2016 WHAT’S COMING UP

MARCH 2016
Wed 16 STEAM Professional Development workshop in Ballarat – Mrs Ann Howard and Miss Jayne Berry.
Thurs 17 Royal Children’s Hospital Good Friday Appeal donations, raffle tickets and monies are due in today.
Fri 18 SGSSA District Sports at Pedrina Park, Hamilton. Dunkeld Consolidated School will be running the sports this year. P & F Association will be providing food and refreshments. Parents are responsible for transporting their students to and from the sports day. A reminder that the Prep students will not be attending the District Athletics Sports, they will attend school as normal.
Regional Swimming Championships in Ballarat – Charlie Field and Thomas Calvert will be participating.
Mon 21 National Harmony Day - students and staff are encouraged to wear a “touch of orange” (e.g. ribbons, scarves etc) to school.
Tues 22 PUPIL FREE DAY – “High Reliability Schools” PD Workshop for all teaching staff in Hamilton.
Tues 22 and Wed 23 MacqLit Professional Development Workshop in Melbourne.
Wed 23 MARC Library.
Year 6 Grampians Rural and Small Schools (GRaSS) Transition Camp at Grampians Retreat.
Royal Children’s Hospital Good Friday Raffle will be drawn at 1:30pm.
Thurs 24 Year 6 Grampians Rural and Small Schools (GRaSS) Transition Camp at Grampians Retreat.
LAST DAY OF TERM 1 – early dismissal at 2.30pm.
Fri 25 GOOD FRIDAY Public Holiday.

APRIL 2016
Sun 10 Farewell Afternoon Tea for Mr Rob Smith commencing at 2:00pm at the Grampians Golf Course.
Mon 11 FIRST DAY OF TERM 2.
Tues 12 SCHOOL PHOTOS – students are encouraged to wear full school winter uniform including black shoes or boots.
Thurs 14 Glenthompson Dunkeld FNC NAB AFL Auskick commences at the Dunkeld Recreation Reserve from 4:30pm – 5:30pm. Please contact Ally Gordon on 0429 900 747 for details.
NetSetGo! Commences at 4.30pm at the Dunkeld Recreation Reserve (ages 5-10 years). Contact Rebecca Howell on 0437 965 577 for more information.
Wed 20 Zone Athletics Sports in Warrnambool.
Fri 22 ‘Utter Nonsense’ performance by School Performance Tours – 9:15am
Mon 25 ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

MAY 2016
Thurs 5 Caulfield Grammar School concert commencing at 1:00pm. P & F Association will provide lunch for the visiting students and staff. Dunkeld Consolidated School students will have their lunch from 12:30pm to 1:00pm and playtime from 1:00pm to 2:30pm. **No SAKG Kitchen or Garden classes will be held today.**
Tue 10 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5 – Language Conventions and Writing.
Wed 11 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5 – Reading.
Thurs 12 NAPLAN Years 3 and 5 – Numeracy.

2016 SCHOOL COUNCIL, SUB-COMMITTEES AND P & F MEETING DATES

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SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

ALL ASSEMBLIES WILL BE HELD AT 2:45PM WEEKLY ON A Tuesday, unless otherwise advised.

FORM’S ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER

SGSSA Athletics Canteen Roster and donation list
School Photo Envelopes – Return by Monday 21st March

2016 TERM DATES

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FROM Mr Paul Jeffreys, Principal...

Thank you to those among you who have sent in bits and pieces for use in the sandpit. Our sandpit is a popular place. Students young and old spend time there for various purposes and lengths of time; in a world of make believe and varying themes. It’s an interesting exercise, watching children play in a sandpit. It’s about territory and decision making coupled with varying degrees of entitlement. Throw in strength of personality, sense of right and wrong, guile, honesty and cunning: and there you have it… a reflection of society. And you good people who donated those play things? Well that’s sports this year. The P & F Association has four parent vacancies for School Council, three of the four at Pedrina Park, North Boundary Road Hamilton. (A map will be available from the school office for those parents who may be new to the district). Families are to be at Pedrina Park at no later than 8.45am for a 9.05am start. A program of events will be sent home tomorrow (Thursday 17 March).

The Dunkeld Consolidated School is responsible for organising the Sports this year. The P & F Association has kindly offered to organise and provide food and refreshments. The school will need helpers to assist at the Long Jump and set up and pack up. Parents are responsible for transporting their child/children to this event.

A reminder that the PREP students WILL NOT BE attending the District Athletics Sports, they will attend school as normal while all other students, with their families, attend the sports day.

SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2016

After calling for nominations for School Council, three of the four parent vacancies have been filled for the 2016-2018 term, therefore a ballot is not required. The three parent school councillors are Sarah Crawford, Luke Balkin and Mark Lazzari (with one casual vacancy). The Department of Education and Training (DET) member is Terrie Nicholson (with one casual vacancy).
The first meeting of the new Council will be held on Tuesday 22 March in the Dunkeld Consolidated School staff room commencing at 7.30pm.

PARENTS AND FRIENDS NEWS
We held our AGM on Monday 7 March. All executive positions were filled as follows:
President Ally Gordon
Vice President Karen Kent
Secretary Naomi Phillips
Treasurer Bev Hampton
Co-opted School Council member – Rifka McClure

Congratulations and thank you to our new executive. Looking forward to the year ahead.

SGGSA ATHLETICS SPORTS DAY: Please find attached the donation list and roster for Friday’s school sports. We are desperate for volunteers to assist on both the canteen and the BBQ shifts at times listed. If you are able to help, please contact me ASAP on 0429 900 747 or via email at sga@gordon@hotmail.com

Meetings: Our next meeting will be held on Monday 11 April commencing at 7.30pm at the school.

If you require any further information about the P & F Association please contact Ally Gordon, President on 0429 900 747 or Naomi Phillips, Secretary on 0429 998 504.

HOUSE SWIMMING SPORTS
The House Swimming Sports were held at the Dunkeld Memorial Swimming Pool. Wannon competed against Sturgeon. First medley raced started. I did one of the races. It was backstroke then freestyle. I came 4th. The older kids did freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke and butterfly. Then the Prep and Grade Ones had their water display. The Preps blew bubbles and they were kicking. The Preps and Ones dived in the pool. They did Freestyle to the end with kickboards. After that, we had lunch. It was a sausage sizzle. I had two sausages. They were yummy. Then we had the main races. The overall winner was Sturgeon. It was a fun day. By Chloe Frost, Grade 4

SGGSA DISTRICT SWIMMING SPORTS
On Thursday 10 March nine students qualified to attend the Zone Swimming Sports in Warrnambool. They were: Charlie Field, Thomas Calvert, India Ross, Xanthe Huf, Ella Jackson, Ben Potter, Will Kent, Anna Schurmann and I. The Zone Swimming is the next level of competition from the interschool. Thomas Calvert and Charlie Field have qualified to participate at the Regional Swimming Championships in Ballarat this Friday. Good luck to them. Well done to everyone and thank you to Mrs Prentice for all her hard work. By Zach Burgess, Grade 6

Learning to approach new food…from the SAKG Foundation: “…in the kitchen we encourage all children to have a taste of all dishes that have been made. We encourage tastes all through the preparation process, before it is cooked, after it is cooked before and after seasoning. It is important that we stretch their boundaries and explore new things. Children may need to try a new food 10 – 20 times before they become comfortable with it. We don’t just eat foods that we like – we come to like foods that we try regularly. We are allowed not to like some foods but we will not know that if we first do not taste it.”

Thank you for your kind donations of produce and jars, we now have enough jars and will be preserving tomatoes in the coming weeks.
Clare Kennedy, SAKG Kitchen Specialist

KITCHEN ROSTER FOR END OF TERM 1

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From the Garden...

Last Thursday it rained… How beautiful was that? So we spoke about snails and rain gauges. Did you know that snails exude mucus from a pore behind their head that is so thick and impermeable that the snail can travel along a knife edge without being cut? And that in dry times, a snail can retreat into its’ shell, seal the entrance with a waterproof barrier and survive for several months (even up to 6 years!).

Following the rain theme, our Grade 4’s made their own rain gauges using the clear plastic containers that tennis balls are packaged in. Their straight sides make a perfect gauge to read. We learnt rain gauges measure rain in millimetres (or inches) which are units of length, rather than in millilitres or litres, which are units of volume. Imagine an empty, rectangular swimming pool and sitting right next to it, a small rectangular rain gauge. A thunderstorm rains over both of them. The rain will fill both the pool and the rain gauge to the same height. But because the pool is much bigger than the rain gauge, they will each hold a different volume of water. What stays the same, no matter what size container is used to collect the rain, is the height that the water rises. That’s why we measure the height of the water in a rain gauge. Emily McNaughton and Charlie Adams have volunteered to be our rain gauge monitors this year - they have drew a rainbow chart, and it is their task each morning to check and record any rain that has fallen.

We send our thanks this week to Bruce Burger for his donation of sheep poo, and especially to John Mirtsch who collected and delivered it for us. It was a wonderful surprise! Please also remember our two fantastic fundraisers – Mary....
Doumany's magnificent performance this Saturday night (how lucky we are to have someone of her talent perform in our town!) and our raffle that offers a wonderful day out for 4 lucky people to Paul Bangay's Open Garden or a lovely set of bowls, or two beautiful garden books. With tickets selling at only $1.00 each, you'd be mad not to be in it!!

Lisa McIntyre, SAKG Garden Specialist

YEAR 4 EXCURSION TO THE MUSEUM
On Monday 7 March the Year 4 class visited the Dunkeld Museum. Mrs Williams spoke with the Year 4 students about the history of Dunkeld. Major Mitchell was the first European in Dunkeld. He named Mount Sturgeon and Mount Abrupt.

The story goes that when the maps were drawn up the person may have written the wrong names on the mountains. Mr Templeton built the first hotel in Dunkeld.

There was a noise in the night and Mr James Templeton got accidentally shot by a gold digger at his family's inn in 1853. There were six hotels/inns in Dunkeld. In 1944, there was a major fire that burnt down approximately half the buildings in town. Thank you to Mrs Williams for telling us all this history.

By Chloe Frost and Thomas Calvert

ROYAL CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL
Each year the Dunkeld Consolidated School supports the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal. (If you wish to make a donation by cheque please ensure the cheque is made payable to the “Dunkeld Consolidated School” and a receipt will be forwarded.) Raffle tickets and monies will need to be returned to school by Thursday 17 March. There are 20 raffle prizes to be drawn on Wednesday 23 March. All raffle proceeds are forwarded to the Royal Children's Hospital.

MISSING item of clothing
School Rugby jumper belonging to Jasmine Crawford. Size 8. Has a name on the tag and inside the jumper on the school logo.

HARMONY DAY – MONDAY 21 MARCH
Harmony Day is coming up on Monday 21 March. It's all about community participation, inclusiveness, respect and a sense of belonging for everyone – celebrating the cultures that make Australia a great place to live.

Students and staff are encouraged to wear a “touch of orange” (e.g. ribbons, scarves etc) to school on Monday 21 March to celebrate Harmony Day. Further information may be obtained from: www.harmony.gov.au

FUNKY HAIR DAY
Students, staff and parent helpers enthusiastically supported Funky Hair Day on Friday 11 March with an array of bright colours, crazy wigs and unique hairstyles. A total of $130.00 was raised for the Leukaemia Foundation.

Today is Friday 11 March. It is Funky Hair Day. My hair is in plaits and there are about 60 of them. We danced, I danced a bit fast and slow. I had a fantastic time and felt happy. By Edie Jackson, Grade 1

We had a parade. We did a funky demo. My hair was blue. I am cool. I was funky. I did a cool dance. Jake did a cool demo. Zach did an awesome dance. It was cool. By Mitchell Gordon, Grade 1

Today was Friday 11 March. We went to funky hair day. We danced. Jack was the best dancer. It looked like rap dancing. I didn't know what to dance. We had a parade. I liked it. By Sebastian Aarons, Grade 1
Historical Walking Tour of the Old Dunkeld Cemetery

On Saturday 26 March (Easter Saturday), the Dunkeld Museum will be conducting a historical tour instead of their March Guest Speaker meeting. Dunkeld Museum Committee members, Mrs Heather Funk, Mrs Joyce Gordon and Mr David Gordon, will lead the guided walking tour amidst the gravestones and memories of the old Dunkeld Cemetery located on Old Cemetery Lane.

The main focus of the walk will be to provide information about the 50 or so new names that Heather has found for people buried in the Old Cemetery (please refer to the ‘Dunkeld Museum Update’ for further details). The recently discovered deceased have no headstones but the Museum now has family details about each person. A handout will be available on the day with exact death dates, which have been gleaned from the death certificates.

The earliest recorded death found so far is in 1841 on Mount Sturgeon station. The first registration in the Dunkeld Death Register on 27 June 1862 records the death of John Kranz aged seven weeks. There were 273 deaths registered in the Dunkeld register, from June 1862 up to December 1905, the Museum is only missing eleven of these certificates, at this stage.

Our small town of Dunkeld boasts two cemeteries – the original cemetery is located on a granite filled stony rise and operated from 1854 to 1904. Upon an inspection undertaken by T.E. Dunkley in 1900 the report found that in “winter time when a grave is dug it is said to soon fill up with water, and at times rocks have to be placed on top of a coffin to keep them from floating up until the grave is filled in.” The Health Department closed the old cemetery and a ten acre allotment for the new cemetery (located 1.8 kilometres north of the township near the Dunkeld Racecourse) was gazetted in 1904 and the first burial occurred in 1905.

The tour will commence at the old cemetery at 1.30pm. Cost of the tour is $10.00 per person, which also includes a country-style afternoon tea in the natural surrounds. Everyone is most welcome to attend this historical and informative walk through the Old Dunkeld Cemetery.

Heather’s research has also uncovered information about approximately 90 children, aged five years and under, who are buried in the Old Cemetery, with the often sad details being recorded on the inquest documents. Details about seventeen lone graves which are located in Dunkeld and the surrounding district will also be provided.
DUNKELD CHURCH TIMES

Saint Patrick's Catholic Church
Parish Priest - Father Pat Mugavin - 5571 1161  E-mail: hamilton@ballarat.catholic.org.au

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Anglican Church & Uniting Church
Anglican - Uniting Church – combined services held at St. Mary's  ALL WELCOME

Holy Communion will be conducted by Anglican clergy on 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month.
Easter Sunday  27 March  Rev Robyn Shackell  Holy Communion  11.00am

Inquiries: Judy Trompf 5577 2414 or Heather Macgugan 5577 2277

Judeo Christian Church
Cnr Adams and Fairbairn Streets, Dunkeld  Pastor Greg Gardner  Mobile: 0403 960 900
2nd and last Sunday of each month  10.30am

Panyyabyr Uniting Church
Next service to be advised.

Mirranatwa Uniting Church
The next service at the Mirranatwa Uniting Church will be at 2.00pm, Sunday 17 April with Rev Peter Cook of Hamilton.
Everyone is welcome and a cuppa will follow.
Contacts: Kristy Beveridge 5574 0274, Margo Dark 5574 0222 or Iris Field 5574 0202.
DUNKELD RAILWAY STATION
RELAUNCH.....

Around 60 people packed into the recently renovated Dunkeld Railway Station on Thursday 17 March to attend the official relaunch of the building by Gayle Tierney (MLC, Western Victoria).

Southern Grampians Shire Mayor, Peter Dark, also spoke during the launch and reflected on the historic significance of the building and the important role groups like Off the Rails, Dunkeld Inc. play in activating the community through ventures like artist run workshops, and residencies.

The project was delivered by VicTrack under the State Government’s Community Use of Vacant Rail Buildings Program which aims to revitalise some of Victoria’s disused rail buildings and precincts by making affordable space available for a range of community uses.

The refurbished station will provide the Dunkeld community with a flexible studio space for local professional and amateur artists as well as a gallery and exhibition space, and will be administered by the OTR committee.

The OTR committee would like to thank the State Government, the VicTrack team, architect Andrew Davidson, Nigel Carey and the building team, Mary-Ann Brown and The Dunkeld Progress Association, the Southern Grampians Shire, Trudy Rickard Heritage advisor, the Dunkeld and District Museum.

Special thanks to Helena Flinn for baking and Glenda Schwarz for decorating our celebratory cake.

We’d also like to thank all our past donors, volunteers, and friends for their continued support and encouragement and all those who turned up at 1pm and brought a plate to share.

We look forward to seeing many of you again at future events in the months and years ahead.

Mary Doumany @ Off the Rails: a musical blessing of the space

At 10.00am on Sunday morning, fresh from her fundraising performance at Sterling Place, harpist Mary Doumany made a special appearance with her Australian made harp inside the historic Dunkeld Railway Station.

Off the Rails committee member Paul Sanders participated in the intimate ‘Station warming’ ceremony by reading a poem he had specially prepared for the occasion.

Mary’s short performance at OTR heralds the beginning of the next chapter in the life of the building and complemented her visit to Dunkeld.

Poem: “OFF THE RAILS GALLERY”
‘Artists and place’

This is a place of ancient wandering, of coming and going
Where that strange mixture of mountain cloud, lingering dust, and ancient voices congregate in the blood and bones of things forgotten and still lovingly, awkwardly inhabited for right here
can be felt the charged voices
of teary greetings and the muted groans
of solemn leavings
of taking hold, of putting down, of gathering up,
of hurried striding, of hesitant walking and of wrenched departures
for
from this place so many have stood, stepped and waited chanced and boarded slender carriages for a distancing fate
And so
today in the covering presence of rafters, render,
of old whispering conversations, of mysterious convergences known and unknown
of former risks, ventures and destiny, realised and lost
We too arrive
to listen and evoke another incarnation of the creative urge for Being.
May all who enter be carried and held in this new old place of possibility
where hesitant longing, fiery yearnings,
of waiting, noticing, defiance, and art making will become a new lifting, putting down, picking up and moving through
So that,
off and beside the same parallel lines of a singly fragile enterprise
A new bold generation can stand, gaze, work and leave marks bearing a new form of artful presence.

May the sounds of stepping, thundering rattle, bells and whistles
remind us we are indebted to others
offering us the assurances other feet and hands embrace us in the intent to imagine a better world.
May all who grace this place
be blessed to be a blessing.

Paul Sanders - for us all.
A clear business plan is a key determiner of long-term business success.

Business planning helps you to think ahead to identify and manage future issues and more importantly discover and explore new opportunities.

A good business plan creates a clear vision and roadmap for your business, which can be a vital tool when seeking finance, leasing premises, getting permits and engaging staff.

And it doesn’t have to be long or complex. The key question is “what has to change to get us from where we are now to where we want to be”.

In just two hours, this short workshop will help you navigate through the ‘now-where-how’ to answer that question and to create a clear one-page plan for your business.

Get the tools, templates and support you need in this tried and tested workshop that will introduce you to the business frameworks that will fast-track your success.

Workshop Details:
Host: Southern Grampians Shire Council
When: Tuesday 19 April 2016 Time: 6:00pm – 8:00pm
Where: Dunkeld Community Hall Sterling Street Dunkeld Cost: $20 per person

Booking Options:
Event ID: E15944
Phone: Sharon Clutterbuck on (03) 5573 0202
Email: sclutterbuck@sthgrampians.vic.gov.au
Internet: www.business.vic.gov.au/workshops

Is this workshop for me?
If you haven’t got a plan for your business, whether you have an established business or your idea is still on the drawing board, this workshop is the first one you should attend.

You will learn how to:
► Assess real opportunities, while determining those things that could limit your business growth
► Use different tools to carefully think through the key elements of your business and discover new perspectives
► Follow the steps in the planning process to take your business from where it is now to where you want it to be in the future

As part of Business Planning Essentials workshop you will receive:
► A comprehensive and easy to use Business Planning Essentials workbook and reference guide to help you plan strategically
► A one-page template to help you assess and implement your business plans
► Valuable networking opportunities with new and emerging business owners in your area
► A follow-up pack containing the presentation slides, hints and tips and links to further resources and support.

This is one of 23 practical workshops facilitated by business experts and offered by Small Business Victoria helping small businesses entrepreneurs to achieve their goals for over 10 years.

About your workshop leader:
Bill Winter: Bill’s business experience is remarkable for its diversity; from CEO and advisory board member to highly renowned facilitator and business mentor. He specialises in helping small business implement the right structures to manage change. His areas of expertise include family businesses, start-ups, executive coaching, mentoring and the not-for-profit sector.
BOAT SCULPTURE DONATIONS SAILING IN
'The appeal for pledges of donations to secure Michael Sheilis’ 'Fool's Vessel' sculpture which is presently gracing Salt Creek, is moving along steadily and we have had two generous donations this week., thanks to the publicity in our invaluable Dunkeld and District Newsletter. We are about half-way there, and the sculptor has kindly agreed to extend the time for it to remain in Dunkeld.

If you are still thinking about pledging a donation, you can email me at rozgreenwood@bigpond.com. Another option is to add your details to the list at the ever-supportive and helpful Bendigo Bank in Dunkeld.

Thanks to everyone who has supported the project.
Roz Greenwood

DUNKELD GARDEN CLUB
A trip to Portland is planned for 11 April.
Members are asked to meet at 9:15am at the Dunkeld Community Centre where car pooling will be organised. Could all members please confirm their attendance by ringing Sheree on 5577 2485 by 1 April.
See the noticeboard at the Post Office and General Store for further information.

GRAMPIANS PIECEMAKERS QUILTING GROUP
An invitation is extended for interested people to join them in a day of creativity, chat and companionship each 2nd Thursday of the month.
Days begin at 10.30am and finish about 3.40pm. Sessions are shared around the homes of members and you bring your own lunch.
The contact person for any queries is Jennifer McIntyre at Karabeal and her phone number is 5574 9266.
The NEXT MEETING for 2016 is as follows.
• 14 April  Faye Gordon's home.
Sterling Street, Dunkeld.  5577 2388

DUNKELD PROGRESS ASSOCIATION
UPCOMING MEETINGS: Monday 28 March 2016; Monday 25 April 2016 [to be confirmed]
Meetings are held at 8.00pm at Dunkeld Community Centre.

CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY
On Clean Up Oz Day, a lone Panyabyr/Mirranatwa Landcare member collected rubbish along Blackwood Road and the Old Cemetery Lane.
So thank you Ross Simpson!

VICTORIA VALLEY HALL COMMITTEE
Raffle and Stall
The Victoria Valley Hall Committee will be holding a Stall in front of the Bendigo Bank on Easter Saturday morning – 26 March.
Donations of items to sell will be greatly appreciated. We will also have a Raffle. Tickets will be available shortly.
Prizes will be;
• A Trailer load of wood
• A $50 gift voucher
• A basket of Easter eggs

HOCKEY PLAYERS WANTED!!
The Dunkeld Hockey Club is looking for players for three divisions this season. Games are played in Hamilton on Saturdays and Sundays during Terms 2 and 3. We are seeking young players for Division 5, who must turn 7 in 2016, Division 4 players who have had some basic experience and played in 2015 or before and Division 1 Women.

If you are interested or would like more information please ring Jen McArthur (5573 3265) or Lea McArthur (5577 2307).

SAVE LIVES FOUNDATION STALL
Thank you most sincerely to everyone who supported the Stall in either donating or purchasing items from the Stall.
Our Raffle prizes went to:
Anthony Graham - the Basket of Goodies
Robin Jackson - the Bird Painting.

With the proceeds from the Stall, Raffle and monetary donations, I forwarded $1010 to the Foundation's Bank Account.
I had an email from Om, the Chairman of the Foundation saying how grateful they were for our support.
Heather Napier

NAB AFL AUSKICK
Glenthompson Dunkeld NAB AFL AUSKICK KICKS OFF in 2016 at Dunkeld Rec Reserve on THURSDAY 14 APRIL from 4:30pm – 5:30pm and runs for 8 weeks. Adrian Field will be coaching, along with assistance from other parents, which will allow the groups to be divided into age/grade/abilities.
Regardless of the weather AUSKICK will be held.

All registrations are to be completed online at www.aflauskick.com.au no cash will be accepted.
Cost $80.00. Packs will be delivered directly to participants.

For further information, please call Ally Gordon on 0429 900 747.

DUNKELD RED CROSS
The Red Cross is still collecting used stamps, which they now pass on to the Hamilton Uniting Church. These are sent to Sammy Stamp for sale to collectors and the proceeds go to natural disaster appeals and to outback services. So please hand your used stamps to a Red Cross member (or take directly to Hamilton Uniting Church) and leave at least 1cm edge (or more) of envelope around the stamp.
The next meeting is on Thursday 24 March at 2.00pm in the Henry Leech RSL Room...a warm welcome awaits!

Contacts: Jenny Cook (President) 0408 139 55; Iris Field (Secretary) 5574 0202; Bek Kay (Treasurer) 0476 364 766

DUNKELD PUBLIC LANDS COMMITTEE INC
Meeting The Public Meeting to elect the committee for the next three years will be held at the Community Centre at 8.00pm on Wednesday 23 March. Nomination forms are available from John Prust or John Smith.

Caravan Park Gary has been very busy and is fully booked for Easter. Over 100 visitors will be camping here. We are nearly finished the new office. The decks will be put in after Easter.
John Smith President
WEIGHBRIDGE
NOW AVAILABLE

SUPER, MAP, LIME & GYPSUM
NOW IN STOCK AT DUNKELD DEPOT

Get all your Autumn pasture and cropping needs sorted with one call. From one tonne to a B-double, we can supply, spread and deliver your requirements using the most modern 4X4 spreader and GPS guidance in the area. All products available for immediate delivery in bulk or bags from our Dunkeld Depot.

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Cost is $49.00 and includes registration fee and pack.

Last year we had fantastic numbers, if this is again the case we will be grouping differently and I will require someone else to assist, along with weekly helpers. If you would like to take on this role, please let me know.

Details on how to register Online will be included in the next newsletter.
Contact Rebecca Howell on 0437 965 577 for more information.

GRAMPIANS ARK AND GRAMPIANS TO GRASSLANDS FOX CONTROL PROGRAM
This fox baiting pulse runs from Monday 1 February 2016 til Sunday 10 April 2016.

If you are laying baits, please inform your neighbours. If you have bait take data from the last pulse, please email or ring me with the details, I'd greatly appreciate that!
Baits can be picked up from Kelly & Henson in Dunkeld, but we may also find a supplier in Hamilton to support us - if that concept would work better with you please get in touch with me asap.
Any queries or questions, just call or email - thanks!
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SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE COMMUNITY BUS SERVICE
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If you would like to use this service, contact the HACC Office on 5551 8480 for an assessment.
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If any of our regular clientele are unable to use bus that day, please phone the number above, if not answered leave a message by 8.15am - the driver will be notified.

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March: 31st  April: 14th & 28th

Phone: 5573 0470  www.sthgrampians.vic.gov.au/library
The Mobile Library will not operate on Extreme and Code Red Fire Declared Days.

VARIETY CONCERT
The Dunkeld and Panyyabur Uniting Churches are holding a Variety Concert in the Dunkeld Community Centre on 1 April at 8.00pm.
Admission will be $15.00 (school children free).
Rev Peter Cook is organizing a great line up of musicians to entertain us. We are pleased also to have locals Lachy and Alec McIntyre in the line-up.
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DUNKELD RSL SUB-BRANCH

RSL Membership: We invite ex-service men and women to be members and renew their membership to ensure the future of the RSL locally. 2016 subscriptions are now due. If you are a relative of ex-service men or women you can also join the RSL. By becoming a member of the RSL you will be helping the welfare of disabled war veterans and supporting your local RSL Sub-Branch. Application forms are available from the Secretary/Treasurer, Terrie Nicholson on 5573 3353.

Dunkeld RSL Sub-Branch ANZAC Day Dawn Service: The Dunkeld RSL Sub-Branch ANZAC Day Dawn Service will be held on Monday 25 April commencing at 6:30am sharp at the Dunkeld Cenotaph in the Memorial Park.

Following the service there will be a free barbecue breakfast and tea and coffee served in the Dunkeld Community Centre, provided by the Dunkeld & District Lions Club members. Ex-service men and women, the local community and visitors are welcome to attend the service.

2016 ANZAC Appeal: RSL Appeals organisers at all Sub-Branches throughout Victoria are gearing up for the 2016 ANZAC Appeal, from 1 April. 2016 marks the Centenary of the RSL and that gives special significance to this year’s ANZAC Appeal.

According to RSL Victoria’s Appeals Manager, Peter Smith, “The funds raised through the RSL’s ANZAC Appeal enable us to deliver much needed assistance to those men and women who have served our country and who now need our support. The way in which the RSL provides that support varies from case to case but it can include such things as the provision of mobility devices, assistance with medical and other household expenses, education and employment assistance and even food vouchers. Increasingly, the support is being directed to a much younger cohort of veterans, those from the more recent conflicts and peacekeeping operations of East Timor, Iraq and Afghanistan.”

“Each RSL Sub-Branch in Victoria plays a vital role within their community and for many veterans, the Sub-Branch is the social and welfare hub that they know and love. I encourage members of the community to engage with their local RSL, attend a commemorative ANZAC service and to show that they care by buying and wearing an ANZAC Appeal badge with pride this April.”

Donations may also be made online at www.anzacappeal.com.au

Battle of Greece and Crete Services 2016: The DVA Commemorations Branch has asked the Deputy Commissioner to pass on the following information about arrangements for the commemoration of the Battle of Greece and Crete services 2016.

This year, commemorative services will be held during the week beginning 11 April 2016. A National service of commemoration will be held at the Hellenic Memorial on Anzac Parade in Canberra on 14 April at 12:30pm. Details of the service to be held in Melbourne will be made available as soon as they are finalised by the Cretan Association and the Greek Embassy. Any veterans of the Battle are welcome to contact the DVA Commissions team on (02) 6289 6061 if they wish to attend a service and would like assistance.

Help build the Pozieres Memorial Park: The Pozieres Remembrance Association, along with the Village of Pozieres, is building a Memorial Park on the piece of land described by Charles Bean as “the one place on earth most densely sown in Australian sacrifice.” They will be placing a Memorial Park over the top of this land. The Park will not be a place of grandiose monuments, but a series of gardens designed to show respect for the Men that still lie there, and to protect their resting place for all time.

4,112 of our Men were never found or identified after the Battle, and this is the land that they are trying to protect. They want to give the Men of Pozieres a place where they can guarantee that they will not be disturbed into the future, and gardens will protect their resting place.

Please visit the following website for further details: www.pozieresremembered.com.au or phone Mr Barry Gracey on (02) 6651 5687 or mobile 0419 656 480 or email: pozieres1916@bigpond.com

FROM THE LIONS DEN

French Night
Will be held on Wednesday 18 May and price has been adjusted to $30.00.

ANZAC Day
The Lions will again be serving breakfast after the Dunkeld RSL Sub-Branch Dawn Service - all welcome. I saw a book advertised the most daring escape of prisoners of war in the Second World War. The book is called Zero Night and was about an escape of prisoners from Oflag V1-B, Warburg, Germany, when on 30 August 1942, 40 officers from Britain, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa staged the first ‘Great Escape’ of the War.

I bought the book because our own Mark Howard was at the camp at the time. Mark is only mentioned in the book as ‘Second Lieutenant Mark Howard, a former Australian jackeroo who had worked the sheep stations before the war, prepared for them a special celebratory meal. They dined on tinned steak and onions followed by pudding made from ground-up biscuits, margarine, powdered milk and raisins.’

Unfortunately the book concentrated on only a few of the escapees and Mark did not get a further mention. But at the camp when those who were to escape had got away and the Germans had not discovered the ladders over the wire, the Escape Committee gave permission to anyone else to escape. Mark and a mate did so but collided into a German patrol almost immediately and were captured. He was sent to Colditz and was part of the security for the famous Colditz Glider. After the War he moved to Dunkeld, a keen golfer played for at the Grampians Golf Club. Lest we forge

Words of wisdom
Young lady talking with her grandmother. “Grandmother, what kind of husband would you advise me to get?”

“My advice is to leave the husbands alone and get yourself a nice single man.”

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POLICE NEWS

A nice drop of rain has fallen. The grass is slowly changing colour. Summer changing to Autumn. A nice time of year to live where we do.

I enjoyed a couple of weeks off but knew my rest wouldn't last after reading of crime in the Dunkeld area. I recommended duty and found out that a shed was broken into on the Wannon River Road where tools were stolen. A farm near Bundol Road also had a theft of some tools. Another property in Dunkeld also had some tools stolen but fortunately an offender has been caught and charged and a significant amount of the property recovered. If anyone has information regarding these incidents please ring the Dunkeld Police Station and leave your name and number so I can get in touch.

If anyone sees vehicles or people in the area that they don't know, just try and get the best description you can and ring and let me know. Often, it's just one piece of information that could be enough to solve or prevent a crime. Write down the registration number and the type and colour of the vehicle. If you've got a mobile phone and you think of it - take a photo. It all helps and helps to keep our area a great place in which to live.

Easter is fast approaching now, which generally means greater numbers of visitors to the area and larger numbers of motorists on the road. Please be careful and tolerant of other drivers - they're a bit like our kangaroos, you never know which way they are going to go. Sometimes it doesn't hurt to think, if that driver does this, I will do that. It's all about being prepared and concentrating when driving. The 'Keep Left' signs in the main street that have continually been knocked down by vehicles should serve as a reminder of what you're up against.

Another reminder of what's out there on our roads. On the 12th March, I'd just turned from Cassidy's Gap Road, onto the Grampians Road to head back into Dunkeld, when a car is coming towards me at 158 km/h. I'd like to say that's unusual but that would be the third time this year along that road and one car was even higher again. Twelve months licence suspension and $758 fine but potentially a lot of dead people if a kangaroo hopped out. Human beings are given the dignity of choice, but sometimes you have to wonder about choices that we make. Obviously, the other three passengers in the car weren't too concerned for their safety either.

Anyway, enough of the serious. Great to see some new aspects to the town with the old Railway Station being restored for the Community, ongoing works at the Dunkeld Football/Netball Club, new renovations at the Royal Mail and new premises for 'Only Ewe'. I'm also aware of further restoration for the old Railway Station being as aspects to the town with the old Railway Station being restored for the

ANZAC Portal - visit by Dr Richard Reid: On Saturday 12 March, Dr Richard Reid from Canberra visited the Dunkeld Museum. Dr Reid was born and educated in Ireland and has worked for more than 40 years as a secondary school teacher, museum educator, historian and museum curator. He has worked with the Australian War Memorial, the National Museum of Australia and the Department of Veterans' Affairs. In 1993 Dr Reid was the Executive Officer on the Australian War Memorial's project team responsible for the return from France of the remains of an Australian Unknown Soldier to the Memorial's Hall of Memory.

Dr Reid is currently conducting research for the Department of Veterans’ Affairs website, Anzac Portal: Education and Community Awareness for the Anzac Centenary 2014-2018 (the Anzac Portal), which is designed to provide an educative focus for the ANZAC Centenary: http://anzacportal.dva.gov.au/history/great-war-memories

Please find listed below some websites that may also assist with WW1 research:


Old Dunkeld Cemetery: Please find listed below the 'new' names of people in the old Dunkeld Cemetery, which recent research has discovered:

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One of the documents in the Dunkeld Museum’s Brady collection will be included on the Anzac Portal website in the near future. World War 1 memorabilia and photographs from the late Mr John Brady’s (born c1880 - service number 177, 29th Battalion, A Company) estate were kindly donated to the museum. Charles and Catherine (nee Murray) Brady were married at Hamilton in 1874. They had a family of 14 children, with their first three children being born at Mount Rouse (from 1874 to 1877) and the remaining children were born at Dunkeld during the period 1878 to 1896. While living in Ararat, six of their sons (Charles, John, Ernest Arthur, Leslie William, Patrick and Stanley Edward) enlisted in WW1 and two of them, Charles (killed in action on 8 May 1915) and Patrick (killed in action on 19 September 1918), paid the supreme sacrifice never returning to Australian shores. The Museum is keen to identify as many people as possible in the Brady family photographs.

**Antiques Valuation Day:** The Museum will be holding an Antiques Valuation Day on Saturday 4 June at the Dunkeld Museum from 10.00am to 4.00pm. Valuations will be conducted by antiques expert and valuer, Mr Warren Joel from Leonard Joel Antiques. **Please mark this date on your calendar!**

**Opening Hours:** A reminder that the Museum is open every Sunday and on public holidays from 1.00pm to 5.00pm.

**Museum Duty:** The following volunteers are on Museum duty from 1.00pm – 5.00pm on:
- Saturday 26 Mar: Brian & Julie Hermann
- Sunday 27 Mar: Jenny Cook & Katrina Weatherly
- Monday 28 Mar: Joyce Gordon & Heather Funk
- Sunday 3 April: Wally & Carol Allen
- Sunday 10 April: Wendy Williams & David Gordon
- Sunday 17 April: Geoff & Erin Hinchliffe

*If you are unable to carry out your duty on your rostered day could you please contact one of the other volunteers to arrange a swap.*

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**BRANXHOLME RODEO A GREAT SUCCESS**

Many flocked to the Branxholme recreation reserve eager to see the many competitors battle it out in the arena. There were activities suited for any age, including a jumping castle for the young ones. Dunkeld and District Community Bank ® Branch were more than happy to help out, giving the Branxholme-Wallacedale Football Netball Club $1000.

**EASTER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER**

We wish to advise our customers that over the Easter break we will be closed on Good Friday 25 March and will reopen on Tuesday 29 March. We wish you all a very safe and happy break.

**STAFF PROFILE**

Louise Field is new to our team. As a Customer Service Officer at Dunkeld & District Community Bank® Branch, Louise will be able to help you with your everyday banking needs. Louise is committed to bringing the Bendigo style of banking to the community she loves. What are you enjoying so far about working at the Dunkeld & District Community Bank® Branch? Having the opportunity to see local people every day and becoming a part of achieving their financial goals. At this stage there is still so much to learn but I look forward to taking a more active role in helping people realise their dreams in the near future.

Community involvement: netball umpire with Hamilton Kangaroos

Hobbies: netball umpire, involvement in children’s sporting activities

Favourite meal: Roast lamb

Favourite Holiday: Queensland – Surfers Paradise

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A great 'big thank you' to all who have supported our fundraising ventures this term. A very successful evening was held Saturday 19 March where we welcomed composer, singer and classical harpist Mary Douma ny. On behalf of the Kitchen Garden Program I thank the following people for their kindness – Melissa and Adrian Field - Dunkeld General Store, Paul Sanders and Pauline Yule – Cloud Mountain Retreat, Maree and Denis Willey – Grampians Retreat, Doug Fleming and Mary-Ann Brown – Dunkeld Community Centre, Margie Diver -Only Ewe, Ray Keilar, Friends of the Kitchen Garden Program who helped on the night, Ann Howard and Terrie Nicholson and all who attended.

Final weeks to get your raffle tickets to go into the draw to win 4 tickets to Paul Bangay’s Open Garden Day at ‘Stonefields’. Raffle tickets available from the Dunkeld Consolidated School and the Dunkeld General Store.

The Year 3 students and I have had a lovely time in the kitchen this term with our final week recognising Harmony Day where we celebrate cultural diversity and experience different cuisines from around the world. The menu this week will include Ahloo Bounda, Amatriciana Salad, Chicken Fajitas and Portuguese tarts celebrating diversity through wonderful tastes of India, Italy, Mexico and Portugal. I look forward to welcoming back the Year 4, 5 and 6 students in Term 2. Happy ’Preparing and Sharing’ over Easter and the school holidays. Clare Kennedy, SAKG Kitchen Specialist

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**GRAMPIONS CRICKET CLUB**

A fantastic night for all our senior men’s and women’s teams was held at chief sponsor ‘109’ on Friday night to celebrate the season just finished. A number of players received individual recognition and all spoke highly of the club and the importance it places on junior development and its place in the community. The most prestigious award in the club ‘The Bill Fitzpatrick Trophy’ was awarded jointly to Peter Gilbert our incredibly selfless curator and Jack Calvert a key volunteer in the club throughout the season with juniors and working bees/fundraising.

**Women:** Batting Pania Potatua-Wright Aggregate/Dinah Gordon Average, Ros Thatcher Average and Aggregate. Captains Award Ella Patterson, Ali Wedding.

**Men:** A grade Batting Heinrich Joyce Average and Aggregate, Bowling Average Heinrich Joyce, Bowling Aggregate Heinrich Joyce, Ryan Burgess and Lachie Field – tied. Captains Award Lachie Field

**B Grade** Batting Lester Wedding, Bowling Chris Barry, Captains Award Rowan Coote.

**C Grade** Batting Craig Patterson Average and Aggregate, Bowling Craig Patterson Aggregate, Ryan Townsend Average, Most improved Jacob Patterson, Captains Award Bailey Dewan-Holmes.

**Best First Year Player:** Ryan Townsend.

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DUNKELD BOWLING CLUB

MIXED PAIRS – The mixed pairs was completed recently after 8 teams contested the event. The winners of the final were Heather and John McIntyre, narrowly defeating Dorothy Williams and Peter McLean.

MENS B GRADE CHAMPIONSHIPS – On 14 March, eight bowlers participated in the B Grade event in excellent playing conditions with the rink rolling beautifully and with very little wind.

Col Agar defeated Neil Scott; Frank Raymond overcame a gallant John McIntyre; the consistent George McCallum beat John Fraser and Peter McLean got passed Paul Callander.

In the semi’s Frank went on to defeat Col A – 25/12 and George beat Peter – 25/20.

Into the final, this being played on Sunday with John Fraser officiating as marker. Frank was pitted against George, in a great match with the lead ever changing, Frank, with some brilliant bowling from all, the Darroch’s won the day. It was a very popular win with much joy and celebrations following.

STUART DARROCH DAY – This, the 31st Stuart Darroch Day was played on Saturday 19 March to a full field, with players coming from near and far. The format of the day was Sectional play: 16 teams in 4 groups, with each group winner moving to the finals.

The final two teams of Phil and Bruce Allen and Chris Morey versus Darryl (Chicken), Paul Darroch and son Lachie played off over 5 ends. With some brilliant bowling from all, the Darroch’s won the day. It was a very popular win with much joy and celebrations following.

This day is sponsored by the Darroch families with provisions of wonderful trophies, three superb meat trays and other prizes for raffles. The food catering was exceptional, with lunch, afternoon tea and an evening meal prepared and presented. There is little wonder that people clamber to get a berth in this great event. Well done to the Darroch family and thanks for a great day.

Special thanks are also extended to Ray Downes, our bowling divisions Secretary, Media Man and Man for All, who gave up his day to come out to present and display the event, with the programme, scores and updates being presented electronically on the big screen.

PENNANT INFO – A reminder to all those who played pennant this season, there is a meeting/discussion forum to be held on Wednesday the 22nd of March at 6.00pm in the Clubhouse. All players are requested to attend.

COMING EVENTS –

- Men’s 21 UP - Saturday 09/04/2016
- Open Fours – 04/05/2016
- Triples – 11/06/2016

GRAMPIONS GOLF CLUB - DUNKELD

Men’s Results - Saturday 5th March: winner- Mark Dore, 42 points, R/U- Lachlan Patterson, 37 points. NTP: John Sheahan, 9th and 16th.

Ladies Results - Tuesday 8th March: A Grade and monthly medal winner Sue Morse 94 - 20 - 74 R/U Shelli Peardon 75. B Grade Heather Macgugan 114 - 39 - 76, R/U Jo Armytage 77. NTP: Venita Mibus 16th, Birdies- Sue Morse, Shelli Peardon.

Men’s results 12 March -17 players -winner - Russell Burgess 40 points. R/U Simon Macgugan 37 points. NTPs -Derek Morse on the 9th and Mark Dore on the 16th.


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DUNKELD & DISTRICT NEWSLETTER

This will be the last issue for Term 1.

We will see you again in Term 2 with the next edition – issue 5 - due for distribution on Wednesday 20 April.

Of course I will be sending out reminders to my lovely contributors before that – Monday 18 April.

HAPPY EASTER from the Newsletter gang!

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17th April 2016
Dunkeld Community Centre
11.30am — 3pm

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In partnership with Dunkeld Progress Association
Out ‘n’ About
Stories & Games
Wednesday 30th March @ 11.30am
Botanic Gardens

We are taking a trip to the Gardens for a special Storytime event.
Lots of stories and fun games.
Mums, Dads, Grans and Grandpas, Aunts and Uncles and friends are all welcome.
Bring along a picnic lunch and have a great day out.

Movie/Craft
Tuesday 5th April @ 1.15pm
Cinema Foyer
You can create your own Nick Wilde character and then enjoy a special showing of the movie.
Zootopia is a city of animals, where a fugitive con artist fox and a rookie bunny cop must work together to uncover a conspiracy.
Rated PG—110 mins
Cost: $8.50 per person
Limited tickets available.
Purchase at the Library before Monday 4th April

Paper Quilling
Friday 8th April @ 11am
Library Meeting Room
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As we approach the end of a fabulous Term One, we now start looking forward to entering the cooler months during Term Two. Thank you to everyone who has participated in my classes and joined We Run For Fun during the past 7 weeks! Priorities in life change. As our lives continue to take different directions, it is important we continue to reassess regularly what works and what doesn’t - for ourselves. In that, there have been some changes to the Be Fit Program for Term Two. I understand that the decisions I’ve made won’t suit all of my clients but I do see that they will be beneficial to my own health and that of my family.

Open Studio times are when the studio is open and available for your use as a paying client to come and use equipment as you wish. Exercise sessions will be up on the board each week which you are able to follow as you wish if you prefer some guidance. There is no limit on how often you use the studio each week. If you are not a paying client but are interested in this membership, please don’t hesitate to get in touch - small group introductory sessions will be run for you at an additional cost. Membership for this is $99 for the Term (just $9 per week). Membership numbers will be capped.

Class sizes will be capped at 6 per session and places will be confirmed upon payment. To register please jump online at www.iwillbe.com.au and go to the Yes! Pick Me tab and select the classes you wish to participate in. Invoices will be sent out after registration.

I’m very much looking forward to the launch of Wickedly Wonderful Women in April - for more information or to keep up to date register online via the website.

Also being offered in Term Two are nutritional education workshops ‘The Balancing Act’ - for more info and to register interest get onto my website www.iwillbe.com.au

Happy Easter everyone!