**2016 WHAT'S COMING UP**

**MAY 2016**

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<td>Year 5 and 6 will be attending education week activities at the Hamilton Library.</td>
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<td>Dunkeld and District Lions Club supported by the school’s SAKG program French Dinner evening at the Dunkeld Community Centre – 7:00pm.</td>
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<td>SGSSA Cross Country Championships to be held at Tarrington Lutheran School – 12:15pm. Parents to arrange transport for their child.</td>
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<td>Last Glenthompson Dunkeld FNC NAB AFL Auskick and NetSetGo! sessions.</td>
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<td>Mon 6</td>
<td>Hamilton AFL Players Clinic, Melville Oval Hamilton from 10:45am-12:00pm. Victorian Golf Association (VGA) Golf Clinics for students Years 3 – 6 held at school.</td>
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<td>Queen’s Birthday Holiday.</td>
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<td>The Greater Region Athletics Championships to be held in Ballarat at Lianberris Athletics Track.</td>
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### 2016 SCHOOL COUNCIL, SUB-COMMITTEES AND P & F MEETING DATES

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<td>Policy Meeting 5:30pm Community and School Promotions 6:30pm Facilities 7:30pm</td>
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### SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES

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

### 2016 TERM DATES

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### FORM’S ATTACHED TO THIS NEWSLETTER
FROM Mr Paul Jeffreys, Principal...

The school Cross Country event took place last Friday under significantly better conditions than the intended date earlier in the week. Congratulations must go to Sturgeon as the winning house. Something observed during the event: more children ran more courageously for longer distances than in the past few years. Lots of children were supported and warmly welcomed across the finish line. For all of our winners and place getters, in a school with relatively small numbers, we congratulate those children who came fourth or fifth… or last. They all persevered to finish their event which in turn gives legitimacy to those who win. The preparation for the cross country event during PE lessons clearly paid off and so we thank and acknowledge the teachers for their work.

As we begin to plan for camps later this year, it is timely that our school community be reminded that along with an extremely generous subsidy offered on purchasing student iPads, these camps are also well subsidised thanks to an enormous amount of time and effort from a small amount of people who involve themselves in committees or on the School Council. Every child in this school will be involved in camps and at some point take possession of an iPad, and I think we should reflect on that and the cost savings that go out to all families. I sincerely thank those involved in raising funds last year. We would be very pleased to hear from anyone who may be able to assist and become involved to help ensure that the camp and iPad subsidies continue beyond 2016.

Speaking of committees; the School Council Facilities Sub-Committee has worked exceedingly hard over the last 12 – 18 months to formulate a Strategic Plan for our school and among those plans there exists a strong will to enhance our school grounds. Part of that enhancement includes planting out areas for aesthetic and play purposes. We will be shortly seeking support from the community to see this become a reality.

This current week sees students in Year 3 and Year 5 taking part in NAPLAN testing. Children take part in four tests over three days including Mathematics, Writing, Reading and Language Conventions. The school values the data that becomes available from this testing and over recent years that data has helped guide us in the decisions we make to improve teaching and learning in our school.

LUNCH ORDERS
We have a problem: Students are coming to school with lunch orders and when the time comes to put them in, not everyone is remembering to do so. While teachers mostly remind children to get lunch orders out of their bags at the beginning of the day, we ask parents to also remind children to get those orders out when they arrive at school each morning. Lunch orders brought across to the office late in the morning are taking time from staff but most difficult to deal with is lunch orders being presented while lunches are being handed out which is unfair on the suppliers.

### NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM – LITERACY AND NUMERACY (NAPLAN) FOR 2016
NAPLAN testing will involve all students in Years 3 and 5 only. Please try and ensure that your child is present on each day and on time to school where a test is scheduled. Dates for this year’s NAPLAN Tests are as follows:
- Wednesday 11 May NAPLAN Reading Test
- Thursday 12 May NAPLAN Numeracy Test

WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK
A reminder that all staff and volunteers e.g. classroom helpers, SAKG Friends etc at the Dunkeld Consolidated School must have a Working With Children (WWC) Check as per the school’s policy. WWC Checks are required by all volunteers who will be working with students for school activities whether or not supervised by a teacher and whether or not the activity is on school grounds or during school hours. [Registered teachers or teachers who have permission to teach from the Victorian Institute of Teaching (VIT) are exempt from requiring a WWC Check but VIT details need to be provided to the school office.] Volunteers can commence volunteering at the school if they provide a receipt as proof they have applied for a WWC Check. A copy of the volunteer’s WWC Check will be kept on file at the school. Applications are processed online: www.workingwithchildren.vic.gov.au/

Please contact the school office if you have any queries.

CAULFIELD GRAMMAR VISIT
On Thursday 5 May, students from Caulfield Grammar visited our school. Our students participated in vocal workshops and enjoyed a concert performed by the visitors. Thank you to the Parents and Friends for organising and providing lunch for the Caulfield Grammar staff and students.

PARENTS AND FRIENDS NEWS
The Parents and Friends have had a busy week.

On Thursday 5 May, we catered for 40 staff and students from Caulfield Grammar. It is always a pleasure to cater for these visitors and to enjoy the concert that follows. A HUGE thank you to Bev Hampton for co-ordinating this event. Also thank you to those parents who assisted on the day and those who donated items.

Saturday 7 May we held a Street Stall in the main centre of Dunkeld. There was an array of baked goods, home grown produce, sauces, second hand books and a raffle. The raffle was won by Mr Neil Schurmann. Beck Deacon did a fantastic job in organising and manning the stall for the entire day on Saturday. Thank you Beck. Again, also thank you to those who donated goods and time. We made a profit of $492.40.

Meetings: Our next meeting will be held on Monday 11 July 2016 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 CROSS COUNTRY
This event took place on Friday 6 May. Our students ran their hardest and did their best for their team. On the day there were 49 Sturgeon competitors and 49 Wannon competitors. The scoring for this event works on the basis of one point for 1st, 2 points for 2nd and so on up to whatever the number of competitors is for the age group. So, if there are 12 competitors the points go from 1 point to 12 points. The team points are tallied and this total is divided by the number of competitors. This creates an average score per participant. The winner was Sturgeon House. Congratulations!

The following students have been invited to participate:

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The SGSSSA Cross Country will be held on Friday 20 May at Tarrington Lutheran School.

Olive Jackson Participating in the Cross Country

Ella Jackson - Sturgeon ahead of Chloe Frost - Wannon

GOLF CLINICS
The Victorian Golf Association (VGA) Golf Clinics for students (Years 3 – 6) are scheduled for Monday 6 June. The clinics will be held in the school grounds and these will be followed up by a Victorian Primary Schools Golf Tournament. Tony Collier, a professional golfer from Ballarat, will be conducting the sessions and the children will be supervised by staff. Due to the clinic being held on the same day as the AFL Player Clinic in Hamilton, Student will be divided into two groups. The first group will be Year 4 (students who are going to the AFL clinic) and 5/6 students from 9.05am to 9.50am and the second group will be Year 3 and 4 (students who are not going to the AFL Clinic) from approx. 9.50am to 10.35am.

The Victorian Primary Schools Golf 9 Hole Divisional Championship will be held at Parklands Golf Course on Thursday 11 August. Students from other local primary schools will also be participating. Parents will be responsible for transporting their children to this event. A letter will be forwarded to students inviting them to participate in this tournament.

HAMILTON AFL PLAYER CLINICS 2016 JUNE 6.
AFL Victoria will be conducting AFL Player Clinics throughout the South West Region in 2016. This represents excellent exposure to AFL stars to Primary School students. Students (girls and boys) from our school in Grades 4, 5 and 6 are welcome to attend. The clinic in Hamilton will be conducted by players from the CARLTON FOOTBALL CLUB. Students will wear their normal school uniform to school on the day but they may take their football gear to get changed into while they are in Hamilton. The clinic will be held at Melville Oval from 10.45am – 12.00pm. However, if it is cold; warm clothing should be worn. In the advent of cold and wet weather an indoor venue will be organised. Parents will be notified of any change to venue on the day of the clinic. Please note that it is the parents’ responsibility to transport or arrange transport for their child/children to attend this activity.

SPORTING SCHOOLS
The Australian Government’s Sporting Schools programme is underway for Term 2. This Term the program will focus on ‘Hockey’. Sessions will be held from 3.30pm to 4.50pm on Tuesday afternoons. Please ensure your child is picked up at 4:50pm. Could parents please notify Mrs Prentice before taking their child home. Students are also reminded to please bring some food for an afternoon snack, runners and a water bottle.

If the weather is inclement, sessions will be held in the undercover area and both girls and boys are encouraged to attend these fun activities. Mrs Prentice will be the Coordinator for the Sporting Schools programme.

Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program (SAKG)

From the Kitchen.....

On Wednesday 18 May, SAKG are catering for the Lions Club French night. Thank you to those who have offered to assist with this event, however we still require more people to help on Wednesday 18 May at 10.00am at the Community Centre, to set up the hall with Lisa McIntyre. We also need more wait staff from 6:00pm on the night (wearing black pants, black shoes and white shirt). If you are able to assist, please text me on 0427 823 308 or email ockcatering@bigpond.com. Tickets are still available if anyone wishes to book a table.
The kitchen requires a volunteer on Thursday 2 June. If you are able to assist, please contact me.

Clare Kennedy, SAKG Kitchen Specialist

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Wanted: EGGS for SAKG kitchen.
If you have any spare eggs, please drop them into the kitchen fridge with the date written on the eggs (if possible).

From the Garden...

Please remember to send warm coats, a hat and boots with your children on Thursdays, as even if it’s not raining, it can get very cold out there! Students are to bring them to school and change into prior to gardening.

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| 12.30pm – 1.30pm     |
| Grade 3              |
| Trish Symes, Priscilla Jury, Iven Field, Deb Fenwick, Rifka McClure, Carol Burger, Sarah Crawford, Paul Callander |

| 2.20pm – 3.20pm      |
| Grade 5/6            |
| Trish Symes, Iven Field, Helen Hanson, Rifka McClure, Herman Jansen, Paul Callander, Brian Mathews |

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| Grade 4              |
| Trish Symes, Heather Cash, Iven Field, Jane Calvert, Bev Hampton, Rifka McClure, Herman Jansen, Anna Topia, Annette Huf, Brian Mathews |

Lisa McIntyre, SAKG Garden Specialist

SOCIAL SERVICE STALL

Thank you to all the families who donated wonderful items for our mother’s day Social Service Stall last Friday. The students had a huge array to choose from which was fantastic. A big thank you to the parents and Year 6’s who helped set up and serve on the stall and to Corinne Smith for giving up her time to come and run the ever popular raffle. A total of $337.60 was raised from the stall and the raffle raised $148.00 – a grand total of $485.60. All donations were very much appreciated. The winners of the raffle were as follows:

1st Ceramic Cooker Brodie Reynolds

2nd Chocolates Zander Mibus
3rd Soap & hand Towel Archer Etherton
4th Soap & hand Towel Louis Lazare
5th Oven Gloves Chloe Frost
6th LED lights Will Kent
7th Candles Mitchell Gordon
8th Painting Canvas Pippa Williamson
9th Buckets of soap/washer Ava Balkin
10th Buckets of soap/washer Emily McNaughton
11th Flower Pots Connor Gordon
12th Hand Towel Monet Graham
13th Two Prints Brooke Hill
14th Picture Frame Olive Jackson
15th Plaque Charlie Linke
16th Bath Pillow Addison Linskens
17th Mason Jar Maxi Graham
18th Chocolates Josh Gordon
19th Bag of Goodies Jack Reynolds
20th Bag of Goodies Ben Peace
21st Bag of Goodies Jasmine Crawford
22nd Bag of Goodies Xander Prentice
23rd Coffee Mug Anna Rennie
24th Body Butter Ella Jackson
25th Body scrub and bath salts Anna Schurmarn
26 Soap and scoop Phoebe Ross

Our next Social Services event will be the Father’s Day stall in early September.

Thanks again.
Naomie Phillips

Prep Students Charlie Linke and Charlotte Alderman purchasing gifts for their mums at the Social Services Stall.

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Our school is participating in the Heart Foundation Jump Rope for Heart program and we would love your support! The Jump Off day is to be held on May 25, 2016. Heart Foundation Jump Rope for Heart is an exciting non-competitive program which encourages children to become more active through skipping, learning new skills and raising vital funds for heart research and community health programs. Sponsorship is easy – simply go online to register your child today. http://jumprope.everydayhero.do/jumprope2016/?group=Dunkeld-Consolidated-School-DUNKELD-VIC-117790

Found
School Rugby Jumper - unnamed. Found after the SGSSA Athletic Sports at Pedrina Park. Please see the Office Staff if you are missing a jumper.

School Rugby Jumper – Sz 12 (has the name of a past student on tag). Please see the Office Staff.

Lost
Southern Grampians Endurance Challenge

SERRA Terror 2016 is approaching fast. The increasing popularity of the Serra Terror endurance event, run over the long weekend in June each year, and now in its seventh year, has meant the number of participating teams has had to be capped at 50 teams.

In 2016 the event has been fully booked out and registrations for new teams closed in early February, well ahead of the anticipated cut off time at the end of April.

Many participants took advantage of the Early Bird Discount that closed at the end of 2015. Since then there has been a steady flow of registrations, with teams keen to secure their place in this year’s event.

Registration Officer, Debbie Millard, has been a Serra Terror team member since its inception in 2009.

"Initially we’d never walked 80 kilometres in one go, so we saw Serra Terror as a real challenge.

Since then we’ve kept entering because we enjoy being in the Grampians and love to support this local event.

The Relay team is an excellent option for those wanting to be involved but not always able to complete the entire course distance.

Every year the Course Co-ordinator, Doug Craig, puts up a spectacular new track that we look forward to, often in parts of the Grampians we’ve not walked before. There are secret little tracks and points of interest. Each year we learn something new,” she said.

“We also love the training sessions, Sunday walks with friends, not always our team members. These walks often include Serra Terror ‘first timers’, people wanting to know how it all works, what to wear, what to eat, needs for the support crew.

Our big tips are to change your socks at every check-point and keep eating!” she said with a laugh.

This year’s event will commence with a welcome briefing and light dinner on Friday evening and will conclude amidst much fanfare at a well-deserved sit-down celebratory dinner at the Dunkeld Community Centre on Sunday evening.

For Debbie Millard Serra Terror is a wonderful community event. It’s a well-run, successful event with check point barbeques and picnics, kids running around and lots of supporters creating a wonderful community feeling.

"We wouldn’t miss it!” Debbie added.

As in previous years, the catering for the Serra Terror is provided by the Dunkeld Consolidated School, the Dunkeld Kindergarten and the Glenthompson-Dunkeld Netball and Football Club. In 2015 over $12,000 were paid to these groups.

The Serra Terror event is providing financial benefit to a number of Dunkeld community groups. In the longer term, it is hoped that with the financial support of the Serra Terror, the centre will be able to employ a co-ordinator.

The Serra Terror event has been a critical source of ongoing funding for the Dunkeld Community Centre.
## DONATIONS

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We rely on donations to the Community Newsletter to offset all expenses relating to producing it. Please send in your donation to the Dunkeld Consolidated School office where it will be receipted and an acknowledgement made via the Newsletter. A receipt will be provided. Please make cheques payable to the “Dunkeld Consolidated School.”

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### DUNKELD CHURCH TIMES

**Saint Patrick’s Catholic Church**
Parish Priest - Father Pat Mugavin - 5571 1161  
E-mail: [hamilton@ballarat.catholic.org.au](mailto:hamilton@ballarat.catholic.org.au)

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Invitation to the community to attend a Social Evening on Sunday 22 May in the meeting room commencing at 6.00pm, which will include an update and videos of Saint Patrick’s Church restoration and surrounds. Light refreshments will be provided. For further information please contact Mrs Helen Lyon on 5577 2375 or Mrs Carol Morgan on 5577 2367.

**Anglican Church & Uniting Church**

**Services at Saint Mary’s, Dunkeld**

Shared worship at **9.00am each Sunday** - except when there is a 5th Sunday in the month - when there are district services in Hamilton.

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<td>Hamilton, 9.30am Uniting Church, 10.30am Anglican Church</td>
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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**

Next Service to be advised.  
Contacts: Kristy Beveridge 5574 0274; Margo Dark 5574 0222 or Iris Field 5574 0202.

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**Something Magical Begins**

**OPEN:** Mon - Thurs 9am - 5pm - Other times by appointment

Margie Dore 55772322  
7314 Glenelg Highway Dunkeld 3294

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**STRIP CLUB**

3rd Fri of Month
7pm
FROM THE LIONS DEN
Remember while you are reading this, somewhere in the world someone is being helped by Lions International.

Sausages
At the last ANZAC Day service we cooked sausages for approximately 200 people and were congratulated on the job that we did (thank you to those who left a donation), but that pales into insignificance when you compare Burleigh Heads Lions cooking 10,000 sausages for a Schoolies event on a Tuesday (supposed to be a quiet night) evening in 2012. The money raised went to various Lions’ projects.

Desiderata
“The universe is unfolding as it should.”
After I left Hobart (you might remember me mentioning that I attended a conference for the Lions Crime watch portfolio in Hobart), I had booked into a B & B in a town roughly in the centre of Tasmania. I got there early and checked it out, it was small but clean and the people although a bit different seemed nice, but were a bit on edge. The fun started at about 10.00pm when the neighbours put their dog out for the night and it started barking and kept barking. At about midnight I got up to have a coffee and my hosts also got up. The wife was fuming; she stalked out through the back door and didn’t come back for about ten minutes. When she did come in I noticed that the barking was now coming from OUR back yard. She slammed the door and the husband asked her what she had done. She said, “I put the dog in our yard and now we will see how they like that.”

The husband said, “Yes dear that will show them,” and started to make his wife a cup of tea.

I looked at them and thought, ‘they could make a movie about you two and call it Dumb and Dumber.’ Luckily I had my bag of essentials with me and started to do what any country kid would do. I pulled out some nice dry biscuits, Bree cheese, nice, hot salami and some olives. Then I pulled out a CAZNA 2012 Shiraz, opened it up and started pouring it. The woman was intently looking at me and said, “We don’t encourage the consumption of alcohol in our home.”

I said, “That’s all right lady, I don’t need any encouragement.” Peter Hinchey

DUNKELD MUSEUM UPDATE
Committee Meeting: Our next monthly Committee Meeting will be held on Monday 20 June commencing at 7.30pm at the Dunkeld Museum.

Membership: A reminder that annual membership of $10.00 is now due.

Antique Valuation Day on 4 June: Have you always wondered what the antiques and old wares you have at home are worth? Here’s your chance to find out, with an Antiques Roadshow - Dunkeld style. The Antique Valuation Day is a fundraiser organised by the Dunkeld Museum.

Gather up your goods and bring them to the Dunkeld Museum on Saturday 4 June when antiques expert, Mr Warren Joel, will be providing a valuation service from 10.00am to 4.00pm. A maximum of four items may be appraised per person - $10.00 for the first item (which also includes morning or afternoon tea) and $5.00 per item after the first item i.e. $25.00 for four items. If you wish to have more than four items appraised a second appointment needs to be made as per the same pricing.

Coming from three generations of auctioneers, beginning in 1919 with his grandfather Leonard Joel, Warren brings a wealth of knowledge and expertise in the valuation of all aspects of antiques and fine arts.

The Museum encourages you to reserve your spot for a valuation so that you don’t miss this rare opportunity.

Please contact Mrs Wendy Williams on 5577 2386 or email: wwilliams00@bigpond.com to make an appointment. Please mark this date on your calendar!

Christmas in July:
This year the Dunkeld Museum will be holding their annual Christmas meal, with guest speaker, on Sunday 3 July in the form of a Christmas lunch. A delicious two course traditional Christmas lunch, will be provided at the Burnbrae Homestead, Penshurst commencing at 12.00 noon. Mrs Liz Byron will be our guest speaker and will also provide a tour of their historic homestead. $25.00 per person.

For catering purposes, could you please contact Mrs Wendy Williams on 5577 2386 or Terrie Nicholson on 5573 3353 by Friday 24 June if you would like to attend our ‘Christmas in July’ lunch.

Former School Teacher: Ms Nonie Sadler, former teacher at the Dunkeld Consolidated School, visited Dunkeld recently en route to Mount Gambier’s iconic Generations in Jazz Festival. Nonie was a teacher at the school from approximately September 1958 to December 1960 and fondly remembers her time in Dunkeld. Mr David Gordon was one of her students.

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:
Sunday 22 May Helena Flinn, Trevor Flinn, David Gordon
Sunday 29 May Brian Hermann, Julie Hermann, Jeff Nagorcka

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.
Café and Tea Garden

NEW OPENING HOURS
Mon-Sun 9:00am- 4:30pm

We open for Breakfast, Lunch, morning and afternoon teas daily. Bookings are essential for weekends as we have limited seats inside.

New to the menu is the Moroccan Pork Quesadilla (toasted spicy wrap).

We have our homemade soups that are served with a crusty sourdough and you can always enjoy our pies and pasties.

Thank you from the team at Dunkeld Delights,
Please call Shantelle on 0400 744 612 to book a table

Please note that due to family commitments we will be CLOSED on Thursday 19th May.

MOORALLA GOLF CLUB HELD THEIR ANNUAL TOURNAMENT
The Mooralla Golf Club held their annual tournament on May 6-7 at their picturesque course surrounded by the Grampians. It was a successful 2 day tournament with many people from surrounding clubs venturing to Mooralla to be a part of their event. Dunkeld & District Community Bank® Branch were approached and asked to help with funding of the trophies and score cards. We did not hesitate, donating $500 to the club.

DOES YOUR CLUB/EVENT REQUIRE AN EFTPOS MACHINE FOR AN UP COMING FUNCTION?
Here at Dunkeld & District Community Bank® Branch we can provide an EFTPOS machine to be used at your event. This machine is available to clubs/associations that bank with us and require a cashless option for taking payments/donations at your event. Come into the branch and speak to the girls to find out more information or to book the machine for your upcoming event.

MININERA AND DISTRICT FOOTBALL LEAGUE OFF TO A SOLID START
The Mininera and District Football League season has started off strong. It is shaping up to be a very competitive season with some of the final margins of the football being close. We wish all who are involved in the approaching interleague the best of luck. Dunkeld & District Community Bank® Branch are proud to be joint sponsors of this resilient league with Willaura/Lake Bolac Community Bank® Branch.
DUNKELD PUBLIC LANDS COMMITTEE
Caravan Park  Mavis has been ill and in hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery. The park has been quiet lately. Our next rush will be over the long weekend in June. We have a small problem over that weekend. There has been a double booking for a Serra Terror participant. If anyone has a caravan we could hire for the weekend it might save us from embarrassment. Call Gary or myself if you can help.

Memorial Park  We have been informed that the Shire no longer requires the old Infant Welfare Centre building. This needs careful thought. It could be demolished, but we cannot afford the cost. Who owns the building? Even though the Shire of Mount Rouse built it, ownership probably reverts to the Government. Complicating the situation, the electricity for the barbecue and some lights are connected through the building. More about this soon.

Sawmill  We are in the log gathering stage. Some cypress has been sourced from Hamilton. We only need to get it here. A good red gum log is needed so we can cut slabs to help our funds.  John Smith, President

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 SubBranch. Application forms are available from the Secretary/Treasurer, Terrie Nicholson on 5573 3353.

Air Force Band – “1812 Overture” – Celebrating the Musical Might of Australia’s Military: The musical might of Australia’s military will be on display as Melbourne’s very own Air Force Band touches down at the Melbourne Town Hall on Sunday 29 May to perform an array of your all-time favourites. Concluding this magnificent program is Tchaikovsky’s epic ‘1812 Overture’, which will feature pyrotechnic cannons and the Town Hall’s amazing organ during the finale. SQNLDR Mathew Shelley conductor.

Program includes: Copland - Fanfare for the Common Man, Rossini - Overture to La Gazza Ladra, Fučík - Florentiner March, Shostakovich - Waltz No. 2 from Jazz Suite, Holst - Jupiter from The Planets, Mascagni - Intermezzo from Cavalleria Rusticana, Tchaikovsky - 1812 Overture, Strauss - Radetzky March

Entry: FREE – no bookings required When: 2.00pm on Sunday 29 May 2016 Where: Melbourne Town Hall For more information please contact Air Force Band on 9256 2727 or e-mail: airforce.band@defence.gov.au

Bomber Command Commemorative Day Service: Veterans, friends, family and interested members of the public are invited to attend the fifth annual Bomber Command Commemorative Day Service in Melbourne on Sunday 5 June 2016, starting at 12:00 noon.

Location: Auditorium, Ground Floor, Shrine of Remembrance.

Guest Speaker: Air Commodore Geoffrey Harland – Commander, Air Force Training Group.

Light refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Formation flyovers of the Shrine by aircraft of the RAAF Museum Historic Trainers Flight and the Royal Victorian Aero Club will take place during afternoon tea.

An opportunity to lay a wreath in memory of all who served in Bomber Command will occur during the ceremony. If you intend to participate in this part of the service, please RSVP to BCCAV Secretary Mike Leicester on 0419 818 178 or email: bombercommand.vic@tpg.com.au

Wonga Park and her Diggers in World War 1 – from Orchards to Trenches: The settlers of the tiny community of Wonga Park worked with pick and shovel in their day-to-day work. When they enlisted as soldiers little did they know that their shovels would become as important as their rifles… In this, the first publication of its type for Wonga Park alone, forty-three soldiers are documented with their backgrounds, war experiences and their later lives. This book will be of interest to those exploring war history, to family historians, and those who want to know about the community of Wonga Park and its immediate surrounds, in the early years of the 20th century. Order now from Robyn Smith, PO Box 386, Mount Evelyn 3796 - $45.00 per copy plus $2.00 postage.

Dunkeld Catholic Women’s League invites the community to a Social Evening including an update and videos of Restoration of the church and surrounds at Saint Patrick’s

Sunday 22 May
Saint Patrick’s Meeting Room
Commencing at 6.00pm
Light Refreshments
Drawing of Raffle
Donation: $5.00
Inquiries – Helen Lyon 5577 2375 or Carol Morgan 5577 2367

DUNKELD PROGRESS ASSOCIATION
The Progress Association meeting scheduled for Monday 23 May 2016 has been cancelled.

The next meeting will be held on MONDAY 27 JUNE 2016 at 8.00pm at the Dunkeld Community Centre. All are welcome.
Local Census jobs available now

Make a difference in your community and join Australia’s largest logistical peacetime operation – the 2016 Census of Population and Housing.

Census night is 9 August, and the Australian Bureau of Statistics is right now looking for dedicated, enthusiastic self-starters to fill up to 6,900 Field Officer positions across Victoria. If you’re community minded and comfortable using a mobile or tablet device, the ABS wants to hear from you.

Field Officers play a critical role by visiting households and ensuring everyone makes the Census count. They’ll also earn around $21 an hour and enjoy flexible, part-time work hours for up to 3 months. To do the job you’ll need to be a good communicator, reasonably fit, licensed to drive and able to travel and work independently. To apply or find more information, visit www.abs.gov.au/careers

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**Community Noticeboard**

**Grampians Piecemakers Quilting Group**

**Next Meeting**
- **June 9th** Shirley Lovell, 256 Kent Road Hamilton - 5571 1726.

The contact person for any queries is Jennifer McIntyre at Karabeal and her phone number is 5574 9266.

**Serra Terror**
The Serra Terror Committee is seeking volunteers to assist caterers with waiter/kitchen duties at the finale dinner on Sunday 12 June. If you are interested in volunteering or require more details please call Georgie Mann on 0408 795 743 or email info@dunkeldadventure.com.au

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**Bird baths large and small & various plants in terracotta & ceramic pots & cane baskets many sizes & vases & books & miscellaneous kitchenware & plastic tubs & Tools & large steel plant guards etc.**

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**Salt Creek** by Marion Colton

It is a bright, unseasonably warm, Saturday morning in Dunkeld and I am wandering along Salt Creek, soaking up its natural beauty and tranquility. This area is so full of vitality at different times of the day.

I walk slowly, silently, trying to be observant. Sunlight and shade play ‘hide and seek’ on the plants and the earth. I glimpse movement...camouflaged by shade and earth’s colours, a family of tiny birds fossicks among the leaf litter under the casuarina trees. My eyes cannot discern their colouring; only their silhouettes as they peck at the ground, hop to something tasty or rapidly fly up into the dark green, pendulous foliage above. So rapid is their flight and so dainty.

They move along the creek slowly in synchronicity with each other. Now one tiny bird leaps up from the earth to feed on the seeds of a bleached grass head. Another settles momentarily on a Common Reed, Phragmites australis, and in the sunlight I glimpse its red rump and red bill, showing me that it is a red-browed finch, sometimes called a red-rumped finch.

Their movements are so delightful, full of the lightness of living as they move along the creek, sometimes flitting to the far bank and aligning on clumps of native grasses; now speeding onto an Acacia mearnsii and perusing its leaves and branches; and zoom! over to the melaleuca’s on the near side of the creek. So fast and so focussed are they on their task of feeding; so aware of what is around them; moving with absolute precision and certainty; so in time with one another, yet faring for themselves.

Sunlight touches them with gold; shade covers them with darkness and every so often a red rump or red beak flashes past. What a delightful gift to have on our doorstep and what a variety of food sources they need!

**My Vote**

Which election issues matter to you? Are the politicians addressing the issues you want them to? At the My Vote project you can share your thoughts about a federal matter that matters to you. Upload a photo of yourself and a written explanation here: https://open.abc.net.au/explore?projectId=144&sortBy=publishedDate&isFeatured=0

Or you can upload via Twitter or Instagram using the hashtag #abcmyvote.

Make sure to tell us your location and or electorate. Any questions? Contact Emily Bisland, ABC Local Radio, South West Victoria: bisland.emily@abc.net.au

**WheelFun**
The WheelFun committee is seeking some community members to join the organising committee. For those unaware, WheelFun is the cycling event run on the Sunday of the Three Peaks Festival. We are planning a **committee meeting for the 26th May** and very much need some keen people to help out. Unfortunately if we don't get some fresh faces we may need to re-evaluate how often we run the event. Please contact James Haley on 0428376941 if you can assist.

**Piccaninny Track Closed**
The Piccaninny Walking Track in the south section of Grampians National Park will be closed until late June 2016 for works to improve the surface and structure of the walking track with drainage, new gravel and stone works.
**Antique Valuation Day**  
Valuations by Warren Joel  

**Saturday 4 June 2016**  
Dunkeld Museum  
10.00am – 4.00pm

If you enjoy watching Antique Roadshow, then you will love our Antique Valuation Day! Much sought after antique valuation expert, Mr Warren Joel, will conduct valuations at the Dunkeld Museum.

**BOOKINGS**
A maximum of four items may be appraised per person - $10.00 for the first item (includes entry to the Museum and refreshments) and $5.00 per item after the first item i.e. $25.00 for four items. If you wish to have more than four items appraised a second appointment needs to be made as per the same pricing.  
To make a booking please contact Mrs Wendy Williams on 5577 2366 or email: wwilliams00@bigpond.com

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**Group Fitness**

Group Fitness sessions are on during the School Terms on Monday and Wednesday mornings. Classes are small and cater to all ages and levels of fitness. For more information please contact Erin Parker at I Will Be 0458 975 719 or iwillbe.lovethelifeyoulive@gmail.com

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GRAMPIONS DUNKELD GOLF CLUB

Five players braved the strong winds and sweeping showers to complete the course on Tuesday the third of May.

Ladies results for 3 May:
Winner of Monthly Medal on count-back from Iris Dark was Martina Whelan with a 75 nett. Martina is in fine form at the moment having won the Nett section of a Golf Victoria two day stroke event at Port Fairy and Warnambool recently. Nearest the pin on 16th was Jenny Bade, back in town from retirement Mecca near Geelong.

After refreshments members were instructed in use of a Defibrillator - a most amazing machine to help in recovery of heart failure.

Both pennant teams had a loss on Monday 2 May, at the delightful Heywood golf course, so currently sit on one win and one loss each for the season so far.

The next foray into Pennant history takes place at Portland on Monday 9 May where enjoyment of playing on grassy fairways will outweigh any lost matches.

DUNKELD RED CROSS

Members were unable to attend the Zone Meeting in Heywood last week but sent a report. The GOLF DAY will be on Tuesday 7 June and details will be discussed at the next meeting on Thursday 26 May, at 2.00pm in the Henry Leech RSL Room, following the BIGGEST MORNING TEA at the Visitor Centre from 10.00am to 1.00pm. Raffle tickets will be available for purchase beforehand.

Worldwide, there are 192 Red Cross associations, doing an amazing variety of tasks to help people, from finding lost relatives, providing breakfasts for undernourished school children, catering for victims of natural disasters, to attending injured civilians in war zones. Every little contribution helps and is appreciated ......

Contacts: Jenny 0408 139 552; Iris 5574 0202; Bek 0476 364 76

GARDEN NOTES - MAY

Main vegetable plantings during May are cabbage, broccoli and cauliflower also onions, peas and turnips.

Lime, Mandarin, Tangelo and Cumquat are the best orange varieties. Grapefruit, Lime, Mandarin, Tangelo and Cumquat will also grow well in this area.

When about half of the leaves have fallen from your peach, apricot and nectarine trees, it is advisable to give them a spray of copper fungicide. This helps to control various fungus diseases during the flowering season.

Early winter is the best time to apply garden lime or dolomite to lawns and empty vegetable beds. This has many benefits including the breaking up of any surface soil “crusts” which may have formed during the hot, dry summer.

Many lawn fertilisers will drop the soil pH into the range below that preferred by lawn grasses. Lime will restore the balance, also it increases earthworm activity and helps to prevent moss growth. Moss in lawns usually only flourishes in badly drained or shady areas and can remain a pest until these conditions are overcome.

Happy Gardening, Stephen Hughan

Latest Notes on a Sculpture

We are still working on the funding for Michael Sheilis’ ‘Fools Vessel’ sculpture down by Salt Creek. Annette Huf and I have put in a submission to the Shire for a small grant as we need about another $1500 to get over the line. We are still just accepting pledges, rather than calling in the money, at this stage.

Please email me if you would like to make a pledge to help us secure the work for Dunkeld.

Thanks to everyone for your support, Roz Greenwood rozgreenwood@bigpond.com

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If you would like to use this service, contact the HACC Office on 5551 8480 for details.

Pick up is from your home - seats available.

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.
Crafternoon and Creativity Block Busting – 29 May
On Sunday 29 May, Off the Rails, Dunkeld will be hosting not only Hamilton based painter Jasmine Mansbridge but also local crafter Stacey Barnes.

Both artists will be offering workshops to local creative types...CRAFTERNOON, with Stacey Barnes: Sunday 29 May!

We'll be painting pretty plant pots in Dunkeld's cutest converted train station; Off the Rails Dunkeld.
Come along for a couple of hours of relaxed creativity, delicious treats, a fabulous tea selection, good tunes and stellar company! $30, 2pm-4ish, more details on the blog: http://www.mycrafternoons.com/…

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Hamilton Youth Freeza Committee
First Meeting: Meet and Greet
Wednesday 25th May at 4:30pm
Blue Malt Café
Come along to Blue Malt on Wednesday 25th May at 4:30pm for a casual meet and greet for the Freeza Committee’s first meeting! If you haven’t signed up yet, it’s never too late! Just come to the first meeting and we’ll get you started.

Feel free to bring a friend!

Snacks provided

RSVP: Nellie- 0429 485 315