogan also visited the Nippy's factory in Waikerie during their tour.

Mr Hogan said long-term measures to ensure the wine industry's stability were still required.

"There's a huge amount of pain out there, and this industry's issues haven't been solved by getting wine back into China," Mr Hogan said.

"The issues are going to be around for up to five years. I don't think the government has an awareness of how acute that is.

"The government has

to be made aware that this issue is there and will be here for a while.

"We've asked what some of the changes are that will help... something's got to happen because there's real pain and anguish out there."

Mr Pasin said ensuring large-scale wine producers remained viable would benefit the wider industry.

"There's a need to support growers... but there is also a need to support processors," Mr Pasin said.

"If we can improve arrangements for processors and exporters... that of course is a good thing, not just for the wineries, but for the hundreds of grape growing families that supply fruit."

# Riverland's meals in need of wheels

**MADISON EASTMOND**

MEALS on Wheels are searching for new volunteers seeking to give back to the surrounding community.

The Renmark and Berri branch of the organisation have been experiencing a shortage since long-term drivers recently hung up their keys. Five positions now need to be filled to complete the daily run of 68 local deliveries.

Volunteer Jenny May, who is retiring after 21 years, said the experience had "been really rewarding".

Since her husband Stan joined her 12 years ago, the pair have completed runs together and have been able to make connections throughout the Riverland.

"It's great being able to meet the clients — and they really love having someone to talk to," Ms May said.

"It's all about giving back to the community — that has made me stay a volunteer for so long."

Once cleared for a police check, volunteers are expected to donate between an hour to two hours of their time a fortnight.

"It's a service that is essential," co-ordinator and volunteer Rosslyn Dyer said.

"It not only helps with general health by providing good food and social interaction, but it can also aid in a wellbeing check — it keeps people in their homes for as long as possible."

Though the organisation is focused on giving back, Ms Dyer said it is a way for someone to "not only build community through connections with the clients, but also with other volunteers".

"The major thing I see when I co-ordinate the volunteers is the new friendships that develop between the drivers," Ms Dyer said.

"Some people have the same set partners for years, or have their circle grow when we take on new volunteers — it's great."

For more information, or to volunteer, contact Rosslyn Dyer on 0409 928 248.



Meals on Wheels volunteers Stan May, Rosslyn Dyer, and Jenny May.  
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# 2024 Bash Begins for the Riverland

## MADISON EASTMOND

TRAVELLING 3000km from Renmark to the Gold Coast, James Chappel, Greg Spriggs, Leon Menz, and John Kniter are one of the three Riverland mobile workshops preparing for the 36th annual SA Variety Bash, set to kick off on Saturday morning.

Completely self-funded and a free service to entrants, the crew will join the eight-day Bash journey ready to perform anything from a five-minute fix, to a two-day repair on the convoy of 72 vehicles.

Accompanying Mr Kniter — a driver and mender who is now entering for his 21st year — in his Nissan Patrol, Mr Spriggs said his own eight years in the Bash have been full of adventure and mechanical miracles.

"Sometimes we get to a lunch break at 8pm, or back to camp at four in the morning — if we ever finish one of the days at 5pm we're happy," he said.

"Our main priority, and what we try our hardest to do, is to get all the cars over the line."

However, if a car is unable to make it over the finish line itself, Mr Chappel and his ex-firetruck are the duo to call.

"When you can't get a vehicle moving, this is what we hook it to," Mr Chappel said.

"We can tow it to a service station or workshop. It is also able to carry the heavier tooling and equipment.

"However, nine times out of 10 we can get vehicles going again."

Inspired by his uncles to join on the fun and fix-ups, Mr Chappel is now completing his fifth year as a support vehicle for the Bash.

"It gets addictive," he said.

Driving a Toyota Landcruiser with his brother John who is undertaking his 14th Bash, Leon Menz is preparing for his 20th

year in a support vehicle. Though initially joining out of a passion for cars, it was the heart of the annual race that kept him coming back.

"A big part of it is the comradery... one of the best parts have been the colleagues I have around me now," he said.

"Also, once you get involved you see how much money is raised for kids in need — it is incredible."

"The money makes a huge difference — and it's not just the Bash, Variety have so many events that people can help out with."

Supported by Pubs with Heart through funding from the Independent Gaming Corporation, funds raised by the Bash will go to South Australian children who are sick, disadvantaged, or living with a disability. The 36th Bash aims to raise \$1.5m for children in need.

As well as its fundraising, the event will also work to bring in much-needed economic benefit to regional areas of South Australia, New South Wales and Queensland, through supplies, meals and accommodation.

The Bash remains our flagship fundraiser, which helps us meet the ever-expanding demand of our grants for SA kids in need, their families, other children's charities, schools, hospitals and community groups," Variety CEO Mark McGill said.

"In the past year alone, Variety SA has positively impacted the lives of over 88,000 children in South Australia through 244 grants totalling \$6.23m.

"And over the past 35 years, the Bash entrants have raised in excess of \$51m, which is amazing given hundreds of thousands of kids' lives have been changed positively as a consequence."

Mr McGill said that Variety gives a "heartfelt thanks to (the) incredible support



One of three Riverland mobile workshops, Variety support crew James Chappel, Greg Spriggs, Leon Menz, and John Kniter prepare for the Bash. PHOTO: Madison Eastmond

vehicle volunteers".

"Whose unwavering dedication over the years and tireless efforts ensure the safety, success, and spirit of the 2024 Variety Bash, (make) a profound difference in the lives of children across South Australia," he said.

"We simply could not run the Bash, and

in turn create such impact for children in need without them."

For more information on the 2024 Variety Bash, visit: ([www.savarietybash.com.au/](http://www.savarietybash.com.au/)).

Or to donate to Variety, visit: ([www.variety.org.au/sa/get-involved/ways-to-donate/](http://www.variety.org.au/sa/get-involved/ways-to-donate/)).

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Over the years: Leon Menz and Ian Gates with a Bash entrant. PHOTOS: supplied.



John Menz fixing the breaks on a past Bash vehicle.

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### Cracks widen for all

IT'S shockingly easy to take comfort for granted in modern society. We largely don't have to worry about being too cold, too hot, going hungry or having a bed to sleep on.

However, these are luxuries that, for a growing number of South Australians, are becoming less secure, with rising cost-of-living pressures pushing new demographics toward economic uncertainty – and in the worst-case scenarios, homelessness.

Often the issue of homelessness is convenient for most to become detached from, due to an 'out of sight, out of mind' mentality generated somewhat understandably by the numerous daily challenges we all face.

However, all data seems to be pointing towards increasing numbers of families and young people needing to seek homelessness support for the first time, particularly in rural areas.

Someone you know may be struggling at this current point, but are refusing to let those around them see it.

In the past week we've also seen reports home prices in Adelaide are set to overtake those in Melbourne for the first time in history.

This is a notion that would have been scoffed at by most in both areas as an impossibility just 10 years ago, and while as the country's fourth most-expensive city for property things are yet to reach the danger point of complete unaffordability, Adelaide is following similar trends in property as Sydney and Melbourne previously, which in the eyes of many have seen prices skyrocket for suburban homes that somewhat fail to meet the expectations of the price tag.

Where does this pattern end? How long is it until Jane Eliza property prices eclipse those in Mildura?

It creates an increasingly uphill battle to live comfortably, and without change to the cycle, it seems an inevitability that the idea of a 'middle class' demographic will disappear.

Some hallmarks of the Australian middle class of decades ago, such as a single income family household even being a possibility, illustrate how far things have changed.

Where does the solution lie? It would appear the value of properties – both metropolitan and rural – and the cost of food and utilities, will only continue in the current direction of upward.

It seems as though the time is fast approaching for some important decisions to be made. Would funding be available to put toward the construction of lower-cost dwellings to provide relief for an increasing number of homeless?

Can recent initiatives aimed at relieving cost-of-living pressures, such as power bills and school fees, be continued, or even expanded if needed?



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An AirCo DH-9, perhaps at Pyap West, early-1920s. 'Geddes' a journalist with the (Adelaide) Register newspaper rode in a plane like this, carrying mail to Sydney in 1922. Every Saturday morning Australian Aerial Services flew mail from Sydney to Adelaide, arriving on Sunday. Next morning it began the long return journey, sometimes with a passenger. Once airborne in the passenger-seat, 'Geddes' saw aerial vistas rarely seen in SA before. 'Adelaide from the air is beautiful,' he noted. 'The houses, like miniature models; the mathematical correctness of the streets laid-out, impressive, and the contours of the gulf, distinct. Crossing the Mount Lofty Range near Mount Pleasant I was impressed with the many beautiful shadow effects on hill and valley. I was surprised at the quantity of land under cultivation as we crossed the Murray flats, then the Murray at Swan Reach, having covered 68 miles in 45 minutes against a headwind. Trees, like small bushes. The river seen for miles winding its tortuous course from Wentworth. Loxton was sighted, and in the distance, Lake Victoria, heavy rains had fallen. There was a beautiful kaleidoscopic effect caused by the sun behind the clouds, while the variegated colours of the cultivated sections over which we passed appeared like so many delicate shades of velvet.' PHOTO: Westbrook family.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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### No future for local wine industry

I WONDER if the use of the title "senior local politician" in The Murray Pioneer (17 July) for an elected member who has held the position for four years reflects where the Liberal Party is at currently?

The statements attributed to our local politicians regarding the state of the wine industry and water buybacks certainly indicates a lack of research and perhaps just following party lines.

Information these days is readily available and the following is what I can glean.

Water buybacks for the environment is not directly available for Central Irrigation Trust (CIT) and Renmark Irrigation Trust (RIT) growers to participate in.

I assume that growers desperately needing cash flow have and still can sell to a speculator or investor, who then can on-sell it to the government at a higher price.

They can also transfer water out of irrigation trusts, at a cost, and participate in the buyback.

Currently CIT has 700 megalitres for sale and has sold 165 megalitres this month alone according to its website.

Somewhere there is a distorted view that growers selling their water will have a negative impact on the towns and communities. The demise of the wine industry for growers has way more an effect than water sales will.

Also being championed is the view growers need to diversify or replant to a wanted variety.

The average age of growers really doesn't marry up with the idea of redeveloping a block that can take years to give a return.

The current balance sheet of grape growers has banks questioning lending money to redevelop or to lend to a prospective purchaser.

The income and profit/loss presented by a senior viticulturist from the Australian Wine

Research Institute below provides the reality.

The figures below are assuming the price for shiraz will be \$487 in six years' time.

Keeping existing shiraz vines, the loss per hectare after 10 years is \$18,924.

Grafting existing vines to an in-demand variety after 10 years the cumulative loss is \$20,667.

Replanting to an in-demand variety after 10 years the loss would be \$72,829.

The least money wasted was to rest the vines and not harvest for five years, a loss of \$18,375.

The same paper shows growers that had a yield cap of 12 tonnes per hectare need to obtain \$514 a tonne to break even. According to Wine Australia, the average price last year for shiraz was \$200 in the Riverland.

Last year the average price paid per tonne in the Riverland was \$237 for red varieties and \$371 per tonne for white varieties. An average of \$312 for all grapes.

Previous reports for inland areas show a production cost of approximately \$400 per tonne when full production levels are delivered.

This year 287,075 tonnes of grapes were purchased from the Riverland.

It's easy to conclude that growers subsidised the wine industry by \$25 million this year. That's hardly a sustainable industry that will prevent our communities and towns' economies from collapsing.

Naturally, no one listens or analyses what is happening to family grape growers.

Yes, we've been told to access farm allowance.

Yes, we've had small-scale wineries helped.

Yes, we've had the Chinese market open.

But with three years of below-average crops, not bumper crops that our Prime Minister reported, huge cost increases and prices that are still falling, the reality is there isn't a future for the wine industry under the present condi-

tions.

Why do we continue to supply under the cost of production when every person that handles the product after the grower expects, demands or takes what is entitled to them?

TREVOR CHAPPLE  
Glossop

### Money pit on Riverview Drive

AT its 25 June 2024 meeting Berri Barmera Council passed the following motion regarding the Riverview Drive reconstruction in Berri:

That Council,  
1. Having considered Report 13.2.1 titled Riverview Drive Reconstruction as presented to the Ordinary Council meeting, receive and note the report.

2. Endorse administration to proceed with the development of Option 1;

3. Endorse administration to develop a project scope for Option 3 to be considered in the 2025/26 draft Annual Business Plan for a 'shovel ready' design to be prepared, which could be developed in the future, subject to external funding.

Cr Andrew Kassebaum/Cr Trevor Scott.

I am absolutely astounded and appalled by the above, for reasons I shall detail.

For the purposes of the information and rationale I am providing it is irrelevant as to who is paying the costs (Berri Barmera Council or external funding).

Option 1: Total cost of \$860,000 and approved for immediate start.

Option 3: Total cost of \$2,400,000 – yes, \$2.4 million – to be considered in 2025/26 as 'shovel ready' and good to go as detailed above.

Option 1, which is a "goer", is a like-for-like reconstruction, whereas Option 3 is more complex as it includes a 500mm road lift plus a walking/bike track.

Obviously to achieve Option 3, the newly reconstructed road – as delivered and paid for as per Option 1 – would have been an absolute waste of time, and more importantly, an absolute waste of money.

Because to raise the road 500mm you would have to construct on top of (or even dig up) what Option 1 provided at a cost of \$860,000, then add \$2.4 million, making an all up cost of \$3.26 million.

How can our elected members (mayor and councillors) even entertain such an idea, let alone jump on board and approve it?

It beggars belief, but is unsurprising given how I believe Berri Barmera Council functions.

Just remember the costly debacle the council went ahead with on Riverview Drive in front of the Berri Hotel and River Jacks Café.

Do the people involved disregard how to responsibly, prudently and diligently carry out their elected responsibilities?

Anyway, if nothing else, this has been a cathartic experience for me. How sad.

CHRIS PAGE  
Berri

### Homelessness Week 2024

August 5-11 is Homelessness Week, a time to make louder our plea to our leaders to join us in taking urgent action to end homelessness.

The theme, "homelessness action now," is a call to action – every Australian deserves a safe, secure home.

It is outrageous that, as wealthy as Australia is, we collectively allow the glaring inequalities in housing access to continue.

Mission Australia's new youth homelessness report revealed nearly one in 10 Youth Survey 2023 participants experienced homelessness in the previous year.

More than 220,000 households are waiting for social





VVFSA vice president Bob Ellis and Camp Andrew Russell co-ordinator Bob Haslett unveiled completed major upgrades at the camp last weekend. PHOTOS: Sebastian Calderon



New male/female toilets and showers at the camp, with disabled toilets and ramps.

## Upgrades for 'peace and wellness' camp

**SEBASTIAN CALDERON**

A VETERANS camp at Alawoona, outside of Loxton, has successfully completed major renovations thanks to a government grant.

Upgrades at Camp Andrew Russell were undertaken last year thanks to a \$695,841 grant received in December 2023.

The camp was built by veterans, for veterans, in honour of Sergeant Andrew Russell, who was the only Australian to lose his life during the first deployment of troops in Afghanistan in 2002.

Opened in 2005, the retreat is setup on 20

acres of land and is now known as a place to "get away from it all" for veterans of any conflict.

In a special presentation at the site, Vietnam Veterans Federation South Australian Branch (VVFSA) vice president Bob Ellis said "it was very competitive to get the grant approval, but we got it done and everyone helped during the building process by lending a hand or by giving us some really competitive quotes".

"Now that (the camp) has been refurbished and everything, any person that's a

member of the association can stay here and bring their grandchildren," Mr Ellis said.

"It's a place of peace and wellness and if you don't feel good, we'd much rather let you come here and do your thing than take your own life."

Renovations included, a new mechanic shed for veterans and volunteers to do technical work, new male/female toilets, showers with disabled toilets and ramps, a new meeting room and a new solar-powered underwater pump to provide water all year.

The kitchen was also renovated and a new

cabin was built so veterans can spend time with their families.

Camp co-ordinator Bob Haslett said "Everyone is welcome here and our aim is to help veterans and hopefully, save one life, that's our purpose".

"Everyone has done an amazing job and we are proud to have this space for all veterans who need somewhere to relax and unwind," Mr Haslett said.

"The camp is open to everyone and all you need to do is bring your food and bedding, everything else is here."



The new water tank with solar underwater pump.

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## Rotary Club to transform Waikerie's orange waste bins into street art

**CHRISTINE WEBSTER**

THE Rotary Club of Waikerie will refurbish some of the town's iconic orange bins that were recently removed.

Rotary Club of Waikerie community director Richard Hall said the club has allocated \$5000 in its budget to sandblast, repaint and seal at least six of the bins that were recently taken away and replaced with stainless steel bins with motifs of the 'wei kari' moth that Waikerie is named after.

"They will look like brand new," he said.

"They will be completely sandblasted and made so we can install them and lock them up completely so that they can't get in."

"They are not compliant because they are not big enough to be classed as a rubbish bin," he said.

Mr Hall said the small size of the bins had posed a safety risk to those who were emptying them.

"They were too much at risk from being contaminated, if needles happened to be inside the bins."

Mr Hall said preserving these historic bins would also enable the Waikerie Rotary Club to contribute to the town's street art collec-

tion, which is a key initiative of the local service club.

"Rotary has already invested in street art around Waikerie's Cliff Top walk and the Silo Art area," he said.

Former Waikerie Lions Club member Jan Duffield said according to the organisation's history collection the original orange rubbish bins were installed in 1981.

She said redesigned orange bins were then installed during the financial year of 1986/1987.

The club's historical documents also show that the bins were renewed with steel orange rubbish bins from 1989 to 1991.

An online petition to "keep and restore the orange bins in Waikerie", was also launched by local resident Mel Black following Loxton Waikerie council's decision in November last year to replace them.

As of Monday, the petition had 504 signatures.

Loxton Waikerie council director of infrastructure services director Greg Perry said to his knowledge, council did not receive a petition before the recent removal began of the orange shaped waste bins.

# Community opposition to removal of orange bins

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

A RIVERLAND West resident has lodged a complaint with the SA Local Government Minister citing "a lack of consultation", after Loxton Waikerie council recently started removing Waikerie's iconic orange-shaped rubbish bins from the CBD.

Local resident, and former Waikerie Lion's Club member, Vin Dowd said more consultation should have been undertaken with the community before council began replacing the bins with stainless steel bins featuring motifs of the 'wei kari' moth or plastic waste bins and stands.

He has also organised an online survey on the issue.

As of Monday afternoon, 90 per cent of the 342 respondents had voted against removing the bins.

Just 10 per cent of the respondents were in favour.

The original orange bins were installed around Waikerie by the local Lions Club, which folded last year.

Throughout the 1980s, they were then replaced with re-designed orange bins and then later on with orange bins made from steel.

Mr Dowd was a member of the Waikerie Lions Club in the early 2000s, with many of the organisation's founding members.

"They are iconic rubbish bins and there was sentimental value attached to them," he said.

"Many of the original Waikerie Lions club members, who have passed away, would be turning in their graves if they knew the community had not been properly consulted on the removal of the orange bins."

At the November 2023 council meeting, elected members voted in favour of replacing the orange bins.

A recommendation that council "make an allocation of \$52,000 to replace the orange waste bins in Waikerie's main street with

stainless steel and the remainder with plastic waste bins and stands," was moved by councillor Gary Pfeiler and seconded by councillor Sonia Fowler.

Loxton Waikerie council's infrastructure services director Greg Perry in a report to the meeting said the bins were identified as a "significant risk" due to sharp objects and needle stick injuries.

"The potential risk of injury is when emptying the waste bins, because it must be done by hand and the only thing that holds the deposited waste in the orange bin is a garbage bag," he said.

"The waste garbage bags are relatively weak and susceptible to tearing from sharp objects and (the) shear weight of deposited waste."

Mr Dowd said he understood the bins had posed safety concerns and needed to be replaced.

He also believed for council they were more complicated to empty as wheelie bins, nor did they have the same capacity.

Mr Dowd said after contacting council staff about his concerns, he was advised the bins had to go, as they were a safety issue.

"I strongly disagreed with them because there should have been consultation about what to do, such as remove, replace, or modify..." Mr Dowd posted on social media.

"I felt forced to complain to the Minister for Local Government."

SA Minister for Local Government Joe Szakacs said it was incumbent on councils to determine the extent to which they engage with their communities through consultation on local government issues.

"It's my expectation and the expectation of residents and ratepayers that councils will be able to gauge the level of community interest or concern for any matter and consult accordingly," he said.

"I encourage any resident who is concerned by this decision to reach out directly



One of the iconic orange rubbish bins, which as of Monday had not yet been removed from Waikerie's White Street. PHOTOS: Christine Webster

to the council's elected members."

When contacted by The Murray Pioneer after removal of the orange bins began, Mr Perry said replacing Waikerie's iconic orange bins was aimed at protecting the community, council's employees and contractors from injury.

"The subject of the orange bin replacements has been to both the Waikerie Ramco Recreation Grounds Committee and council several times," Mr Perry said.

"Council was made aware of an online post, (on) Thursday 25 July 2024, after the new bin surrounds started getting installed," he said.

Mr Perry said council was working with the Waikerie Rotary Club to turn some of the iconic orange waste bins into street art.



The new stainless steel bins with the motifs of the 'wei kari' moth that were recently placed in McCoy Street.

Re-designed orange bins being placed around Waikerie in 1986 by then members of the Waikerie Lions Club. Boyce Rogers (left) Peter Stephens and Keith Bird. PHOTO: supplied



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# Matilda gets Young Rural Ambassador guernsey

**BRIDGET O'DRISCOLL**

A YOUNGSTER'S work to represent agricultural shows across the state – including in the Riverland – has been highlighted with a major award.

Matilda Baumgurtel was recently named runner up for South Australia's Young Rural Ambassador award.

Ms Baumgurtel – who is also the Murraylands ambassador for the Loxton Show – was recognised for her art and baking entries at local shows, her work as a tutor and for her focus on sustainable farming practices.

The Young Rural Ambassador Award recognises the contribution young adults in rural and regional South Australia make to agricultural shows. The award has been supported by the Department of Primary Industries and Regions South Australia (PIRSA) and has been run by SA Country Shows for 25 years.

SA Country Shows' Jacqueline Francis says each year she is amazed by the talented and accomplished youth she meets.

"I look forward to seeing what this group of finalists achieve," she said.

"It's wonderful to watch them connect with like-

minded people and build a network that will support them as they continue to be involved within their show and community."

The rural ambassador awards have become a valuable succession process for South Australia's country shows, with entrants often assuming leadership roles within their respective show societies, communities and within the agricultural industry.

Elsie Johnson, from Peake, was named South Australia's Young Rural Ambassador, and accepted the award at the SA Country Shows Youth Presentation Night, on Friday 12 July.

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven said young people were the future of the state's agricultural industries.

"They are a core part of our regions, and are significant contributors to our economy," she said.

"I congratulate Elsie Johnson and Matilda Baumgurtel on their achievements along with all the finalists of this year's award and look forward to seeing them continue their bright paths."

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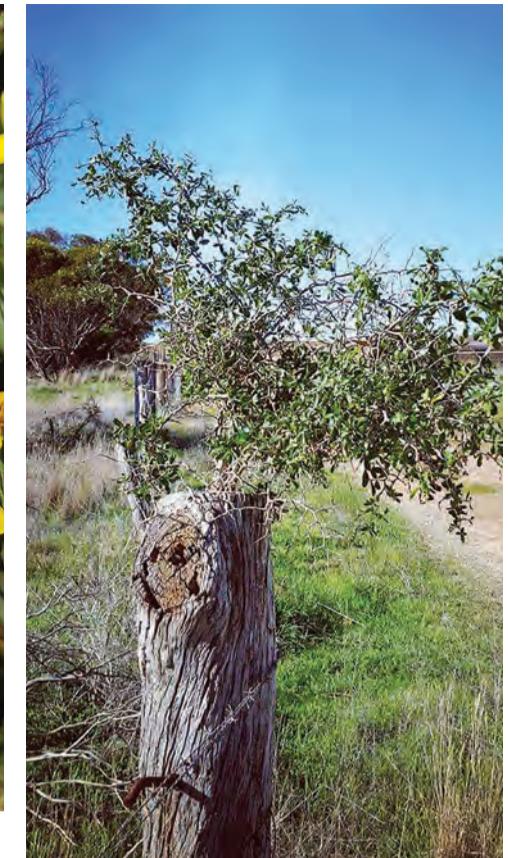
SA Young Rural Ambassador runner up Matilda Baumgurtel, who represented the Karoonda, Loxton and Pinnaroo Show. PHOTOS: supplied

excellent opportunities for participants to express their views, advance their communication and networking skills and develop closer links with rural communities in South Australia.

The 2024 Young Rural Ambassador Award state finalists included: Henry Williams (South East and Border), Rachel Frick (Northern), Elsie Johnson (Southern), Edward Lock (South East and Border), Hollie Preston (Northern), Gwendolyn Van Zwol (Central), Matilda Baumgurtel (Murraylands), and Mackenzie Wilson (Northern).



Boneseed is most easily identified in late winter and spring when it produces bright yellow flowers. PHOTOS: supplied



Boxthorns, a weed that will grow anywhere.

## Riverlanders warned to be on the lookout

THE Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board (MRLB) is urging Riverland landholders to be on the lookout for the three b's of boxthorn, boneseed and bridal creeper this winter.

With most parts of the region receiving recent rains, many pest plant species are expected to grow and spread over the coming weeks and months. Vigilant monitoring and early treatment of all weed species is essential to minimise the impact of weeds on native landscapes and productive agricultural land.

MRLB acting district manager Jamie Courtney is encouraging landholders to be on the lookout for African boxthorn, boneseed and bridal creeper, among other pest plants.

"African boxthorn will be evident in many part of the Murraylands and Riverland and the late start will mean that plants will likely still look skeletal," he said.

"Once a sufficient amount of foliage has developed, landholders should look to control outbreaks with herbicides. Later in the season, plants can be manually removed as long as there's sufficient soil moisture so all the root structure is removed."

Also widespread across the Murraylands and Riverland, boneseed is most easily identified in late winter and spring when it produces bright yellow flowers.

"Established boneseed plants can be identified prior to flowering with their distinctive serrated leaves – leathery on the surface and with a white cotton downy material on the underside," Mr Courtney said.

"Boneseed is a prolific seed producer, so

landholders are advised to treat older plants by pulling them out of the ground.

"Once removed, follow up with regular monitoring of the site to ensure no new boneseed plants are germinating."

Also able to produce a significant amount of seeds, bridal creeper is another winter weed landholders should be on the lookout for. With glossy, blue-green oval leaves, this perennial herb forms dense mats of vegetation that outcompete native species by blocking sunlight.

"Under the right conditions bridal creeper can produce up to 1000 seeds per square metre, with seeds viable for up to four years," Mr Courtney said.

"Control of bridal creeper is best achieved with on-going seasonal inspections, including additional control as required, and landholders are encouraged to contact their local district officer to develop a control program tailored to their property."

Mr Courtney reminded landholders of their responsibility to control declared weeds.

"African boxthorn, boneseed and bridal creeper are all classified as declared, so landholders have an obligation to control any outbreaks on their property," he said.

"Our network of district officers is available to help all landholders with weed identification and support to select the right control method for your circumstances."

For information and support with all pest plant and animal species, landholders are encouraged to contact their local district officer. See ([www.landscapesa.gov.au/mrl/contact-us](http://www.landscapesa.gov.au/mrl/contact-us)) for contact details.

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# Plan to 'restore fairness' at supermarket

ADDRESSING "supermarket price gouging" would be a priority under a Liberal Federal Government, according to the Riverland's Federal MP.

In a letter to the editor inside today's edition of The Murray Pioneer, Barker MP Tony Pasin has outlined measures to "restore fairness for consumers, suppliers, and for farmers", that would be introduced should the Liberal Party be successful at the next Federal Election.

Mr Pasin said proposed measures include the introduction of sector-specific divestiture powers, making the Food and Grocery Code mandatory for supermarket chains with annual turnover of more than \$5bn, and the establishment of a supermarket commissioner role.

Mr Pasin said "families and consumers deserve access to affordable fresh food, and farmers and suppliers deserve fair prices".



Barker MP Tony Pasin has outlined proposed measures to decrease anti-competitive behaviour from supermarkets. PHOTO: supplied



• John Forrester

## Mid Murray councillor Forrester resigns

A COUNCILLOR who represented the Eyre Ward for Mid Murray Council has resigned.

Mid Murray Council last week issued a media statement regarding councillor John Forrester's resignation.

Councillor Forrester was elected to council in November 2018, and served as deputy mayor from November 2022 to November 2023.

He represented council on a number of local committees and community groups across his time as an elected member.

"Councillor Forrester has a passion for the improvement and promotion of the Mid Murray region and in particular, the townships of Morgan, Cadell and Blanchetown and their surrounds," Mayor Simone Bailey said.

"On behalf of council I would like to thank councillor Forrester for his service and contributions to the Mid Murray community and wish him all the best for the future," she said.

A report will be presented to council at its 20 August meeting in relation to the casual vacancy created in Eyre Ward.

## Pasin calling for Riverland views on road conditions

THE Riverland's Federal MP is encouraging locals to provide feedback regarding roads and intersections needing upgrades.

The Liberal Party last week opened submissions for a national public survey surrounding the condition of roads.

"Australia's 880,000km of road network underpins almost every aspect of our lives," Barker MP Tony Pasin said.

"From getting to and from work and school, to getting produce off the farm and off to market, a good road network underpins the efficient and safe movement of people and goods...

**From getting to and from work and school, to getting produce off the farm and off to market, a good road network underpins the efficient and safe movement of people and goods...**

- Tony Pasin

and it's critical to competing in a global market.

"Motorists take responsibility for ensuring their vehicle is roadworthy and pay taxes and charges for the privilege to use our road network. In turn, a core responsibility of government is to ensure the road network is up to standard.

"As someone who drives over 100,000km per year on Barker roads, I know first-hand how terrible some parts of the road network have become. I'm calling on the residents of Barker to help shine a light on the appalling condition of

our roads by taking part in this national survey."

The national survey will remain open until 5pm, on 30 August.

Local road users can submit their views by visiting the website ([www.research.net/r/2HRHBV9](http://www.research.net/r/2HRHBV9)).

## 2024 Vintage Report reveals downturn in the national crush

DECREASED red wine grape production in the Riverland has followed a recent downward trend.

The recent Wine Australia 2024 National Vintage Report has revealed grape harvest numbers have continued a declining trend, with the crush result of 1.73 million tonnes falling well below an established 10-year average.

"This is the third vintage in the past five that has been below the 10-year average. As a result, we've seen the five-year average decrease by over 100,000 tonnes in the past two years," Wine Australia manager Peter Bailey said.

"However, the reduction in the crush doesn't necessarily reflect a decrease in the underlying supply base. There is no indication that the vineyard area has declined significantly, so the potential for a large crop still exists without active management of yields."

The overall year-on-year increase in the crush was 112,000 tonnes.

The increase was driven entirely by white wine grape varieties, which increased by 19 per cent to 722,000 tonnes. Yet, despite the 19 per cent increase, the white varieties crush was still 10 per cent below the 10-year average and the second smallest in 17 years.

The crush of red grapes declined 1 per cent to 705,000 tonnes, the smallest since the drought-affected 2007 vintage, and 40 per cent below its peak of 1.2 million tonnes in 2021.

The white wine grape share of the crush increased to 51 per cent – the first time since 2014 that the white crush has been higher than the red crush.

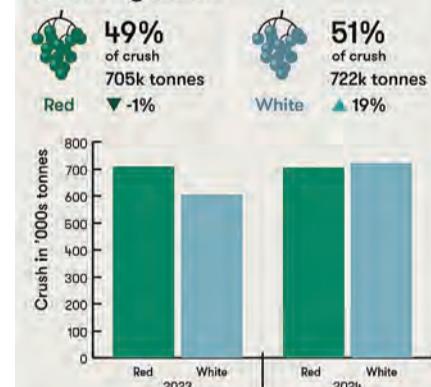
The overall reduction in the red crush is entirely driven by shiraz, which decreased by nearly 48,000 tonnes while most other red varieties increased. This decrease was not just from the inland regions, with the

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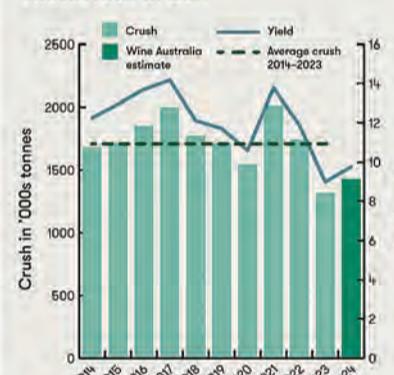
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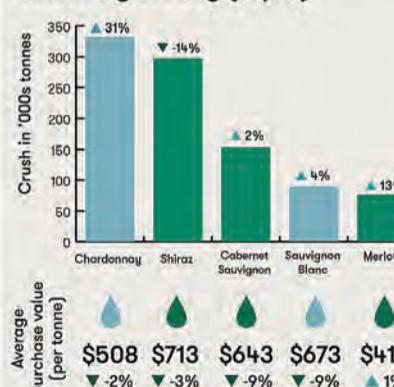
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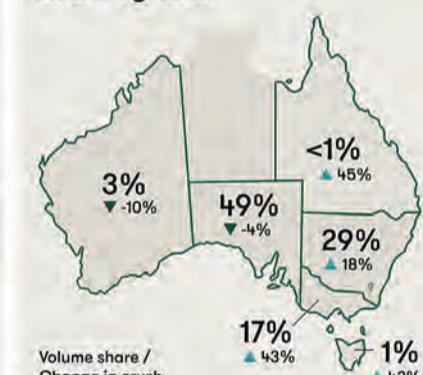
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#### Crush by variety (top 5)

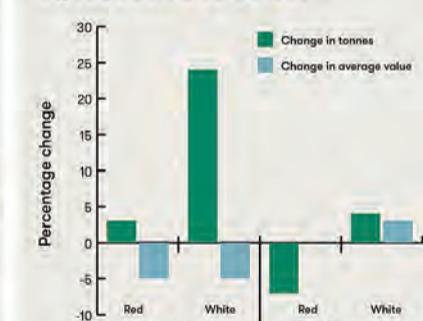


#### Crush by state



The recent National Vintage Report showed 2024's crush was again below the national 10-year average. IMAGE: supplied

#### Change in crush by location and colour



Barossa and Clare Valleys accounting for one-third of the reduction," Mr Bailey said.

"Seasonal factors have contributed to 2024 being another small vintage. However, the significant further reduction in the red crush can be largely attributed to decisions made by grape growers and wine businesses to reduce production. These decisions are being driven by low grape prices, significant red wine stock overhangs and reduced global demand for wine."

Shiraz decreased by 14 per cent to 298,000 tonnes – its smallest crush since 2007. However, chardonnay increased by 31 per cent to 333,000 tonnes, overtaking shiraz as the largest variety by crush size.

South Australia accounted for the largest share of the national crush size at 49

per cent. All other states except Western Australia increased their crush compared with 2023, with Tasmania increasing by 42 per cent to a record estimated crush of 16,702 tonnes.

The grape crush value of the 2024 vintage is estimated to be \$1.01b, a 2 per cent increase over the previous year. This was a result of the 9 per cent increase in the tonnage being offset by an overall decrease in the average value from \$642 per tonne to \$613 per tonne.

Across the warm inland regions, both reds and whites declined by 5 per cent in average value, while in the cooler regions there was a small increase of 3 per cent in whites, while the average value for reds was flat.

The overall decline in the average value

was driven by a decrease in average grape prices paid for both red and white grapes from warm inland regions, combined with an increase in the share of tonnes from these regions.

"It's important for growers to look at the price changes for individual regions and varieties, to get a true picture of the market signals," Mr Bailey said.

"However, the overall 2024 results, particularly the ongoing decline in prices for the major inland varieties, indicate that there is no shortfall in supply from the inland regions, despite the successive low vintages."

To read the full National Vintage Report visit ([www.wineaustralia.com](http://www.wineaustralia.com)).

# Flinders and council collaboration to benefit local health

RIVERLANDERS are set to benefit from stronger health services through a new Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Berri Barmera Council and Flinders University.

The MoU aims to foster more workforce opportunities through the roll-out of internships, work experience and graduate programs in the Riverland, and will explore opportunities for further collaboration between the council and university.

Berri Barmera Mayor Ella Winnall said the MoU will help council and Flinders University to share ideas to benefit the community.

"Flinders University already has a presence in Berri Barmera

through the simulation clinic and this MoU gives us the opportunity to explore mutual opportunities to enhance or expand education offerings in our region," she said.

Flinders University pro vice-chancellor (curriculum impact), Professor Chris Brebner, said the MoU sets a path for future education and workforce opportunities, supporting local industry.

"The MoU will provide opportunities for expanded education offerings at Flinders and develop the local workforce through strong collaboration with the council, including the co-design of our programs in the region," she said.

"The university looks forward to working with the council to develop and foster new opportuni-



ties which simultaneously grow the health workforce and meet community needs."

Berri Barmera Council endorsed the MoU with Flinders University at last month's general meeting.

Mayor Winnall said Flinders University's desire to expand in our region was "really exciting".

"We know how important it is to develop our health workforce so our community can access the care they need," she said.



"There are also opportunities to explore education opportunities beyond health education into the future."

"With last year's opening of the River Murray Study Hub, it's great to be able to work towards providing more options for tertiary education in the region so that residents looking to learn have choice in where they study."

Flinders University already has a strong presence in the Riverland, with undergraduate degrees in nursing and allied health in addition to the MD Rural Stream, which allows third and fourth-year students to be placed in the Riverland for their clinical practise.

From next year a new South Australian Rural Medical Program will see a four year, end-to-end Flinders medical program introduced in the Riverland, as part of an initiative to tackle the critical shortage of doctors in rural and regional areas.

This end-to-end medical program is the first of its kind in rural South Australia and allows rural students to study medicine in Flinders' MD course.



Wilabalangaloo Reserve will host the 2024 Dirt Fest event, on 18 August. PHOTO: supplied

## National science week welcomes Dirt Fest

RIVERLANDERS are encouraged to get their hands dirty to celebrate National Science Week at Dirt Fest this August.

Hosted by the Murraylands and Riverland Landscape Board (MRLB), participants can expect hands-on activities and discussions of soil microbiology and its vital role in sustaining ecosystem health.

Along with talks from soil enthusiasts, there will be presentations from turtle experts and community members involved with the 1m Turtles Citizen Science project. Locals will be able to learn about the world of turtles and the vital role of citizen science in their conservation effort.

The event will also mark the official start of the Soil Your Undies citizen science project. Receiving two pairs of cot-

ton underwear to bury in their own yards or local green spaces, over the course of eight weeks participants will be able to monitor the decomposition of the buried undies to contribute data to the understanding of soil health and microbiology in diverse environments.

Dirt Fest will also celebrate the recipients of the Riverland Citizen Science Award. These awards recognise individuals and groups who have demonstrated exceptional dedication to citizen science projects in our region, making significant contributions to environment research and conservation.

Dirt Fest is being held on 18 August, at the Wilabalangaloo Reserve, on the Old Sturt Highway, Berri, from 10am to 2pm.

## New grants to strengthen local businesses

RIVERLAND councils, businesses and co-operative groups are encouraged to apply for a regional grant initiative.

Applications are now open for a new round of the State Government's Enabling Infrastructure Program.

The program is aimed at building strong regional communities through support for infrastructure projects focused on improving life quality and attracting people and their businesses.

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven said

"I am very pleased to

be able to open a second round of the Enabling Infrastructure Grants Program to assist more regional projects".

With \$5m available, grants start at \$50,000 and can increase up to \$1m.

Eligible applicants, including councils, charities, businesses and co-operatives, can submit their expressions of interest (EOI) for projects that meet the needs of their regions.

"We have seen through the success of the first round of grants that this program really makes a difference, supporting infrastructure projects that strengthen and further build our regional

communities," Ms Scriven said.

The grants were established to support projects that have a start date within the next six months, and can be completed within two years.

The first round of the Enabling Infrastructure Grants Program saw eight significant projects across South Australia's regions offered grants between \$230,000 and \$1m.

For more information and to submit an expression of interest visit the website ([www.pir.sa.gov.au/enabling-infrastructure](http://www.pir.sa.gov.au/enabling-infrastructure))

## Grants for local environmental projects

APPLICATIONS for the Landcare Australia Community Grants program are now open to grassroots groups across the Riverland.

Coinciding with Landcare Week, the grants will support local knowledge to restore, enhance and protect their natural environment, increase biodiversity and help improve community engagement in landcare activities.

Drawing from a fund pool of \$300,000, the Landcare Australia Community Grants program will offer grants from \$5000 to \$20,000 to landcare groups and community-led environmental groups including Bushcare, 'Friends of', Coastcare, and Dunecare groups.

Eligible activities include: educational workshops, field days, restoring wildlife habitat, creating shelterbelts, installing fences, protecting waterways, managing weeds and feral pests, working with traditional owners and first nations organisations, purchasing plants and equipment, and installing signage.

Landcare Australia CEO Shane Norrish said "this new grant program was made possible by generous contributions from Landcare Australia's supporters and donations".

"This Landcare Week, Landcare Australia is excited to support grassroots landcare groups with funding for wider ranging natural environment

projects important to their local community," he said. "Landcare Australia plays a huge role in supporting the landcare movement and finding ways to help groups at a local level. Landcare connects people to their local community, and this grants program aims to help support groups to encourage volunteers to get involved so they can experience caring for the environment in their community, in a group where everyone is welcome and their contribution counts."

For more information and to apply, visit the website ([www.landcareaustralia.org.au/news/landcare-australia-community-grants-program-2024](http://www.landcareaustralia.org.au/news/landcare-australia-community-grants-program-2024)).



Riverland environmental groups can apply for grant funding through the Landcare Australia Community Grants program. PHOTO: supplied

## Donating can become a life-saving story

RIVERLAND families will be able to share their loved one's organ donation or transplant story thanks to a proposed change in current legislation.

South Australians are being asked for feedback on proposed changes to the Transplantation and Anatomy Act 1983, which will provide legal clarity for families that want to remember and commemorate their loved ones and ensure they can speak freely without fear of breaching current legislation.

Current regulations pose a limit on the amount of information families can share publicly about their deceased family member's donation or transplant.

Minister for Health and Wellbeing Chris Picton said "removing the red tape on the Transplantation and Anatomy Act 1983 is a sensible, compassionate shift which gives peace of mind to loved ones".

"There could be no greater gift to others than a renewed chance of life," Mr Picton said.

"We know one of the greatest ways to encourage people to donate organs is to

hear about other people's experiences."

Proposed changes to the legislation are aimed at addressing legal concerns while protecting the right of donors, transplant recipients and their families to remain anonymous.

Department for Health and Wellbeing Public Health Planning and Response executive director, Elena Anear said the changes would increase the visibility of organ donor benefits.

"This legislation is a compassionate change to make sure if a person makes the generous act of donating tissue or organs, that incredible story can be shared proudly with love – not fear," Ms Anear said.

New feedback on the proposed changes will inform the draft bill.

For more information about the draft documents and to provide feedback, visit the website ([www.yoursay.sa.gov.au/donor-stories](http://www.yoursay.sa.gov.au/donor-stories))

For more information about how to donate organs and tissue, people can visit the website ([www.donatelife.gov.au/](http://www.donatelife.gov.au/)).



Renmark Paringa Council recently opened the new playground at SS Ellen Park, in Lyrup.



A new playground was also installed at Bert Dix Park, in Paringa. PHOTOS: supplied

# Community needs at centre of new playgrounds

**HUGH SCHUITEMAKER**

MEETING the desires of the community were a goal of two new Renmark Paringa area playgrounds, replaced after being damaged in the River Murray flood.

Renmark Paringa Council

recently opened new playgrounds at Bert Dix Park, in Paringa, and SS Ellen Park, in Lyrup.

Renmark Paringa acting director infrastructure and environmental services Tim Tol said public consultation had been key to development of the playgrounds.

"The two playgrounds in Bert Dix Park and SS Ellen Park were damaged in the 2022/23 floods and to be able to successfully replace the two assets has been a great accomplishment for Renmark Paringa Council," Mr Tol said.

"While it was unfortunate to see

these structures be damaged to the point of needing to be replaced, it presented council with a great opportunity to deliver some much-loved new play spaces for the community.

"Council undertook community consultation to understand what

locals wanted to see at the two sites.

"The final decision of what designs were installed was put in the hands of the community, and we hope that this involvement instills a strong sense of pride in the new playgrounds."

## It's time to register your furry friends

RIVERLAND dog and cat owners have just one more month to renew registrations for their pet.

Local councils have issued annual registration renewal notices via text, post or email for approximately 423,000 dogs and cats across the state.

Owners have until 31 August to complete the renewals in the state-wide register 'Dogs and Cats Online' and pay any associated fees — or risk possible late fees.

More than a third of the dogs and cats registered in SA have already been renewed, including a record of 100,000 within the first two weeks after renewals opened on 1 July.

In South Australia, all dogs and cats must be desexed, microchipped and registered.

Dog and Cat Management board chairman David Parkin said it was important owners took the time to register their pets.

"It is encouraging that many owners have been so quick to renew registrations, but there are still plenty more to go," Mr Parkin said.

"Annual renewals are a great time to check that your pet's microchip details are updated with the correct contact details.

"For cats specifically, shelters have reported that 97 per cent of cats can't be returned because owners have not registered a microchip in Dogs and Cats Online and kept information up to date."

For assistance to register your dog or cat, please contact your local council.



The board's website has information on the state dog and cat laws, along with a host of tips for potential and current owners.

For more information, visit: ([www.dogandcatboard.com.au](http://www.dogandcatboard.com.au)).

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# Riverland school starters

HUNDREDS of Riverland children took their first steps into the classroom two weeks ago as the first intake of mid-year school students for 2024.

Almost 4400 South Australian children began reception on Monday 22 July, while another 385 government preschools also welcomed a second mid-year intake of children through their doors.

"Last year was the first round of mid-year intake for preschool, and this year we see those students enrolling at school midyear to start reception in term 3," Acting Premier Susan Close said.

"Our schools have embraced this opportunity to be innovative and install practices to support a smooth transition for children from preschool to school to set them up for the best possible start."

Minister for Education, Training and Skills, Blair Boyer said "it was clear after speaking to families, that a mid-year intake and more choice of when their children started school, was something they wanted to see brought back".



Mrs Rashelle Rucioch with Loxton Primary School starters: Samuel, Imaan, Kai, Victoria, Max (front left), Chloe, Jax, and Ian. PHOTOS: supplied.

"The midyear intake program, created by our teachers, will help children settle in,

develop a sense of belonging at their new school, and build skills as they start their learning routine," he said.

"I remember how nervous I was on my first day of school, but I am so excited for our youngest students to start their schooling journey."

The new bunch will join more than 12,000 reception students who started in January.

Children who start reception at the start of the year will complete four terms of reception, while children who start reception mid-year in term 3 will complete six terms — each joining an existing or entering into a new reception class.

Families yet to register for reception in 2025, either for the start of the year or mid-year intake, are encouraged to complete a registration of interest form online: ([www.education.sa.gov.au/primary-school-enrolment](http://www.education.sa.gov.au/primary-school-enrolment)).

School captains, Milla, Rian, and Will, with Berri Primary School starters: Taric, Callie, and Tori. PHOTOS: supplied.



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Kingston-on-Murray Primary School mid-year reception students: Thea and Oliver Hogg. PHOTOS: supplied.

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# red noseday 2024



## Riverland to get silly and save little lives

SILLY season will begin in the Riverland this week with Red Nose Day.

With the big day scheduled for 9 August, locals are encouraged to register an event, buy merchandise, or to donate towards the national fundraiser.

Every year in Australia, 3000 babies and young children die suddenly and unexpectedly from stillbirth and SUDI (Sudden Unexpected Death in Infancy), with a further 1 in 4 pregnancies ending in miscarriage. Red Nose Day works to raise funds to reduce SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome) through education and research, as well as supporting grieving families.

Red Nose Australia CEO Keren Ludski is encouraging

everyone to show their support by buying merchandise, registering to hold a fundraising event or donating.

"Losing a child is every parent's worst nightmare and it's a nightmare you can never wake up from," Ms Ludski said.

"Unfortunately, I know that from firsthand experience, having lost my son Ben to SIDS. Red Nose Day is an opportunity for every Australian to offer their support to grieving families and prevent more little lives from being lost."

"Every cent raised by Red Nose Day will go towards research and education to save little lives, as well as support services for grieving families."

"Anyone across Australia can show their support for

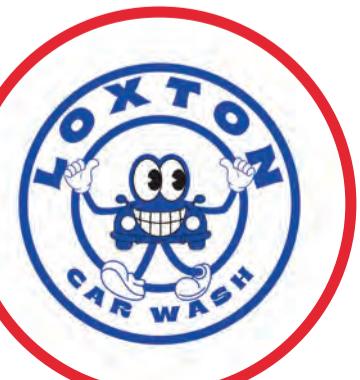
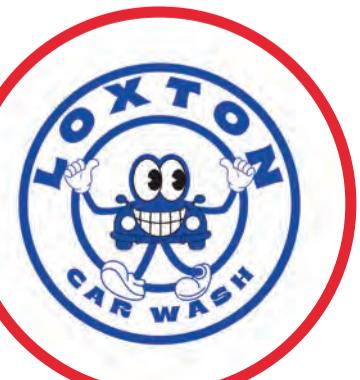
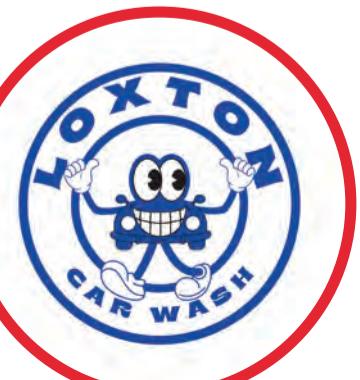
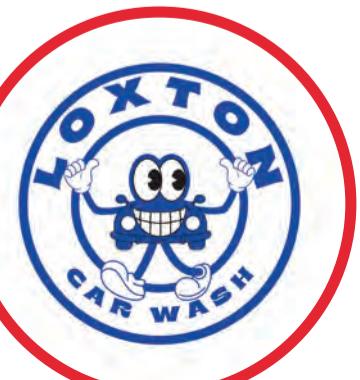
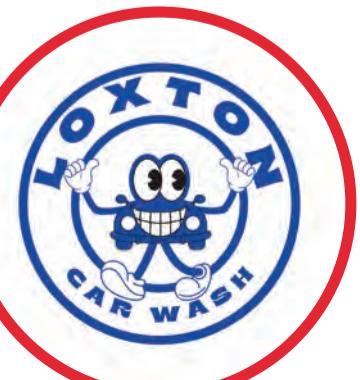
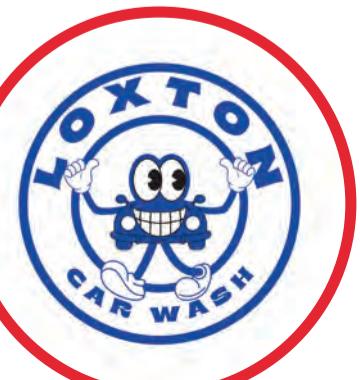
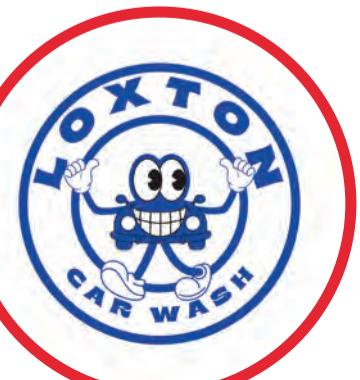
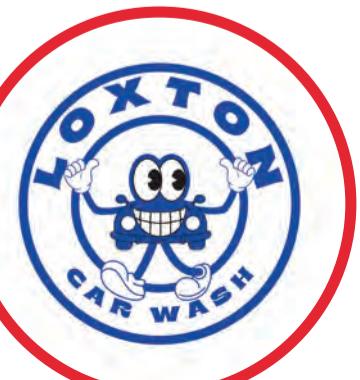
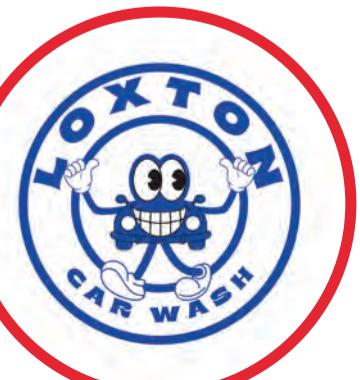
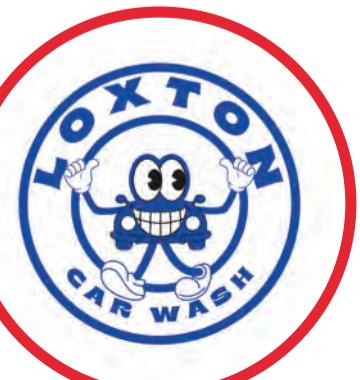
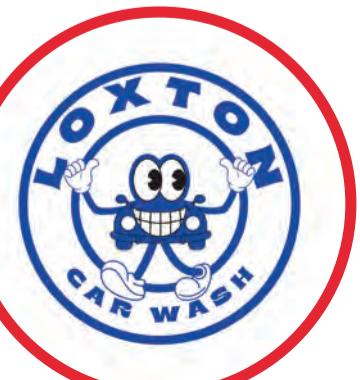
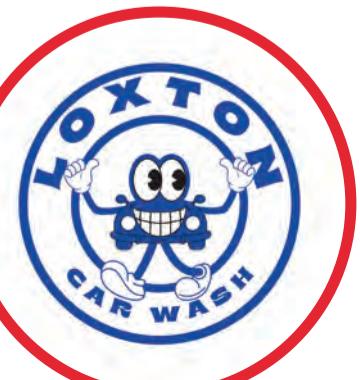
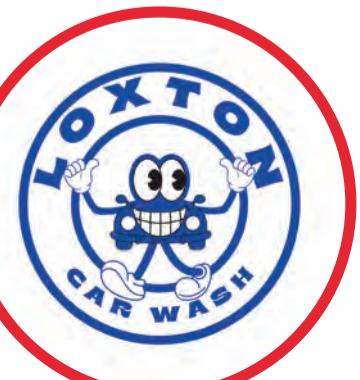
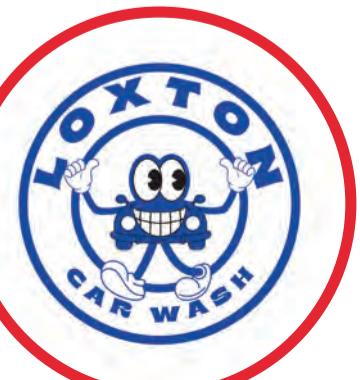
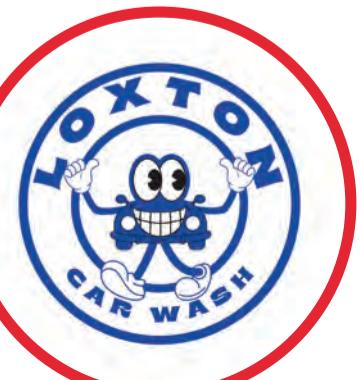
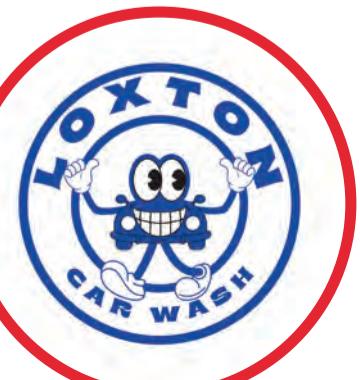
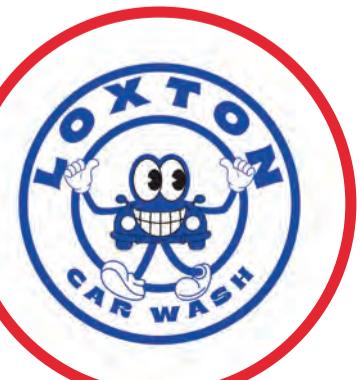
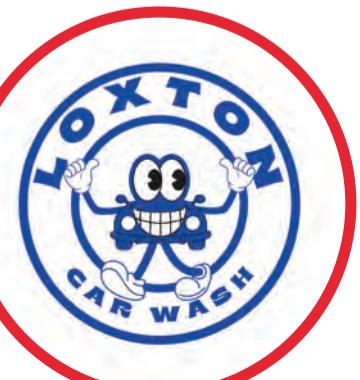
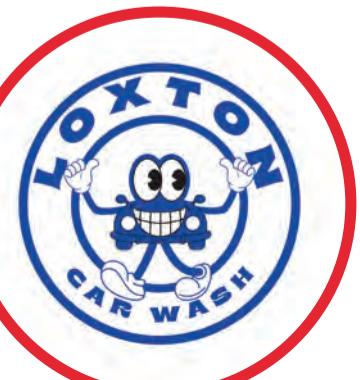
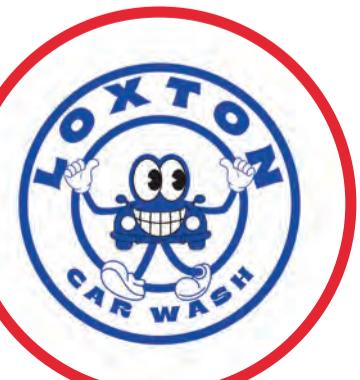
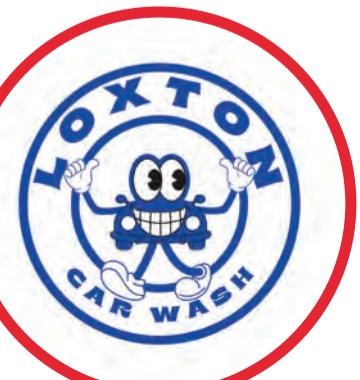
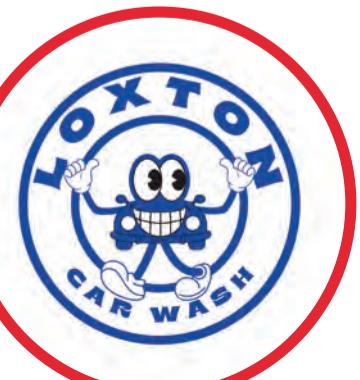
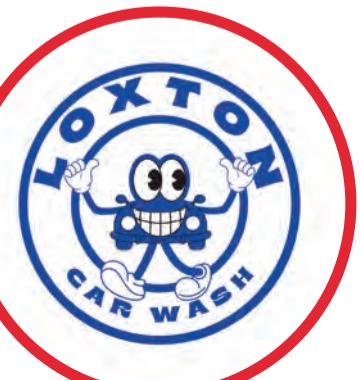
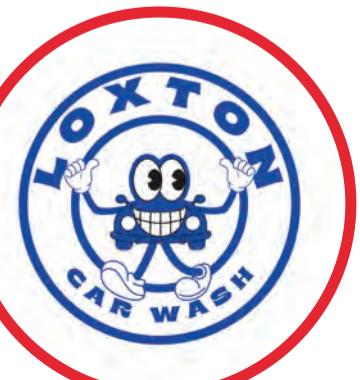
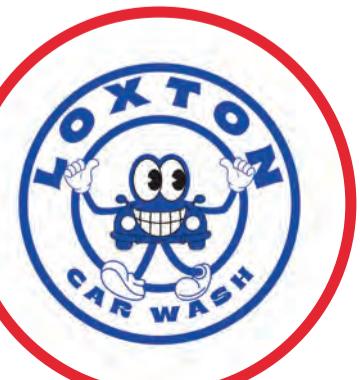
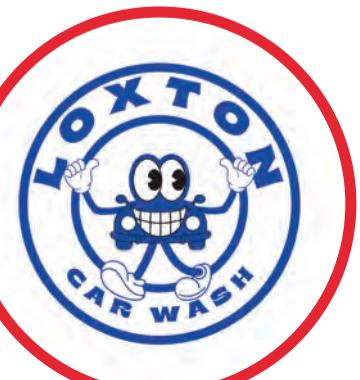
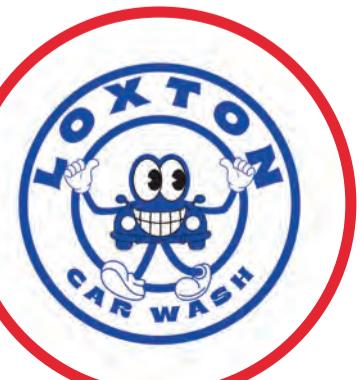
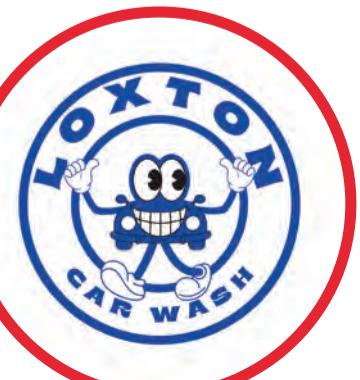
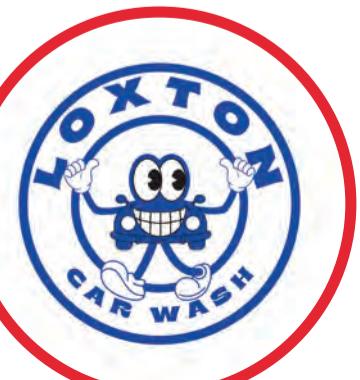
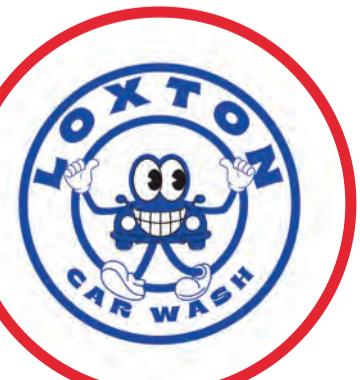
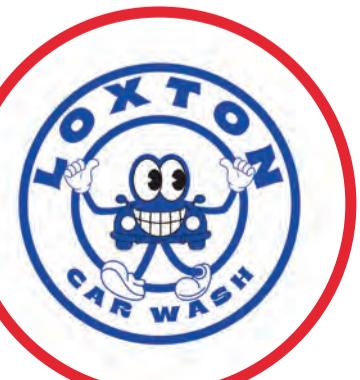
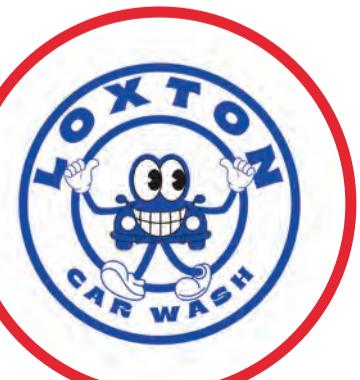
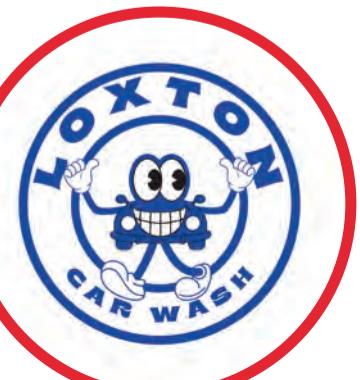
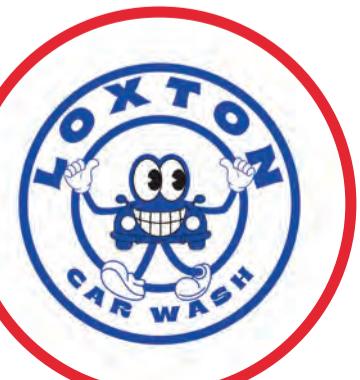
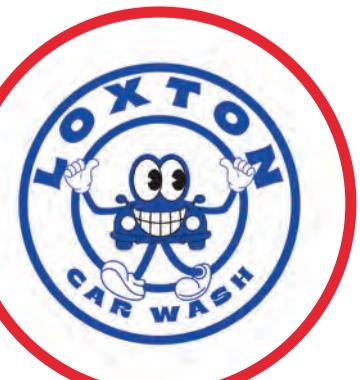
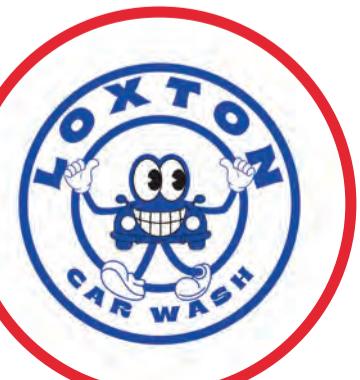
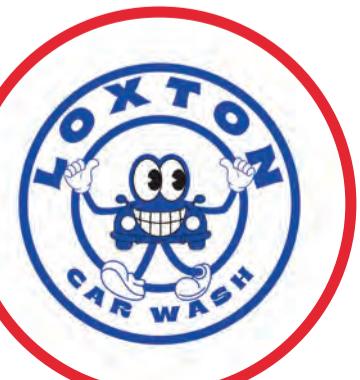
Red Nose Day by registering a fundraising event, holding a Red Nose Disco, buying merchandise (everything from noses, to plushies and totes), or simply making a donation. This year, the merchandise range also features a new line of limited-edition Wiggles plushies."

For more information or to support the cause, visit: ([www.rednoseday.org.au/](http://www.rednoseday.org.au/)).

Red Nose Australia was founded in 1977 by bereaved parents who wanted to make sure the devastating impact of the death of their child never happened to anyone else – by finding out why their babies died suddenly and unexpectedly, and then educating parents and health professionals about how to prevent it.

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# A stylish 38th for the Loxton Ladies Probus

THE Ladies Probus Club of Loxton 38th birthday celebration lunch was held at the Loxton Club, on 9 July.

A total of 52 members and 44 visitors

attended the lunch.

Members did a skit on the theme 'I'm a Loxton Ladies Probus Celebrity – Welcome to the Jungle'.



Jeanette Kruschel, Jean Bone, Janet Brandon, Pam Siddal, Jan Sheehan, Ulla-Maija Battams, Lorraine Formby and Veronica Milich.



President Judy Falting (second from left), presented a 20-year service certificate to Therese Eerden and 25-year service certificates to Mary Koch and Evelyn Obst. PHOTOS: supplied



Skit members Janet Brandon, Nola Schulz, Suzanne Coombs, Julie Hill, Beth Graham, Noeleen Milich, Val Cornish, Mary Koch, Genni Lehmann and Dianne Vanderhayden.

## Thrill of Olympics are in the game, not the sports bet

A STATE campaign is encouraging Riverland sports enthusiasts to appreciate the 2024 Olympic Games by supporting all Aussie representatives, instead of betting on

their performance.

Here for the Game is aimed to support local sports and community clubs to tackle the growing presence of harmful sports bet-

ting and gambling in the community.

Looking to disrupt the normalisation of gambling in sports, more than 50 community clubs have signed onto the initiative, which is being delivered by the Alcohol and Drug Foundation and is supported by a \$1m state government funding over four years.

Minister for Human Services MP Nat Cook said "unfortunately, sports betting companies may see the Olympics as an opportunity to capitalise on this excitement by targeting audiences that are more susceptible to sports betting." Ms Cook said.

"Sports betting and gambling ads are everywhere, and we know they are influencing young people by normalising gambling and making it seem like a fast and easy way to make money."

With the Olympics now underway, experts have predicted an uptick in sports betting, up from 36 per cent in 2021 to 41 per cent in 2023, which includes the increasing participation of different sports betting across South Australia.

The numbers show that South Australians lost more than \$424m on sports betting, racing and novelty belts between 2022 and 2023, a number which has doubled in the past five years.

Most children and young people have



never watched sports without hearing about the odds and roughly 30 per cent of kids have gambled before the age of 18.

Research shows consistent and targeted marketing campaigns by betting agencies as well as 24-hour access to gambling via online platforms, has helped normalise betting in sport and can explain growing participation rates.

"Most people don't talk about gambling or sports betting – unless they are boasting about a win – so for many, gambling is hidden and may be causing them harm," Ms Cook said.

"Gambling harm extends beyond the gambler to family, friends, colleagues, and the wider community. An estimated one in six South Australians are experiencing gambling harm from their own or someone else's gambling – chances are, it's someone you know."

The facts and stats behind sports betting include:

- Nielson Ad Intel reports that gambling and wagering companies spent \$310m on advertising in Australia in 2022.
- 75 per cent of young people aged 8 to 16 can name one or more sports betting companies, with 25 per cent able to name four or more. One quarter of bettors reported being under 18 when they first made a bet on sports.
- Men aged 18 to 34 are most likely to bet on sports online.
- Men are more likely than women to bet on sporting events – and are likely to bet more frequently and with higher amounts.
- 32 per cent of sports bettors in South Australia gamble at risky levels compared to 27 per cent of poker machine players, and 12 per cent of gamblers more generally.

Anyone interested can find more information about the program by visiting the website ([www.hereforthegame.com.au](http://www.hereforthegame.com.au)).



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# Optimism and change for the future

The beginning of the new financial year has marked the tenth anniversary of business for BVMS Chartered Accountants and they have welcomed Belinda Ebert as an additional partner to the firm, joining Ben Venning, Markos Stavrou, Paul Hall, Tim Bevan and Anna Kroehn.

Speaking on behalf of the business, Tim Bevan said that the business has experienced a remarkable period of development and change over the past ten years. Starting with small team of 7 and a single office in Waikerie, BVMS have expanded to a team of 13 with four different offices. With the increasing client base, the addition of Belinda as a Partner bolsters the firms ability to continue the delivery of high quality accounting services to our valued clients. Belinda has been a valued team member over the past four years and when coupled with the successful completion of a Graduate Diploma of Chartered Accounting during her tenure, her promotion to partner was an easy decision for BVMS. "When we started the business, we set a goal to provide a supportive work environment that provided our team with the opportunity to pursue a professional career without having to leave the Riverland. We have now had multiple team members complete their qualifications and have others still studying – so we're

very proud, not only of their achievements, but that we've been able to support our team as their employer during this time".

With three office locations across the Riverland (Waikerie, Berri and Loxton), a new Barossa office (Nuriootpa) coupled with regular visits to other regional areas of SA and Adelaide, the team at BVMS Chartered Accountants have all your accounting needs covered with a highly experienced local team of professionals. Paul Hall said "maintaining our focus on top quality client service and advice remains our priority. Communication with our clients is a critical part of our service delivery, and our team continues to embrace new technology to enable us to do this safely and securely. We've invested in new technology over the past 12 months and now operate using cloud-based platforms further enabling our team to seamlessly meet with and deliver services to clients in any location".

With recent improvements in the Australia/China relationship there is renewed optimism that forecasts will improve for wine grape growers in the coming year, which is great for the region with many different businesses benefitting from their success. With their "Locals counting on Locals" focus, BVMS Chartered Accountants are committed to utilising local suppliers within the



business. "We firmly believe that we need to support the businesses that support us, and endeavour to use our clients or other local businesses wherever possible" commented Markos Stavrou.

The team of Chartered Accountants and Certified Public Accountants within BVMS Chartered Accountants has a combined 80 years of accounting experience and are highly knowledgeable in all aspects of Taxation, Accounting, Financial Reporting, Management

Consultancy, Self Managed Super Funds, Audit, and Bookkeeping Services. "We have a great team of people within the firm and aim to exceed our client's expectations" said Tim Bevan "and with our network of colleagues we also provide solutions in other areas such as, Legal Matters, Finance, Investments and Financial Planning".

For more information contact BVMS Chartered Accountants on 8541 0300, or visit [www.bvms.com.au](http://www.bvms.com.au).



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# Funding boost for the state's recreational fishing programs

CREATING recreational fishing opportunities for more Riverland women and children is the aim of a new grant for a state industry body.

The State Government last month announced a \$200,000 grant for RecFish SA.

Minister for Primary Industries and Regional Development Clare Scriven said the annual economic contribution to South Australia from recreational fishing was approximately \$1bn.

"Recreational fishing is a significant outdoor activity along our coastline and inland waters and it is important to look for and welcome new ways to encourage new fishers to discover and enjoy the physical and mental wellbeing benefits that come with active participation," Ms Scriven said.

"These two programs, along with other initiatives by RecFish SA encourage participation and promote diversity and inclusion in recreational fishing, are strongly supported by the State Government.

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- Clare Scriven

fishing opportunities.

"I encourage anyone interested in trying out fishing but not sure where to start to take advantage of the opportunities being provided through these programs and other community engagement and education opportunities being developed by RecFish SA."

The Reel Women program is aimed at bridging the gender gap in the sector through the development of an inclusive platform where women from all backgrounds can come together to learn, share and celebrate a passion for fishing.

Meanwhile, the Reeling-In Junior Anglers program



teaches essential angling skills in fun and culturally appropriate ways.

RecFish SA's Andrew Harris said implementing strategies to diversify participation in the sector was a goal.

"We're grateful to be able to work with State Government to help secure this important funding for the South Australian fishing community, as we work to boost inclusivity and create equal opportunity for women in fishing by providing a fishing program led by women for women," Mr Harris said.

"The programs we run across the state encompass events, socials, classes and more that aim to break down barriers whilst creating safe and welcoming spaces tailored for women and kids to enjoy the best of South Australia's fisheries.

Further information on the Reel Women and Reeling-In Junior Anglers programs can be found by visiting the website ([www.recfish.org.au](http://www.recfish.org.au)).

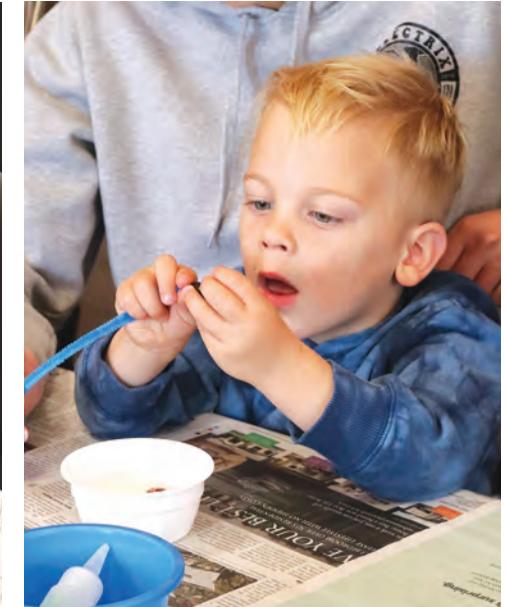
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Participants in a recent STEM workshop that was held at the Waikerie library.

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## Loxton Waikerie Library Service monthly report

THIS month Loxton Waikerie Libraries will be celebrating Children's Book Week Awards with planned sessions in the libraries and visits to schools and childcare centres. Nominated books will be highlighted and read followed by fun craft activities based around this year's theme: Reading is Magic.

August is art month as the South Australian Living Artists (SALA) festival art trail is celebrated. The Waikerie Civic Centre is holding the touring exhibition Hans Heysen Unpacked. The exhibition "unpacks"

and celebrates the life and art of Sir Hans Heysen, from his arrival in Australia in 1883, to his death in 1968. The exhibition will be on display from 2 August to 29 August. This exhibition was funded through the Regional Tourism Bushfire Recovery Grants program.

The Loxton official SALA opening begins on Sunday 11 August, where inspiring artwork from the Loxton High School will be on display in the Loxton Library, and a magical arts experience will be provided for children to make their own magic wand.

## BOOK REVIEW



### TOP 10 OCTOBER READS:

This is Why We Lied  
by Karin Slaughter

Every Last Suspect  
by Nicola Moriarty

The Lyrebird Lake Ladies Choir  
by Sandie Docker

Traitor  
by Chris Ryan

The Community  
by Christine Gregory

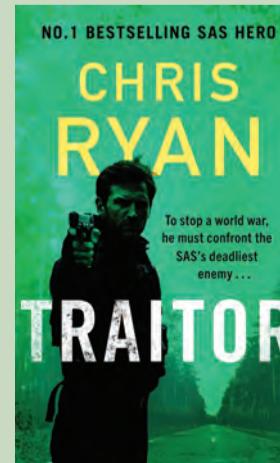
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by Santa Montefiore

The Wrong Child  
by M.J. Arlidge

Think Twice  
by Harlan Coben

Nero  
by Conn Iggulden

Down the Track  
by Stella Quinn



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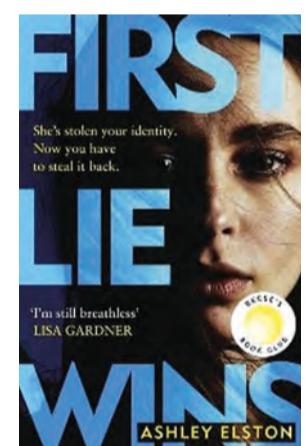
First Lie Wins

### AUTHOR:

Ashley Elston

### BOOK REVIEW BY:

Kim Schiller



and expose her precarious plan?

Evie barely has time to digest this newfound information when the imposter Lucca Marino is killed in a fiery crash. Having been the last people to see her alive, Evie and Ryan are questioned by the police which reveals an outstanding warrant for Evelyn Porter her current alias.

And so begins the game of cat and mouse. To outwit her employer Mr Smith, and stay out of jail, Evie must rely on her instinct, experience and some accumulated favours from past associates. She must also discern whether she can trust Ryan or decide whether she needs to cut him loose.

The novel weaves flashbacks from Evie's past, revealing her journey from petty theft to her current predicament giving the reader great insight into the path that has led her to undertake these undercover operations.

Overall, it's a thrilling read that will keep you hooked until the final showdowns.

# Don't buy a dud: tips to buying a used car

A NEW state government campaign aimed to minimise the risks and dangers of buying second-hand vehicles from unlicensed sellers.

The new advertisements, supported by the Motor Trade Association, are being promoted to remind buyers of any potential dangers when buying a used car from a private seller or an unlicensed dealer.

Prospective buyers are reminded that when buying a used vehicle from a licensed dealer, added protections are mandatory including statutory warranty, consumer guarantees and specific requirements for any defects – for example being a repairable write off – have to be disclosed before the sale.

Unfortunately, private sellers are unrequired to have these protections, which leaves buyers unprotected against scams.

Acting Minister for Consumer and Business Affairs Clare Scriven said "buying a car is a big investment and we want to make sure no one is taken advantage of".

"If you buy from a licensed dealer, know that you are entitled to a warranty and significant defects must be disclosed and if buying privately, always get an inspection and check the Personal Properties Securities Register," Ms Scriven said.

More people have been purchasing second-hand vehicles amid cost-of-living pressures and difficulties when trying to acquire a new vehicle, leading to a significant increase in complaints to the state's consumer watch-



dog Consumer and Business Services (CBS) about dodgy dealers.

If you or someone you know is planning to purchase a second-hand vehicle, here are some tips to have in mind when inspecting a used car.

- ❑ Do your research first, look up reviews from other customers and go to a recognised second-hand dealer in your area.
- ❑ Buying guides for the specific vehicle you want are available online and you can find valuable information about every make and model available.
- ❑ Before doing any inspections, check the Personal Property Securities Register (PPSR) at the website ([www.ppsr.gov.au](http://www.ppsr.gov.au)) where you can find insurance reports on accidents or if the vehicle has been written-off.
- ❑ Always have a qualified independent mechanic inspect the vehicle to get a real assessment of the vehicle's actual condition, defects and if they are disclosed and the vehicle is roadworthy.
- ❑ Take the vehicle for a test drive and listen for any abnormal sounds, vibrations or anything out of the ordinary.
- ❑ Check the vehicle's log-book and make sure it has had its maintenance done

at the correct intervals by a qualified mechanic.

- ❑ Inspect the vehicle on the outside and inside and look for any signs of accidents, recent paint work, oil leaks or anything repaired.
- ❑ Understand your rights and the dealer's obligations.
- ❑ Check the actual coverage of the warranty and see what items are included.
- ❑ Read the display sheet information and check that it matches the vehicle you are interested in.
- ❑ Check the dealer's licence expiry date and have everything that you negotiate with the dealer in writing.
- ❑ The car is automatically covered by consumer guarantees, so if there's a problem you may be entitled to a remedy – such as having repairs done without cost to you.

The campaign comes in after the State Government introducing the country's harshest penalties for unlicensed dealing and odometer tampering with fines of up to \$500,000 for selling without a license and \$150,000 for odometer tampering as well as jail time.

Anyone with concerns about a licensed vehicle dealer or unlicensed seller can contact Consumer and Business Services for advice and support on 131 882.

## Career opportunities through graduate program

RIVERLAND university graduates passionate about agriculture are being offered the opportunity to commence their careers with a global industry company.

Applications opened last month for the Rabobank 2025 graduate program.

Rabobank group executive, and chief HR officer, Belinda Webber, said the program offered graduates an opportunity to "pursue meaningful careers" in the agricultural sector.

"The program aims to offer significant career development prospects and foster growth in graduates' chosen fields of interest, while also providing an opportunity to be part of Rabobank's inclusive and adaptable work environment," she said.

"All graduates spend time at a rural or regional branch in Australia.

"Through this crucial customer-facing experience, individuals gain a deeper

appreciation and better understanding of Rabobank's distinctive approach to supporting our clients."

Graduates are sought from a range of business areas, including rural banking, sustainability, risk management, technology, operations, legal, business transformation and finance.

Each graduate would be matched with a senior leader within the Rabobank business to act as their mentor throughout the program.

Applications for the Rabobank Australian Graduate Program will close on 23 August with places offered to the successful candidates in November and commencing in February 2025.

Further information about Rabobank's Australian Graduate Program is available by visiting the website ([www.rabobank.com.au/careers/graduate-program/](http://www.rabobank.com.au/careers/graduate-program/)).



Young university graduates seeking to pursue careers in the agricultural sector can apply for the Rabobank 2025 graduate program. PHOTO: supplied



MP ON THE TONGS: Barker MP Tony Pasin lent a hand to Loxton Football Club volunteers cooking a barbecue during last Saturday's RFL action. PHOTO: supplied



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# Major Traffic operation in SA

MOTORISTS in rural South Australian areas, such as the Riverland, were among a total of 78 caught for driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol during a recent state-wide police operation.

Operation Stop Drink Drug Drive was conducted from Friday 16 July to Sunday 28 July and involved both static and mobile testing across rural South Australian roads.

The weekend-long operation returned 44 positive blood alcohol level tests and 29 positive drug detections with five additional drivers failing or refusing to comply with any of the tests.

Police also issued 56 immediate loss of licence notices and impounded 27 vehicles.

Officer in Charge Traffic Services Branch Superintendent Darren Fielke appealed to all drivers to assess their ability to drive before a police officer does.

"Operation Stop Drink Drug Drive is a key road safety operation that focuses operational police resources toward drink and drug driving detections around the state," Supt Fielke said.

## Driving under the influence. Not a game

A NEW police initiative will be aimed at drivers, including those in the Riverland, who consume cocaine before driving.

SAPOL currently utilises a drug test that detects methamphetamine, cannabis and MDMA, but from early 2025, cocaine will be added to the list.

Police Commissioner Grant Stevens said the effects of cocaine only last a short time but it can be detected in a person's system up to 24 hours after consumption.

"In 2023, 31 lives lost and 112 serious injuries on South Australian roads were due to a driver or rider testing positive to drugs," Mr Stevens said.

"The number of serious crashes involving drivers with cocaine has increased in the past five years."

"Between 2018 and 2023, cocaine was implicated in nine fatal crashes – this is unacceptable and it is crucial that drug testing includes cocaine to keep these dangerous drivers from our roads".

A central nervous system stimulant that accelerates the brain, cocaine hydrochloride has serious and negative effects on driving.

"We know that consumption of cocaine can lead to overconfidence and aggression, reduced inhibition, agitation and loss of concentration, delusion, and affected vision, all traits you don't want in a person driving," Mr Stevens said.

The drug screening has been in operation since 2018 in other states.

"The new drug test will reinforce our existing capabilities and become the new norm for our random drug testing campaigns, including the blitz operations conducted throughout the year," Mr Stevens said.

A recent Australian Criminal Intelligence Commission National Wastewater Drug Monitoring report revealed the regional average consumption of cocaine was at its highest level since August 2016, when reporting started.

Acting Minister for Police Susan Close said the expand-

ed test would help save lives and remove more dangerous drivers from the road immediately.

"This sends an even clearer message to those who choose to use drugs and put others at risk behind the wheel," Dr Close said.

SAPOL will soon go to tender to identify suitable drug screening tests with this advanced capability. Once a tender has been selected, regulations changes are required for the testing to begin in early 2025.

Penalties will apply to drivers who commit drug driving offences, along with the possibility of the vehicle being impounded on-site.

Expiations will cost \$849 with a \$102 victim of crime levy, minimum three months disqualification and losing four demerit points.

Also considered an offence, refusing or failing to comply to a random drug test, will incur in an immediate 12-month loss of licence, six demerit points and a penalty imposed by the court.

"These results show that the good news is most people are doing the right thing. But the bad news is 76 drivers made the wrong decision to get behind the wheel while intoxicated."

A previous operation took place over the King's Birthday long weekend, with 67 drivers detected for alcohol or drug related offences.

"If you're driving, you have a responsibility to do so safely and with a duty of care for others," Supt Fielke said.

"South Australia Police will continue to target road users who make the wrong choice to keep sending a message that if you're doing the wrong thing, you will be caught."

Stop Drink Drug Drive operations are one phase of 'Operation Safe Roads 2023-2026' with a mission to target 'fatal five' offences on South Australian roads.

On 22 July 2024, South Australia Police announced plans to expand drug testing capabilities to include cocaine hydrochloride from 2025.

## Alarming statistics from SAPOL

FIGURES reported, including from in the Riverland, show while house break-ins have dropped to their lowest monthly figure for more than a year, other reported crimes saw an alarming increase in the past 12 months.

Recent state SAPOL crime statistics revealed that in May 5832 offences were reported to police – a 2 per cent increase over the corresponding annual period – but the same figures revealed there was a decrease of 100 break-ins from the previous month, with only 411 reported in May.

This figure is the lowest monthly number reported for the current year.

The latest break-in reported by Murray Mallee police in the region was on Sunday 7 July, at a property located on Pope Road, in Waikerie.

Police Commissioner Grant Stevens said the decrease in reported offences can be attributed to the continued targeting of repeating offenders.

"We know that the majority of volume crimes such as house break-ins are carried out by a relatively small cohort of individuals and this is frequently linked to illicit drug use," Mr Stevens said.

"Pro-active policing operations targeting these individuals results in more apprehensions, less crime being committed, and less harm being inflicted on the community."

"Our ability to commit resources to these pro-active police operations is impacted by the competing demands on police to investigate other types of volume crime."

The number of petrol theft incidents investigated increased by 2 per cent.

Mr Stevens highlighted the impact petrol theft has on police priorities and how it prevents them from undertaking other proactive operations.

An increasing demand for police presence has been attributed to a 15 per cent increase in family and domestic abuse reports,

which increased – from 11,045 offences, to 12,658. This rise followed a 13 per cent increase in the April 2023 to April 2024 rolling year figures.

Shop theft also had a 15 per cent increase – from 15,957 to 18,419 offences. SAPOL is proactively working with retailers and shop owners to address the problem, and the ongoing Operation Measure initiative has delivered positive results, with numerous recidivist offenders being charged with multiple offences following targeted operations.

Latest figures also revealed that sexual assault and related offences decreased by six per cent during the same period with aggravated sexual assault decreasing four per cent and non-assaultive sexual offences down 21 per cent.

Fraud, deception and related offending decreased by thirty-three percent, from 6,269 offences to 4,206 offences.

## Knife restrictions to be expanded

STRONGER and tighter sale restrictions are among the proposed reform options to reduce knife crime across South Australia, including in the Riverland.

The State Government is currently seeking public comment on potential new knife legislation, aimed at better protecting the community.

Recent local and regional incidents have highlighted the need for improved and safer restrictions for knife ownership.

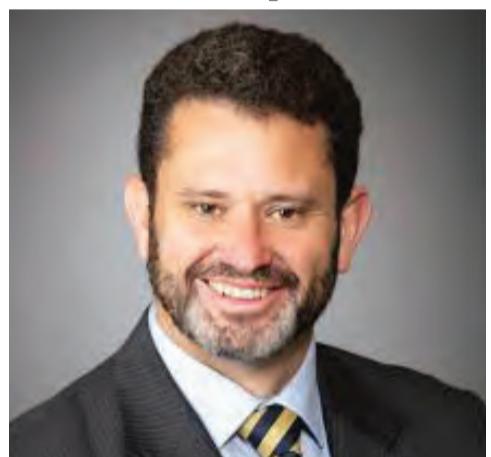
The latest incident within the Riverland was on Tuesday 9 July, when a 36-year-old Renmark man was found with a stab wound to his abdomen and was taken to hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

Attorney-General Kyam Maher said "incidents both locally and interstate highlight just why it's so important our knife crime laws are responsible, tough, and able to help authorities keep our community safe".

"South Australia has often led the nation with addressing knife crime including significant criminal offences for carrying knives and measures to keep them out of the hands of children – and now is an opportune time to look at how we can improve on our existing laws," Mr Maher said.

The proposed options to Strengthen South Australia's current regulations include:

- Expanding police metal detector search powers on public transport.
- Increasing the permitted age for knife ownership from 16 to 18 years old.



- Requiring knives to be stored safely for sale and display of prohibition notices (similar to graffiti gear).
- Expanding the definition of 'school' to include tertiary institutions and preschools.
- Introducing a licensing or registration scheme for certain knife categories.

"This discussion paper canvasses several options to strengthen our laws, including preventative measures – such as restricting access to knives and a licence for people wishing to own certain types of knives," Mr Maher said.

Public consultation is open until 25 August and anyone seeking to participate can visit the website ([www.yoursay.sa.gov.au/knife-crime](http://www.yoursay.sa.gov.au/knife-crime)).

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**Charity for All Bingo** will be held for Loxton Show Society, at the Loxton Club. Doors open at 6pm, seated by 6.30 for eyes down at 7pm. Don't be late to join in the fun.

**SUNDAY 11 AUGUST**

**Arts on Terrace**, Loxton. 10am to 3pm. Creative workshops, live music, Junk Art Sculpture Competition and shops open.

**SUNDAY 18 AUGUST**

**St John's Lutheran Church Myrla**. Come celebrate 100 years. Tea before service at 9:30am, service at 10:30am. Bring a plate to share. Contact pmvlh@activ8.net.au.

**SUNDAY 18 AUGUST**

**Remembrance Day ceremony** to commemorate Vietnam Veterans Day at our memorial on Vaughan Terrace, Berri, at 11am. We would invite everybody to attend.

**WEEKLY EVENTS****EVERYDAY**

**August Art Trail**, Loxton. Over 20 local businesses become a progressive gallery on the Art Trail. Meander through Loxton's vibrant shopping precinct in East Terrace to view local art masterpieces.

**MONDAY**

**Loxton Art Group** invites you to join us in the Loxcare Hub from 9.30am until 12.30pm. Just drop in or call Lyn for more details on 0412 283 233.

**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 Ian 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 holidays.

**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**

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**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

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**WEDNESDAY & SUNDAY** **Riverland Woodworkers** at the old Renmark High School, Ral Ral Avenue, Wednesdays 9am to 4pm, Thursday 6pm - 9pm, Sundays 1pm to 4pm. Any skill level welcome. For more information contact Luke Bihun 0400 253 572.

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**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.

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**TUESDAY**

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**WEDNESDAY**

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**THURSDAY**

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**FRIDAY**

10am  
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**SATURDAY**

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**THROUGHOUT THE WEEK****Barmera Theatre Art & Craft Gallery**Tues to Fri: 10am - 2pm  
Sat: 9.30am - 11.30am**Loxton Historical Village**

Tues to Sun: 10am - 4pm

**Olivewood Historic Homestead and Museum**

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**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 John 0409 885 811.

**FOURTH MONDAY OF THE MONTH**

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**SUBMIT YOUR EVENT**  
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**BACK INTO THE WORLD OF ART:** Art classes taught by Riverland teacher and artist Greg Reeks have resumed for term 3. Pictured with one of their artworks is Ollie.

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Marlowe.



Lily.



Oscar.



Rose.



Marucs.



Students of St Joseph's School Barmera at the Cobdogla Station Caravan Park, as part of School's Tree Day on Friday 26 July. PHOTOS: supplied



Big River Toyota staff, St Joseph's School Barmera students, Berri Barmera staff, and volunteers planting at the Cobdogla Station Caravan Park.



Riverland Special School students planting at Glossop.

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Alison Smith and Clive Fisher at Bugle Hut.



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# Waikerie's rich art scene on show

CHRISTINE WEBSTER

ART enthusiasts will have the opportunity to visit two exhibitions in Waikerie over the coming weeks.

A multi-modal display telling the life story of one of Australia's most highly regarded landscape artists, Hans Heysen, was officially opened on Sunday.

The exhibition will be featured in the Waikerie Civic Centre Foyer until 29 August.

Country Arts SA, Loxton Waikerie council, the Rain Moth Gallery and the Rotary Club of Waikerie all supported bringing the Unpacking Hans Heysen exhibition to the town.

At Waikerie's Rain Moth Gallery at Waikerie, the works of four Renmark artists, Tony Smith, Che Woosman, Colleen Munday and Sev Johnson, will be on display.

The Shades of Life exhibition was also officially opened on Sunday, and runs until 30 September.

About 80 people from across the Riverland and Adelaide attended the official opening of both exhibitions.

Curator of the Heysen Collections Allan Campbell, who is based at The Cedars at Hahndorf, launched the Heysen exhibition.

Mr Campbell said Heysen wanted to be an artist from a very early age, and began studying art at 14.

Heysen was born in Germany in 1877 and emigrated to South Australia with his family at the age of six.



Curator of the 'Heysen Collections' Allan Campbell, who is based at The Cedars in Hahndorf, launching the Unpacking Hans Heysen exhibition at Waikerie on Sunday. PHOTOS: Christine Webster

Mr Campbell said Heysen also regularly visited the River Murray and did a number of paintings of the region's landscape, cliffs and the river.

Rain Moth Gallery chairperson Karen Richardson said organisers were "pleased with the attendance", at both launches.

"It was good to see a lot of different peo-

ple attending the exhibitions who we haven't seen before," she said.

"Everyone has said they enjoyed the venues and it was a very social afternoon."



Neil Munday of Renmark (left) and his daughter Jane Munday, of Adelaide, at the official launch of the Hans Heysen exhibition at Waikerie.



Waikerie's Rain Moth Galley exhibition co-ordinator Michael Cox at the opening of the Shades of Life exhibition, featuring four Renmark artists



Stephen Kleemann, of Waikerie, viewing the art work of Renmark-based collage artist Sev Johnson.

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**KEEPING THE RIVERLAND ACTIVE:**  
Chaffey MP Tim Whetstone recently presented Active Club Program grants to the Riverland Eightball Association, the Loxton Swimming Club, the Loxton Tennis Club, and the Waikerie Horse and Pony Club.  
**PHOTOS:** supplied



## Survey shows increasing confidence in water resource management

NEW data has indicated confidence surrounding the management of water resources is increasing, however further education is necessary in Murray-Darling communities, including the Riverland.

The Inspector-General of Water Compliance, Troy Grant, last month released findings of the annual Community Sentiment Survey.

Mr Grant said opinions were gauged during "a time of public debate around water legislation amendments".

"The report shows the value of an independent oversight body for water management is being recognised by communities Basin wide," Mr Grant said.

"Unsurprisingly, sentiment of water licence holders towards Basin water management and the Basin Plan declined, although overall awareness of the Plan increased."

"I'm listening to what the community

has to say and am prepared to act on the key lessons highlighted through this report for areas to work on, it's critical we learn and improve."

Mr Grant said the research was an indicator of community and water license holder sentiment towards the Murray-Darling Basin Plan.

"There was strong support among all participants for the enforcement of rules and regulations for the health of our waterways," he said.

The next community sentiment survey will be conducted in spring of 2024, with previous reports available by visiting the website ([www.igwc.gov.au/publications](http://www.igwc.gov.au/publications)).



Troy Grant.  
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## Award entries for the art industry are now open

RIVERLAND arts and culture industry members can be nominated for awards focused on excellence, achievement and community involvement.

Entries opened last Monday for the 2024 Ruby Awards.

Minister for Art Andrea Michaels said, "celebrate the outstanding contributions and achievements of our state's talented artists and arts organisations".

Named after late arts patron Dame Ruby Litchfield, the annual

awards recognise contributions, artistic works and events in South Australia between 1 July 2023 and 30 June 2024.

The awards are divided into six categories:

- Outstanding Community Event or Project
- Outstanding Regional Event or Project
- Outstanding Work, Event or Project for Young People
- Outstanding Work or Event Within a Festival
- Outstanding Work or Event Outside a Festival
- Outstanding

### Collaboration

"The awards are an opportunity to recognise South Australia's brilliant arts, culture and creative industries by nominating an eligible individual, organisation, exhibition, performance, publication, program or event worthy of recognition," Ms Michaels said.

To enter the 2024 Ruby Awards, visit the website ([arts.sa.gov.au/rubys](http://arts.sa.gov.au/rubys)).

Entries close at 2pm, on 19 August.

# the quiz



1. Which Beatle played "Youngman Grand" in "The Magic Christian" 1969, with Peter Sellers?
2. The Atacama Desert is closest to which ocean or sea?
3. What is the term for a period of isolation to prevent the spread of disease?
4. In the history of the Academy Awards, why do Luise Rainer and Katharine Hepburn stand out?
5. On 29 March 1971, Lieutenant William Calley was found guilty by a court martial for murdering 20 civilians in 1968 - where?
6. The region of Kashmir is claimed in part or completely by India, Pakistan and what other country?
7. How many compete on each sled in skeleton racing?
8. What number cannot be written in Roman numerals?
9. British scientist Dame Jane Goodall became famous for ground-breaking long-term studies of wild what?
10. What is the racing number on the bonnet of "Herbie"?
11. Where was the basis of Skype, the software that enables video and voice calls to be made via the internet, originally developed?
12. What was the occupation of Vaslav Nijinsky from 1908?
13. Where are most of the oil, or bituminous, sand deposits in Canada?
14. With what formerly enemy country has Japan not signed a peace treaty following World War II?
15. In books by A A Milne, which of the main characters was usually depressed?
16. Miso soup is the cuisine of which country?
17. What is the usual colour of gondolas in Venice?
18. Where in London would you find an aluminium statue that is a memorial to the 7th Earl of Shaftesbury?
19. Which Irishman wrote the novels "Portrait Of The Artist As A Young Man", "Ulysses" and "Finnegan's Wake"?
20. What is the average of 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9 and 25?

**BONUS QUESTION:** In the song 'Waterloo Sunset' by the Kinks, what are the names of the two people who meet at Waterloo Station every Friday night? Answer in next week's Quiz.

**Answers on page 31**

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# NATIONAL HOMELESSNESS WEEK 2024



## The 'shocking' extent of family and child homelessness

A NEW report has revealed the harsh reality of the homelessness crisis hitting Aussie families, including those in the Riverland, with more than a third of the 88,696 people who sought support still homeless during their last contact with support services.

The disturbing family homelessness figures are compounded by a new report released from Homelessness Australia, which shows more than 76,000 children under the age of 18 sought help from homelessness support services annually across the nation.

Almost 16,000 of these children were alone – unaccompanied by a parent or caregiver – and many were fleeing domestic violence, abuse or neglect at home.

The 2024 Child Homelessness Snapshot, released to coincide with Homelessness Week, also reveals more than 25,000 children remained homeless even after seeking help from specialist support agencies in 2022-23, a nation-wide 3.2 per cent increase over the previous year.

A further 19,833 children were turned away from support services without being provided any assistance at all, a result of the severe lack of resources and overwhelming demand faced by the sector.

Other findings include:

South Australia had the

third-highest number of unaccompanied children seeking help from specialist services (2,306).

First Nations children are overrepresented among children experiencing homelessness, making up 32 per cent of homeless children nationally, despite comprising only 6.8 per cent of the population under 18.

"Family and child homelessness is a blight on Australia," Homelessness Australia CEO Kate Colvin said.

"How can a parent settle a child to sleep, keep them safe and have them ready for school if they are sleeping in their car or a tent in the middle of winter?

"These figures should ring alarm bells among politicians and policymakers that action to tackle child and family homelessness is urgently needed."

Homelessness Australia has called for a suite of measures to address the crisis as part of the forthcoming National Housing and Homelessness Plan.

Key among these is setting ambitious targets and timelines for action on the major drivers of homelessness, such as rental stress, domestic and family violence, and access to the support families need to thrive.

The plan also needs to drive investment into the frontline of the homelessness and domestic

violence response, so that when families and children seek help to avoid or escape homelessness, there is a worker and the housing and accommodation needed to get them into a stable home.

Other recommendations include a Homelessness Action Plan to end homelessness for Australian children and young people. Such a plan would unite child-centred services to respond to children at risk of homelessness, and address the specific needs and vulnerabilities of homeless children, ensuring they receive necessary care, support, and housing.

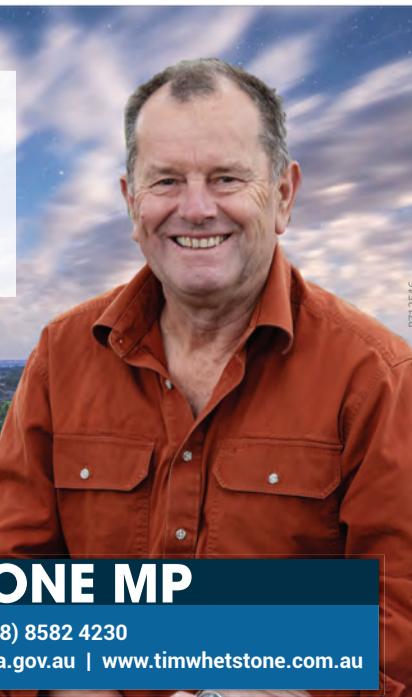
A dedicated First Nations Housing and Homelessness Plan is also needed to address the particular issues driving overrepresentation of First Nations children and families.

"It's a national shame that in a wealthy, developed country like Australia, we have tens of thousands of families and young people – many of whom are grappling with domestic violence – without a safe place to call home," Ms Colvin said.

"We urgently need a comprehensive national strategy to ensure that no Australian child ever experiences the trauma of homelessness.

"Our nation has the resources to solve this crisis. What we need now is the ambition to make it happen."

Tim Whetstone helping raise awareness for homeless issues in the Riverland.



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## Rural homelessness rises

NEW research from homelessness support charity Orange Sky revealed Riverlanders are among some of the nation's most vulnerable demographics to inflating costs.

Conducting research amid the current cost-of-living crisis, Orange Sky has revealed regional Australians remain most vulnerable to inflating costs, with over three in five struggling to make ends meet annually, compared to just half of those in capital cities.

Further, current costs are also forcing regional Australians to make increasingly difficult choices, with one in three dipping into their savings just to get by, while one in five have had to choose between essential spends, such as healthcare, medication, food, clean clothes, or a shower.

With the new research revealing one in five regional Aussies have experienced homelessness, outpacing rates in capital cities, people in remote communities seem to be closer than ever to financial hardship, which could spark the cycle of tough times.

Orange Sky co-founder Nic Marchesi said growing costs and expenses were

placing unsustainable pressure on everyday Australians who are having to make tough sacrifices just to keep up.

"No one deserves to go without essentials – clean clothes, a hot shower and a safe place to sleep," Mr Marchesi said.

"However, rising costs are increasingly forcing everyday Australians to choose between living essentials, bills and rent, and people who may have never thought they would be struggling financially are turning to us for help."

"We have seen a 21 per cent increase in demand for our services since last financial year, and this increase is coming from families, retirees, students and middle-aged women and men. Even people with current employment are coming to us for help."

"Homelessness can be much closer than you might think it is. These statistics are people – people that we see each and every day, and people who need our support. Homelessness can impact anyone, and as we see financial hardship escalate, all it could take is one unfortunate circumstance for you or someone you know to fall on tough times."

## Support tailored to rural communities

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We recognise homelessness is the result of many factors and life experiences. We respect the experience of every

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We work in partnership with our service users, and support them through the ups and downs of life.

In each of our programs, we place a high priority on creating good connections between the person and the community in which they live.

Early intervention is a key investment in the alleviation of homelessness.

Homelessness for many is characterised by constant movement between different types of accommodation: the street, homeless shelter, boarding houses.

Alternatively, it may be from home to a refuge, a family member or a caravan park.

Constant movement from one location to

another is described as 'couch surfing' and is how most homeless people exist day-after-day, night-after-night in the rural towns of South Australia.

The research tells us that the experience of homelessness in rural communities can be particularly hard to bear for a number of reasons: the shame and humiliation that is felt by many who experience homelessness in a close-knit community.

Homeless people can be more easily identified and thus seen as different, and in country areas are more likely to be seen as failing and discriminated against.

The service is available for young people, adults, families and their children.

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DEMONS	1.2	3.4	4.4	6.6	42
ROVERS	5.4	12.7	20.9	22.14	146

**BEST:** Berri - R. Kruger, I. Woolston, A. Dayman, S. Hawkins, O. Hunyadi, C. Lloyd. Renmark - D. Woolford, T. Woolford, Z. Gartery, M. Edwards, R. Garrett, A. Haynes.

**GOALS:** Berri - J. Dymott, A. Holtham, R. Kruger, P. Minchella, E. Penaluna, B. Rosenzweig. Renmark - D. Johnson 5, A. Haynes 4, N. Gillard 2, L. White 2, D. Woolford 2, R. Garrett, Z. Gartery, A. Hem, R. Perry, M. Smith, J. Vater, T. Woolford.



TIGERS	3.2	5.6	9.8	13.12	90
PANTHERS	2.2	6.4	7.7	7.7	49

**BEST:** Loxton - L. Harder, R. Walton, H. Campbell, R. Kennedy, J. Will, B. Yeomans. Loxton North - Z. Wooldridge, J. Worsfold, C. Voumard, A. Kudra, J. Tschirpig, L. Stephens.

**GOALS:** Loxton - L. Harder 4, A. Proud 4, H. Campbell, K. Evans, R. Kennedy, R. Romeo, C. Wright. Loxton North - C. Voumard 3, J. Lloyd, J. Proud, L. Stephens, Z. Wooldridge.



BARMERA-MONASH	V	WAIKERIE
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ROOS	2.3	4.6	5.8	7.15	57
MAGPIES	3.1	5.2	6.3	7.3	45

**BEST:** Barmera-Monash - M. Wutke, S. Butterworth, M. Wellington, C. Bonney, A. Hodgson, M. Middleton. Waikerie - S. Hauser, M. Hahn, T. Geehan, J. Spencely, B. Smith, K. Hilton.

**GOALS:** Barmera-Monash - M. Wilden 2, S. Butterworth, A. Hodgson, J. Smith, M. Wellington. Waikerie - C. Mackereth 3, S. Braun, J. Burgemeister, H. Glacken, M. Hahn.



Barmera-Monash playing coach Fraser Sampson gets a handball away during Saturday's game against Waikerie.

PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff



Renmark's Declan Johnson celebrates a goal against Berri.



MURRAY VALLEY



BROWN'S WELL	V	PARINGA
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BOMBERS	60
SWANS	0

Brown's-Well won by forfeit



RAMCO	V	MURRAYVILLE
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ROOSTERS	2.5	2.6	5.6	8.11	59
BLUES	4.2	8.7	12.10	17.11	113

**BEST:** Ramco - J. Parfitt, B. Loffler, B. Fridd, N. Hart, D. Conley, A. Weir. Murrayville - J. Durdin, C. Wisneske, R. Watson, C. Sporn, R. Lewis, S. Magnalis, K. Gohl.

**GOALS:** Ramco - B. Hawke 3, N. Birch 2, B. Briscoe, J. O'Callaghan, J. Parfitt. Murrayville - N. Wright-Bramfit 5, S. Magnalis 4, J. Hoffmann 3, J. Durdin 2, J. Batista, D. Hill, D. Willersdorf.



SEGAN-CAMBRAI	V	BSR
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MAGPIES	1.0	4.3	7.7	9.7	61
REDBACKS	6.2	7.5	8.8	12.10	82

**BEST:** Sedan-Cambrai - J. Grieger, H. Clarkson, R. Loffler, B. Burgemeister, A. Falkenberg, M. Taylor-McDonald. BSR - B. Webster, T. Cowland, A. Sparks, J. Mapstone, M. Speyer, J. Verrall.

**GOALS:** Sedan-Cambrai - J. Grieger 3, S. Kain 3, T. Hannon, R. Loffler, D. Matthews. BSR - T. Cowland 5, J. Coleman 2, A. Sparks 2, T. Taconi 2, C. Daniels.



## MURRAY PIONEER WRITERS' AWARD

PLAYER	CLUB	TW	TOTAL
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N. Gillard	R	1	28
J. Beech	BM	0	26

S. Butterworth	BM	2	24
L. Harder	L	5	23

M. Middleton	BM	3	22
K. Hilton	W	1	20

N. Gillard	R	2	39
J. Beech	BM	0	34

R. Kruger	B	1	27
K. Hilton	W	0	23

Z. Wooldridge	LN	1	23
M. Hahn	W	1	21

## OTHER GRADES

### B GRADE

**Beri 11.7 (73) d Renmark 6.0 (36).**

BEST: Berri - R. Correll, A. Page, R. Tieste, J. Jackson, N. Geyer, M. McRae. Renmark - C. Gartery, J. Bonner, C. Munn, B. Henderson, L. Harrington, R. Curtis. GOALS: Berri - M. McRae 6, N. Geyer 2, M. Summer 2, R. Correll. Renmark - C. Gartery 2, C. Camilleri, R. Curtis, L. Harrington, O. Spring.

**Loxton 13.7 (95) d Loxton North 0.8 (8).**

BEST: Loxton - O. Ackland, T. Eagle, B. Falting, H. Nangle, J. Campbell, O. Joerin. Loxton North - M. Lidgerwood, B. Whitelaw, S. Grummet, A. Cook, M. Tresize, T. Wagner. GOALS: Loxton - T. Eagle 5, L. Pontt 3, H. Nangle 2, O. Ackland, C. Loxton, M. Walton.

**Barmera 14.15 (99) d Waikerie 2.2 (14).**

BEST: Barmera - A. Karpany, B. Barnes, C. Harris, A. Scordo, J. Ricketts, D. Weetra. Waikerie - L. Nitschke, C. Radolovic-Tripodi, T. Campbell, B. Hoad, S. Liebich, J. Thomson. GOALS: Barmera - B. Barnes 2, C. Harris 2, R. Lehmann 2, A. Scordo 2, S. Vanderwoude 2, D. Whitbourne 2, J. Whitbourne 2. Waikerie - L. Nitschke, J. Thomson.

**Barmera 8.11 (59) d Waikerie 2.6 (18).**

BEST: Barmera - R. Moore, H. Johns, K. Gartner, B. Scordo, L. Allder, N. Scott Richardson. Waikerie - F. Andrew, M. Lloyd, H. Glacken, B. Wayne, E. Lawrence, B. Loffler. GOALS: Barmera - H. Johns 2, R. Moore 2, L. Allder, M. Dixon, T. Drogemuller, L. Warnett. Waikerie - A. Liebich, H. Nitschke.

**Murphy 11.10 (88) d Berri 3.2 (20).**

BEST: Renmark - S. DePalma, H. Riedel, N. Martinson, H. Dring, M. Petersen, H. Keynes. Berri - I. Labastida, W. Marsden, A. Szabados, J. Hunter, D. Pollard, P. Jackson. GOALS: Renmark - N. Martinson 7, H. Riedel 2, A. Carr, S. DePalma, M. Dicerbo, H. Dring, Berri - J. Kassulke-Roberts, S. Marsden, R. Quinn.

**Loxton North 14.7 (91) d Loxton 1.5 (11).**

BEST: Loxton North - W. Nitschke, L. Clayton, S. Uzzell, R. Wooldridge, S. Williams, W. Simes. Loxton - J. Marlor, H. Westbrook, D. Zdanowicz, C. Rudd, Z. Huddlestone, M. Sexton. GOALS: Loxton North - S. Uzzell 5, W. Nitschke 2, J. Bertram, E. Drakopoulos, H. Lipman, W. Simes, D. Venning, S. Williams, R. Wooldridge. Loxton - M. Sexton.

**Barmera 15.9 (99) d Waikerie 0.3 (3).**

BEST: Barmera - H. Banks, S. Westcott, T. Nettle, J. Norman, R. Scordo, N. Gartner. Waikerie - J. Coombe, J. Ebert, D. Bald, J. Taverner, N. Camerlengo, P. Singh-Sandhu. GOALS: Barmera - D. Marks 3, J. Norman 3, I. Ness 2, S. Warnett 2, S. Westcott 2, H. Banks, T. Nettle, R. Scordo.

**Under 18 14.1 (35).**

BEST: Loxton North - A. Kent, D. May, C. Schwarz, J. Wyatt, R. Walker, B. Serafin. Loxton - B. Sylvia, H. Eatts, L. Milton, E. Taylor, W. Lister-White, C. Thiele-Butterworth. GOALS: Loxton North - A. Kent 2, R. Noack 2, D. May, T. Singh-Rai, C. Schwarz. Loxton - J. Bewley, H. Eatts, K. Fielke, S. Hucks, W. Lister-White.

**Under 15 14.1 (37.27).**

BEST: Loxton - S. Williams, C. Kruger, L. Deren, B. Kakoschke, O. Portolesi, N. Roissetter. Loxton North - M. Obst, A. Burgess, N. Gray,

EPBC REFERRAL 2022/09438

## Notice of Public Consultation for the Morgan Whyalla Pipeline No.1 Renewal - Stage 1

### Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water

As part of the Morgan-Whyalla Pipeline No.1 Renewal Stage 1, the South Australian Water Corporation (SA Water) applied with the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW) for permission to carry out construction works.

Under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 (EPBC Act) - section 95A (3), the Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water (DCCEEW) requires that we publish information related to the project for public consultation, to be made available online and printed copies.

The identification number for the request for public consultation is EPBC 2022/09438.

The proposed works under consultation are located approximately 12 km northwest of the town of Morgan at pipeline section 20 in the east, stretching to pipeline section 16 in the west ceasing at the town of Hanson, South Australia.

*The controlling provisions for the proposed action under Part 3 of the EPBC Act are listed threatened species and communities (sections 18 and 18A).*

*The listed threatened species and communities (protected matter) are the Mallee Bird Community of the Murray Darling Depression Bioregion - Endangered, South-eastern Hooded Robin (*Melanodryas cucullata cucullata*) - Endangered, Southern Whiteface (*Aphelocephala leucopsis*) - Vulnerable, and Pygmy Blue-tongue Lizard (*Tiliqua adelaidensis*) - Endangered.*

Due to the environmental sensitivities in these areas, we have undertaken investigations on the flora and fauna species and ecological communities in the vicinity of the pipeline. This notice has been published in *The Advertiser* and the *Murray Pioneer*. Our findings can be viewed free of charge in electronic or hard copy.

Electronic copies are available on the SA Water WaterTalks website. <https://watertalks.sawater.com.au/morgan-whyalla-pipeline-renewal> and hard copies are available to the public at the Morgan Public Library, 12 Fourth St, Morgan SA 5320 and at the South Australia State Library at North Terrace, Adelaide SA 5000.

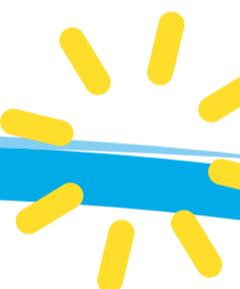
**We invite the public to provide feedback and comments on these proposed works, comments can be submitted from 9 August 2024 to 22 August 2024.**

Customers with special needs (i.e. for whom English is a second language or who has a vision impairment) may contact Maggie Volpiano, Senior Stakeholder Engagement Advisor for assistance accessing the material via email Maggie.volpiano@sawater.com.au or phone 0409 251 593.



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## Berri Barmera COUNCIL



### ROAD CLOSURE ORDER

#### Vietnam Veterans Memorial Service 2024, Berri

The Berri Barmera Council exercise power delegated to it by the Minister for Transport under Section 11 of the Road Traffic Act and through the Instrument of General Approval, part 1, Clause F: Delegation of Power to Close Roads and Grant Exemptions for Road Events to:

- Declare the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Service to be held on Vaughan Terrace and Riverview Drive Berri, as an event to which Section 33 of the Road Traffic Act applies.
- Hereby make an order –
- To close the Road specified in the Schedule (below) to traffic including bicycles and scooters, excluding motorised wheelchairs, as provided in Section 33 (1) (a) of the Road Traffic Act

#### THE SCHEDULE

Location	From	To
Vaughan Terrace from the Memorial to Riverview Drive, Berri.	10.30am Sunday 18 August 2024	12.30pm Sunday 18 August 2024
Riverview Drive Berri from Ahern Street to the uphill side of Vaughan Terrace.		
The turnaround point before Repco will be open to traffic.		

- Exempt persons in these areas when they are closed to vehicular traffic from Road Rules 230 (crossing a road) and 238 (pedestrians travelling along the road).

For further information please contact the office on 8582 1922 or [bbc@bbc.sa.gov.au](mailto:bbc@bbc.sa.gov.au)

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## LOXTON COMMUNITY CENTRE INC. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

to be held on  
**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup> 2024**  
at 7.30pm

IN THE PYAP ROOM AT THE LOXTON HOTEL

The following members retire by effluxion of time and offer themselves for re-election.

L. McDonald, R. Fielke and T. Fielke.

Nominations to be in the hands of the secretary by 5pm Friday 30th August 2024

#### AGENDA

- To receive the report of the management
- To receive audited balance sheet accounts
- To elect at least four (4) officers as required by the constitution.
- Any other business.

Members of the public are invited to attend

Leith McDonald  
Chairperson  
Loxton Community Centre Inc.  
PO Box 606, Loxton SA 5333

## District Council of Loxton Waikerie

### PUBLIC CONSULTATION

#### Review of Council By-Laws

*Pursuant to the Local Government Act 1999 s132(1)*

The District Council of Loxton Waikerie invites members of the community to provide feedback on all of its by-laws currently up for review.

The Local Government Act 1999 and other Acts provide Council with the ability and authority to make by-laws for the good rule and government of the area, and for the convenience, comfort and safety of its community. By-laws may have clauses that prohibit, regulate, control, restrict or require permits for certain activities.

The by-laws under review include:

- By-law No. 1 – Permits and Penalties
- By-law No. 2 – Local Government Land
- By-law No. 3 – Roads
- By-law No. 4 – Moveable Signs
- By-law No. 5 – Dogs
- By-law No. 6 – Cats
- By-law No. 7 – Camping and Mooring

Copies of the draft by-laws are available online at [engagement.lwdc.sa.gov.au](http://engagement.lwdc.sa.gov.au) and paper copies are available at the Loxton Council office and the Loxton and Waikerie Libraries.

Public Consultation will take place between Friday 9 August and Friday 30 August 2024.

Submissions from the community are encouraged

- online at [engagement.lwdc.sa.gov.au](http://engagement.lwdc.sa.gov.au)
- by email at [council@lwdc.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@lwdc.sa.gov.au), or
- by post to PO Box 409, Loxton SA 5333, or
- in person, in writing, at the Council's offices at 35 Bookpurnong Road, Loxton or Strangman Road, Waikerie.

If you wish to present your submission to the Council in person or by advocate, please indicate that in your submission.

**Written submissions will be accepted until 5.00 pm on Friday 30 August 2024.**

For further information please contact Cheryle Pedler, Manager Environmental Services, on 8584 8000.

David Beaton  
Chief Executive Officer

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## LOXTON COMMUNITY CENTRE INC.

### DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS

Applications are invited from Community Organisations in the Loxton area to share in the proceeds from the Loxton Community Centre Incorporated.

Applications should give the following information:

- Description of organisation and activities
- Nature of project (including plans if available)
- Approximate cost
- Current financial position of club
- Funds available for project
- Funds required for project
- Any other information

APPLICATIONS to be in the hands of Secretary by 5pm Friday 30th August 2024.

This will be the only night applications for funding will be considered for 2024/2025.

Late applications will not be accepted.

Applications should be addressed to -  
The Secretary  
Loxton Community Centre Inc.  
PO Box 606, Loxton 5333  
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## the quiz answers

- Ringo Starr
- Pacific Ocean
- Quarantine
- They each won the Best Actress award in consecutive years
- My Lai, Vietnam
- People's Republic of China
- One
- Zero
- Chimpanzees
- Egypt
- 10.53
- 11.Estonia
- 12.Dancer and choreographer
- 13.Alberta
- 14.Russia
- 15.Eeyore
- Japan
- Black
- Piccadilly Circus
- James Joyce
- 20.8

#### BONUS QUESTION ANSWER

(From last week): The first 'hero' mentioned in the Stranglers hit single 'No More Heroes' is Leon Trotsky.



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**GRBEC, Marija.**  
Passed away  
29 July, 2024.  
Mother of  
Steven and Lily,  
and families.  
Please accept our  
sincere condolences  
from Riverland  
Croatian Community.  
Posivaj u miru bozjem.



**KURTZER, Lynette  
Joan.**  
My much-loved sister,  
I will love you and  
miss you forever.  
Always in my heart,  
Merridee.

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### DEATHS

**BIRD, Keith Joseph.**  
Passed away  
peacefully, with family,  
present at Waikerie  
hospital on Thursday  
1 August, 2024.  
Aged 94 years.  
Loved husband of  
Yvonne (deceased).  
Cherished father of  
Leonie (deceased),  
Jo-anne, Tracy  
and Greg.  
Adored poppa of  
Josh and Tammy,  
Emma and James,  
Lachlan,  
Stephanie and  
Patrick,  
Michelle,  
Johnny and Tarsh.  
Special poppa  
to Savannah  
and Matilda.  
He was a gentleman  
and a gentle man.

**GRBEC, Marija.**  
Passed away  
peacefully,  
surrounded by her  
family, on Monday  
29 July, 2024.  
Aged 83 years.  
Loving wife of  
Ilija (deceased).  
Loving mother of  
Steven and Alexandra,  
Liliana and Luis.  
Loved grandma of  
Angela and Scott,  
Adam and Daniela,  
Kristelle, Ismael,  
and Lola.

Cherished great-  
grandma of Shaun,  
Sasha, and Santino.  
Gone but not  
forgotten.

### DEATHS

**HANSEN, Dulcie  
Ellen.**  
26/5/1923 –  
3/8/2024  
Passed away  
peacefully at  
Bonney Lodge,  
Barmera on Saturday  
3 August, 2024.  
Aged 101 years.  
Loved wife of  
Ron (deceased).  
Loving mother and  
mother-in-law of  
Malcolm and Valerie;  
Ellen and Brian;  
Phillip (deceased)  
and Carmel;  
Evelyn and Bob;  
Mark, and Trevor.  
Cherished gran of 14  
grandchildren, 39  
great-grandchildren  
and 8 great-great-  
grandchildren.

~ Our thoughts are  
always with you,  
Your place  
no one will fill.  
In life we  
loved you dearly,  
In death  
we love you still. ~

"Gone to be  
with the Lord".



**KURTZER, Lynette  
Joan.**

Passed away  
peacefully on  
29 July, 2024.  
Aged 80 years.  
I'm so proud and  
blessed to have had  
you as my mum.

You will be  
greatly missed by  
myself and Chris,  
your grandson Callum  
and partner Tracey,  
and your adored  
great-grandsons  
Sebastian and Riley.

You are now back  
in the arms of your  
beloved Trevor and  
daughter Sally-Jane.



**KURTZER, Lynette  
Joan.**  
My much-loved sister,  
I will love you and  
miss you forever.  
Always in my heart,  
Merridee.

### DEATHS

**LAGOGIANNIS,  
Evangelos 'Vag'.**  
Passed away  
peacefully,  
surrounded by his  
loving wife and  
daughter, at the  
Riverland General  
Hospital on Saturday  
27 July, 2024.  
Aged 71 years.  
Loving son of  
Hariclia and  
Theodore Carcoulis  
(both deceased).  
Loving husband  
of Gege.  
Loving baba  
and step-dad of  
Peter (deceased),  
Nick, Erica,  
Kay (deceased) and  
Kaye; Pamela, Paolo,  
Hugh, and their  
partners.

Loved papou of 8  
grandchildren and 1  
great-granddaughter.

Loving brother  
of Peter,  
Louis (deceased)  
and their families.

~ Our thoughts are  
always with you,  
Your place  
no one will fill.  
In life we  
loved you dearly,  
In death we  
love you still ~

Vag's funeral service  
was held on Monday 5  
August, 2024.

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**SKOURAS, John.**

Passed away  
peacefully in Sydney  
on 31 July, 2024.  
Will be sadly missed  
by Peter and Jim  
Spanos, and families.

**THOMPSON, Mark  
Edward.**

Passed away  
peacefully, with his  
son by his side, on  
Friday 26 July, 2024.  
Aged 65 years.

Loved father and  
father-in-law of  
Nathan and Emma.

Loved brother of  
Jamie, Karen, Chris,  
and their families.

Will be sadly missed  
and forever loved.

Mark will have a  
private family funeral.

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### DEATHS

**TUCKER, Peter John.**  
Passed away  
peacefully on Friday  
2 August, 2024.  
Aged 87 years.  
Loving husband  
of Ruth.  
Loved father and  
father-in-law of  
Martin, and Alex  
and David.

**WOOD, Russell  
Keith.**

27/2/1938 -  
30/7/2024  
Passed away  
30 July.  
Aged 86 years.  
Loving husband  
to Hazel.

At peace and  
now with Grant.

You were a beautiful  
man and I will miss  
you dearly.

Your loving wife,  
Hazel xx

Dad, you were a  
kind, gentle soul.  
A good father and  
well respected  
member of the  
community.

Thanks for  
being my dad.

Love Michelle xx

Poppa, thanks for  
teaching me how  
to drive, and for  
all the laughs.

Love Brody xx

Poppy, I will  
always remember  
the laughs and  
the happiness  
you spread.

I will miss you.

Kelly Rae xx

Much-loved  
brother-in-law of  
Julia and Andrew.

Great memories  
of fun times. xx

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### FUNERALS

**BIRD, Keith Joseph.**

Family and friends of  
Keith are respectfully  
invited to attend his  
celebration of life at  
St James Anglican  
Church, O'Loughlin  
Street, Waikerie on  
Monday 12 August,  
2024 at 11am.

If you would like to  
make a donation to  
the Royal Flying Doctor  
Service in Keith's  
memory that would be  
appreciated.

Following the service  
there will be a private  
family committal.

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**GRBEC.**

The family and  
friends of Marija  
Grbec are respectfully  
invited to attend her  
funeral service to be  
conducted at St Mary's  
Catholic Church,  
Crawford Terrace, Berri  
on Monday 12 August,  
2024 at 11am.

In lieu of flowers if  
desired, a donation  
to the Cancer Council  
in Marija's memory  
would be appreciated.  
Donations may be  
made at the service.

At the conclusion of the  
service the cortège will  
proceed to the Berri  
Lawn Cemetery for the  
committal.

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**HANSEN.**

The family and friends  
of Dulcie Hansen  
are respectfully  
invited to attend her  
funeral service to be  
conducted at St Paul's  
Lutheran Church, 19  
Fowles Street, Barmera  
on Thursday 8 August,  
2024 at 1pm.

At the conclusion of  
the service the cortège  
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4/2/1932 –  
5/8/2001

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for everyone,  
You had a heart  
of gold.  
You left behind  
the memories,  
That I will always hold.  
Loving you and  
missing you always,  
daughter Penny.

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Keith.

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throughout our lives,  
Until we meet again.

Love always,  
Mum and Dad xx

Clint, remembering  
you is easy,  
I do it every day.

Love Nic x

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**Sunday**  
Berri 9am  
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Barmera 6pm

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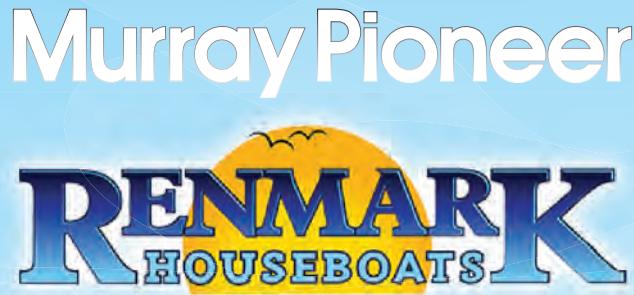
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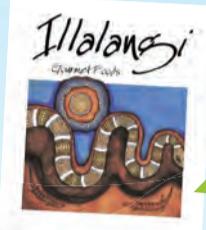


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Brisbane Lions	<input type="checkbox"/>	GWS Giants	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Stephen Matic .....	(6)125	Barry Seagrim .....	(6)119
Barry Phillips .....	(7)123	Duani Vowles .....	(5)119
Chloe Brown .....	(7)122	Vicki Jones .....	(7)118
Brayden Coombe .....	(7)121	Chris O'Dea .....	(7)118
Raelene Schutz .....	(6)121	Ross Sumner Jnr .....	(7)118
Mark Farley .....	(5)121	Trevor Flint .....	(5)118
Mark Kilmartin .....	(7)120	Rosie Harrington .....	(5)117
Con Pipinis .....	(6)120	Caleb Brown .....	(8)116

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# Call for funding to save veterans' legal service

A STATE politician wants the Federal Government to urgently reverse its decision to axe a life-saving national legal service that helps veterans fight for entitlements and compensation – and asked the SA Minister for support.

While the Defence and Veterans Legal Service (also known as DAVLS) was established to help those involved in the Royal Commission into Defence and Veteran Suicide, its duties have extended to providing free and confidential legal support to thousands of veterans.

However, its funding is scheduled to end in September, and One Nation MLC Sarah Game said its closure could cause “immeasurable damage” to veterans’ hopes for much-deserved compensation, in turn leading to negative physical and mental health impacts.

“After researching DAVLS and its work, I’m fearful of what its closure will mean for so many veterans,” said Ms Game.

“It could leave them without access to free legal help and – without engaging expensive lawyers and/or advocates – potentially mean many of them will simply never see the money they deserve.”

Ms Game said the shutdown of DAVLS had “already begun”, including in South Australia.

“Staffing numbers have halved, and I understand the Adelaide office has been among those to downsize,” she said.

“The workers, which includes



One Nation's Sarah Game has called for funding for a veterans' legal service to continue beyond its September deadline. PHOTO: supplied

legal practitioners and other staff, aren't to blame. They need employment security as much as the next person, and since news of this imminent funding cessation surfaced, they have been seeking and finding other jobs.

“Already DAVLS has lost much expertise and, if it is forced to close in September, all that substantial goodwill built up with veterans’ organisations will be lost, not to mention the knowledge and experience banked over the past few years.

“Even if the service is resurrected sometime in the future, following recommendations handed down from the Royal Commission, it will start from ground zero.”

Adelaide woman Maria Barclay, who served with the ADF for

eight years and now volunteers at Australian War Widows, was among those to make a submission to the Royal Commission – and made a passionate plea for DAVLS to be rescued.

“The cessation of funding of the DAVLS, soon after the (Royal Commission’s) final report is to be released, is in my opinion a breach of duty of care for those who gave their heart and soul in sharing their experiences,” Mrs Barclay said.

Ms Barclay echoed fears that the closure of DAVLS would force more veterans to employ costly lawyers and fee-for-service advocates, often taking up to 10 per cent of lump sum payouts, while also increasing the backlog of stalled claims.

She also said the claims process was confusing for both veterans and the dwindling band of ageing voluntary advocates.

“So, where do new claimants go for direction if DAVLS closes,” Mrs Barclay said.

“It begs the question, how can an operation the size of a Royal Commission about defence and veteran suicide place their participants at risk of the issue they are attempting to fix by shutting the doors of an independent national legal resource?”

Ms Game has written to SA Minister for Veteran Affairs, Joe Szakacs, about the looming DAVLS closure, urging him to lobby his federal counterpart, Matt Keogh.



COLOURFUL CULTURAL NIGHT: The Riverland Punjabi Womens Association held a cultural evening celebration last weekend. PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff



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Club stalwart Trevor Thorpe celebrating victory in his 300th game with teammates. PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff

# Thorpe's milestone marked in style

RENMARK celebrated club stalwart Trevor Thorpe's 300th game and ended Berri's recent surge in emphatic style, winning by 104 points in their RFL clash at league headquarters last Saturday.

Coming off a morale-boosting Fisher Cup win over Barmera-Monash, the Demons had hoped to challenge the Rovers, but were simply blown away by a team with plenty of purpose.

"I was happy with how our boys came out with some energy," said Rovers coach Josh Vater.

"(Thorpe's 300th game) that provided as much motivation as anything really to play with energy and intensity from the get go, which was pleasing."

Vater said his side was wary of Berri pre-game.

"We prepared just like we would for any team," he said.

"They were in some good form and have been up and about, so we were really cautious of them."

Renmark had 20 goals on the board by three-quarter time, before easing off a little in the final term, as Berri enjoyed its best quarter of the match.

All day the Rovers were fired by dynamic on-ball brothers Dan and Tim Woolford.

"We had a lot of good contributors... but those two worked as hard as anyone I think, particularly around the contested ball," Vater said.

"Their running helps spread (the ball) from stoppages, and they are as hard at the contest as anyone."

"They are both in really good form."

Declan Johnson and Alex Haynes combined for nine goals, but the coach was pleased to see plenty of scoring avenues open up.

"It makes you feel really dangerous when you've got a heap of different players getting in the game and getting shots on goal," he said.

"That often happens when you kick a big score, but to have players feel confident, and the team feel confident in having a good spread of goal kickers, it helps us feel that we're in good touch and that the goals can come from anywhere."

The Demons were outclassed across the oval, but 2024 revelation Regan Kruger continued his outstanding form, while Isaac Woolston and Angus Dayman were among others to show good signs.

"Regan (Kruger) took a couple high marks for a guy that's probably not really big, but they were really nice," Vater said.

"They've got some really good young players. With some luck they'll keep them around and continue to get some (other)

young guys in."

"You hope they can develop over the next four or five years."

However, it was a day to remember for the top-of-the-table – and arguably premiership favourites – Rovers, who celebrated one of their favourite sons in style.

"There were heaps of people there (for Thorpe)," Vater noted.

"He's an absolute favourite around the club, and the league. I've never heard anyone say a bad word about him from any club."

"He plays clean footy and is really well-respected around the whole league."

"It's nice for us to get up and celebrate what is a massive achievement, for a guy that's been doing it for 20 years."

5 - D. Woolford (R)

4 - T. Woolford (R)

3 - Z. Gartery (R)

2 - M. Edwards (R)

1 - R. Kruger (B)



Brad Rosenzweig coming up against Ajay Hem in Riverland Football League A grade action last weekend.



Renmark's Jarryd Rowe gets a kick away.



Alex Haynes attempting to take a mark for the Rovers.



Barmera Monash defender Luke Thomas up against Waikerie's Mitchell Hahn last weekend.

PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff



Waikerie's Jake Spencely was among his side's best players.

## Roos snap losing streak as Pies threaten

Barmera-Monash snapped its two-game losing streak and got its finals' preparation back on track by edging past the rapidly improving Waikerie Magpies in last Saturday's round of RFL A grade.

Coming off successive shock losses to Loxton and Berri, the Roos looked likely to extend their losing sequence to three at various stages of the afternoon, before a final-quarter rally righted the ship, to the relief of their home crowd.

Waikerie welcomed back hard nut Cooper Mackereth into the side, but was missing rebounding defender Jarrod Bee, plus late withdrawal Byron Sumner.

However, the Pies were on the front foot early, and looked the better side in the first quarter, despite kicking into a slight wind.

Regular defender Steven Braun was an unlikely first goal kicker, but Barmera-Monash responded with two of its own, before Waikerie took control of the game – driven largely by the dynamic Kade Hilton – to lead narrowly at the first break.

Waikerie's leg speed continued to cause Barmera-Monash some problems in the second quarter, while Magpie defender Luke Exton repelled many of the home side's attacking forays, which were often slow and deliberate.

Youngster Ayden Hodgson, destined for big things in his career, showed plenty of class for the Roos, who trailed by just two points at the main break. Paul Spiliros and Matthew Wutke were working hard for Barmera-Monash, while Mitch Wellington

was a threat across half forward.

After a third-term stalemate, the Roos made their match-winning move early in the final term, turning on the premiership-footy tap in a five-minute spurt that was clearly the best footy played all day.

Goals came via Matthew Wilden and best on ground Hodgson, and Barmera-Monash had chances to extend its margin, but missed some shots on goal, to keep Waikerie in the contest.

A goal to Mackereth lifted the Magpies' hopes, but Barmera-Monash held firm, with Jake Smith turning it on for spectators in the club's final home game of the season.

Appearing to run the game out a little better than Waikerie, Barmera-Monash should get the injured Jono Beech back this week or

the next, but could have further changes to its line-up depending on the availability of its contingent of West Adelaide juniors.

Waikerie was particularly well served by captain Stephen Hausler, Mitch Hahn and Tristan Geehan, and the Magpies also have some talent to return to their side.

The performance showed that Waikerie is capable of mixing it with the competition's best sides and could yet challenge for a spot in the 2024 grand final.

- LACHIE WINNALL

- 5 votes - A. Hodgson (BM)
- 4 - S. Hausler (W)
- 3 - K. Hilton (W)
- 2 - M. Wutke (BM)
- 1 - S. Butterworth (BM)



Barmera's Justin Bonney looking to take possession of the football.



Trent Ogle in action for the Roos.



Four-goal hauls for both Luke Harder and Adam Proud ensured a 41-point win for Loxton against Loxton North last weekend.  
PHOTO: supplied

# Tigers shake off brave Panthers late

**LOXTON** shook off a brave Loxton North to post a solid 41-point win over at Loxton Oval in their RFL A grade clash on Saturday.

The Tigers were made to work for the two points, keeping the Panthers scoreless in the final term while adding four goals themselves.

Coach Luke Harder led from the front, particularly across the first three quarters when the contest was at its fiercest.

With young guns Riley Walton and Harley Campbell adding some flair and athleticism, Loxton

looked the slightly better side for most of the day, but North's willingness to work hard right across the oval kept it in the game.

"It was good to get the win," Harder said.

"It's always tough against North, it doesn't matter where we are on the ladder."

"It's always a tight tussle and very competitive."

Loxton's Adam Proud played a pivotal role in the victory, kicking four goals and always looking dangerous.

"He's been a welcome inclusion," Harder said.

"He's super athletic in the air and on the ground. He's a very smart footballer."

"We're lucky to have him back, and he certainly makes my job a little easier..."

Harder was also full of praise for Walton and Campbell, describing their 2024 performances as "unbelievable".

"They have their heads on their shoulders like a 26 or 27-year-old footballer," Harder noted.

"What they're doing for our club at the moment, with a few key players out, has been remarkable. They've got big futures those

two lads."

Zac Wooldridge was a solid contributor for North, while the speedy Alex Kudra and teammate Joel Worsfold did their best to keep the Panthers in the game.

"They've got a number of players that have caused us headaches over the last few years," Harder said.

"Kudra is one we have to get the match-up right (against). He's cut us up in the past, and Joel Worsfold is probably the best inside 50 in the comp."

"They are pretty well spread all around the ground."

Harder's men now need to refocus on the top-of-the-table Rovers this Saturday, part of the lead-up to finals and a tricky first semi-final match-up against emerging Waikerie.

"We've got a big game this week..." Harder said.

"We usually play pretty well at Renmark, so hopefully we can get out there and be competitive."

5 - L. Harder (L)  
4 - R. Walton (L)  
3 - H. Campbell (L)  
2 - A. Kudra (LN)  
1 - Z. Wooldridge (LN)

## Blues a chance to snatch second from Brown's Well

Murrayville gave itself a chance to snatch second spot on the MVFL ladder from Brown's Well by taking care of a pumped-up Ramco by 54 points last Saturday.

The Victorian side needed to win to keep its second semi-final hopes alive, and is now hoping top side BSR can beat second-ranked Brown's Well this weekend.

Playing at home, Ramco hit the first quarter at top speed, and challenged Murrayville for intensity.

"They were fired up at the start," said Murrayville coach Mick Durdin.

"But we fought our way back into it and the players are starting to believe they can do it all the time now."

Murrayville dominated the contest after quarter time, moving the ball efficiently and kicking 13 goals to six, with forward Nathan Wright-Bramfit particularly impressive. Wright-Bramfit finished with five goals, but could have almost doubled that, had his goal-kicking radar been on.

In-form ruckman Jake Durdin – son of the coach – played one of his best games of the season, in a fascinating match-up with Ramco big man Jack Parfitt.

While Parfitt was often stronger in the contest, the Blues' ruckman out-jumped his opponent, took a number of strong marks and was superior when the ball hit the ground.

Murrayville has a bye this weekend, and is scheduled to play Paringa in the final minor round, however the bottom-placed Swans forfeited to Brown's Well last weekend, due to a lack of available players.

Ramco is locked in a battle with Wunkar for fourth spot, with two rounds remaining of the minor round.

Meanwhile a first-quarter blitz set up BSR's 21-point win over Sedan-Cambrai, at Cambrai.

The Redbacks led by 32 points at the first change and were never in any serious danger for the rest of the afternoon, despite the reigning premiers closing to within 14 points at three-quarter time.

Troy Cowland kicked five goals and starred for BSR, with great support from Blake Webster and Allen Sparks.

Jacob Griegebooted three goals and was a standout for Sedan-Cambrai, while Harry Clarkson and Russell Loffler battled hard all day.

Paringa forfeited the other game to Brown's Well, automatically handing the Bombers a 10-goal win. The percentage boost edged Brown's Well ahead of Murrayville on the ladder.

	W	L	Pts	%
BSR	11	1	44	61.12
Brown's Well	9	4	32	60.78
Murrayville	8	5	32	60.57
Wunkar	5	7	20	47.47
Ramco	5	7	20	46.36
Sed-Cam	4	8	16	43.06
Paringa	2	10	8	30.49



Murrayville ruckman Jake Durdin had an absorbing battle with Ramco captain Jack Parfitt, during Murrayville's important 54-point MVFL win on Saturday.  
PHOTOS: Facebook



Murrayville star Jasper Hoffmann in action during his three-goal game against Ramco in the Murray Valley Football League last Saturday.



Barmera's Marty Barber and Renmark's Vageli Dedes in action during last Saturday's Riverland Soccer Association A grade. PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff



Renmark men's A grade playing coach Daniel Clark during his side's 3-0 win.

# Olympic cement top spot for 2024

RENMARK Olympic's senior men's team put the Riverland Soccer Association 2024 premiership beyond doubt with a 3-0 win over Barmera last weekend.

Although a tight first half saw the scores remain 0-0 at the break, Nelson Desnie would find the net on the hour mark, and Hari Sahota three minutes later, to provide Renmark an advantage.

George Archie added the finishing touches with a 90th minute goal.

Also in A grade action, Berri River Rangers recorded a second win of the 2024 season after overcoming Loxton 3-2.

Beri went ahead just before half time through Zach Hronopoulos, with Josh Krendl and Leo Lucas also finding the net, while Tony

Mitchell and Rhyan Johnson were on target for Loxton.

Meanwhile, a 5-2 win for Barmera against Renmark in the senior women's competition ensured the battle for top spot continued.

Despite falling behind 2-0 to goals from Chelsea Docking and Maggie Lock, the Pelicans responded with a hat-trick to Mikalya Rayner and a double from Matilda Mitchell.

Renmark remains top of the women's ladder on 24 points, however Barmera are now just 2 points behind.

The highest scoreline of the weekend came in the under 12s competition, with Berri defeating Loxton 10-0.

A four-goal tally to Charlie Kregar paved the way for the

impressive win, with Sebastian Romeo also adding a brace.

The other under 12 game also featured a four-goal haul, this time for Renmark's Ivan Atsaves, in a 7-0 win over Barmera.

## RESULTS

### MEN A GRADE

#### **Berri 3 d Loxton 2**

BEST: Berri – Z. Hronopoulos, M. Eleftheriadis. Loxton – T. Mitchell, C. Mitchell.

GOALS: Berri – Z. Hronopoulos, J. Krendl, L. Lucas. Loxton – T. Mitchell, R. Jason.

#### **Renmark 3 d Barmera 0**

BEST: Renmark – A. Son, K. Kahlon. Barmera – J. Wallace, J. Tsonis.

GOALS: N. Desnie, H. Sahota, G. Archie.

### B GRADE

#### **Renmark 5 d Loxton 0**

BEST: Renmark – G. Archie, N. Desnie. Loxton – S. Perre, Z. Uzzell.

GOALS: N. Desnie 2, G. Archie, G. Tsolomitis, A. Son.

### UNDER 16

#### **RENMARK 8 d Barmera 1**

BEST: Renmark – A. Watkins, J. Callery. Barmera – J. McCracken, A. Akawee, E. Bascomb, M. Rayner.

GOALS: Renmark – J. Callery 2, A. Kazantzis 2, J. Van Dyk, C. Leckie-Hefford, A. Watkins, A. Cartwright. Barmera – M. Rayner.

### UNDER 12

#### **Berri 10 d Loxton 0**

BEST: Berri – C. Kregar, J. Nugent. Loxton – N. Pritchard, H. Formby.

GOALS: Berri – C. Kregar 4, S. Romeo 2, T. Morgan, H. Cooper, E. Ereheas.

#### **Renmark 7 d Barmera 0**

BEST: Renmark – I. Atsaves, H. Brown. Barmera – K. Sweet, A. Akawee.

GOALS: Renmark – I. Atsaves 4, Y. Kalogerias 3.

### MIXED

#### **UNDER 14**

#### **Loxton 5 d Berri 3**

BEST: Loxton – J. Ingerson, H. Martin. Berri – J. Endermann, G. Matianos.

GOALS: Loxton – C. Setchell, L. Perram, J. Ingerson, H. Martin, S. Williams. Berri – K. Krendl 3.

#### **Renmark 6 d Barmera 3**

BEST: Renmark – B. Altundag, F. Rajabi.

Barmera – N. Drewett, A. Perry, J. Sweet. GOALS: B. Altundag 5, J. Curtis. Barmera – J. Sweet 2, A. Perry.

### WOMEN A GRADE

#### **Loxton 4 d Berri 2**

BEST: Loxton – J. Grace, LM. Perre, M. Lockwood. Berri – whole team.

GOALS: LM. Perre 3, K. Bertram. Berri – E. Issacs, N. Harwood.

#### **Barmera 5 d Renmark 2**

BEST: Barmera – A. Perry, M. Coombe. Renmark – R. Burns, B. Kimberley.

GOALS: Barmera – M. Rayner 3, M. Mitchell 2. Renmark – C. Docking, M. Lock.

### UNDER 14

#### **Berri 4 d Loxton 1**

BEST: Berri – whole team. Loxton – A. Angeleski, T. Music.

GOALS: Berri – G. Kaur 3, OG. Loxton – E. Tsakerilos.

#### **Renmark 3 d Barmera 1**

BEST: Renmark – whole team. Barmera – L. Perry, A. Wood.

GOALS: Renmark – P. Seekamp, G. Ekonomopoulos, B. Ormsby. Barmera – A. Newmann.



Barmera's women's team kept their hopes of 2024 silverware alive with a 5-2 win over Renmark.



Renmark's Penny Eleftheriadis competes for the ball.



Loxton's Bailey Hahn in action with Loxton North's Jenna Barry last weekend.  
PHOTOS: Grant Schwartzkopff

# Dress rehearsals whet appetite for A1 finals

A TIGHT Riverland A1 netball major round is looming, going on the results of last weekend's dress rehearsal for the upcoming semi-finals.

In a preview of the first round of the finals, top side Loxton faced its sternest test of the season so far, being pushed to the limit by a young Loxton North side, before eventually winning by just four goals – Loxton's narrowest winning margin of the season.

The other match saw fourth-ranked Renmark knock off third-ranked Berri, making finals predictions even tougher.

At The Precinct, Loxton burst out to a 7-1 lead in the first term, but was reeled back in by North, after the young side settled. Fired by some outstanding goal circle efforts by Maddie Groth, North levelled the scores, before Loxton capitalised on a couple of loose passes to take a 16-13 lead into the first break.

North 'won' the second term, and even hit the front momentarily, before Loxton tightened up, particularly in defence.

A highlight was the slick work of Loxton midcourt star Elise Foulds, whose lob passing to shooter

Mackella Hogan were superb.

At half time scores were level, before Loxton found its best form in the third quarter, using its superior height and experience to good effect. Hogan continued her outstanding season with another brilliant showing, working close to the post. She was simply too tall in the circle, and rebounded any missed shots.

However, North again surged in the final quarter, with Kiara Harman playing one of her best games of the season, effecting several excellent turnovers, and teammate Paris Lawrie battling hard at goal defence.

With around five minutes left on the clock scores were level, before the premiership favourite's defensive pressure exposed a few cracks in the young North side and Loxton edged to a 55-51 win.

The other A1 game was similarly tight, with Renmark taking control of the match in a frenetic final quarter, outscoring Berri 18-13 to grab a confidence-boosting 67-64 win.

Experienced duo Reeni Blackley and Sonja Modlinski formed a highly effective combination in Renmark's attacking goal circle, and put the game away in the decisive

last quarter.

Earlier, Berri looked capable of posting another win, with goalies Brooke Franks and Abby Fenwick right on top of their respective games.

Scores were level at the first break, before the quick ball movement of Renmark trio Shenae Rucioch, Ruby Orchard and Amelia Koumbarakos saw their team take a two-goal lead into the half time break.

Berri got its game going in the third term, with Amelia Morgan particularly good at goal defence, and Layne Fenwick solid in the mid-court.

The last quarter was a high-standard, exciting affair, and despite Morgan's continued outstanding efforts, a couple of key interceptions by Renmark's defence created several crucial – and ultimately match-winning – interceptions.

The two teams both have plenty to ponder before their cut-throat first semi-final encounter on 23 August. Despite only fielding around half its side from 2023, Renmark continues to improve and could yet cause some headaches for other teams in the finals.



Renmark youngster Ivy Stoeckel playing against Berri in under 9s.

## A1

BERRI	V	RENMARK
BERRI	18	32
RENMARK	18	49

BEST: Berri - A. Morgan, B. Franks. Renmark - S. Modlinski, R. Blackley.

LOXTON	V	LOXTON NORTH
LOXTON	16	25
LOXTON NORTH	13	25

BEST: Loxton - M. Hogan, E. Foulds. Loxton North - K. Harman, M. Groth

Andriske. Loxton - M. McDougall, G. Wagner.

A2	Barmera 59 d Walkerville 37.	BEST: Barmera - K. Tsoriotis, M. Kassulke. Berri - N. Afford, B. Wilksch.
Renmark 58 d Berri 53.	BEST: Renmark - B. Martinson, A. Esam. Berri - S. Glen, L. Gloster.	

Loxton North 60 d Loxton 40.  
BEST: Loxton North - N. Cappelluti, M. Pfeiler. Loxton - B. Pickering, M. Pannell.

B1	Beri 55 d Renmark 45.	BEST: details not provided.
Waikarie 55 d Barmera 44.	BEST: details not provided.	

B2	Loxton North Navy 59 d Walkerville 0.	BEST: forfeit.
Cobdogla 43 d Barmera 23.	BEST: Cobdogla - L. Latz, R. Ponsonby. Barmera - K. Fletcher, J. Gregory	

B3	Beri 71 d Renmark 33.	BEST: Berri - C. Grigg, C. Waye. Renmark - details not provided.
Loxton North 54 d Loxton 42.	BEST: Loxton North - K. Lewis. Loxton - L. Quinn, H. Hucks.	

C1	Renmark 55 d Berri 23.	BEST: Renmark - details not provided. Berri - K. Rosenthal.
Waikarie 14 d Barmera 11.	BEST: Waikarie - N. Cartledge, Ivy Nettelbeck. Barmera - B. Randall, A. Wood	

C2	Monash 42 d Loxton North 38.	BEST: Monash - H. Wray, M. Morris. Loxton North - C. Laverty, C. Jones.
Waikarie 38 d Barmera 24.	BEST: Waikarie - B. Kafexholli. Barmera - details not provided.	

C3	Loxton North 53 d Berri 21.	BEST: details not provided
Cobdogla 31 d Renmark White 16.	BEST: Cobdogla - L. Sanderson, S. Vallelonga. Renmark White - S. Nikolis, C. Camplin	

D1A	Beri 29 d Renmark 20.	BEST: Berri - W. Safralidis, M. Drake. Renmark - details not provided.
Loxton 44 d Loxton North 8.	BEST: Loxton - E. Hondow, L. Rudd. Loxton North - G. Meaney, L. Paull.	

D1B	Barmera 17 drew with Waikarie 17.	BEST: Barmera - Z. Sampson, S. Maleki. Waikarie - A. Lieblich, C. Golding.
Renmark Blue 20 d Berri 15.	BEST: Renmark Blue - details not provided. Berri - R. Freckleton, K. Nugent	

D1C	Beri 42 d Renmark 2.	BEST: Berri - G. Stapleton, T. Hickman. Renmark - T. Greathead, G. Fairey.
Waikarie 17 d Barmera 3.	BEST: Barmera - J. Ivanovic, I. Roberts. Waikarie - E. Valentine, L. Quinn.	

E1A	Loxton 34 d Loxton North 19.	BEST: Loxton - E. Kaesler, E. Size. Loxton North - A. Stone, B. Jachmann.
Renmark 39 d Walkerville 38.	BEST: Barmera - M. Banks, Jordan Wright. Walkerville - P. Zarmbalas, S. Golding.	

E1B	Waikarie 14 d Barmera 11.	BEST: Waikarie: N. Cartledge, Ivy Nettelbeck. Barmera - B. Randall, A. Wood
Barmera 39 d Walkerville 38.	BEST: Barmera - M. Banks, Jordan Wright. Walkerville - P. Zarmbalas, S. Golding.	

E1C	Monash 42 d Loxton North 38.	BEST: Monash - H. Wray, M. Morris. Loxton North - C. Laverty, C. Jones.
Waikarie 38 d Barmera 24.	BEST: Waikarie - B. Kafexholli. Barmera - details not provided.	

F1A	Waikarie 38 d Barmera 24.	BEST: Waikarie - B. Kafexholli. Barmera - details not provided.
Barmera 39 d Walkerville 38.	BEST: Barmera - M. Banks, Jordan Wright. Walkerville - P. Zarmbalas, S. Golding.	

F1B	Monash 42 d Loxton North 38.	BEST: Monash - H. Wray, M. Morris. Loxton North - C. Laverty, C. Jones.
Waikarie 38 d Barmera 24.	BEST: Waikarie - B. Kafexholli. Barmera - details not provided.	

F1C	Waikarie 14 d Barmera 11.	BEST: Waikarie: N. Cartledge, Ivy Nettelbeck. Barmera - B. Randall, A. Wood
Barmera 39 d Walkerville 38.	BEST: Barmera - M. Banks, Jordan Wright. Walkerville - P. Zarmbalas, S. Golding.	

G1A	Monash 42 d Loxton North 38.	BEST: Monash - H. Wray, M. Morris. Loxton North - C. Laverty, C. Jones.
Waikarie 38 d Barmera 24.	BEST: Waikarie - B. Kafexholli. Barmera - details not provided.	

G1B	Waikarie 14 d Barmera 11.	BEST: Waikarie: N. Cartledge, Ivy Nettelbeck. Barmera - B. Randall, A. Wood
Barmera 39 d Walkerville 38.	BEST: Barmera - M. Banks, Jordan Wright. Walkerville - P. Zarmbalas, S. Golding.	

G1C	Monash

# Amazing Dave reaches new milestone

BARMERA-Monash Football Club stalwart Dave Whitbourne achieved another amazing milestone last Saturday.

Whitbourne played his 300th senior game for the club when the Roos' B grade beat Waikerie by 85 points at the lakeside.

However, Whitbourne's achievement is even more remarkable considering he played well over 200 games before moving to the Riverland and joining the RFL club as an already mature footballer. He won a Mail Medal while playing for Port Elliott way back in 1998.

The now 55-year-old is held in the highest regard at Barmera-

Monash for his efforts both on and off the field.

"Dave has been instrumental with the club's junior program as well as a huge support for the Riverland kids in the West Adelaide program," the Roos said via social media.

"He was also awarded BMFC life membership in 2018."

Adding to Whitbourne's milestone day, a video – posted to social media – of him kicking a goal against Waikerie and leading his teammates in an 'I'm not worthy' type celebration went viral, and has been viewed around 650,000\* times since Saturday's match.



Dave Whitbourne is given a guard of honour while leaving the field by his Barmera-Monash teammates and Waikerie opponents last Saturday. The B grade match was 55-year-old Whitbourne's 300th senior game for the Roos. PHOTO: Facebook

## Injury-hit Paringa forced to forfeit weekend's match

A LONG injury list contributed to Paringa Football Club forfeiting its Murray Valley senior football match to Brown's Well last Saturday.

The bottom-of-the-ladder Swans were due to travel to Paruna for the round 15 match, but were unable to muster a side.

The club took to social media to explain

its decision, which it said was "not made lightly".

"(The forfeit is) due to an extraordinarily large number of injuries and unavailabilities..." the club said.

"We apologise to our supporters and to the Brown's Well Football Club as we have always enjoyed a healthy respect for their

club and are disappointed we will be unable to play."

Paringa has won just two matches this season and has recently been advertising for a coach for the 2025 season.

In better news, the club's netballers fulfilled their playing commitments against Brown's Well last weekend.

## BitEdgy showing table tennis might as finals loom

Round 11 of Riverland table tennis action saw Short Straws have a big win over A Team to steal second place from Desperados, who had the bye this week.

An under-manned BitEdgy also fought off Crushers to hold on to top spot on the ladder.

A Team had their third-largest loss of the season at the hands of Short Straws, coming at 18-6. A Team, now with a poor percentage, will need to hold off Crushers, who surprisingly can still make the finals with a win next week.

In the second match BitEdgy had a comfortable 14-10 win over Crushers to hold onto top spot on the ladder. Now a game clear, and with percentage, it will be hard to see them lose the minor premiership for 2024 and be the team to beat in the finals.

### RESULTS

#### Short Straws d A Team 17-6

##### Doubles

R. Coppin/P. Rogers d N. Stoeckel/G. Haby; P. Reid/C. Carson lost to G. Dyer/A. Hughes; R. Coppin/P. Reid d N. Stoeckel/G. Dyer; P. Rogers/C. Carson lost to G. Haby/A. Hughes; S. Adamczyk/S. Dixon lost to L. Hoffmann/D. Badram; J. Stoeckel/N. Johnson lost to D. Hoffmann/S.

Barnholm; S. Adamczyk/S. Dixon lost to L. Hoffmann/D. Hoffmann; N. Johnson/J. Stoeckel lost to S. Barnholm/D. Badram.

##### Singles

R. Coppin d N. Stoeckel; P. Rogers lost to N. Stoeckel; R. Coppin d G. Haby; P. Rogers lost to G. Haby; P. Reid lost to G. Dyer; C. Carson lost to G. Dyer; P. Reid d A. Hughes; C. Carson lost to A. Hughes; S. Adamczyk lost to L. Hoffmann; S. Dixon lost to L. Hoffmann; S. Adamczyk lost to D. Badram; S. Dixon lost to D. Badram; J. Stoeckel lost to D. Hoffmann; N. Johnson lost to D. Hoffmann; J. Stoeckel d S. Barnholm; N. Johnson lost to S. Barnholm.

#### Bit Edgy d Crushers 14-10

##### Doubles

F. Sullivan/S. Watson d D. Robinson/P. Haenen; D. Badger/E. Li-Guo lost to

M. Rose/P. Farr; F. Sullivan/D. Badger d D. Robinson/M. Rose; S. Watson/E. Li-Guo lost to P. Haenen/P. Farr; C. Ward/L. Cheng lost to N. Dyer/J. Schwarz; A. Harris/S. Adamczyk d H. Arry/J. Livingston-Bornholm; C. Ward/A. Harris d N. Dyer/H. Arry; L. Cheng/S. Adamczyk lost to J. Schwarz/J. Livingston-Bornholm.

##### Singles

F. Sullivan d D. Robinson; S. Watson d D. Robinson; F. Sullivan d P. Haenen; S. Watson d P. Haenen; D. Badger lost to M. Rose; E. Li-Guo lost to M. Rose; D. Badger d P. Farr; E. Li-Guo lost to P. Farr; C. Ward d N. Dyer; L. Cheng lost to N. Dyer; C. Ward lost to J. Schwarz; L. Cheng lost to J. Schwarz; A. Harris d H. Arry; S. Adamczyk d H. Arry; A. Harris d J. Livingston-Bornholm; S. Adamczyk d J. Livingston-Bornholm.

## Table tennis' big inter-association dance

THE Renmark Table Tennis association is geared up ready for their biggest table tennis event in over 30 years.

This Saturday, from 1pm to 4.30pm, the best players from the Riverland will take on Sunraysia in an inter-association match at the K M Tucker Hall, in Renmark.

Teams of 18 players from each association will fight out

both doubles and singles on eight tables, with the winner taking out a custom-made shield that will become a perpetual trophy to be fought out each year between Victoria and SA.

This event is free entry to all spectators and is something special, so come along with family and friends and watch this awesome sport and support our Riverland players.



Table tennis players from Sunraysia and the Riverland will compete on Saturday for inter-association bragging rights. PHOTO: supplied

## RIVERLAND EIGHTBALL RESULTS

### DIVISION 1

DILLIGAF (Lyrup Club) d Lyrup Club Bushy in a blackball shootout 8 all  
Loxton RSL BC 10 d Barmera Breaking Bad 6  
Loxton RSL d Lyrup Club Lions in a blackball shootout 8 all  
Just The Tip (Barmera) 10 d Lyrup Odd Bunch 6

### DIVISION 2

Cobbers (Cobby) 12 d Loxton RSL 4  
Monash Club 9 d Red J's Loxton 7  
Waikerie Club 11 d Loxton Black 5

### DIVISION 3

Bonney Pelicans (Barmera) 9 d Renmark Aces 7

### DIVISION 4

Lyrup Club 9 d Cobby Roos 7  
NFI (Barmera) 12 d Cobby Club 4  
Lyrup Lost & Found 9 d Lyrup Unpredictables 7  
Cobby Scorpions 10 d Cobby G.O.B 6  
Cobby Blackwidows 12 d Monash Rascals 4

## RIVERLAND GOLF:

### BERRI

#### Wednesday 31 July - Stableford

M. Cartwright 38, A. Vanhaasteren 34, P. Wood 33, C. Hyde 32.

#### Thursday 1 August - Berri Ladies Open

M. Hughes 41, L. Smith 40, A. Hyde 37, M. Crouch 35, S. Grein 34.

#### Saturday 3 August - Stableford

S. Schloithe 37, S. May 37, K. Tanner 36, R. Nagy 36, J. Staunton 35, R. Knight 34, L. Berry 34, C. Hyde 34.

#### Club Championship Quarter Finals Men's

##### A Grade

B. Eckermann d S. Wade 19th, R. Day d J. Szalbot 4/3, G. Morrison d P. Martin 1up, P. Wood d M. Boon 2 up, D. Dawson d D. Keitley 19th.

##### B Grade

P. Efthemieu d W. Theile 5/4, D. Shawyer d M. Clifford 2/1.

##### Ladies

K. Wyman d J. Seaton 7/5, G. Mack d M. Hughes, L. Smith d D. Ramsey 6/5, J. Curren d E. Hughes 2/1. Sunday 4 August - Club Championships Semi Finals

##### A Grade

B. Eckermann d R. Day 6/4, G. Morrison d P. Wood 3/2.

##### B Grade

J. Staunton d D. Dawson 6/5, P. Efthemieu d D. Shawyer 20th.

##### C Grade

D. Gregoric d G. Tognon 5/4, S. Kitto d B. Boon 3/2 Ladies

##### C Grade

K. Wyman d G. Mack 8/7, L. Smith d J. Curren 8/6.

### LOXTON

#### Wednesday 24 July

Men A - R. Paige 37, G. Morrison (Berri) 37, H. Kara-Ali 35, P. Harman 35, C. Foreman 35, S. Wade (Berri) 34.

Men B - R. Burn (Berri) 43, B. Webb (Berri) 37, P. Richardson 37, A. Vanhaasteren 37, T. Williamson 36.

Women - S. Grein 36, L. Rowe 35, S. Patching 30, S. Pannell 30, J. Ling 29.

#### Friday 26 July - Loxton Open Pinehurst

Men - N. O'Connell and G. Golding

Mixed - M. Tyler and D. Tyler.

#### Saturday 27 July - Loxton Open

Men A - N. Ramsey (Maitland) 73. Men B - C. Cowland (Tea Tree Gully) 81. Men C - R. Bickley (West Lakes) 87. Men D - A. Tumball (Future) 90. Women A - S. Laird (Coombealla) 80. Women B - J. Ling 104.

#### Sunday 28 July - Loxton Open

Men A - G. Rhodes (Coombealla) 74. Men B - H. Daw (Tanunda) 80. Men C - G. Virag (McCracken) 85 Men D - J. Davies (Berri) 92.

Women A - S. Laird 81. Women B - L. Neindorf (Coombealla) 102.

#### Loxton Open Overall Winners

Men - A. Hume, Runner-up - G. Rhodes (Coombealla)

Women - S. Laird (Coombealla), Runner-up - M. Tyler.

#### Wednesday 31 July

Men - D. Marsland 35, M. Cash 34, G. MacInnes 33, B. Skinner 32, P. Hamilton 32.

Women - S. Pannell 31, B. Rollbusch 30, M. Tyler 30.

#### Saturday 3 August - Winner: P. Hendrick nett 66.

Men A - J. Goldsworthy nett 70, A. Humne 70, R. Paige 71, S. Palat 71, H. Kara-Ali 73, D. Sunman 73.

Men B - P. Hendrick nett 66, K. Wagnitz 70, S. Patching 71, D. Peberdy 71, O. Walkley 72, J. Davies (Berri) 73, C. Cassell (Barmera) 73.

Women - S. Pannell nett 73, M. Thomson 79, J. Sawade 81, J. Bullock 81.

## RIVERLAND DARTS

WAIKERIE Vipers again had a close encounter with Monash Wanderers, with the match 6-all going into the doubles.

The score was 8-all going into the final doubles, which went the full three legs with Vipers claiming the last doubles to win 8-7.

Tyson Collins stood out for the Vipers scoring two maximum 180s, along with teammate Shane McKinnon and Wanderers Calib Martin, who both scored a 180.

Cobby Eagles overcame a determined Expendables, winning 14-1. R C Ones continued their good form with a 15-nil win over Lyrup Cubs.

#### Results 1/8/2024

Waikerie Vipers 8 (T. Collins 180 x 2, 140, 100 x 3, S. McKinnon 180, 140 x 2, 138, 100, M. McDonald 140, 101, 100 x 2, M. Court 123, 100, C. White 100 x 3) d Monash Wanderers 7 (C. Martin 180, 100 x 2, W. Bonham 140, 117, 100 x 2, D. Martin 135, 120, J. Willett 111, 100 x 3, K. Hayes 119) Cobby Eagles 14 (J. Broekers 171, 140 x 3, 100 x 2, D. Coombes 126, 125, 123, 100 x 2, N. Peatey 126, 100 x 2, R. Stemp 123, 122 peg out, G. Dyer 123, 121) d Expendables 1 (S. Lockwood 134, 131, 120, M. Thomas 101) R C Ones 15 (D. Crane 140 x 3, 100 x 4, T. Stoneham 140, 138, 125, C. Wagner 140, 134, L. Platten 135, 100 x 2, W. Schwartzkopf 121, 100 x 4, N. Flack 100 x 4) d Lyrup Cubs nil (B. Kenefick 13, 117, 100)



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# Sport



## THE 300 FOR THORPE

Renmark Rovers veteran Trevor Thorpe was triumphantly carried off the field after his team emerged 104-point victors over Berri last weekend. PHOTO: Grant Schwartzkopff. REPORT: PAGE 37

## Local athletes doing Riverland proud in Paris

RIVERLAND athletes have done their region and their country proud at the 2024 Paris Olympics.

Rower Alex Hill, who hails from Loxton North and won a gold medal at the 2021 Olympics in Tokyo, again made the Olympic finals in the men's fours event, with Australia finishing sixth.

In stroke position, Hill was the sole remaining member of the gold medal-winning fours team from three years ago, with his 2024 team including two Olympic debutantes.

Loxton's Zachery Schubert teamed up with beach volleyball partner Thomas Hodges to win one of three pool matches, beating a French duo at the Eiffel Tower Stadium.

"It was pretty incredible," Schubert told Volleyball Australia.

"We wanted to win so bad, we're up a few points, and next thing you know, we're actually down."

"To go back to the baseline and to serve... we just

had to go for it.

"There's nothing to lose and everything to gain, and we did."

The victory helped Schubert and Hodges into a "lucky loser" play-off against a US team on Sunday, when the Aussies went down 2-0 in a hard-fought encounter that could have gone either way.

Former Waikerie resident Tom Wickham did well for the Australian men's hockey team, which bowed out of the competition on Monday, losing its quarter final match 2-0 to the Netherlands.

Wickham scored a goal for the Kookaburras in their 5-0 win over New Zealand earlier in the tournament, cleverly deflecting teammate Aran Zalewski's shot on goal.

Completing the local connection at the Games, the Australian boxing team is enjoying one of its most successful Olympics ever, helped along by the behind-the-scenes work of Loxton's Phil Goodes, who is among the team's support staff.

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# New kids on The Block

**P**REPARE yourself for the tide of holiday and beach idioms and puns: Scott Cam and *The Block* crew have washed up again for season 20 of the renovation competition and this time the contestants are taking on an abandoned resort on Victoria's windswept Phillip Island to complete five luxury holiday homes.

"When I drove into the site for the first time, I knew it was going to be a big job for our contestants," Cam says.

The houses are enormous, and when you walk around the site there are surprises at every turn, including a tennis court and a swimming pool."

Besides an inordinate amount of sand, other changes are somewhat bittersweet: foreman Keith Schleiger has stepped down after 13 years, with the lovable Dan Reilly stepping into his boots; while veteran judge Neale Whitaker is officially handing the reins over to real estate guru Marty Fox. However,

both Schleiger and Whitaker will be making guest appearances throughout the season that are sure to keep the contestants on their toes.

The couples include married Cairns parents Kylie and Brad – while he is a double threat as both an electrician and plumber, green-haired hairdresser Kylie not only promises a parade of impressive 'dos, but is a force to be reckoned with on the tools.

"I will have a go at everything," she says.

"I can handle a hammer and a drill and I'm not afraid to use it."

South Australian newlyweds Kristian and Mimi; West Australian carpenter Jesse and fiancée Paige; Victorian best mates Ricky and Haydn and furniture designer Courtney and her landscape manager husband Grant round out the hardworking cast.

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**ABC TV [CH2]**

**6.00** News Breakfast.  
**9.00** ABC News Mornings.  
**10.00** Four Corners. (R)  
**11.00** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**12.30** National Press Club Address.  
**1.35** Media Watch. (PG, R)  
**1.55** Anh's Brush With Fame. (M, R)  
**2.25** Back Roads. (R)  
**2.55** Restoration Australia. (R)  
**3.50** Griff's Great Kiwi Road Trip: Get Some Number 8 Wire - Wellington. (R)  
**4.40** Grand Designs. (R)  
**5.30** Antiques Roadshow. (R)

**6.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.  
**7.30** **7.30**. Presented by Sarah Ferguson.  
**8.00** QI. Final. Hosted by Sandi Toksvig. (M)  
**8.30** Would I Lie To You? Two teams go head-to-head in a battle of wits that has them trying to fool the opposition.  
**9.05** Planet America. A look at the US political climate.  
**9.35** Tom Gleeson: Joy. Performance by Tom Gleeson. (M, R)  
**10.50** ABC Late News.  
**11.05** The Business. (R)  
**11.20** Interview With The Vampire. (M, R)  
**12.10** Fifteen-Love. (M, R)  
**1.00** Grand Designs. (R)  
**1.45** Griff's Great Kiwi Road Trip. (R)  
**2.35** Grantchester. (M, R)  
**3.20** War Stories. (R)  
**3.40** Parkinson In Australia. (PG, R)  
**4.30** Landline. (R)  
**5.00** Art Works. (PG, R)  
**5.30** **7.30**. (R)

**ABC TV PLUS [CH22]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts. **6.05** Little J And Big Cuz. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Riley Rocket. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** The Investigators. **7.50** Little Lunch. **8.05** Fresh Off The Boat. **8.25** Matilda And The Ramsay Bunch. **8.45** BTN Newsbreak. **8.50** Mythbusters "There's Your Problem!". **9.15** Robot Wars. **10.15** Doctor Who. **11.00** Merlin. **11.45** Good Game Spawn Point. **12.30** Rage. **1.35** Operation Ouch! **2.15** So Awkward. **2.45** Malory Towers. **3.10** The Next Step. **3.35** Odd Squad. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

**ABC ME [CH23]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **9.40** Hey You! What If. **9.45** Operation Ouch! **9.55** Know It Alls. **10.05** Horrible Histories. **10.35** The Ancient To Modern World. **10.40** Colonising Australia 1788-1901. **10.50** The Gold Rush. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.15** My Family. **12.45** Ab Fab. **1.15** Megafauna: What Killed Australia's Giants? **2.05** ER. **2.50** Doctor Who. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.00** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** My Family. **7.30** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Interview With The Vampire. **9.25** Gold Diggers. **9.55** ER. **11.20** Rage New Music. **12.25** Not Going Out. **12.55** Fresh Off The Boat. **1.15** Would I Lie To You? **1.45** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.35** Movie: Girl With A Pearl Earring. (2003) Colin Firth, Scarlett Johansson. **4.10** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

**SEVEN [CH7, 6]**

**6.00** Sunrise.  
**9.00** The Morning Show. (PG)  
**11.30** Seven Morning News.  
**12.00** Movie: A Deadly Connection. (2017) Heather McComb. A girl sends risqué photos to an older man. (M, R)  
**2.00** Surveillance Oz. A sneaky thief gets caught on Facebook. (PG, R)  
**2.15** Catch Phrase. (PG)  
**3.00** The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)  
**4.00** Seven News At 4.  
**5.00** The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

**6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Home And Away. Dana's big mouth gets her in trouble. (PG)  
**7.30** The 1% Club UK. Hosted by Lee Mack. (PG, R)  
**8.30** The Front Bar. Hosts Mick Molloy, Sam Pang and Andy Maher take a lighter look at all things AFL. (M)  
**9.30** The Best Of The Russell Gilbert Show. Part 2 of 2. Russell saves the life of an iconic amusement park character who then proceeds to stalk him. (PG, R)  
**10.45** Autopsy USA: Debbie Reynolds. A look at the death of Debbie Reynolds. (M)  
**11.45** Air Crash Investigations: Loss Of A Legend. Examines a 2020 helicopter crash. (PG, R)  
**12.45** Criminal Confessions: Professional Suspect. A look at the murder of Sara Dixon. (M, R)  
**2.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Million Dollar Minute. (R)  
**5.00** Sunrise 5am News.  
**5.30** Sunrise.

**7TWO [CH72, 62]**

**6.00** Shopping. **6.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **7.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** Penelope Keith's Hidden Villages. (PG) **11.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **12.00** Better Homes. **1.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **2.00** Weekender. **2.30** Slow Train Through Africa. (PG) **3.30** Harry's Practice. **4.00** Medical Emergency. (PG, R)  
**4.30** Better Homes And Gardens. (R)  
**5.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**7.30** Heartbeat. (PG, R)  
**8.45** Judge John Deed. (M, R)  
**10.45** Law & Order: UK. (M, R)  
**11.45** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**1.00** Judge John Deed. (M) **3.00** Better Homes. **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** The Real Seachange. **5.30** James Robison. (PG)

**7MATE [CH74, 60]**

**6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Step Outside. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** America's Game. **9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **10.30** American Restoration. (PG) **11.00** American Pickers. (PG) **12.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **1.00** Outback Truckers. (PG) **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. (PG) **3.30** Truck Night In America. (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **5.00** American Restoration. (PG) **5.30** American Pickers. (PG) **6.30** Pawn Stars. (PG) **7.30** Highway Patrol. (PG) **8.00** The Force: BTL. (PG)  
**8.30** World's Wildest Police Videos. (M, R)  
**10.30** Live PD: Police Patrol. (M)  
**11.00** Nightwatch. (MA15+) **12.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **12.30** American Restoration. (PG) **1.00** American Pickers. (PG) **2.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **3.00** World's Wildest Police Videos. (M) **5.00** Building Giants. (PG)

**NINE [CH9, 8]**

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 11: Early morning. Events may include: women's soccer, semi-finals; athletics finals.  
**6.30** Today In Paris.  
**10.30** 9News Morning.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Todd Woodbridge brings the action from Day 11 of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad.

**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Afternoon. Events may include: Day 11 recap; athletics, marathon race walk relay mixed.

**6.00** 9News.  
**6.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Night. Events may include: athletics, men's 5000m, men's 800m; cycling track, men's sprint, women's team pursuit; skateboarding, men's park.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Late night. Events may include: skateboarding, men's park; women's basketball, quarter-final.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Post midnight. Events may include: skateboarding, men's park final; cycling track, men's sprint, women's team pursuit; women's basketball, quarter-final.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Overnight. Events may include: cycling track; athletics finals, women's pole vault, men's discuss.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Early morning. Events may include: athletics finals, men's 3000m steeplechase, men's 400m.

**9GEM [CH92, 81]**

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 11: Early morning.  
**7.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Replay. Replay of the action from Day 11.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Afternoon.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Night.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Late night. Events may include: women's golf, round 1; diving, women's 3m springboard; taekwondo.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Post midnight. Events may include: women's golf, round 1; women's basketball, quarter-final; taekwondo.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Overnight.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Early morning.

**9GO! [CH93, 82]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **8.00** Beyblade Burst Surge. **8.30** Dino Ranch. **9.00** Teen Titans Go! **9.30** Power Players. **10.00** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **10.30** Pokémon Horizons: The Series. **11.00** Transformers: Prime. **11.30** Bakugan. **12.00** Movie: The Lego Batman Movie. (2017) **2.00** Bewitched. **2.30** The Nanny. **3.30** Seinfeld. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched.  
**5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Night. **6.30** The Nanny. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** Seinfeld. **8.30** Movie: Creed II. (2018) Michael B. Jordan, Sylvester Stallone, Tessa Thompson. **11.00** Seinfeld. **12.00** Below Deck. **1.00** Made In Chelsea. **2.00** The Nanny. **3.00** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge. **4.00** Transformers: Prime. **4.30** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **4.50** Power Players. **5.10** Teen Titans Go! **5.30** Pokémon.

**TEN [CH10, 5]**

**6.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **6.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **7.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG, R) **8.00** Neighbours. (PG, R) **8.30** Bold. (PG, R) **9.00** Dr Phil. (PG, R)  
**10.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R)  
**10.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **11.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG)  
**12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Entertainment Tonight. **1.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **2.00** Dogs Behaving (Very) Badly Australia. (R) **3.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. **3.30** 10 News First: Afternoon. **4.00** Neighbours. (PG)  
**4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) **5.00** 10 News First.

**6.00** Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer.  
**6.30** The Project. A look at the day's news.  
**7.30** Bondi Rescue. After a drunk reveller falls 20 metres off a cliff, lifeguards cannot believe the state he is in. (PG)  
**8.30** Ambulance Australia. Final. Follows paramedics as they respond to calls including a diver trapped underwater by a piece of concrete, a man crushed by a crane and a motorcyclist who has been thrown off his bike. (M)  
**9.30** FBI: International. A US mercenary who claims to be fighting child trafficking abroad is apprehended at a Romanian outpost. (M)  
**10.30** 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather.  
**10.55** The Project. A look at the day's news. (R)  
**12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.30** CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.

**10 PEACH [CH11, 52]**

**6.00** Becker. (PG) **6.30** Frasier. (PG)  
**7.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **8.30** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **9.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **10.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **10.30** Becker. (PG) **11.00** Frasier. (PG) **12.00** Deal Or No Deal. **12.30** Two And A Half Men. (PG) **1.00** Two And A Half Men. (M) **1.30** Becker. (PG) **2.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **2.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **3.00** Frasier. (PG) **4.00** Everyday Gourmet. **4.30** Friends. (PG)  
**5.30** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Neighbours. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Friends. (PG, R)  
**8.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R)  
**11.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R)  
**11.30** Impractical Jokers. (PG)  
**12.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **4.30** Shopping.

**10 BOLD [CH12, 51]**

**6.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**8.00** Escape Fishing With ET. (R)  
**8.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**10.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Bull. (M, R)  
**1.30** NCIS. (M, R)  
**2.30** Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R)  
**3.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**7.30** NCIS. After a Muslim marine is murdered, Ducky refuses to perform an autopsy due to the victim's religious beliefs. (M, R)  
**9.25** FBI: Most Wanted. The murder of a geology professor leads the team to a legend of hidden Civil War treasure. (M, R)  
**10.20** FBI: Most Wanted. Hana is kidnapped. (MA15+, R)  
**11.15** Blue Bloods. (M, R)  
**12.15** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.15** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**4.05** 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** Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG) **10.00** Great Canal Journeys. (R) **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (PG) **12.00** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS News. **2.00** Dateline. (R) **2.30** Insight. (R) **3.30** The Point: Road To Referendum History Bites. (R) **3.35** Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG, R) **3.45** The Cook Up. (PG, R) **4.15** Who Do You Think You Are? US. (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

**6.00** Mastermind Australia. Contestants are given two minutes to answer questions on their chosen specialist subject. (PG, R)  
**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.30** Lies, Politics And Democracy. An examination of the profound and mounting threats to American democracy. (M, R)  
**9.35** DI Ray. DI Ray is forced to face her past to uncover the next piece of the puzzle. (M)  
**10.30** SBS World News Late.  
**11.00** Headhunters. Roger has to get away from Julie, Kelly and the brothers while trying to save his father. (MA15+)  
**12.40** You Shall Not Lie. A viral video destroys lives. (MA15+, R)  
**3.30** Babies: Their Wonderful World. Part 1 of 3. (R)  
**4.35** Bamay: Arrernte Country. A slow-TV showcase. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning. News from Japan.  
**5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight. News from Quezon City.

**SBS VICELAND [CH31]**

**6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.50** Indian Country Today 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** Front Up 2000. **12.00</**

**ABC TV [CH2]**

**6.00** News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Stuff The British Stole. Final. (PG, R)  
**10.30** The Greek Islands With Julia Bradbury. (R)  
**11.00** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**1.00** Australia's Wild Odyssey. (R)  
**1.55** Anh's Brush With Fame. (PG, R)  
**2.25** Back Roads. (R)  
**2.55** Restoration Australia. (R)  
**3.50** Griff's Great Kiwi Road Trip: Jump Off A Cliff - Lake Coleridge. (R)  
**4.40** Grand Designs. (R)  
**5.30** Antiques Roadshow. (R)

**SEVEN [CH7, 6]**

**6.00** Sunrise.  
**9.00** The Morning Show. (PG)  
**11.30** Seven Morning News.  
**12.00** Movie: Secret Diary Of A Cheerleader. (2023) Laurie Fortier. A woman's daughter is accused of murder. (M)  
**2.00** Motorbike Cops. Follows motorcycle cops on patrol. (PG, R)  
**2.15** Catch Phrase. Game show. (PG)  
**3.00** The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)  
**4.00** Seven News At 4.  
**5.00** The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

**NINE [CH9, 8]**

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Early morning. Events may include: athletics finals, men's 3000m steeplechase, men's 400m.  
**6.30** Today In Paris. Presented by Sarah Abo and Karl Stefanovic.  
**10.30** 9News Morning.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Hosted by Todd Woodbridge.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Afternoon. Events may include: Day 12 recap, women's marathon swimming.

**TEN [CH10, 5]**

**6.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **6.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **7.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG, R) **8.00** Neighbours. (PG, R) **8.30** Bold. (PG, R) **9.00** Dr Phil. (PG, R) **10.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **10.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **11.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Entertainment Tonight. **1.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Dr Phil. (M, R) **3.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield.  
**3.30** 10 News First: Afternoon. **4.00** Neighbours. (PG) **4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) **5.00** 10 News First.

**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** Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG) **10.00** Great Canal Journeys. (PG, R) **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (PG, R) **12.00** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS News. **2.00** Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG, R)  
**2.10** The Toys That Built The World. (PG, R) **3.00** Seeds: Planting Hope Through Education. **3.45** The Cook Up. (R) **4.15** Who Do You Think You Are? (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

**6.30** Hard Quiz. Presented by Tom Gleeson. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.  
**7.30** 7.30. Presented by Sarah Ferguson.  
**8.00** Foreign Correspondent. International affairs program.  
**8.30** Grand Designs: The Streets. Final. Kevin McCloud meets a couple who want to build a family home for them and their three children. (PG)  
**9.20** Miriam Margolyes Almost Australian: Mateship. Part 2 of 3. (M, R)  
**10.20** ABC Late News. Coverage of the day's events.  
**10.35** The Business. Presented by Alicia Barry. (R)  
**10.50** Talking Heads. (PG, R)  
**11.30** Grand Designs: Buckinghamshire. (R)  
**12.20** Griff's Great Kiwi Road Trip. (R)  
**1.10** Rage. (MA15+)  
**3.10** Parkinson In Australia. (PG, R)  
**4.30** Landline. (R)  
**5.00** Art Works. (PG, R)  
**5.30** 7.30. (R)

**6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Home And Away. Irene faces her Everest. (PG)  
**7.30** Animals Aboard With Dr Harry. There is a teary goodbye for two gibbons. (PG)  
**8.30** Homicide: With Ron Iddles: Mandy Ahmadi. Ron Iddles takes a look at the 2011 disappearance and murder of Mandy Ahmadi. (M, R)  
**9.30** Air Crash Investigations: Without Warning. After two floatplanes collide mid-air, investigators try to determine how the accident happened. (PG)  
**10.30** Starstruck. Hosted by Olly Murs. (PG)  
**1.00** The Goldbergs. Geoff decides to propose to Erica. (PG, R)  
**1.30** Harry's Practice. Information about pet care. (R)  
**2.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Million Dollar Minute. (R)  
**5.00** Sunrise Sam News. The latest news, sport and weather.  
**5.30** Sunrise.

**6.00** 9News.  
**6.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Night. Events may include: athletics, men's 800m, men's and women's 4x100m relay; canoe sprint, men's and women's K4 final.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Late night. Events may include: diving; men's hockey, bronze medal match.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Post midnight. Events may include: diving, men's 3m springboard; men's basketball, semi-final; men's hockey, bronze medal match.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Overnight. Events may include: men's basketball, semi-final; athletics, women's 1500m semi-final, men's 200m final.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Early morning. Events may include: men's basketball, semi-final; athletics finals, women's 400m hurdles, men's 110m hurdles.

**6.00** Deal Or No Deal. Contestants compete in a high-stakes game where they must beat The Banker to win a cash prize.  
**6.30** The Project. A look at the day's news.  
**7.30** The Dog House Australia. A dog's appetite for destruction might get in the way of it finding a happy new home. (PG, R)  
**8.30** Law & Order: SVU. Final. As the unit searches for an assailant before his crimes escalate to murder, Fin must contend with a suspect's aggrieved son. Carisi is pressured to close the case quickly to ease public concern. (M)  
**10.30** 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather.  
**10.55** The Project. A look at the day's news. (R)  
**12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.30** CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.

**6.00** Mastermind Australia. Presented by Marc Fennell. (R)  
**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.30** Sue Perkins: Lost In Thailand. Part 2 of 3. (PG)  
**8.25** Junior Doctors Down Under: Spider Bite. The pressure is on for Dr Javed who must insert an intravenous line for a 75-year-old patient.  
**9.20** Treasures Of India With Bettany Hughes: The South. Part 2 of 2. Professor Bettany Hughes travels to the heart of Thanjavur to learn about its history. (R)  
**10.15** SBS World News Late.  
**10.45** The Head. Gloria turns up dead. (M)  
**11.35** The Head. Final. Charlie sets out to blow-up the ship. (MA15+)  
**12.35** Blanca. (M, R)  
**3.30** Babies: Their Wonderful World. (PG, R)  
**4.40** Bamay. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning.  
**5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

**ABC TV PLUS [CH22]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **5.35** Fireman Sam. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts. **6.05** Little J And Big Cuz. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Riley Rocket. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** The Inbestigators. **7.55** Little Lunch. **8.05** Fresh Off The Boat. **8.25** Matilda And The Ramsay Bunch. **8.45** BTN Newsbreak. **8.50** Muster Dogs. **9.50** Style It Out. **10.20** Doctor Who. **11.05** Merlin. **11.50** Good Game Spawn Point. **12.35** Rage. **1.35** Operation Ouch! **2.20** So Awkward. **2.50** Malory Towers. **3.15** The Next Step. **3.40** Odd Squad. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

**7TWO [CH72, 62]**

**6.00** Shopping. **6.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **7.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** Hidden Coastal Villages. (PG) **11.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **12.00** Better Homes. **1.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **2.00** South Aussie With Cosi. (PG) **2.30** The Hotel Inspector. (PG) **3.30** Harry's Practice. **4.00** Medical Emergency. (PG) **4.30** Better Homes. **5.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG)  
**6.30** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**7.30** Father Brown. (M, R)  
**8.30** McDonald And Dodds. (M, R)  
**10.30** Murdoch Mysteries. (M) **11.30** Father Brown. (M) **12.30** Bargain Hunt. **1.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) **2.00** Harry's Practice. **2.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **3.00** Better Homes. **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** Harry's Practice. **5.30** James Robison. (PG)

**9GEM [CH92, 81]**

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 12: Early morning.  
**7.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Replay. Replay of the action from Day 12.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Afternoon.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Night. Events may include: women's golf, round 2; taekwondo; diving; sport climbing.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Late night. Events may include: women's golf, round 2; men's hockey, bronze medal match; taekwondo.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Post midnight. Events may include: women's golf, round 2; taekwondo; cycling.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Overnight.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Early morning.

**10 PEACH [CH11, 52]**

**6.00** Becker. (PG) **6.30** Frasier. (PG)  
**7.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **8.30** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **9.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **10.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **10.30** Becker. (PG) **11.00** Frasier. (PG) **12.00** Deal Or No Deal. **12.30** Two And A Half Men. (M) **1.30** Becker. (PG) **2.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **2.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **3.00** Frasier. (PG)  
**4.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R)  
**4.30** Friends. (PG, R)  
**5.30** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Neighbours. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Friends. (PG, R)  
**8.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R)  
**11.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R)  
**11.30** Impractical Jokers. (M)  
**12.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **4.30** Shopping.

**SBS VICELAND [CH31]**

**6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.50** Indian Country Today 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** Front Up 2000. **12.00** France 24 English News. **12.30** A Cure For Fear. **1.35** Tribunal. **1.50** Queer Sports. **2.45** Curse Of Oak Island. **3.30** BBC News At Ten. **4.00** ABC World News Tonight. **4.25** PBS News. **5.25** Curse Of Oak Island. **6.15** Forged In Fire. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.30** NITV News Update. **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Beyond Watergate: The Richard Nixon Story. **10.00** The UnXplained With William Shatner. **11.40** The World's Toughest Prisons. **12.40** City Under Fire: Inside War In Ukraine. **1.50** Jack The Ripper: Hidden Victims. **2.45** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

**ABC ME [CH23]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **8.20** Bionic Max. **8.30** Planet Lulin. **9.00** Let's Dance. **9.05** Numberblocks. **9.15** What's With The Listies? **9.20** What's For Dinner? **9.30** Operation Ouch! **10.00** Same But Different. **10.05** Bistro Escargot. **10.15** BTN. **10.40** What's The Point. **10.45** Social Media Me. **10.50** I Can't Go To School Today. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.15** My Family. **12.55** Breeders. **1.20** MythBusters. **2.10** ER. **2.55** Doctor Who. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** My Family. **7.30** Would I Lie To You? **9.05** Gruen. **9.40** Monday's Experts. **10.10** ER. **11.40** Rage Charts. **12.45** Not Going Out. **1.15** Fresh Off The Boat. **1.35** Would I Lie To You? **2.05** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.55** QI. **3.25** ER. **4.10** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

**7MATE [CH74, 60]**

**6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Step Outside. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** America's Game. **9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **10.30** American Restoration. (PG) **11.00** American Pickers. (PG) **12.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **1.00** Highway Patrol. (PG) **1.30** The Force: BTL. (PG) **2.00** Motor MythBusters. (PG) **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. (PG) **3.30** Truck Night In America. (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **5.00** American Restoration. (PG)  
**5.30** American Pickers. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Pawn Stars. (PG, R)  
**7.30** Full Custom Garage. (PG)  
**8.30** Movie: Prometheus. (2012) (M, R)  
**11.00** Movie: The Host. (2013) (M, R)  
**1.30** American Pickers. (PG) **2.30** Pawn Stars. (PG) **3.30** The Front Bar. (M) **5.00** Building Giants. (PG)

**9GO! [CH93, 82]**

**6.00** Children's Programs. **8.30** Dino Ranch. **9.00** Teen Titans Go! **9.30** Power Players. **10.00** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **10.30** Pokémon Horizons: The Series. **11.00** Transformers: Prime. **11.30** Bakugan. **12.00** Inside The Superbrands. **1.00** Ordinary Joe. **2.00** Bewitched. **2.30** The Nanny. **3.30** Seinfeld. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Night. **6.30** Rugby League. NRL. Round 23. South Sydney Rabbitohs v Melbourne Storm. **9.15** Movie: The Hitman's Bodyguard. (2017) Ryan Reynolds, Samuel L Jackson. **11.40** Seinfeld. **12.10** Below Deck. **1.05** Made In Chelsea. **2.00** The Nanny. **3.00** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge. **4.00** Transformers: Prime. **4.30** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **4.50** Power Players. **5.10** Teen Titans Go! **5.30** Pokémon.

**10 BOLD [CH12, 51]**

**6.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**8.00** Escape Fishing With ET. (R)  
**8.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**10.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
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## ABC TV [CH2]

- 6.00** News Breakfast.  
**9.00** ABC News Mornings.  
**10.00** Planet America. (R)  
**10.30** That Pacific Sports Show. (R)  
**11.00** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**1.00** Troppo. (M, R)  
**1.55** QI. Final. (M, R)  
**2.25** Back Roads. (PG, R)  
**2.55** Restoration Australia. (R)  
**3.50** Griff's Canadian Adventure: Bigness. Griff Rhys Jones explores Canada. (R)  
**4.40** Grand Designs. Hosted by Kevin McCloud. (R)  
**5.30** Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce. (R)

## SEVEN [CH7, 6]

- 6.00** Sunrise.  
**9.00** The Morning Show. (PG)  
**11.30** Seven Morning News.  
**12.00** Movie: Dark Angel. (2019) Annalise Basso. A woman finds a new lease on life. (M, R)  
**2.00** Motorbike Cops. Follows motorcycle cops on patrol. (PG, R)  
**2.15** Catch Phrase. Game show. (PG)  
**3.00** The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)  
**4.00** Seven News At 4.  
**5.00** The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

## NINE [CH9, 8]

- 6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Early morning. Events may include: men's basketball, semi-final; athletics finals.  
**6.30** Today In Paris.  
**10.30** 9News Morning.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Todd Woodbridge brings the action from Day 13 of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Afternoon. Events may include: Day 13 recap; men's marathon swimming.

## TEN [CH10, 5]

- 6.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **6.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **7.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG, R) **8.00** Pooches At Play. (R) **8.30** Bold. (PG, R) **9.00** Dr Phil. (PG, R) **10.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **10.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **11.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Entertainment Tonight. **1.30** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **2.00** Dr Phil. (M, R) **3.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. **3.30** 10 News First: Afternoon. **4.00** My Market Kitchen. (R) **4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) **5.00** 10 News First.

## 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** Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG, R) **10.00** Great Canal Journeys. (PG, R) **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (R) **12.00** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG, R) **2.10** The Toys That Built The World. (R) **3.00** NITV News: Nula. **3.30** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **4.00** Who Do You Think You Are? (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

- 6.30** Hard Quiz. Presenter Tom Gleeson grills four self-declared experts in a comedic quiz show. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.  
**7.30** Vera. Part 3 of 3. (M, R)  
**9.05** Troppo. When Brooke is found floating in a river, strangled and barely conscious, Ted and Amanda hunt for her attacker. (M)  
**10.00** QI. Bridget Christie, Sara Pascoe and Deborah Frances-White join Sandi Toksvig for a letter T-inspired discussion. (PG, R)  
**10.30** ABC Late News. Coverage of the day's events.  
**10.45** Love Your Garden. Hosted by Alan Titchmarsh.  
**11.35** Grand Designs: West Sussex. Hosted by Kevin McCloud. (R)  
**12.20** We Hunt Together. Freddy plays a dangerous game. (M, R)  
**1.10** Rage New Music. New music videos. (MA15+)  
**5.00** Rage. Continuous music programming. (PG)

- 6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Football. AFL. Round 22. Sydney v Collingwood. From the SCG.  
**10.00** AFL Post-Game Show. Post-game discussion and interviews taking a look back at all the action from the game.  
**10.45** Armchair Experts. The panel presents a unique and interactive analysis of the week in AFL. (M)  
**11.30** Border Security: Australia's Front Line. Officers suspect a Brazilian man is lying to them and his answers aren't helping him. (PG, R)  
**12.00** Criminal Confessions: Two Fires, One Victim. A look at the murder of Amanda Kay Smith. (MA15+, R)  
**1.00** Boy To Man: The Shark People. Tim Noonan heads to Papua New Guinea. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Million Dollar Minute. Hosted by Simon Reeve. (R)  
**5.00** My Greek Odyssey: Symi And Alimia. Hosted by Peter Maneas. (PG, R)

- 6.00** 9News.  
**6.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Night. Events may include: athletics semi-finals, men's 800m, women's 100m hurdles; canoe sprint, men's K2 final; cycling track, men's and women's sprint. Commentary from Ally Langdon and James Bracey.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Late night. Events may include: diving; cycling track; women's soccer, bronze medal match.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Post midnight. Events may include: women's soccer, bronze medal match; cycling track; women's basketball, semi-final.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Overnight. Events may include: women's basketball, semi-final; breaking; athletics finals.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Early morning. Events may include: breaking; boxing finals; women's basketball, semi-final; athletics.

- 6.00** Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer. (R)  
**6.30** The Project. A look at the day's news.  
**7.30** Have You Been Paying Attention? Celebrity panelists compete to see who can remember the most about events of the week. (M, R)  
**8.30** The Graham Norton Show. Comedian Graham Norton is joined on the red couch by actors Dakota Johnson, Sterling K Brown, Domhnall Gleeson and Colman Domingo. Paul Russell performs his single *Lil Boo Thang*. (M, R)  
**9.30** The Cheap Seats. Presenters Melanie Bracknell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. (M, R)  
**10.30** 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather.  
**10.55** The Project. A look at the day's news. (R)  
**12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)

- 6.00** Mastermind Australia. Presented by Marc Fennell. (R)  
**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.35** Great British Landmark Fixers: Edinburgh North Bridge. A team of experts works to restore Edinburgh's historic North Bridge.  
**8.30** Ancient Superstructures: The Great Sphinx - Carving The Lion King. A look at the Great Sphinx of Giza, one of the most iconic sculptures in the world.  
**9.30** The Airport: Back In The Skies. Part 2 of 3. (R)  
**10.25** SBS World News Late.  
**10.55** The Shelter. (MA15+)  
**12.25** My Brilliant Friend. Elena returns to Naples. (M, R)  
**2.40** My Brilliant Friend. (MA15+, R)  
**3.50** Babies: Their Wonderful World. (R)  
**4.55** Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning.  
**5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

## ABC TV PLUS [CH22]

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **6.05** Little J And Big Cuz. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Riley Rocket. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. **7.50** The Strange Chores. **8.00** Hard Quiz Kids. **8.30** BTN Newsbreak. **8.35** Operation Ouch! **9.05** Officially Amazing. **9.35** Dragon Ball Super. **9.55** Supernatural Academy. **10.20** The PM's Daughter. **10.45** Mystic. **11.40** Good Game Spawn Point. **12.30** Rage. **1.30** TMNT. **2.15** The Legend Of Korra. **2.40** Shasha And Milo. **3.00** Hanazuki: Full Of Treasures. **3.10** The Next Step. **3.40** Odd Squad. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

## 7TWO [CH72, 62]

- 6.00** Shopping. **6.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **7.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Jabba's Movies. (PG) **9.30** Better Homes. **11.00** Hidden Coastal Villages. (PG) **12.00** Better Homes. **1.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **2.00** Discover. (PG) **2.30** Weekender. **3.00** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) **3.30** Harry's Practice. **4.00** Better Homes. **5.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **6.00** Bargain Hunt. (R) **7.00** Better Homes And Gardens. **8.30** Escape To The Country. (R) **10.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG, R) **11.30** Secrets Of Beautiful Gardens. (R) **12.30** The Hotel Inspector. (PG) **1.30** My Greek Odyssey. (PG) **2.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **3.00** Better Homes. **5.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG)

## 9GEM [CH92, 81]

- 6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 13: Early morning.  
**7.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Replay. Replay of the action from Day 13.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Afternoon.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Night.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Late night. Events may include: women's golf, round 3; taekwondo; diving; weightlifting.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Post midnight. Events may include: women's golf; taekwondo; breaking, b-girls; men's weightlifting; women's basketball; men's soccer, medal match.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Overnight.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Early morning.

## 10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

- 6.00** Becker. (PG) **6.30** Frasier. (PG) **7.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **8.30** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **9.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **10.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **10.30** Becker. (PG) **11.00** Frasier. (PG) **12.00** Deal Or No Deal. **12.30** Two And A Half Men. (M) **1.30** Becker. (PG) **2.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **2.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **3.00** Frasier. (PG) **4.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **4.30** Friends. (PG, R) **5.30** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) **6.30** Friends. (PG, R) **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) **9.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R) **11.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R) **11.30** Impractical Jokers. (M) **12.00** Home Shopping. (R) **2.00** King Of Queens. (PG) **2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **4.30** Shopping. **5.30** Joseph Prince.

## SBS VICELAND [CH31]

- 6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.50** Indian Country Today 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** Front Up 2000. **12.05** France 24 English News. **12.35** Woman. **1.00** Most Expensivest. **1.55** Curse Of Oak Island. **2.40** Over The Black Dot. **3.30** BBC News At Ten. **4.00** ABC World News Tonight. **4.25** PBS News. **5.25** Curse Of Oak Island. **6.15** Forged In Fire. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.30** NITV News Update. **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Glastonbury Festival 2024. **10.40** Sex, Drugs And Bicycles. **12.20** How To Make It On OnlyFans. **1.15** Dark Side Of Comedy. **2.10** Stacey Dooley: Stopping Stalkers. **3.05** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

## ABC ME [CH23]

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **9.00** Let's Dance. **9.05** Alphablocks. **9.10** ABC Education Story Time. **9.20** Jiwi's Machines. **9.30** Art With Mati And Dada. **9.35** Draw With Will. **9.45** Operation Ouch! **10.00** Know It Alls. **10.10** The Storybuilding Tool Kit. **10.15** My Place. **10.45** Bringing Books To Life. **10.50** Explainer Hacks. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.15** My Family. **1.05** Breeders. **1.30** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **2.10** ER. **2.55** Doctor Who. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** My Family. **7.30** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Movie: The Lost City Of Z. (2016) **10.55** ER. **12.20** Rage. **1.25** Not Going Out. **1.50** Fresh Off The Boat. **2.15** Would I Lie To You? **2.45** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **3.30** QI. **4.00** ER. **4.45** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

## 7MATE [CH74, 60]

- 6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Step Outside. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. (G) **8.00** America's Game. **9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** Blokesworld. (PG) **10.30** American Restoration. (PG) **11.00** American Pickers. (PG) **12.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **1.00** Full Custom Garage. (PG) **2.00** Secrets Of The Supercars. (PG) **3.00** Timbersports. (PG) **4.30** Truck Night In America. (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **5.00** American Restoration. (PG) **5.30** American Pickers. (PG) **6.30** AFL: Friday Night Countdown. **6.50** Football. AFL. Round 22. Sydney v Collingwood. **7.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **7.30** Motorbike Cops. (PG) **8.30** Movie: Fifty Shades Freed. (2018) Dakota Johnson. (MA15+) **10.45** Movie: Basic Instinct. (1992) (MA15+) **1.25** American Restoration. (PG) **2.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **3.00** Secrets Of The Supercars. (PG) **4.00** Late Programs.

## 9GO! [CH93, 82]

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **9.00** Teen Titans Go! **9.30** Power Players. **10.00** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **10.30** Pokémon Horizons: The Series. **11.00** Transformers: Prime. **11.30** Bakugan. **12.00** Inside The Superbrands. **1.00** Ordinary Joe. **2.00** Bewitched. **2.30** The Nanny. **3.30** Seinfeld. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Night. **6.30** Rugby League. NRL. Round 23. Parramatta Eels v Penrith Panthers. **9.25** Movie: Looper. (2012) Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Bruce Willis. **11.50** Movie: The Dustwalker. (2019) **1.45** Surfing Australia TV. **2.15** I Dream Of Jeannie. **2.45** Transformers: Cyberverse. **3.00** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge. **4.00** Transformers: Prime. **4.30** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **4.50** Power Players. **5.10** Teen Titans Go! **5.30** Pokémon.

## 10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

- 6.00** Home Shopping. (R) **8.00** Escape Fishing With ET. (R) **8.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R) **10.30** JAG. (PG, R) **12.30** Bull. (M, R) **1.30** NCIS. (M, R) **2.30** Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R) **3.30** JAG. (PG, R) **5.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R) **7.30** NCIS. Two members of the team are sent to Baghdad to investigate a mortar attack that led to the death of a marine. (M, R) **9.25** FBI: Most Wanted. When three prosecutors are assassinated outside a bar in a small town, Remy's team must determine if the crime was connected to a local case or if it was the result of a personal vendetta against the victims. (

**ABC TV [CH2]**

- 6.00** Rage Charts. (PG)  
**7.00** Weekend Breakfast.  
**9.00** Rage. (PG)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**12.30** Unforgotten. (M, R)  
**1.15** Vera. (M, R)  
**2.50** Sister Boniface Mysteries. Sister Boniface investigates a coven of witches. (R)  
**3.35** The Greek Islands With Julia Bradbury: The Sporades. (R)  
**4.00** Rose Gold. (PG, R)  
**5.25** Landline. (R)  
**5.55** Stuff The British Stole: Mystery Sphinx. Final. Presented by Marc Fennell. (PG, R)

**SEVEN [CH7, 6]**

- 6.00** Better Homes And Gardens. (R) **7.00** Weekend Sunrise.  
**10.00** The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG)  
**11.30** Horse Racing. Saturday at The Valley. From The Valley, Melbourne. Missile Stakes. From Royal Randwick Racecourse, Sydney. BRC at SCTC Raceday. From Sunshine Coast Racecourse, Queensland.  
**2.00** Football. SANFL. Round 17. North Adelaide v Glenelg. From Prospect Oval.  
**5.00** Seven News Adelaide.  
**5.30** Discover. (PG)

**NINE [CH9, 8]**

- 6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Early morning. Events may include: breaking; boxing finals; women's basketball, semi-final; athletics.  
**6.30** Today In Paris.  
**10.30** 9News Morning Weekend.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Todd Woodbridge brings the action from Day 14 of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Afternoon. Events may include: Day 14 recap; athletics, men's marathon.

**TEN [CH10, 5]**

- 6.00** What's Up Down Under. (R) **6.30** Leading The Way. (PG)  
**7.00** Reel Action. (R) **7.30** Escape Fishing. (R) **8.00** I Fish. (R) **8.30** Australia By Design: Architecture. (R) **9.00** My Market Kitchen. (R)  
**9.30** Freshly Picked With Simon Toohey. (R) **10.00** To Be Advised.  
**11.00** Healthy Homes. (R) **11.30** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG, R)  
**1.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) **1.30** Farm To Fork. (R) **2.00** Pooches At Play. Final. **2.30** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **3.00** My Market Kitchen. (R) **3.30** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) **4.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **5.00** 10 News First.

**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: Singapore Bitesize. (R) **9.10** J Schwanke's Life In Bloom. (R) **10.10** The Bee Whisperer. (PG, R) **11.05** My Unique B&B. **12.00** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS News. **2.00** Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG, R) **2.20** Portillo's Greatest Railway Journeys. (PG, R) **4.10** Ireland In Music: Scilimpi. **4.40** Britain's Scenic Railways. (R) **5.35** Tony Robinson's Forgotten War Stories. (PG, R)

- 6.25** I Was Actually There: Woomera. Takes a look at how a demonstration at the Woomera detention centre took an unexpected turn. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News. Takes a look at the top stories of the day, including coverage of developing stories and events.  
**7.30** Sister Boniface Mysteries. Sister Boniface and her father investigate suspicions of espionage at a chess tournament. (PG)  
**8.20** Van Der Valk. Part 1 of 3. Van der Valk investigates the murder of a charismatic, young free-running star. (M, R)  
**9.50** Fifteen-Love. Justine's explosive allegation causes rifts in her closest relationships. (M, R)  
**10.40** The Beast Must Die. Frances plots her revenge. (M, R)  
**11.25** Rage. Music video clips. (MA15+)  
**5.00** Rage. Continuous music programming. (PG)

**ABC TV PLUS [CH22]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **5.15** Hey Duggee. **5.25** Builder Brothers Dream Factory. **5.35** Fireman Sam. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts. **6.05** Kiya And The Kimoja Heroes. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** Pfffrates. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Andy And The Band. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Hard Quiz Kids. **7.55** The Crystal Maze. **8.45** All-Round Champion. **9.35** Movie: The Secret Garden. (1993) **11.15** Good Game Spawn Point. **12.00** BTN High. **12.05** Rage. **1.35** TMNT. **2.25** The Legend Of Korra. **2.45** Shasha And Milo. **3.10** Hanazuki: Full Of Treasures. **3.20** The Next Step. **3.40** Ultimate Magic Skills. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

**7TWO [CH72, 62]**

- 6.00** Shopping.  
**8.30** Travel Oz. (PG, R)  
**10.00** Escape To The Country. (R)  
**12.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG, R)  
**1.00** Harry's Practice. (R)  
**1.30** Animal SOS Australia. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Horse Racing. Saturday at The Valley, Missile Stakes and BRC at SCTC Raceday.  
**5.00** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**6.00** Heathrow. (PG, R)  
**6.30** The Highland Vet. (PG, R)  
**7.30** The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R)  
**8.30** Escape To The Country. (R)  
**11.30** The Yorkshire Vet. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Escape To The Country. (R)  
**1.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG, R)  
**2.30** Creek To Coast. (R)  
**3.00** Weekender. (R)  
**3.30** Sydney Weekender. (R)  
**4.00** Travel Oz. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Home Shopping. (R)

**9GEM [CH92, 81]**

- 6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 14: Early morning.  
**7.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Replay. Replay of the action from Day 14.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Afternoon.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Night. Events may include: women's golf; sport climbing; men's volleyball; weightlifting.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Late night. Events may include: women's golf; women's water polo; men's volleyball.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Post midnight. Events may include: women's golf; women's weightlifting; women's water polo; women's soccer.  
**2.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Overnight.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Early morning.

**10 PEACH [CH11, 52]**

- 6.00** Becker. (PG) **6.30** Frasier. (PG)  
**7.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R)  
**9.30** Becker. (PG, R)  
**10.00** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**11.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R)  
**11.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R)  
**12.00** The King Of Queens. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Impractical Jokers. (PG, R)  
**1.30** The Neighborhood. (PG, R)  
**2.30** Becker. (PG, R)  
**3.00** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**4.00** Friends. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Deal Or No Deal. (R)  
**6.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**10.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R)  
**12.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**1.30** The Montreal Comedy Festival. (MA15+, R)  
**2.30** South Park. (M, R)  
**3.00** South Park. (MA15+, R)  
**3.30** South Park. (M, R)  
**4.00** South Park. (MA15+, R)  
**4.30** Home Shopping. (R)

**SBS VICELAND [CH31]**

- 6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.50** Indian Country Today 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** Front Up 2000. **11.00** Front Up 2001. **12.00** Scrubs. **2.05** Patriot Brains. **3.00** BBC News At Ten. **3.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **4.00** PBS NewsHour. **5.00** Extreme Food Phobics. **5.55** The Food That Built The World. **7.35** Impossible Engineering. **8.30** Icons Unearthed: Batman. **10.20** Al Pacino: The Reluctant Star. **11.30** Hudson & Rex. **2.00** The X-Files. **3.50** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera News Hour.

**ABC ME [CH23]**

- 6.00** Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs. **6.10** Jade Armor. **6.30** 100% Wolf: Legend Of The Moonstone. **6.55** Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures. **7.05** Kung Fu Panda. **7.30** Miraculous. **8.15** Total Drama Island. **9.00** Good Game Spawn Point. **9.30** Transformers: EarthSpark. **9.50** TMNT. **10.35** Jade Armor. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.15** Movie: Year One. (2009) **1.50** Portlandia. **2.10** ER. **3.00** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** Would I Lie To You? **8.00** QI. **8.30** The Stand Up Sketch Show. **9.20** Ab Fab. **10.45** ER. **12.15** Rage. **1.15** Not Going Out. **1.45** Fresh Off The Boat. **2.05** Would I Lie To You? **2.35** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **3.25** ER. **4.10** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

**7MATE [CH74, 60]**

- 6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Tackling Australia. (PG) **7.30** Step Outside. (PG) **8.00** America's Game. **9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** American Restoration. (PG) **10.30** The Car Club. (PG) **11.00** The 4WD Adventure Show. (PG) **11.30** Life Off Road. (PG) **12.00** Aussie Adventure Bike Show. (PG) **12.30** Timbersports. (PG) **1.00** Blokesworld. (PG) **1.30** Search4Hurt. Series Return. (PG) **2.00** Rides Down Under: Aussie Truckers. (PG) **3.00** Drag Racing. National Competition. Round 4. **4.00** Barrett-Jackson: Revved Up. (PG) **5.00** Counting Cars. (PG) **5.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **6.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **6.30** Football. AFL. Round 22. Melbourne v Port Adelaide. **7.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **7.30** Movie: The Sapphires. (2012) (PG) **9.40** Movie: About A Boy. (2002) (M) **11.45** Movie: Logan. (2017) (MA15+) **2.35** Late Programs.

**9GO! [CH93, 82]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **10.00** NRLW Wrap. **10.30** Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Round 3. Sydney Roosters v Wests Tigers. **12.00** Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Round 3. Canberra Raiders v Cronulla Sharks. **2.00** Rugby Union. Rugby Championship. Round 1. Australia v South Africa. **4.00** Test Rugby: Post-Match. **4.30** Surfing Australia TV. **5.00** The Nanny. **6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Night. **6.30** Rugby League. NRL. Round 23. St George Illawarra Dragons v Canterbury Bulldogs. **8.55** Movie: The Space Between Us. (2017) **11.20** Movie: Occupation: Rainfall. (2020) **1.50** The Nanny. **2.50** Surfing Australia TV. **3.20** Transformers: Cyberverse. **3.30** Beyblade Burst QuadStrike. **4.30** Pokémon: XYZ. **4.50** LEGO Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. **5.10** Ninjago. **5.30** Tom And Jerry.

**10 BOLD [CH12, 51]**

- 6.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**9.00** Pooches At Play. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**11.30** Taste Of Australia: BBQ. (R)  
**12.00** Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R)  
**1.00** JAG. (PG, R)  
**3.00** Tough Tested.  
**4.00** All 4 Adventure. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Reel Action.  
**5.30** Bondi Rescue. (PG, R)  
**6.00** JAG. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**8.00** NCIS. After a US Marine's widow receives a call from her dead husband, the team takes on the case. (M, R)  
**9.55** Bull. A doctor is sued for malpractice. (M, R)  
**12.45** Blue Bloods. (M, R)  
**2.35** IFISH. (R)  
**3.00** JAG. (PG, R)  
**4.00** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Home Shopping. (R)

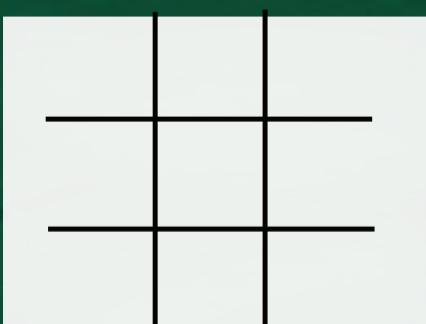
**SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]**

- 6.00** Lola. (1961) Continued. (French, PG) **6.35** A River Runs Through It. (1992) (PG) **8.50** Alone In Space. (2018) Ella Rae Rappaport. (Swedish, PG) **10.20** The Goya Murders. (2019) Maribel Verdú. (Spanish, M) **12.15** My Old Lady. (2014) Kevin Kline, Maggie Smith. (M) **2.15** All Roads Lead To Rome. (2015) Sarah Jessica Parker, Raoul Bova. (PG) **3.55** Viajeros. (2022) Juan Pablo Monterrubio, Fernanda Castillo, Fabrizio Santini. (Spanish, PG) **5.30** The Bridge On The River Kwai. (1957) Alec Guinness, William Holden, Jack Hawkins. (PG) **8.30** Windtalkers. (2002) (MA15+, R)  
**11.00** Pretty Young Thing. (2022) (Danish, MA15+)  
**12.50** Poltergeist. (1982) JoBeth Williams. (M) **2.55** Maixabel. (2021) Blanca Portillo. (Spanish, M) **5.00** Young Girls Of Rochefort. (1967) Catherine Deneuve. (French, PG)

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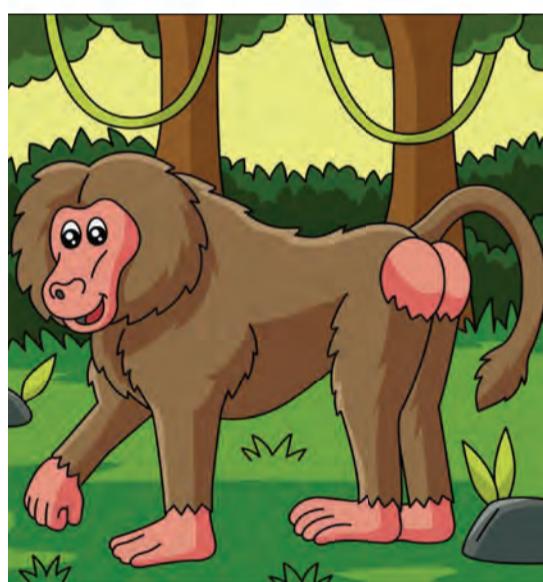
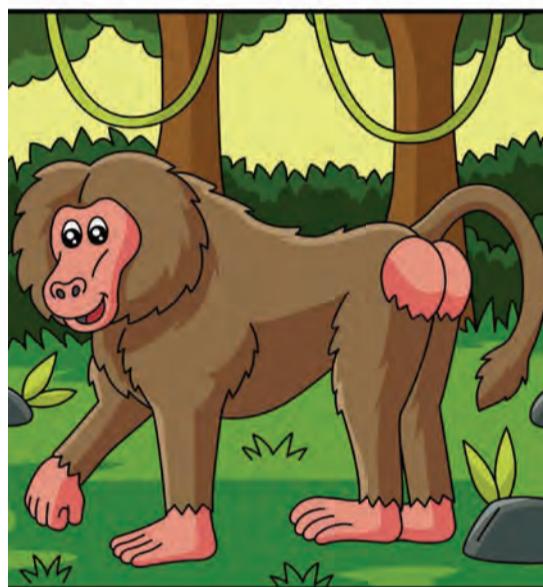
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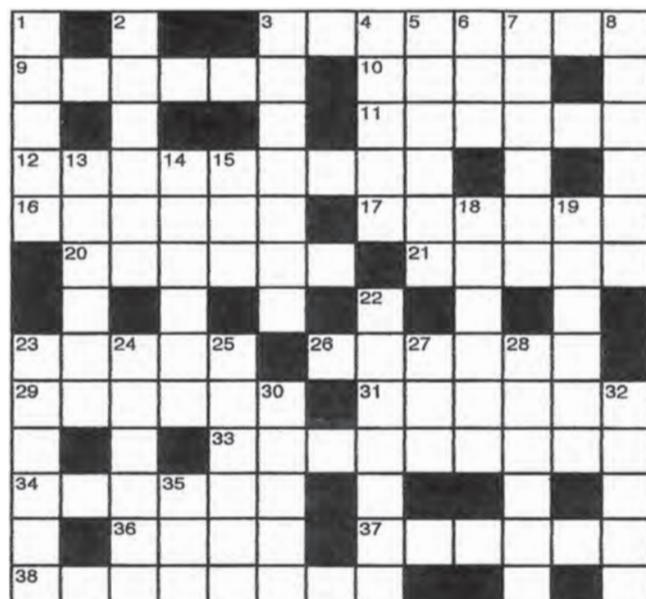


LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION



## CROSSWORD

ACROSS  
3. Calendars  
9. Ravine  
10. Leave out  
11. Gloss  
12. Sensitive  
16. Cautiously  
17. Purify  
20. Cashier  
21. Melodies  
23. Fish basket  
26. Challenger  
29. Chief  
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33. Ruling  
34. Of the backbone  
36. Observe  
37. Lower in rank  
38. Proposes



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION

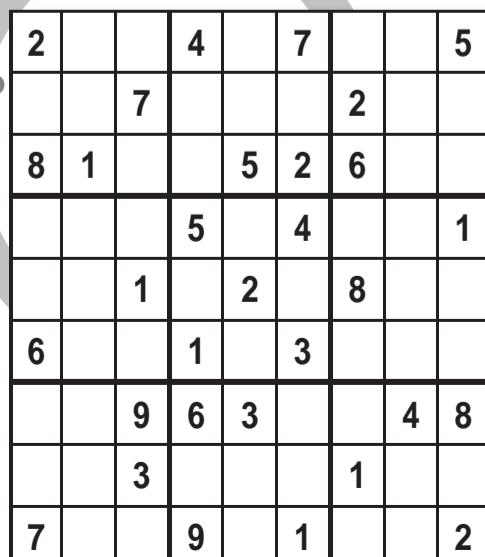


DOWN  
1. Fastener  
2. Call for repeat  
3. Vexed  
4. Grinding tooth  
5. Talisman  
6. Scandinavian goblin  
7. Accomplish  
8. Vegetables  
13. Ripen  
14. Inclined  
15. Ailing  
18. Act of melting

19. Nerve cell  
22. Decapitates  
23. Shuts  
24. Relieving  
25. Papal envoy  
27. On behalf of  
28. American inventor  
30. Acting parts  
32. Monsters  
35. Wooden peg

## SUDOKU

No.491



To solve a sudoku puzzle, fill the empty cells with the numbers 1 to 9

Each number only appears once in each row, column and 3x3 box.

Solution No. 490

August 2024: week 1

# Horoscopes



### ARIES

MAR 21ST - APR 20TH

You may be slightly more anxious than usual this week. Don't overreact to events which are outside your control. **Romance.** A dream about your partner will not bear much relationship to real life. In some ways, they are better in real life than in your dream!



### TAURUS

APR 21ST - MAY 21ST

Try to calm down before you get into a discussion about something you feel strongly about: a powerful aspect to Mars could make you a little aggressive at times. **Romance.** Be careful how you handle a phone call from someone who is attracted to you. Hold back unless you are on the same wavelength.



### GEMINI

MAY 22ND - JUN 21ST

Your charm will make you the perfect ring-leader! Make sure that you take your friends' feelings into consideration, though. **Romance.** You will be in a very passionate mood this week. A romantic evening will not disappoint you. Take advantage of being at your best!



### CANCER

JUN 22ND - JUL 23RD

A strong aspect to Neptune this week will help you to "read between the lines". You are not likely to change your beliefs overnight, but you may be a bit more cautious about a recent encounter. **Romance.** A dream about a long-time admirer could leave you with a difficult dilemma.



### LEO

JUL 24TH - AUG 23RD

An apparent set-back may lead to a surprising encounter, which sets off an unexpected chain of events. **Romance.** A person whom you met recently may be giving off mixed signals. You will need to trust to your intuition as much as possible. Just go with your gut feelings!



### VIRGO

AUG 24TH - SEP 23RD

You may find it hard to forget an incident which happened many years ago. The experience will come back to you in a dream. **Romance.** There may be tension later in the week between you and your partner but the conflict should clear the air and put you back on track.



### LIBRA

SEP 24TH - OCT 23RD

A colleague may be trying to do something behind your back. You will soon work out what is happening - they are not as subtle as they think! **Romance.** A powerful aspect to Venus will allow you to share positive experiences with your partner. Don't forget to thank them for their recent support.



### SCORPIO

OCT 24TH - NOV 22ND

If you are on a diet you may find that you lose a little ground this week. You will find it very hard to resist indulging! **Romance.** A long conversation with your partner will reveal feelings that you may not have been aware of before. Don't be afraid to show your appreciation!



### SAGITTARIUS

NOV 23RD - DEC 21ST

A powerful aspect to Jupiter will bring a burst of good luck. Don't miss this opportunity to push ahead with an idea which has been on your mind for ages. **Romance.** A telephone call later in the week will help to set the scene. You'll be able to charm this person without any real effort!



### CAPRICORN

DEC 22ND - JAN 20TH

You will have a lot of energy this week, but be sure not to act before you think things through. A difficult aspect to Mars could make you a little over-confident at times. **Romance.** Don't take any risks with your relationship. An offer which seems too good to be true could create tension.



### AQUARIUS

JAN 21ST - FEB 19TH

However much you are annoyed by your boss's recent behaviour, you should try to work out what the underlying issue is. Don't say anything for a few days. **Romance.** You may feel that your partner has been a little cold recently, but don't worry, a strong aspect to Venus will push things in the right direction.



### PISCES

FEB 20TH - MAR 20TH

A meeting with friends will almost end in disaster, but everybody will be grateful for your quick thinking. **Romance.** Your love-life may be a little quieter than usual over the next few days. A powerful aspect to Saturn will allow you to stop and anchor your thoughts in reality.

## ABC TV [CH2]

**6.00** Rage. (PG) **7.00** Weekend Breakfast. **9.00** Insiders. **10.00** Offsiders. **10.30** The World This Week. (R) **11.00** Compass. (R) **11.30** Songs Of Praise. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**12.30** Landline.  
**1.30** Love Your Garden. (R)  
**2.15** Grand Designs: The Streets. Final. (PG, R)  
**3.05** Dream Gardens. (R)  
**3.35** Extraordinary Escapes. (R)  
**4.30** Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Casey Donovan. Final. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Restoration Australia: Airlie, NSW. (PG, R)

**6.00** Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce.  
**7.00** ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.  
**7.30** Vera. Part 2 of 4. The badly beaten body of a homeless veteran is found on the streets of central Newcastle. (M, R)  
**9.05** Fifteen-Love. As Justine spirals in the aftermath of the tribunal, she begins to obsess over an American exchange player. (M)  
**9.55** Unforgotten. Cassie and Sunny interview the suspects. (M, R)  
**10.40** Fisk. Helen attends a writers festival. (PG, R)  
**11.10** Annika. A millionaire is found dead. (M, R)  
**11.55** Frayed. Sammy is confronted by Lenny. (M, R)  
**12.40** Noughts + Crosses. Albion celebrates midsummer. (M, R)  
**1.40** Rage. (MA15+)  
**3.00** Classic Countdown: 1985. (PG, R)  
**4.00** Landline. (R)  
**4.30** Art Works. (R)  
**5.00** Insiders. (R)

## ABC TV PLUS [CH22]

**6.00** Children's Programs. **4.20** Odd Squad. **4.35** Little J And Big Cuz.  
**4.50** Gardening Australia Junior.  
**5.00** Peppa Pig. **5.10** Tabby McTat.  
**5.35** Fireman Sam. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts.  
**6.05** Kiya And The Kimoja Heroes.  
**6.20** Bluey. **6.25** Pfffires. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou.  
**6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Andy And The Band. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Movie: The Sisterhood Of The Traveling Pants. (2005) **9.25** Fresh Off The Boat.  
**10.30** Doctor Who. **11.10** Merlin.  
**11.55** BTN High. **12.00** Katy. **1.30** Horrible Histories. **2.00** Operation Ouch! **2.40** So Awkward. **3.10** Malory Towers. **3.40** Odd Squad. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

## ABC ME [CH23]

**6.00** Cloudy With A Chance Of Meatballs. **6.10** Jade Armor. **6.30** The Penguins Of Madagascar. **6.55** The Deep. **7.15** Miraculous. **8.05** Total DramaRama. **8.15** The Strange Chores. **8.30** Mystery Lane. **8.50** Hardball. **9.15** Popularity Papers. **9.40** Home Sweet Rome! **10.05** Gangnam Project. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.20** Movie: Judy. (2019) **2.15** ER. **3.00** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** Would I Lie To You? **8.00** QI. **8.30** Stuff The British Stole. **9.30** Take 5 With Zan Rowe. **10.00** ER. **11.25** Rage. **12.30** Not Going Out. **1.00** Fresh Off The Boat. **1.20** Would I Lie To You? **1.50** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.40** ER. **4.05** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

## SEVEN [CH7, 6]

**6.00** Better Homes And Gardens. Melissa King creates a frog hotel. (R)  
**7.00** Weekend Sunrise. The latest news, sport and weather.  
**10.00** The Morning Show: Weekend. Highlights from the past week. (PG)  
**12.00** To Be Advised.  
**2.30** Border Security: Australia's Front Line. Narrated by Grant Bowler. (PG, R)  
**3.00** The Crows Show. A look at the Adelaide Crows.  
**3.30** Football. AFL. Round 22. Adelaide v Western Bulldogs. From Adelaide Oval.

**6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Dancing With The Stars. Eight celebrities fight it out to secure one of the five spots in the grand finale. (PG)  
**9.25** Miniseries: Malpractice. Part 5 of 5. George and Norma must decide if they can trust Lucinda as her search for the truth becomes dangerous and she finds herself turning to help from unexpected places. (MA15+)  
**10.30** Born To Kill? Allan Legere. A look at serial killer Allan Legere. (MA15+, R)  
**12.30** Lipstick Jungle. Victory argues with Dahlia. (M, R)  
**1.30** Harry's Practice. Dr Harry Cooper and Dr Katrina Warren present information about animals and pet care. (R)  
**2.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**3.30** Million Dollar Minute. Hosted by Simon Reeve. (R)  
**5.00** Sunrise 5am News. Edwina Bartholomew presents all the latest news, sport and weather.  
**5.30** 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** The Hotel Inspector. (PG) **11.00** Escape To The Country. **1.00** The Highland Vet. (PG) **2.00** South Aussie With Cosi. (PG) **2.30** Discover. (PG, R)  
**3.00** My Greek Odyssey. (PG)  
**4.00** Bondi Vet. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Escape To The Country. (R)  
**6.00** Greatest Escapes To The Country. (R)  
**6.45** Escape To The Country. (R)  
**7.45** Mrs Brown's Boys. (M, R)  
**8.35** Endeavour. (M, R)  
**10.35** Kath & Kim. (PG, R)  
**11.45** Greatest Escapes To The Country. (R)  
**12.30** My Greek Odyssey. (PG) **1.30** Endeavour. (M) **3.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. (PG) **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** The Real Seachange. **5.30** James Robison. (M)

## 7MATE [CH74, 60]

**6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Step Outside. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. (G) **8.00** America's Game.  
**9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **11.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **12.00** The Fishing Show By AFN. (PG) **1.00** Tackling Australia. (PG) **1.30** Fish'n Mates. (PG) **2.00** Fishy Business. (PG) **2.30** Step Outside. (PG) **3.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **4.00** Big Shrimpin'. (PG)  
**5.00** Storage Wars: NY. (PG) **6.00** Football. AFL. Round 22. Adelaide v Western Bulldogs. **6.30** Border Security: America's Front Line. (PG) **7.00** Border Security. (PG) **8.30** Movie: Jurassic Park. (1993) Sam Neill, Laura Dern. (PG) **11.00** Movie: xxx. (2002) (M) **1.30** Blokesworld. (PG) **2.00** Border Security: Int. (PG) **2.30** Border Security: America's Front Line. (PG) **3.00** Border Security. (PG) **4.30** Big Shrimpin'. (PG) **5.30** Surveillance Oz. (PG)

## NINE [CH9, 8]

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Early morning. Events may include: men's basketball, gold medal match; athletics finals.  
**6.30** Today In Paris.  
**10.30** 9News Morning Weekend.  
**11.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Todd Woodbridge brings the action from Day 15 of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad.  
**3.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Afternoon. Events may include: Day 15 recap; athletics, women's marathon.

**6.00** 9News Sunday.  
**6.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Night. Events may include: women's basketball, bronze medal match; men's water polo, gold medal match.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Late night. Events may include: men's water polo, gold medal match; women's basketball, gold medal match.  
**12.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Post midnight. Events may include: women's basketball, gold medal match.  
**2.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Overnight.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024 Closing Ceremony. Coverage of the Closing Ceremony of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad from Stade de France. Featuring hundreds of performers, an original soundtrack and world-renowned singers, as well as the flags of the nations, athletes' parade and handover from Paris to Los Angeles.

## 9GEM [CH92, 81]

**6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 15: Early morning.  
**7.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Replay. Replay of the action from Day 15.  
**4.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Afternoon.  
**5.30** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Night.  
**10.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Late night. Events may include: women's basketball; weightlifting; women's volleyball; men's water polo.  
**11.30** Movie: The French Lieutenant's Woman. (1981) Meryl Streep. A woman enters a disastrous relationship. (M, R)  
**2.00** Movie: The Amazing Howard Hughes. (1977) (PG, R)  
**4.30** My Favorite Martian. (R)  
**5.00** The Avengers. (PG, R)

## 9GO! [CH93, 82]

**6.00** Children's Programs. **10.30** PokéMaster Journeys. **11.00** LEGO Jurassic World. **11.30** Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Round 3. North Queensland Cowboys v Parramatta Eels. **1.00** Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Round 3. Brisbane Broncos v Gold Coast Titans. **3.00** Rugby League. NRL. Round 23. Newcastle Knights v Wests Tigers. **5.30** Mr Mayor. **6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024. Day 16: Night. **6.30** Movie: Johnny English. (2003) **8.15** Movie: Johnny English Reborn. (2011) Rowan Atkinson, Rosamund Pike. **10.15** Movie: The Boss. (2016) **12.10** Love After Lockup. **1.35** Ashlee And Evan. **2.30** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst QuadStrike. **4.30** Transformers Bumblebee: Cyberverse Adventures. **4.50** LEGO Jurassic World. **5.10** LEGO Friends: Girls On A Mission. **5.30** Ricky Zoom.

## TEN [CH10, 5]

**6.00** Mass. **6.30** Key Of David. (PG) **7.00** Joseph Prince. **7.30** GCBC. (R) **8.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **8.30** Freshly Picked With Simon Toohey. (R) **9.00** Taste Of Australia: BBQ. (R) **9.30** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG, R) **11.00** To Be Advised. **12.00** Planet Shapers. (R) **12.30** Cook With Luke. (R) **1.00** My Market Kitchen. (R) **1.30** Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) **2.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (PG, R) **2.30** Farm To Fork. (R) **3.00** Hungry. (PG, R) **3.30** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R) **4.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **5.00** 10 News First.

**6.30** The Sunday Project. Panellists dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics.  
**7.30** Movie: Top Gun: Maverick. (2022) Tom Cruise, Miles Teller, Jennifer Connelly. Three decades after he went through the program, an elite US Navy pilot finds himself training a detachment of Top Gun graduates for a specialised mission while confronting the ghosts of his past. (M, R)  
**10.00** Movie: Top Gun. (1986) Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis, Val Kilmer. A young, hot-headed fighter pilot competes for the prestigious Top Gun award at an elite US flying school, however, his insistence on doing things his own way brings him into conflict with those around him. (M, R)  
**12.05** The Sunday Project. Panellists dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics. (R)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.30** CBS Mornings.

## 10 PEACH [CH11, 52]

**6.00** Becker. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**7.30** Neighbours. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Becker. (PG, R)  
**10.00** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**11.00** The Middle. (PG, R)  
**3.30** Becker. (PG, R)  
**4.00** Frasier. Frasier injures his back. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer. (R)  
**6.00** The Big Bang Theory. Leonard's mother, Beverly, expresses her dismay about not being notified of, nor invited to, his wedding. (PG, R)  
**8.30** Two And A Half Men. Upon his release from hospital, Alan is met with a slew of challenges that tests his ability to cope. (M, R)  
**11.00** South Park. The boys deal with a strict, new teacher. (M, R)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)

## 10 BOLD [CH12, 51]

**6.00** Shopping. **7.30** I Fish.  
**8.00** Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. (R)  
**9.00** Healthy Homes Australia. (R)  
**10.00** Deal Or No Deal. (R)  
**11.00** Escape Fishing With ET. (R)  
**11.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**1.30** Dr Phil. (PG, R)  
**2.30** Buy To Build. (R)  
**3.00** Tough Tested. (R)  
**4.00** Pooches At Play. (R)  
**4.30** Taste Of Australia: BBQ. (R)  
**5.00** IFISH.  
**5.30** Bondi Rescue. (PG, R)  
**6.00** JAG. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**8.00** NCIS. (M, R)  
**9.50** Bull. (M, R)  
**11.40** Bull. (PG, R)  
**12.35** Blue Bloods. (M, R)  
**3.30** IFISH. (R)  
**4.00** JAG. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)

## SBS [CH3]

**6.00** DW English News. **6.30** Al Jazeera. **7.00** APAC Weekly. **7.30** France 24 English News. **8.00** DD India News Hour. **9.00** Destination Flavour: Singapore Bitesize. (PG, R)  
**9.10** J Schwanke's Life In Bloom. (R)  
**10.10** The Bee Whisperer. (PG, R)  
**11.05** My Unique B&B. **12.00** APAC Weekly. **12.30** Motorcycle Racing. ProMX Championship. Round 7.  
**3.30** PBS Washington Week With The Atlantic. **3.55** Swan Football. (R)  
**4.00** Such Was Life. (R) **4.10** Ireland In Music: Scilimpi. **4.40** Britain's Scenic Railways. (R)  
**5.35** Tony Robinson's Forgotten War Stories. (PG, R)

**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.30** Secret Lives Of The Roman Emperors. Acclaimed classicist Mary Beard explores what it was like to be emperor of Rome. (PG)  
**8.40** Movie: Robin's Wish. (2020) Susan Schneider Williams, John Montgomery. An intimate portrait of actor and comedian Robin Williams and his invulnerable spirit. (M, R)  
**10.10** Movie: Merkel. (2022) Angela Merkel, Tony Blair. Explores the life of Angela Merkel. (PG, R)  
**11.55** Whitney Houston & Bobbi Kristina. Celebrates the lives of mother and daughter. (M, R)  
**1.25** 24 Hours In Emergency: Turn Back The Clock. (M, R)  
**2.20** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (M, R)  
**3.10** Hell On Earth: WWII: Infamy. (M, R)  
**4.05** Peer To Peer. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning.  
**5.15** France 24 Feature.  
**5.30** Al Jazeera News.

## SBS VICELAND [CH31]

**6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.30** France 24 Africa News. **6.50** Indian Country Today 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. **10.00** Front Up 2001.  
**12.00** Hudson & Rex. **1.40** Most Expensive. **2.10** How To Rob A Bank. **3.00** Stacey Dooley Sleeps Over. **4.50** ABC World News Tonight. **5.20** PBS Washington Week With The Atlantic. **5.45** The Machines That Built America. **6.35** Great Australian Walks With Julia Zemiro.  
**7.35** Abandoned Americana.  
**8.30** Myths: The Greatest Mysteries Of Humanity.  
**9.35** WWE Legends.  
**11.10** Hoarders. **11.55** Couples Therapy. **1.40** Movie: Vice Versa: Chyna. (2021) Anthony Anzaldo.  
**3.15** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

## SBS WORLD MOVIES [CH32]

**6.00** Young Girls Of Rochefort. (1967) Continued. (French, PG, R)  
**7.20** The Bridge On The River Kwai. (1957

**ABC TV [CH2]**

- 6.00** News Breakfast.  
**9.00** ABC News Mornings.  
**10.00** Landline. (R)  
**11.00** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**1.00** I Was Actually There: Woomera. (PG, R)  
**1.30** Back Roads. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Parliament Question Time.  
**2.55** Restoration Australia. (R)  
**3.55** Griff's Canadian Adventure: Frenchness. Griff Rhys Jones explores Quebec. (PG, R)  
**4.40** Grand Designs. Hosted by Kevin McCloud. (R)  
**5.30** Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce. (R)

**SEVEN [CH7, 6]**

- 6.00** Sunrise.  
**9.00** The Morning Show. (PG)  
**11.30** Seven Morning News.  
**12.00** Movie: Therapy Nightmares. (2022) Tommie-Amber Pirie. A therapist finds herself in danger. (M)  
**2.00** Catch Phrase. Game show. (PG)  
**3.00** The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)  
**4.00** Seven News At 4.  
**5.00** The Chase Australia. Contestants race to answer quiz questions correctly to avoid being caught by The Chaser.

**NINE [CH9, 8]**

- 6.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024 Closing Ceremony Continued.  
**6.45** Today. The latest in news and current affairs.  
**8.30** Today Extra. (PG)  
**11.00** 9News Morning.  
**11.30** Hello SA. (PG, R)  
**12.00** Olympic Games Paris 2024: Encore. Hosted by Todd Woodbridge.  
**3.00** Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG)  
**4.00** 9News Afternoon.  
**5.00** Tipping Point Australia. Hosted by Todd Woodbridge. (PG)

**TEN [CH10, 5]**

- 6.00** My Market Kitchen. (R) **6.30** Farm To Fork. (R) **7.00** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **7.30** Everyday Gourmet. (R)  
**8.00** Neighbours. (PG, R) **8.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) **9.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG)  
**10.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **10.30** To Be Advised. **11.30** Entertainment Tonight. **12.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. **12.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **1.00** 10 News First: Lunchtime. **2.00** Family Feud. New Series. (PG) **2.30** Lingo. New Series. **3.30** 10 News First: Afternoon. **4.00** Neighbours. (PG) **4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG)  
**5.00** 10 News First.

**SBS [CH3]**

- 6.00** WorldWatch. **7.30** France 24 English News. **8.00** DD India News Hour. **9.00** Destination Flavour: Singapore Bitesize. (PG) **9.10** Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG)  
**10.10** Great Canal Journeys. **11.05** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. **12.10** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS News Weekend. **1.30** Al Jazeera News Second Edition. **2.00** The Point: Road To Referendum History Bites. **2.05** The Toys That Built The World. (M) **2.55** Festivals. New Series. **3.25** The Cook Up. (PG) **3.55** Who Do You Think You Are? (PG) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers.

- 6.30** Hard Quiz. Presented by Tom Gleeson. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day.  
**7.30** **7.30**. Presented by Sarah Ferguson.  
**8.00** Australian Story. Series Return. Presented by Leigh Sales.  
**8.30** Four Corners. Investigative journalism program exposing scandals, firing debate and confronting taboos.  
**9.15** Media Watch. Hosted by Paul Barry. (PG)  
**9.35** Q+A. Series Return. Presented by Patricia Karvelas.  
**10.35** ABC Late News.  
**10.50** The Business. (R)  
**11.10** Planet America. (R)  
**11.40** Vera. (M, R)  
**1.10** Parliament Question Time.  
**2.10** Grand Designs. (R)  
**2.55** Griff's Canadian Adventure. (PG, R)  
**3.45** Parkinson In Australia. (PG, R)  
**4.30** Landline. (R)  
**5.00** Art Works. (PG, R)  
**5.30** **7.30**. (R)

- 6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Home And Away. Cash and Eden celebrate with friends. Abigail brings her siblings together. (PG)  
**7.30** Dancing With The Stars. Final. In the grand finale, the remaining celebrities and their partners battle it out for the mirrorball trophy. (PG)  
**9.55** Alert: Missing Persons Unit. The mystery surrounding Keith's disappearance starts to unravel as he shares his story with Jason and Nikki. (M)  
**10.55** The Latest: Seven News.  
**11.25** Inside Belmarsh Prison. Part 1 of 2. (MA15+, R)  
**12.30** The Event. Sean blackmails Vicky. (M, R)  
**1.30** Harry's Practice. Information about pet care. (R)  
**2.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Million Dollar Minute. Hosted by Simon Reeve. (R)  
**5.00** Sunrise Sam News. The latest news, sport and weather.  
**5.30** Sunrise. News, sport and weather.

- 6.00** 9News.  
**7.00** A Current Affair.  
**7.30** The Block. Series Return. Five competitive couples head to Victoria's Phillip Island to renovate five houses in an old holiday resort. (PG)  
**9.20** Olympic Games Paris 2024 Closing Ceremony. Coverage of the Closing Ceremony of the Games of the XXXIII Olympiad from Stade de France. (R)  
**12.15** The First 48: Knock At The Door/The Brave One. A man is murdered in front of his fiancée. (M, R)  
**1.05** Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Hello SA. The team looks at how to plan a winter holiday. (PG, R)  
**2.30** Global Shop. Home shopping. (R)  
**3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory. Religious program. (PG)  
**4.30** A Current Affair. (R)  
**5.00** Today Early News.  
**5.30** Today.

- 6.00** Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer.  
**6.30** The Project. A look at the day's news.  
**7.30** Hunted. Series Return. Nine pairs of everyday Aussies go on the run as fugitives who have taken part in a bank robbery. (PG)  
**9.10** Have You Been Paying Attention? A fast-paced look at news, featuring Sam Pang, Ed Kavalee and a panel of celebrity guests competing to see who can remember the most about events of the week. Hosted by Tom Gleisner. (M)  
**10.10** Ghosts. Alberta hits it off with a poltergeist who is attached to a newly arrived Woodstone guest. (PG)  
**10.35** 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather.  
**11.00** The Project. A look at the day's news. (R)  
**12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.30** CBS Mornings.

- 6.00** Mastermind Australia. (R)  
**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.30** Robson Green's Weekend Escapes: Kenny Atkinson. Kenny Atkinson joins Robson Green.  
**8.05** Robson Green's Weekend Escapes: Tanni Grey Thompson. Tanni Grey-Thompson joins Robson Green.  
**8.40** Into The Gobi Desert With Nick Knowles. Part 3 of 3. (PG)  
**9.30** 24 Hours In Emergency: A Shoulder To Lean On. A pedestrian is injured in an accident. (M)  
**10.30** SBS World News Late.  
**11.00** House Of Promises. New Series. (M)  
**12.45** A French Case. (M, R)  
**2.40** Planet Sex With Cara Delevingne. (M, R)  
**3.30** Planet Sex With Cara Delevingne. (MA15+, R)  
**4.20** Bamay. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning.  
**5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

**ABC FAMILY [CH22]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts. **6.05** Little J And Big Cuz. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Riley Rocket. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** The Investigators. **7.55** Little Lunch. **8.05** Fresh Off The Boat. **8.25** Matilda And The Ramsay Bunch. **8.45** BTN Newsbreak. **8.50** Style It Out. **9.20** Further Back In Time For Dinner. **10.20** Doctor Who. **11.05** Merlin. **11.50** The Chemical World. **12.45** Horrible Histories. **1.15** Operation Ouch! **1.55** So Awkward. **2.25** Malory Towers. **2.50** The Next Step. **3.40** Odd Squad. **3.50** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

**7TWO [CH72, 62]**

- 6.00** Shopping. **6.30** Greatest Escapes To The Country. **7.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** The Hotel Inspector. (PG) **10.30** Better Homes. **1.00** This Rugged Coast. **2.00** Weekender. **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** I Escaped To The Country. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**7.30** Doc Martin. (PG, R)  
**8.30** Foyle's War. (M, R)  
**10.30** Great Rail Restorations. (PG)  
**11.30** Doc Martin. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Foyle's War. (M) **2.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **3.00** Better Homes. **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** The Real Seachange. **5.30** James Robison. (M)

**9GEM [CH92, 81]**

- 6.00** Seaway. (PG) **7.00** Creflo. (PG) **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. **9.30** Newstyle Direct. **10.00** Skippy. **10.30** World's Greatest Engineering Icons. (PG) **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **12.00** Days Of Our Lives. (M) **12.55** The Young And The Restless. (PG) **1.50** Explore. **2.05** Dales For Sale. **3.05** Antiques Roadshow. **3.35** Movie: The Amorous Prawn. (1962) Ian Carmichael, Joan Greenwood, Cecil Parker. (G)  
**5.30** Yorkshire Auction House. (R)  
**6.30** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**7.30** Death In Paradise. (M, R)  
**8.40** Grantham. (M, R)  
**9.50** Coroner. (MA15+)  
**10.50** The Gulf. (M, R)  
**11.50** Death In Paradise. (M)  
**1.00** Creflo. (PG) **1.30** Movie: The Amorous Prawn. (1962) Ian Carmichael. (G) **3.25** Explore. **3.30** Antiques Roadshow. **4.00** Dales For Sale. **5.00** Yorkshire Auction House.

**10 PEACH [CH11, 52]**

- 6.00** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **7.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG)  
**8.00** Becker. (PG) **8.30** Frasier. (PG)  
**9.30** The Neighborhood. (PG) **10.30** Deal Or No Deal. **11.00** Friends. (PG)  
**12.00** Two And A Half Men. (M) **1.00** Big Bang. (PG) **2.00** Becker. (PG)  
**2.30** Frasier. (PG) **3.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG)  
**4.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R)  
**4.30** The King Of Queens. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Becker. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Neighbours. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Friends. (PG, R)  
**8.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**9.00** The Big Bang Theory. (M, R)  
**9.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R)  
**10.45** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R)  
**11.10** The Neighborhood. (PG, R)  
**12.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **4.30** Shopping.

**SBS VICELAND [CH31]**

- 6.00** TRT World Newshour. **6.30** France 24 Feature. **6.50** Te Ao With Moana. **7.20** FBC News. **7.35** DW Global 3000. **8.10** APAC Weekly. **8.40** France 24 English News. **9.30** Small Business Secrets. **10.00** Front Up 2001. **11.00** Turban Legend: Untold Australia. **12.05** France 24 English News. **12.35** Deafinition. **12.45** Curse Of Oak Island. **2.15** Insight. **3.15** BBC News At Ten. **3.35** ABC World News Tonight. **4.05** ABC America This Week. **5.00** PBS News Weekend. **5.30** Curse Of Oak Island. **6.15** Forged In Fire. **7.00** Jeopardy! **7.25** NITV News Update. **7.30** Cycling. Tour De France Femmes. Stage 1. **11.30** We're All Gonna Die (Even Jay Baruchel) **12.05** Over The Black Dot. **12.55** Dark Side Of Comedy. **2.45** South Park. **3.15** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

**ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **9.05** Mini Lessons: Science Secondary. **9.15** ScienceXplosion. **9.20** Wow That's Amazing. **9.35** Operation Ouch! **9.50** BTN Specials. **10.05** Australia's Extinct Megafauna. **10.10** Megafauna: What Killed Australia's Giants? **11.05** Car S.O.S. **11.50** Not Going Out. **12.20** My Family. **12.50** Ab Fab. **1.20** The Stand Up Sketch Show. **2.05** ER. **2.55** Doctor Who. **3.40** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** My Family. **7.30** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **9.15** MythBusters. **10.05** ER. **11.35** Rage. **12.35** Not Going Out. **1.05** Fresh Off The Boat. **1.25** Would I Lie To You? **1.55** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.45** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **3.25** ER. **4.10** ABC News Update. **4.15** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

**7MATE [CH74, 60]**

- 6.00** NFL. NFL Preseason. Week 1. Los Angeles Rams v Dallas Cowboys. **9.00** Step Outside. (PG) **9.30** Fish'n Mates. (PG) **10.00** Big Shrimpin'. (PG) **11.00** Storage Wars: NY. (PG) **12.00** Border Security: Int. (PG) **12.30** Border Security: America's Front Line. (PG) **1.00** Border Security. (PG) **2.30** Rides Down Under: Aussie Truckers. (PG) **3.30** Truck Night In America. (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **5.30** American Pickers. (PG) **6.30** Pawn Stars. (PG) **7.30** Outback Opal Hunters. (PG) **8.30** Gem Hunters Down Under. (PG) **9.30** Appalachian Outlaws. (M) **10.30** Jade Fever. (M) **11.30** Mountain Men. (PG) **12.30** American Restoration. (PG) **1.00** American Pickers. (PG) **2.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **3.00** Appalachian Outlaws. (M) **4.00** Mountain Men. (PG) **5.00** Building Giants. (PG)

**9GO! [CH93, 82]**

- 6.00** Gus, The Itsy Bitsy Knight. **6.30** Ninjago. **7.00** Bakugan. **7.30** Smashdown! Search For The GOAT. **8.00** Beyblade Burst Surge. **8.30** Dino Ranch. **9.00** Teen Titans Go! **9.30** Power Players. **10.00** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **10.30** Pokémon Horizons: The Series. **11.00** Transformers: Cyberverse. **11.30** Bakugan. **12.00** Travel Guides NZ. **1.00** Family Law. **3.00** Bewitched. **3.30** The Nanny. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** The Nanny. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** Seinfeld. **8.30** Movie: 17 Again. (2009) **10.30** Seinfeld. **11.30** Young Sheldon. **12.00** Below Deck. **1.00** Made In Chelsea. **2.00** The Nanny. **3.00** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge. **4.00** Transformers: Cyberverse. **4.30** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **4.50** Power Players.

**ABC TV [CH2]**

- 6.00** News Breakfast.  
**9.00** ABC News Mornings.  
**10.00** Foreign Correspondent. (R)  
**10.30** Kurt Fearnley's One Plus One. (R)  
**11.00** Antiques Roadshow. (R)  
**12.00** ABC News At Noon.  
**1.00** The Newsreader. (M, R)  
**2.00** Parliament Question Time.  
**2.55** Restoration Australia. (R)  
**3.55** Griff's Canadian Adventure: Niceness. Presented by Griff Rhys Jones. (PG, R)  
**4.40** Grand Designs. Hosted by Kevin McCloud. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce. (R)

- 6.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)  
**7.00** ABC News.  
**7.30** Presented by Sarah Ferguson.  
**8.00** I Was Actually There: Beaconsfield Mine Disaster. Final. A look at the Beaconsfield Mine collapse. (M)  
**8.35** The Secret Lives Of Our Urban Birds: Perth. Presented by Dr Ann Jones.  
**9.25** The Art Of... Presented by Namilia Benson. (PG)  
**9.55** Anh's Brush With Fame: Michelle Payne. Anh Do paints Michelle Payne. (R)  
**10.20** ABC Late News.  
**10.35** The Business. (R)  
**10.55** Four Corners. (R)  
**11.40** Q+A. (R)  
**12.40** Media Watch. (PG, R)  
**1.00** Parliament Question Time.  
**2.00** Grand Designs. (PG, R)  
**2.50** Griff's Canadian Adventure. (PG, R)  
**3.40** Parkinson In Australia. (PG, R)  
**4.25** Landline. (R)  
**4.55** Art Works. (PG, R)  
**5.30** 7.30. (R)

**ABC FAMILY [CH22]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **5.35** Fireman Sam. **5.45** Ginger And The Vegesaur. **5.50** Octonauts. **6.05** Little J And Big Cuz. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.40** Ben And Holly. **6.50** Kiri And Lou. **6.55** Supertato. **7.05** Riley Rocket. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Shaun The Sheep. **7.35** The Inbestigators. **7.50** Little Lunch. **8.05** Fresh Off The Boat. **8.25** Matilda And The Ramsay Bunch. **8.45** BTN Newsbreak. **8.50** Deadly Dinosaurs. **9.20** Planet Expedition. **10.20** Doctor Who. **11.05** Merlin. **11.50** Good Game Spawn Point. **12.35** Rage. **1.35** Operation Ouch! **2.15** So Awkward. **2.45** Malory Towers. **3.10** The Next Step. **3.35** Odd Squad. **3.55** Close. **4.00** Moon And Me. **4.20** Waffle The Wonder Dog. **4.35** Lu And The Bally Bunch. **4.40** Ana Pumpkin. **4.45** Hoopla. **5.00** Sesame Street. **5.25** Daniel Tiger's. **5.40** Teletubbies. **5.50** Bing.

**ABC ENTERTAINS [CH23]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **9.10** Odd Squad. **9.25** Gardening Australia Junior. **9.35** Maddie's Do You Know? **9.40** Operation Ouch! **9.55** ScienceXplosion. **10.00** BTN. **10.25** Australia's Extinct Megafauna. **10.30** BTN Specials. **10.45** Know It Alls. **10.55** Astronomy Of Australia's First Nations People. **11.00** Car S.O.S. **11.45** Not Going Out. **12.15** My Family. **12.45** Ab Fab. **1.15** Stuff The British Stole. **2.15** ER. **3.00** Doctor Who. **3.45** Fresh Off The Boat. **4.05** Would I Lie To You? **4.35** MythBusters. **5.25** Amazing Spaces. **6.15** Car S.O.S. **7.00** My Family. **7.30** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Breeders. **9.15** Extras. **9.50** ER. **11.15** Rage. **12.20** Portlandia. **12.40** Not Going Out. **1.10** Fresh Off The Boat. **1.30** Would I Lie To You? **2.05** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.50** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **3.35** ER. **4.20** Close. **5.00** Dragon Ball Super. **5.45** Bionic Max.

**SEVEN [CH7, 6]**

- 6.00** Sunrise.  
**9.00** The Morning Show. The latest news and views. (PG)  
**11.30** Seven Morning News.  
**12.00** Movie: Dirty Little Deeds. (2021) Nayirah Teshali, Adam Holick. A woman marries into a wealthy family. (M)  
**2.00** Motorbike Cops. Officers join in on a big operation. (PG, R)  
**2.15** Catch Phrase. Game show. (PG)  
**3.00** The Chase. Hosted by Bradley Walsh. (R)  
**4.00** Seven News At 4.  
**5.00** The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

- 6.00** Seven News.  
**7.00** Home And Away. Cash is left in the dark. (PG)  
**7.30** The 1% Club UK. Lee Mack hosts a game show where contestants must answer increasingly obscure questions. (PG)  
**8.30** Britain's Got Talent. Final. The remaining contestants compete in front of the celebrity judges Amanda Holden, Alesha Dixon, Bruno Tonioli and Simon Cowell for a cash prize of £250,000. Hosted by Ant and Dec. (PG)  
**11.15** The Latest: Seven News.  
**11.45** Extended Family. Julia searches for a new girlfriend for Jim. (PG)  
**12.45** Holey Moley Australia. Contestants tackle a mini golf course. (PG, R)  
**2.30** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** NBC Today. News and current affairs.  
**5.00** Sunrise Sam News. The latest news, sport and weather.  
**5.30** Sunrise. News, sport and weather.

**7TWO [CH72, 62]**

- 6.00** Shopping. **6.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **7.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** Great Rail Restorations. (PG) **10.30** This Rugged Coast. **11.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **12.00** Better Homes. **1.00** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **2.30** Great Rail Restorations. (PG) **3.30** Harry's Practice. **4.00** Medical Emergency. (PG) **4.30** Better Homes. **5.30** I Escaped To The Country. (PG) **6.30** Bargain Hunt. (R)  
**7.30** Call The Midwife. (M, R)  
**8.45** A Touch Of Frost. (M, R)  
**11.00** Slow Train Through Africa With Griff Rhys Jones. (PG, R)  
**12.00** Bargain Hunt. **1.00** Call The Midwife. (M) **2.30** Medical Emergency. (PG) **3.00** Better Homes. **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. **5.00** The Real Seachange. **5.30** James Robison. (M)

**7MATE [CH74, 60]**

- 6.00** Fishing Addiction. (PG) **7.00** Step Outside. (PG) **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** America's Game.  
**9.00** A Football Life. (PG) **10.00** Storage Wars. (PG) **10.30** American Restoration. (PG) **11.00** American Pickers. (PG) **12.00** Pawn Stars. (PG)  
**1.00** Outback Opal Hunters. (PG)  
**2.00** Gem Hunters Down Under. (PG) **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. (PG) **3.30** Truck Night In America. (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars. (PG) **5.00** American Restoration. (PG)  
**5.30** American Pickers. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Pawn Stars. (PG, R)  
**7.30** Outback Truckers. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Kings Of Pain. (M)  
**10.30** Outback Hunters. (M, R)  
**12.30** American Restoration. (PG)  
**1.00** American Pickers. (PG) **2.00** Pawn Stars. (PG) **3.00** Kings Of Pain. (M) **4.00** Outback Truckers. (PG)  
**5.00** Police Code Zero: Officer Under Attack. (M)

**NINE [CH9, 8]**

- 6.00** Today. The latest in news and current affairs.  
**9.00** Today Extra. (PG)  
**11.30** 9News Morning.  
**12.00** The Block. Hosted by Scott Cam and Shelley Craft. (PG, R)  
**2.00** Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG, R)  
**3.00** Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG)  
**4.00** 9News Afternoon.  
**5.00** Tipping Point Australia. Three contestants go head-to-head against a mesmerising machine with one lucky participant playing for the jackpot. (PG)

- 6.00** 9News.  
**7.00** A Current Affair.  
**7.30** The Block. The couples get straight down to business building the main bathroom in a battle to win prizes valued at \$140,000. (PG)  
**8.45** To Be Advised.  
**10.45** 9News Late.  
**11.15** Chicago Med. A documentary crew visits the hospital to film Crockett and Samuel's groundbreaking surgery. (MA15+)  
**12.05** Tipping Point. Hosted by Ben Shephard. (PG, R)  
**1.00** Pointless. Presented by Alexander Armstrong. (PG, R)  
**2.00** World's Greatest Natural Wonders: Glaciers. Explores glaciers in North America. (R)  
**3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory. Religious program. (PG)  
**4.30** A Current Affair. (R)  
**5.00** Today Early News. A look at the latest news, sport and weather.  
**5.30** Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

**9GEM [CH92, 81]**

- 6.00** Seaway. (PG) **7.00** Creflo. (PG) **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. **9.30** Newstyle Direct. **10.00** TV Shop. **10.30** World's Greatest Engineering Icons. (PG) **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **12.00** Days Of Our Lives. (M) **12.55** The Young And The Restless. (PG) **1.50** Death In Paradise. (M) **3.00** Explore. **3.05** Antiques Roadshow. **3.35** Movie: Carry On Cruising. (1962) (G) **5.30** Yorkshire Auction House. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** New Tricks. (M) **8.40** Shakespeare And Hathaway. (M, R)  
**9.40** Silent Witness. (MA15+) **10.50** Forensics: The Real CSI. (MA15+)  
**12.05** My Favorite Martian. **12.35** Skippy. **1.00** Creflo. (PG) **1.30** Movie: Carry On Cruising. (1962) (G) **3.25** Explore. **3.30** Antiques Roadshow. **4.00** World's Greatest Engineering Icons. (PG) **5.00** Yorkshire Auction House.

**9GO! [CH93, 82]**

- 6.00** Children's Programs. **8.00** Beyblade Burst Surge. **8.30** Dino Ranch. **9.00** Teen Titans Go! **9.30** Power Players. **10.00** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **10.30** Pokémon Horizons: The Series. **11.00** Transformers: Cyberverse. **11.30** Bakugan. **12.00** Spice Girls: How Girl Power Changed The World. **1.00** Ordinary Joe. **2.00** Bewitched. **2.30** The Nanny. **3.30** Seinfeld. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** The Nanny. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** Seinfeld. **8.30** Movie: The 40-Year-Old Virgin. (2005) Steve Carell, Paul Rudd, Catherine Keener. **11.00** Seinfeld. **12.00** Below Deck. **1.00** Made In Chelsea. **2.00** The Nanny. **3.00** Bakugan. **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge. **4.00** Transformers: Cyberverse. **4.30** Ninjago: Dragons Rising. **4.50** Power Players. **5.10** Teen Titans Go! **5.30** Pokémon.

**TEN [CH10, 5]**

- 6.00** My Market Kitchen. (R) **6.30** Farm To Fork. (R) **7.00** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **7.30** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **8.00** Neighbours. (PG, R) **8.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) **9.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **10.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **10.30** To Be Advised. **12.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. **12.30** Deal Or No Deal. (R) **1.00** 10 News First: Lunchtime. **2.00** Family Feud. (PG) **2.30** Lingo. **3.30** 10 News First: Afternoon. **4.00** Neighbours. (PG)  
**4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG)  
**5.00** 10 News First.

- 6.00** Deal Or No Deal. Hosted by Grant Denyer.  
**6.30** The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.  
**7.30** Hunted. Everyday Aussies remain on the run as fugitives who have taken part in a bank robbery. (PG)  
**8.40** The Cheap Seats. From major news stories to entertainment and viral videos, presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. (M)  
**9.40** NCIS. A dad from McGee's children's school is linked to a break-in at a storage bunker. (M, R)  
**10.35** 10's Late News. Coverage of news, sport and weather.  
**11.00** The Project. A look at the day's news. (R)  
**12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. Hosted by Stephen Colbert. (PG)  
**1.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**4.30** CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.

**10 PEACH [CH11, 52]**

- 6.00** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **7.00** The Drew Barrymore Show. (PG) **8.00** Becker. (PG) **8.30** Frasier. (PG) **9.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **10.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG) **10.30** Deal Or No Deal. **11.00** Friends. (PG) **12.00** Two And A Half Men. (M) **1.00** Big Bang. (PG) **1.30** King Of Queens. (PG) **2.00** Becker. (PG) **2.30** Frasier. (PG) **3.30** Rules Of Engagement. (PG)  
**4.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R)  
**4.30** The King Of Queens. (PG, R)  
**5.00** Becker. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Frasier. (PG, R)  
**6.30** Neighbours. (PG, R)  
**7.00** Friends. (PG, R)  
**8.00** The Big Bang Theory. (PG, R)  
**9.30** Two And A Half Men. (M, R)  
**11.00** Rules Of Engagement. (PG, R)  
**11.30** Impractical Jokers. (M)  
**12.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.30** Bold. (PG) **3.30** Stephen Colbert. (PG) **4.30** Shopping.

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- 6.00** Home Shopping. (R)  
**8.00** Escape Fishing With ET. (R)  
**8.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**10.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
**12.30** Bull. (M, R)  
**1.30** NCIS. (M, R)  
**2.30** Jake And The Fatman. (PG, R)  
**3.30** JAG. (PG, R)  
**5.30** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**7.30** NCIS. The team uncovers a deadly plot while investigating the suicide of a navy lieutenant aboard an aircraft carrier. (M, R)  
**9.25** FBI: Most Wanted. Remy pursues a depraved pastor and his sadistic brother who kidnapped two teenagers. (M, R)  
**11.15** Blue Bloods. (M, R)  
**12.15** Home Shopping. (R)  
**2.15** Diagnosis Murder. (PG, R)  
**4.05** JAG. (PG, R)

**SBS [CH3]**

- 6.00** WorldWatch. **7.00** Cycling. Tour de France Femmes. Stage 1. Highlights. **8.00** DD India News Hour. **9.00** BBC News At Six. **9.30** France 24 English News. **10.00** BBC News At Ten. **10.30** ABC World News Tonight. **11.00** Finding Creativity. (PG) **12.00** Cycling. Tour de France Femmes. Stage 1. Highlights. **1.00** PBS News. **2.00** The Point: Road To Referendum History Bites. **2.05** Such Was Life. (PG) **2.15** Inside Balmoral. (PG) **3.05** Railway Vietnam. **3.35** The Cook Up. **4.05** Jeopardy! **4.30** Letters And Numbers. **5.00** Tour De France Femmes Highlights Review.

- 6.00** Mastermind Australia. (PG, R)  
**6.30** SBS World News.  
**7.30** Great British Railway Journeys: Lincoln To York. Presented by Michael Portillo.  
**8.00** Great British Railway Journeys: York To Skipton. Presented by Michael Portillo.  
**8.30** Insight. Presenter Kumi Taguchi explores people's pursuit of physical perfection.  
**9.30** Dateline: Venice's Tourist Overload. A look at the impact of tourism on Venice.  
**10.00** SBS World News Late.  
**10.30** The Point: Road Trip. Hosted by John Paul Janke. (R)  
**11.30** Babylon Berlin. New Series. (MA15+)  
**1.20** Christian. Lino's death puts Città Palazzo in chaos. (MA15+, R)  
**2.25** Christian. (M, R)  
**4.20** Peer To Peer. (R)  
**4.50** Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R)  
**5.00** NHK World English News Morning.

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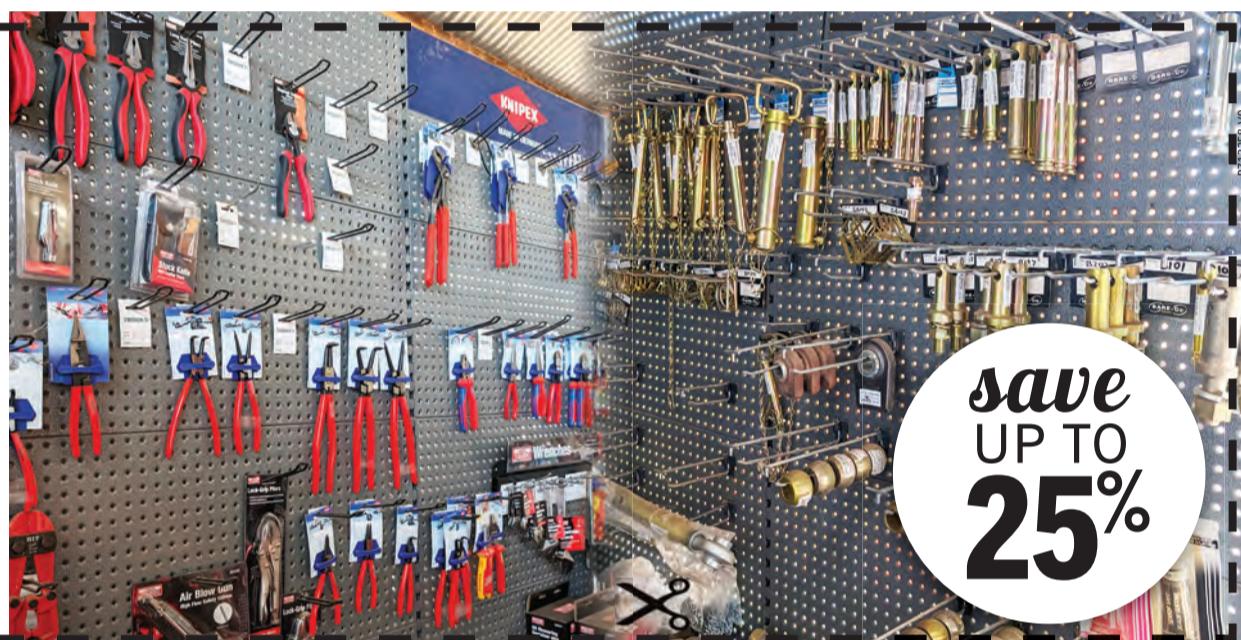
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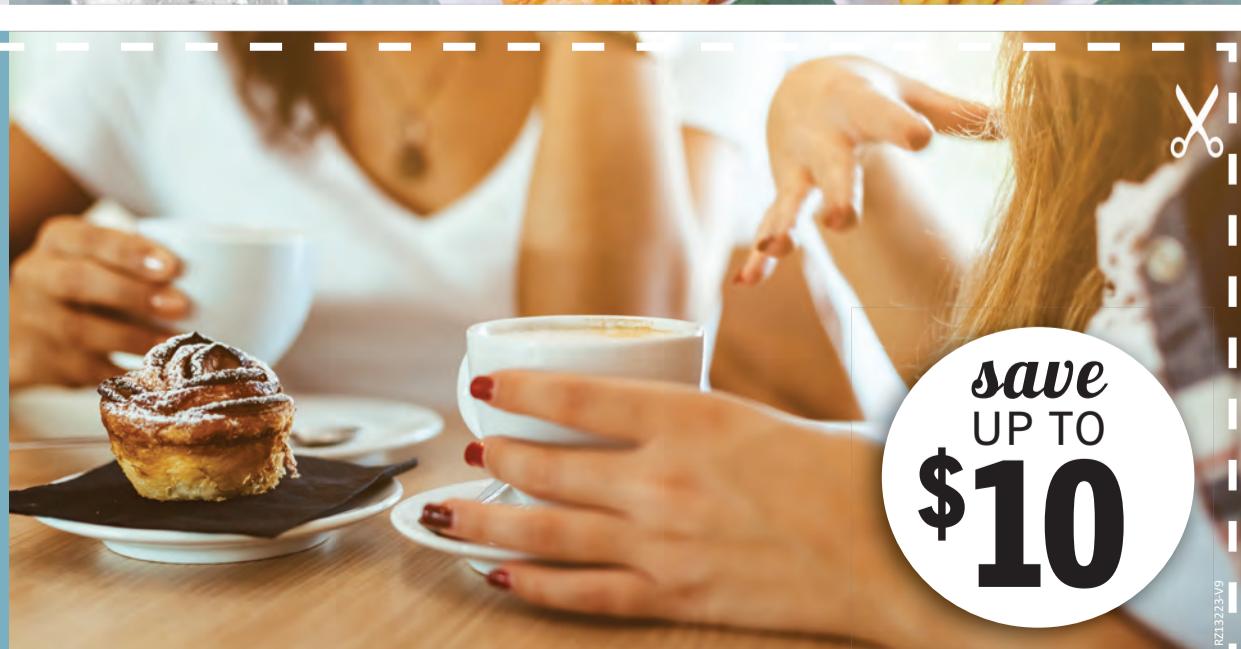
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