

BEVERLEY BLARNEY

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SHIRE OF BEVERLEY PRESIDENT'S REPORT



ANNUAL ELECTORS' MEETING - 12 DECEMBER 2023

Good morning Ladies and Gentlemen and welcome to the Electors' meeting for 2023. As we take time to reflect on the year passed and look forward to projects planned for next year and beyond.

Recent Elections

With recent elections, I would like to take the opportunity to congratulate Mr. Chris Lawlor on his re-election and Mrs. Dee Ridgway and Mr. Darryl Brown on their elections. Although one might well say of the latter two, on their 're-elections'.

It is important to also note and thank the outgoing Councillors Mr. Peter Gogol, Mr. Tim Seed, and Mr. Matt Norman for their service to the Shire and community during their tenure. Peter Gogol served for 16 years, Tim Seed for 6 years and Matt Norman just under two years.

On behalf of the community; Thank You.

Vincent Street

The Defects Liability Period for Vincent Street ended on 10th October this year and Management have been working with GHD and MG Group to identify issues that require attention. Among these is the failure of some bituminised areas along the street where water has caused the surface to move and crack.

Arrangements are now in place to rectify these areas in January 2024 when the street will be at its quietest. Those areas requiring repair will be closed off to traffic while repairs are effected. This will necessitate the removal of the bitumen and cement stabilisation before the replacement of the hotmix. This will be an inconvenience for the period of the repairs and we ask your patience while this is being carried out.

During the week of the Planning Institute of Australia Awards held recently, Beverley nominated the Vincent Street project for two categories being "Great Place" and "Best Regional Project". In both categories Beverley was awarded High Commendation for the project and it was additionally pleasing when some attendees offered their personal congratulations to Beverley.

Roads and Bridges

In last year's report I informed the meeting that a greater focus on roads and bridges would be a priority for 2023. The bridges in the Shire were suitable once for small loads but now must meet the needs of Road Trains and heavier farm machinery. Completed in the first half of the previous century, most bridges have also deteriorated with time and while annual maintenance has always been carried out, it cannot stop the natural deterioration.

During the year, funding has been secured through Main Roads to begin the upgrading and renewal process. The Bridge on Bremner Road is due to renewal in 2024 and funding has been acquired for the bridge on the York Williams road number 3197, the one near George Smith's property.

All this was not helped when we had the short but severe thunderstorm in March of this year. The damage to roads and culverts was considerable. At an estimated cost of around \$3 million, it was beyond the Shire's financial ability to deal. An application to DFES to have our area declared a disaster area to enable an application for emergency funding was lodged in April was approved at the end of May. Ongoing dealings with DFES in this matter would be greatly assisted if Main Roads were involved in the assessment process.

An engineering Firm, HC Constructions, has finalised a full report on the damage and we can now apply for the necessary funding to make the repairs. From this work HC Constructions have identified about 500 sites throughout the Shire.

An invitation was also made to the Minister for Roads Rita Saffiotti to visit Beverley to familiarise herself with the considerable damage facing us. Further invitations have subsequently been made without any result.

This year a decision was also made to employ contractors to undertake work on certain road construction to allow the outside crew to concentrate on maintenance and sheeting. The firm of Earthstyle Contracting has been engaged and they have completed their first contract on the Mawson Road. Work on the Waterhatch Road and Morbinning Road will follow in the new year.

Swimming Pool

A complete design and plan for the redevelopment of the swimming pool area was completed some years ago and the project stands shovel ready. As I pointed out last year, the cost of the project has

increased by about 90% reaching a point that it is now beyond our means to complete in one stage.

It was therefore decided to break it into stages with Stage 1 being the renewal of the Plant room, plumbing, installation of a wet deck, new diving blocks and some landscaping. Tenders will be called for this first stage to provide an idea of the cost. An application for Grant funding and the raising of a new loan of up to \$1 million is planned to enable this Stage to be carried out. Naturally, the price of Tenders will determine whether we will be able to go through with it.

Nurses' Quarters

Discussions with Landgate over the acquisition of the Nurses' Quarters has been ongoing for some time. An initial proposal from Landgate was that the Shire purchase the site for \$100,000. Such a purchase price was never envisioned in preliminary discussions so it came as quite a surprise.

Further proposals were considered until the Shire and Landgate were able to come to an agreement that the Shire would apply for a Management Order over the land and building. We are still awaiting the finalisation of this application and until it is received, we can do nothing to progress this project. At this stage the Shire has not settled on any definite plan for the building although many suggestions have come from the community.

Accommodation for Health Workers

Last year the Shire was visited by two people from the Health Department to discuss the possibility of the Shire building accommodation for Nurses and other Health workers in Beverley which would be leased by the Health Department. This accommodation would be available for regional use with surrounding towns being able to utilise it. While the Shire was encouraged to consider this proposal, no further contact has been received from the Health Department.

Old School Building

Plans to convert this building into a formal Civic Centre also accommodating Council Chambers, are now well in hand and the work should be commenced this year. This will help relieve some pressure in the current Shire offices where space is at a premium. Moving the library into the Cornerstone Building was a first step to ensure that we don't have to face the construction of a new Administration Building.

HC Constructions is the firm who have been engaged to manage this project.

For the monthly markets, it is envisaged at this point, that they might be accommodated in the Town Hall. A final decision will be made after further consultation with the organisers.

Beverley 2035

Finally, we come to a potential project that has very recently been identified but has yet to go to full Council for discussion and approval. A federal government funding scheme known as Regional Precincts and Partnership Program is open for application for projects that are based on partnerships covering a relevant area identified as a Precinct.

Divided into to Stages, with Stage one being funding just for planning and Stage two, being applications for funding for the actual work.

At this stage I am unable say more as we are very much in the initial stage of considering what this all means and how we might participate to enable Bevereley to achieve the projects of which we are currently aware.

Among these projects we can include the swimming pool, the Hunt Road Village expansion, extension of the deep sewerage, a new Child Day-Care Centre, assistance to expand HACC services for the elderly, the Nurses' Quarters, Avondale, extension to the Recreation Centre and others yet to be fixed.

It is very early days and determination from Council is required before an approach can be adopted to enable Council to proceed. Mark Casserly has been tentatively engaged to assist the Council with this project and all of this will be discussed at next week's Council meeting.

Unfortunately, this programme has a very tight timetable and there is a lot to be considered. It opened in August 2023 and closes in late 2026. It is also limited in its funding. The total fund is only \$400 million for the whole of Australia. \$80 million for Stage one and \$320 million for Stage two.

Outlook

As we step into 2024, we do so with optimism necessary to plan to achieve for Beverley, all the projects that we would like to improve the facilities and amenity of Beverley to make it a prime place to live and visit.

Conclusion

In conclusion, I would like to acknowledge and thank:

- The Councillors who have put in a significant effort and given me great support;
- All the staff, both inside and out, for their efforts; ☆
- To the senior staff and Stephen Gollan who provides exemplary leadership and who is always willing ☆ to meet with community members; and.
- To all the community organisations of every nature and the volunteers, for your efforts to make a ☆ difference to life in Beverley.

Finally. On behalf of Council, may I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and may 2024 be all you hope for and that brings peace and prosperity.

Cr David White

Shire President



Does your incorporated organisation have a local project that needs some extra financial help?

Application packages will be available from the Shire office from 1st January 2024 and submissions close 31st January 2024. Late applications will not be accepted.

Please contact the Shire Office to discuss the eligibility of your project/application before applying.

Further information about eligibility and application criteria is available in the application package.

matching funds from applicant

Projects must seek to further the development of one of the following:

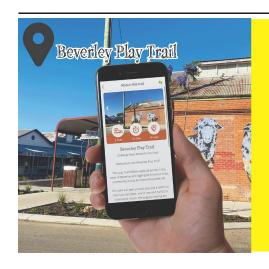
- early years (0 to 4 years);
- environment;
- history and or heritage;
- seniors;
- tourism;
- volunteer upskilling;
- youth (5 to 18 years).
- Sport & Recreation

MAJOR COMMUNITY GRANTS

Funding between \$1,001 & \$5,000 50% of the total project cost in matching funds from applicant

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT....

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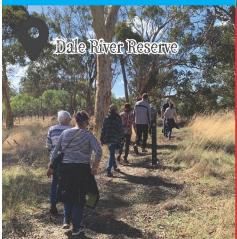




BEVERLEY TRAILS....









For more information on these trails and others in the Shire go to the beverleywa.com website.

www.beverleywa.com/trails



KEEP US UP-TO-DATE UP-TH YOUR EVENTS

We need all clubs / groups / businesses to help keep the Beverley calendars full and up-to-date for locals and visitors to town!

Email dates to:

tourism@beverley.wa.gov.au and blarney@beverley.wa.gov.au



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Come 'n' Try Diving

Date: 11 February 2024

Time: 12pm to 2pm Age group: 7 to 99

Registration: Shire of Beverley,

Ph: 9646 1200 or

admin@beverley.wa.gov.au

FREE!!

Bookings Essential by 04/02/24



Beverley Swimming Pool 136 Vincent St, Beverley









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FIRE CONTROL

HARVEST BANS & FIRE CONTROL

IN CASE OF A FIRE EMERGENCY, DIAL 000

For information regarding fire emergencies, information is available at www.emergency.wa.gov.au

PROHIBITED BURNING 2023

The Shire of Beverley PROHIBITED BURNING will begin on the **1st of November 2023**. During this period NO burning is permitted. Blade slashing and mowing of dry vegetation is also prohibited. Please remain vigilant against the threat of bushfire over the Summer.

Fire Control Officers			
Chief Fire Control Officer	Bill Cleland	9647 2054	0428 472 054
Deputy Chief Fire Control Officer	Deane Aynsley	9646 6246	0428 466 246
Brigades			
Central	Travis Boyle		0438 815 066
North East	Adam Smith		0429 182 231
South East	Brett Shaw		0427 481 028
Avondale	Andrew Shaw	9648 1022	0428 481 022
Avondale	Justin Mann		0448 979 234
Dale-Kokeby	Jack Barrett-Lennard		0412 310 340
Dale-Kokeby	Rob Fisher		0427 472 045
Dale West	Paul Schilling	9647 1008	0427 158 908

Harvest Bans And Extreme Fire Danger Warnings

No burning whatsoever is permitted on days of HIGH or above FIRE DANGER or where WINDS EXCEED 20 km/hr. Harvest bans and the prohibiting of vehicle movement in paddocks are broadcasted daily on RadioWest and ABC radio.

Dress Standard for Fighting Fires

The minimum standard of dress for ALL persons attending a fire is:

- LONG PANTS
- LONG SLEEVE SHIRT
- BOOTS

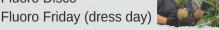
Any person not conforming to this standard and not meeting minimum training standards will be requested by the Fire Control Officer to leave the fire ground. If you choose to remain on the ground, it is at your own liability.





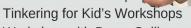
OUR 2023 EVENTS

Services Australia Van Fluoro Disco



Fatal Vision at Community Markets Morning Tea with Local Police

Breathwork Alcohol Ink Pots Lightyear Kids Movie Kokedama Workshop



Workshop with Dawn Collins Pop-up shop

Medium 2 days Eclipse with Brain

Harmony week with Angela at Storytime Canva Advanced Workshop Xero Workshop Beginners

HVPL Full

REOPENING 08 * C R C

HVPL Accreditation **Business Breakfast** Easter in Beverley Social Media Survey

Volunteer Morning Tea Dental Children's Week Workshop

Strange World Kids Movie

Dying to Know Wildflower Tours

Pour Art

STEM - Teleidoscopes Hidden Narrative Project Peter Pan and Wendy Kids Movie Canva Beginners Workshop

Val Morning Tea

Mable Information Session Incasa Information Session Wicking Bed Workshop Golden Groove Night

Bread Making Christmas Competition Elf on the Shelf at the Library Christmas with Angela at Storytime

Slumberland Kids Movie Story Time & Toy Library

Books on Wheels Junior Book club Bingo

Art and Craft Club Lego Club

Bulletin Newsletter





THANKYOU FOR YOUR SUPPOR

Thank you everyone over the year for your support. Without your support, we would not be able to successfully hold these events. We are now taking workshop suggestions, let us know via email, phone or by the QR code what you would like to see in 2024.



THANKYOU TO OUR VOLUNTEERS AT THE CRC

Thank you to our volunteers who help our community grow, to our 6 Visitor Centre volunteers that selflessly devote their time on weekends to open the Visitor Centre and big thank you. Visitor centre volunteers are always needed and welcomed, get in touch with us to find out how you can help. Our 24 community garden members, volunteer their time at the garden, keeping the area beautiful for all to enjoy. You are all valued & thank you. If you want to join the garden you can find garden membership forms on our website.

CHANGE OF BULLETIN DA



beverley bulletin

For 2024 the weekly bulletin newsletter will come out on a Wednesday afternoon. This means the cut-off for advertising will be Tuesday's at 4.00pm. Contact bulletin@beverleycrc.com.au to join the email list, questions or to submit your bulletin notice.

CHRISTMAS COOKING COMPETITION

Congratulations to H from Beverley Tyres for winning the \$200 Kitchen Warehouse gift card. The judges all agreed that H's entry of white rolls were the standout entry. We would like to thank those who entered this years competition as well as our judges for volunteering their time to judge the competition during this busy time of the year.











UPCOMING EVENTS



















LIBRARY NEWS

SECURING FUNDING FOR ADDITIONAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY

We are thrilled to announce that we have received the Encouraging Promising Practices Grant from the State Library of Western Australia. This will enable us to offer more learning opportunities in the local community.



STEAM WORKSHOPS SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS

Monthly workshops for kids aged 8 and over. We have planned out 12 months of fun, hands-on workshops and we are kicking off the year with a fun 2 hour volcano making & explosion session. Registrations are essential as lunch will be provided, \$5 per person. Contact Alyssa for more information.

CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP AND COMPETITION

This year we will be collaborating with Beverley District High School to hold 2 days of workshops for STEAM and creative writing, with children's author and science writer, Cristy Burne. The Beverley Library is also excited to announce that we will be holding a creative writing competition, with local judges, that will be announced in the coming months. Look out for more information on this exciting children's competition to come soon.

We would like to formally thank The State Library of Western Australia and the State Government for this funding opportunity. Thank you to the Shire of Beverley for their continued support of the Beverley CRC to provide programs & opportunities through the Beverley Library.

TOY LIBRARY NOW OPEN

The Toy Library is now accessible for members during the week, 9.00am to 4.30pm. Please get in touch with beverleytoylibrary@gmail.com for further inquiries or to join.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST KIDS CLUBS FOR 2024



LEGO CLUB

Tuesday or Thursday | \$2 a session



ART AND CRAFT CLUB

Monthly Mondays | \$5 a session



STEAM CLUB

Monthly Wednesdays | Free



JUNIOR BOOK CLUB

Monthly Wednesdays | Free













WE ARE HIRING

MARKETING TRAINEE



FULLTIME TRAINEESHIP

A unique traineeship opportunity is now open at the Beverley CRC. If you love social media and are interested in marketing then apply now.

Send your resume with a cover letter to:

Email: manager@beverleycrc.com.au

Post: PO Box 310, Beverley WA 6304

Applications close Friday 19 January 2024

For further information, please call 9646 1600



BEFORE YOU STEP INTO





Lunch &

Join us for a free lunch and session on the basics of using Square.

Covering portables, websites, reporting, and a hands-on demo.

Open to Businesses and Community Groups









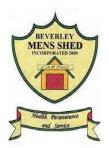


RSPV: 9646 1600 or hello@beverleycrc.com.au

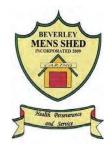








Beverley Men's Shed



146 Vincent Street Beverley Western Australia 6304

Sadly, our good friend and member Ray has passed away, on Tuesday November 28 we shared a minute's silence and viewed a slideshow of Ray and members of his family, RIP Ray, suffer no more.

Some of our more active members (The Lumberjacks) have again been out and about collecting and cutting up firewood ready for sale next year once matured, the proceeds from this activity go towards our overheads, (one of the more expensive being insurance) thus giving everyone a dedicated Men's Shed to meet up for a chat, or to carry out past skills in our workshop, social interaction is important for everyone's mental wellbeing.

There are three important dates coming up at the start of 2024, the Beverley Men's Shed Committee would like to advise all members of the Special Half Yearly Meeting to be held at 9am on Tuesday 20th February 2024.

Bob has been filling his draw up with raffle prize donations again and will be back at the Lions Kiosk the first Saturday in February, (see the Bulletin for all the sale days) so let's find that spare change and get behind our worthy cause being the Royal Flying Doctors Service and the Beverley Men's Shed (profits evenly split), 'be in it to win it'.

It is a fact of life that the clock never stops ticking and next year will be the 15th anniversary of the Beverley Men's Shed Incorporated on January 8, (but not the actual date the group started, look forward to the history lesson next issue) it has been decreed that due to the climate around that date the celebrations will take place on Saturday March 16, further information to be provided via your local media outlets.

And like most groups or organisations we held our end of year celebrations on December 2 at 'The Shed', a group of 35 attended and were treated to cold cuts of meat, salads, etc followed by sweets that will certainly require additional activity to bring the waistline back to 'normal'. Many thanks to all the members who assisted with establishing a self-serve restaurant area in what is usually a jumble of tables and chairs, to the ladies who provided the



kitchen afterwards cleaning up, so many willing helpers, you know who you are thank you. but special thanks to Johno



and Bob for their food preparation and cooking.

As you can see no one left without enjoying a good feed, in fact there was

enough food left over for lunch at the following Tuesday meeting.

If you would like to know more about the Beverley Men's Shed, or want to join us, feel free to ring our secretary Bob on 0429 441 253. Happy New Year.





BEVERLEY AG MACHINERY MUSEUM

With the warmer weather once again upon us, our Machinery Museum is closed until March, although special viewings by appointment can be arranged for anyone who is passing through the area. For those who may visit the Beverley Visitors Centre in town there is an

exhibit from the collection on display together with an electronic information board which has Museum information to view.

These 1920's Forge Bellows (also our exhibit for the month) were kindly donated by D Dunwell of Muntadgin and would have been used to increase airflow (oxygen) to promote extra heat within the fire (coal or wood) in the repair or manufacture of tools on the farm, usually used together with some of the tools pictured below, with work







carried out with a Hammer on an Anvil (alas we do not have an example in our collection) to flatten or shape the red hot steel, before fine shaping (or sharpening) on a stone wheel (hand driven), also often used to assist in the sharpening of plough points and making of Horseshoes. Blacksmithing is yet another dying art in our modern world.

This past year has seen an increase in regular volunteers assisting with the maintenance and restoration of the Shire of Beverley's Collection of Farming examples spanning almost 150 years of Agriculture in the Wheatbelt region, and with increased numbers of helpers come many new ideas to ensure the public has the best experience possible when visiting, and being a 'working Museum' often visitors will see Machinery in action (much to the delight of the younger viewers), so keep an eye on your local weekly Bulletin for dates when we are open in 2024.

So, when did you last visit, or were you a volunteer in the past? It is time to test your knowledge of the collection.

1. Whose little Tractor is this?



2. What was this Machine used for?



- 3. Did the volunteers have an exhibition stand at the Beverley Agricultural Show last August?
- 4. Where is the Shire of Beverley Agricultural Museum located?
- 5. Do the volunteers have a Workshop to use?
- 6. How much does it cost to view the collection?
- 7. What Number is this Machine called?



8. When was this Mower donated?



- 9. What make of Truck is in the picture above on the right?
- 10. What native animal attended our end of year Bar-be-Que?

All the answers will be published next month (sorry no prizes) and can be found in past Museum articles in the Beverley Blarney or by paying a visit when we reopen next year.

For more information (or for a private viewing) on one of the largest Agricultural Machinery collections in the State please call John on 9646 0768 or the Beverley Shire on 9646 1200.



Beverley District High School

Independent Public School

'Working in unity to empower individuals to achieve their unique potential'

BDHS sits on the lands of our Noongar people, and we acknowledge them as the traditional custodians of the Ballardong country.

End of Year Presentation Night

Thank you to all our parents, guardians, students, staff, and wider community who attended our 2023 Presentation Evening at the Beverley Station Arts Platform Theatre, 13th Dec 2023.

Congratulations to all students who received an award for their hard work and achievements in 2023, and a fond farewell to our graduating Year 10 students and those moving to other schools in 2024.

Our 2023 Student Leadership Team hosted a wonderful evening for our students, families and community, and they are to be commended on their successful year of leading Beverley DHS.



Thank you to all our generous award donors - without you these awards would not be possible.

What a wonderful night of celebration!

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2023 Presentation Night Award Recipients









<u>Year 1 Book Awards</u>	
Mrs Kilpatrick & Mrs Blechynden	
Lucy	Mitchell
Faythe	Cooper
Lyric	Jacob
Isabellah	Orla
Jagger	Harry
Theo	Piper (absent)

Year 2 – 6 Book Awards Mrs Gollan, Ms Nixon, Mrs Aquilina, Miss FitzGerald & Mrs Thomas

Yr 2 Academic	Jasmine
Yr 2 SPARK Award	Nakiyah
Yr 3 Academic	Alexander
Yr 3 SPARK Award	Peg
Yr 4 Academic	Sienna
Yr 4 SPARK Award	Rueben
Yr 5 Academic	Hamish
Yr 5 SPARK Award	Lara
Yr 6 Academic	Abigail
Yr 6 SPARK Award	Nikita

Whole School Awards

Ms Ugle, Mrs Mearns, Reverend Raymont & Mr Trent

Indigenous Achiever	Shelby
Ag Society Award	Riona
Masonic Lodge	Mya
Junior Primary CWA	Hayden
Prim Good Samaritan	Bella
Sec Good Samaritan	Thomas

Secondary Awards

Mrs Tonkin, Mrs Wansbrough, Mrs Morrell, Mrs Astill & Mrs Freeman

Yr 7/8 Academic	Kierun
Yr 9/10 Academic	Mya
Creation & Innovation	Emily
Application & Aspiration	Rubee
Cadet of the Year	Mya

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BDHS Faction Shield

Our 2023 Faction Captains announced the winner of the BDHS Faction Shield at the annual BDHS Presentation Night!

The winning Faction for 2023 is **FORREST!** Congratulations!



FACTION POINTS

FORREST: 5073

EYRE: 4949

DALE: 4127



Sports Award Recipients

Primary: Ashlyn Secondary: Ellienore

Faction Shield Winners: FORREST FACTION Forrest Faction Captain: Ruth & Mrs Bailey

2024 Student Leadership Team

We would like to congratulate our students who were elected by their peers, to represent them as BDHS Student Leaders for 2024:

Heads of SchoolThomasShelby-GlennSecondary Library/Arts CaptainsDeclanElla

Secondary Sports CaptainsRubeeScottSecondary Community CaptainsJasonKody PSecondary STEM/IT CaptainsSkyeCaleb

Primary Faction Captains DALE: Amelia EYRE: Billy FORREST: Kody

Primary Library/Arts Captains Pippa Annabelle

Primary Community Captains Ashlyn Lara



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An exciting night of celebrating student achievements!



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BEVERLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY presents

Historic Churches of Beverley Field Trip

On the last Monday in November members & friends of the Beverley Historical Society ventured out in the community bus to view five historic church buildings in our locality.



First was St Mary's Anglican Church (above) built in 1892. Canon Groser was the first rector. The St Mary's precinct, including the 1891 Rectory (below), the Memorial Lychgate & the lemonscented gum tree, is heritage listed by the State of WA Heritage Council.





The lemon scented gum (above) was planted by Canon Groser in the 1890s.

Next was the old Catholic Church building now a private dwelling. The owner kindly let us into the yard to view the restoration and conversion of the building (below). This church opened in 1890 under the auspices of Father Gibney. A special train from York brought hundreds to the opening service. It closed in 1933.





Across the river we viewed the Sacred Heart Catholic Church (below) opened in 1938. Designed by architect E. Le B. Henderson, the front façade features towers & battlements.









Members & friends of the Beverley Historical Society (above) took the opportunity to examine the architecture & artwork inside the building.

After lunch in the station gazebo, we drove out to Edward's Crossing to see St Paul's Anglican Church (below). This was built in 1859 of local bricks and later rough rendered for successful conservation.





Our final building was the former Anglican Church of St Peter's (below) at Gilgering, halfway to York. This church was the first church in Beverley opening in 1858 under the direction of Rev Fred Lynch. Although within the York shire boundaries now, the area was called North Beverley in the middle of the 19th century.





Now deconsecrated the building belongs to the National Trust but has been restored and conserved by a volunteer group, The Friends of St Peter's.



The surrounding churchyard contains the graves of many of Beverley's first farming families.

Thank you to Valery Seeber, Richard Boladeras, Eric Ellis, Malcolm Fleay & Philip Raymond for enabling access to these properties. Also, to Mark Petchell for excellent bus driving.

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Station News

<u>COVID-19 UPDATE</u> - Please practice good hygiene and physical distancing at all our events, and use the hand sanitiser stations provided. If you are feeling unwell prior to events, please do not attend.



As the year draws to a close, we at Beverley Station Arts thank the community of Beverley and surrounds for your patronage to the events we present at the Station Gallery and Platform Theatre, and the Town Hall, over the past year and extend our warmest wishes to you and your loved ones for the festive season.

Artists-in-Residence at the Station

Artists-in-Residence during December:



Alex Kyriakacis was only at the Station for a very short time, but she managed to engage with many locals whilst here and held verv successful still life workshop on Sunday 3 Dec. Pic left shows Alex with Marylou revealing her finished artwork.

Anyone familiar with the monthly RIPE magazine, which comes with the Farm Weekly, will be greeted with an article in the next edition about Beverley Station Arts! Below pic shows journalist Belinda Hickman photographing AiR Alex Kyriakacis as she works in the Station Gallery.



On December 7 we welcomed back **Carollyn Rhodes-Thompson**. Carollyn's enthusiasm for the arts is



evident with each residency at the Station and she willingly opens the Station Gallery out of hours, including the Community Christmas Party and joining the BeSASSY choir for Carols by Candlelight. Did you see or buy her beautifully made exotic jewellery?

Artist-in-Residence during January:

There was a cancellation for this month, and unless we hear of a last-minute applicant, we will take the opportunity to attend to some stocktaking, maintenance, and indeed overseeing the construction work soon to be commenced on the platform.



ARTISTS-in-RESIDENCE for 2024:

FEBRUARY: 12 - 26 Thelma Cluning and Sally Watts

MARCH: 28(Feb) - 24 March Len Zuks and;

MARCH: 25 - 8 (April) Kirsten Sivyer

APRIL: 10 - 30 David Giles

MAY: 1 - 14 Jane Li;

15 - 29(June) Craig and Betty McKeough

JUNE: 30 - 11 Wendy Marshall;

12 - 1 Cynda Emsall and Sue Mader

JULY: 3 - 23 Andy Dolphin; 24 - 12(Aug) John Toohey

AUGUST: 14 - 3(Sept) Stephanie Boyle

SEPTEMBER: 4 - 30 Tich Dixon and Sheila Monahan

OCTOBER: 2 – 29 Carol Patch and Jean Ross NOVEMBER: 4 – 2(Dec) Fenella Dexheimer

DECEMBER: 3 - 15 Paul Innes

Station Gallery Open Hours: 11.00am – 3. 00pm Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday

Beverley Art Prize & 55th Annual Exhibition

Entry forms are out for the big Easter Exhibition Thurs 28 March - Mon 1 April 2022. Entries close March 8.

The town's renowned 2D media art show includes the Beverley Art Prize valued at \$5000. Total prize pool of \$14,000 includes six sections with prizes of \$1000 each. We are excited to announce a new category this year -Section 8 Plein Air - any medium. Plus, revised age categories for children - Under 5 years, 5 to 7 years, 8 to 11 years, and 12 to 15 years. Artists aged 16 and above will exhibit in Sections 1 to 8 and will now be eligible for the Young Artist Award.

Anyone wishing to enter works of art into Easter Art Exhibition can do so via our new entry system at www.beverleystationarts.com For further info contact Exhibition Secretary Ashton Edmonds: 0426 161 943 admin@beverleystationarts.com









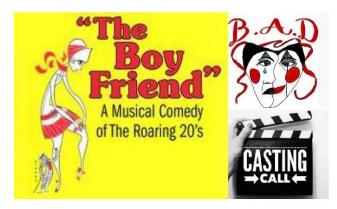
Beverley Station ArtS Singers is a FREE community choir which continues to meet weekly on WEDNESDAYS 6pm - 7.30pm in

the Green Room of the Platform Theatre. Kelly Shaw and Jo Sims share the role of Musical Director. Come join us in singing for fun! Singing is wonderful for the soul and in a choir means community and interpersonal connection and you forget about the challenges of daily life.

Anyone wishing to join this friendly choir of BeSASS please contact Hazel Martin who coordinates the group - Ph: 0438 843 333. There is no charge - all we ask is that you become a member of Beverley Station Arts (\$30/year) by the third week of attending BeSASS.

BAD (Beverley Amateur Dramatics)

WE ARE BACK!



So...it has been decided!!! The musical event of the year 2024 by our very own BAD group of talented actors / singers / musicians will be "The Boyfriend"!

BAD is preparing for a new musical production in April!



The Cast and Crew from 2023 Performances

BAD is seeking: (No experience necessary!)

\$\$Stage performers (speaking roles, singing and nonsinging)

器Ensemble (singing only, no speaking - great for a newbie or if you're wanting to give it a go!)

影Backstage crew (stage hands and tech)

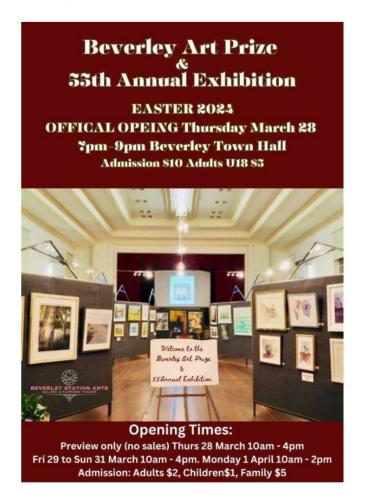
X Costume, prop & set designers

%Musicians (keys, guitar, drums)

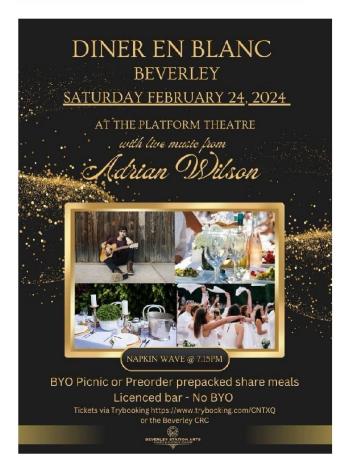
Rehearsals are Tuesday and Thursday evenings, starting Tuesday 30 January. Dates for the resulting performances are confirmed - Fridays and Saturdays 19 and 20; 26 and 27 April 2024.

The first reading was held on SATURDAY 16 DECEMBER 2023 at the Platform Theatre.

But if you missed the date and are still interested, even curious, please contact Britt Hadlow on 0447 811 261.



NEXT EVENTS at the Platform Theatre:



LE DINER EN BLANC

That's right, our very own **Diner en Blanc** in **Beverley! Book Now – SATURDAY 24 FEB 2023**

It's the night when we get dressed all in white and meet for a mass "chic picnic" in a public space. Our public space will of course, no surprise, be the Platform Theatre! And really guys, we don't mind if you come straight from the cricket pitch or the bowling green in your whites – just be there! Your partners will be only too happy to bring the table settings (white tablecloths and napkins, crockery and cutlery, candles etc) – a prize for the best dressed table no less! Don't feel like bringing your own picnic? Then catering company Gather York will be on hand to sell pre-packaged share meals – but you must order a few days in advance. Music will be by the amazingly talented **Adrian Wilson**.



PLATFORM THEATRE - Gates open 6.30pm to set tables (BYO picnic/tableware or phone 038 843 333 to order pre-packaged meals)
Prize for best dressed table
Dinner 7.15pm (started by napkin wave) and performance 7.30pm
Licenced bar – STRICTLY NO BYO
TICKETS: \$30 Adult | \$27Conc | \$25 Member

Beverley CRC - Ph 96461600 OR

www.trybooking.com/CNTXQ

Table bookings - Ph Hazel 0438 843 333 Or

Email admin@beverleystationarts.com

AN EVENING WITH... MARINA PRIOR

Save the Date!! - - FRIDAY 17 MAY 2023 - -

Australia's leading lady of Musical Theatre, Marina Prior is returning to WA in May 2024 for an intimate series of performances at select urban and regional theatres. (Beverley's date will be at the Town Hall) Accompanied by piano maestro David Cameron, Marina will perform songs from her vast repertoire of musical theatre hits, fan favourites and contemporary classics. A performance that will not only be memorable but one not to miss! Be quick to book as BSA's reduced prices has meant 160 tickets have sold already! Bookings at Beverley CRC - Ph 96461600 or

Book online <u>www.trybooking.com/CMZTJ</u>

Have you got you ticket yet? ON SALE NOW – and selling out across the five other venues on this tour! Tickets are normally \$59 but are being subsidised by BSA, thanks to fundraising provided by DLGSC.



IN VINCENT STREET...DID YOU SEE WHO I SAW?

A surprise visitor to the Station towards the end of November was none other than Bruce Beresford who was looking for a rundown town to film his operainspired feature film 'Overture' (set in country NSW but looking to film in WA). Sad to say Beverley was too tarted up for his liking – however, he did mention the coffee was good at the Bakery! Go Ann and Van!!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

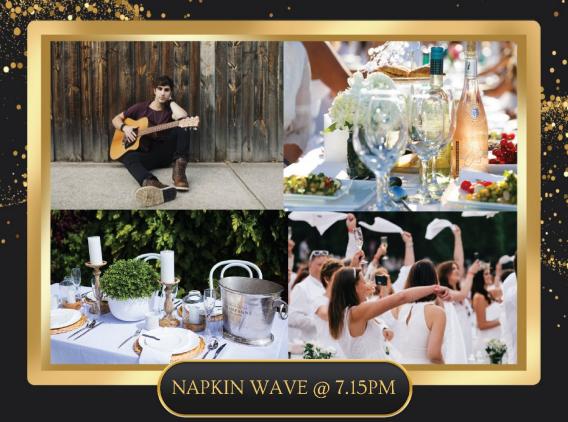
Jenny Broun, Chair Beverley Station Arts, and Committee.

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SATURDAY FEBRUARY 24, 2024

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Beverley C.W.A



Well, here we are for another year. Hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and New Year.

Just a short note to announce the winners of our Christmas raffle.

1st Prize LYNN 2nd Prize NAT ASHWORTH 3rd Prize GRAHAM STANLEY

4th Prize THRIFTY

5th Prize SUE

6th Prize LYNN

7th Prize PRICKLE

8th Prize PRICKLE

9th Prize JUDY

10th Prize PRICKLE

11th Prize PRICKLE

12th Prize VALERY

13th Prize SHELIA

14th Prize MARY

15th Prize HEATHER MCLEAN

16th Prize ANNE

17th Prize JEFF

18th Prize DAWN

19th Prize RITA

20th Prize DEE

21st Prize JEFF

22nd Prize MONICA WARD

23rd Prize DAWN

24th Prize TINA

This year C.W.A of W.A is celebrating its 100th Birthday. The association started in 1924 with the first branch being opened in Nungarin on the 7th of July 1924. They have the tittle of "The First C.W.A Branch in Western Australia." The Metropolitan branch was opened in October 1924. This branch was where many country women had joined before branches in their own districts had opened. The first Conference was held on the 10th of March 1925 at the Queens Hall. The First State President was Mrs Craven-Griffiths.

Through out the year, the C.W.A. of W.A will be celebrating this amazing milestone around the state, with branches each doing something in their community. The members are proud to be apart of an association that still claims attention, even after 100 years, for the work that they do and the passion they show in championing causes they believe in. People, groups and many other institutions listen and take notice when the ladies of the C.W.A speak.

Want to be apart of celebrating a milestone of 100 years of service, be a part of an organisation that gets things done and be a part of a statewide family?

Or would you like to know more about the C.W.A? Our Local Branch President will be more then happy to sit and have a chat about all things C.W.A. You can call her on 08 9646 1481.

Til next time, stay safe, stay cool and enjoy





Beverley Community Garden

Happy New Year from the Beverley Community Garden

We hope that you all had a splendid festive season and that we all had a chance to recharge our batteries and say hello to 2024.

Thank you to the ongoing dedication of our volunteers at the Garden through 2023. We enjoy fellowship and if you are willing, a new skill set as well. Learning how to grow your own food. The Garden has plans in the pipeline that are going to take it to the next level of productivity, uses and presentation. I can't say much at the moment but there are plans afoot and as always totally volunteer based.

The Community Garden would like to thank all the community fire safety volunteers and firefighters that are part of our fire service. You give us peace of mind, thank you for giving us your precious time.

Recyclable drinking bottles are how we truly bring in, an income to buy supplies for the Garden, please do continue to donate your recyclables.

A basket of vegetables is only \$10 and you can pick the produce yourself or one of the volunteers is more than happy to help you with your selections.

A joyous beginning to the New Year for all. Thank you

Eleonora Di Bello







Beverley Hospital Auxiliary Inc.

Beverley Op Shop

Our renos are now complete, thanks to the Shire, Ceiling Guys and Painter. The refreshed room looks amazing. We are looking forward to the New Year and a new look for our little shop.

We are not accepting any donations until January 29th, 2024. Please note that the bins behind the op shop will not be available over our closed period. PLEASE do not just dump items at the back of the op shop as they will just go to the tip when we reopen.

Our First trading day for 2024 will be Friday February 2nd followed by Saturday Feb 3rd.

I would like to thank our committee and volunteers for their amazing efforts for 2023 and wish everyone a safe and Merry Christmas and Happy New Year for 2024.

All proceeds go towards health & wellbeing in the Community, Hospital and Alex Miles Lodge.

If you would like to volunteer, please contact our Roster Secretary, Leita Barrett-Lennard on 0429 168 099.

The Hospital Auxiliary is coming up to our 80th Year of servicing the community and we would love to celebrate this amazing milestone. Do you have any photos or stories or know anyone who used to volunteer? If you are able to help out, please contact our Secretary, Jo Sims.



Beverley Hospital Auxiliary Inc.

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MONTHLY GAME

Crossword #4

Across

- 1. Chocolate alternative
- 6. Venomous snake
- 11. "Goodfellas" fellas
- 14. Cocktail garnish
- 15. Hot spot
- 16. Indignation
- **17.** Prince hit, "I Wanna Be Your ____"
- 18. Pick up the tab
- 19. Conk out
- 20. Kind of leather
- 22. More miffed
- 24. Pet name
- 25. In all respects
- **26.** Take in
- 29. Dress down
- 30. Scribble (down)
- 31. Aussie "bear"
- **33.** Choppers, so to speak
- 36. Region
- 38. Kind of wine
- **40.** Take a chance
- 41. Drive away
- 43. Miser's problem
- 45. Sargasso, for one
- 46. Modular home
- 48. Passel of pups
- 50. Workplace newbie
- **52.** Belinda Carlisle, once
- 53. Legalese word
- 54. Motorcycle escort
- **58.** Poetic palindrome
- 59. Fluid build-up

- 14 16 18 17 19 20 24 25 27 28 29 30 32 31 33 36 40 41 42 43 46 48 50 53 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64 65 66 67
- **61.** Skip a syllable
- 62. Vintner's vessel
- **63.** Word repeated twice in a 1983 Bond film
- 64. Twill fabric
- 65. Picnic pest
- 66. What's hot
- **67.** Pittsburgh product

Down

- 1. Hard-hearted
- Succulent
 plant
 Tear
- apart
 4. Cook too long
- 5. Bad way to go
- 6. In motion
- 7. Mend socks

- 8. Word on an invoice
- 9. Beguile
- 10. Machine gun sound
- 11. Bahrain's region
- 12. Bay window
- 13. Drunken
- **21.** Shish
- 23. Old-fashioned
- 25. Coquettish woman
- 26. Open, a little
- **27.** Drag
- 28. Mike Brady was one
- 29. Book jacket ad
- 32. Pool problem
- 34. Elder or alder
- 35. Preside over

- 37. Lofty nest
- 39. Feudal slave
- 42. Far from strict
- 44. Go off-topic
- 47. Ding site, maybe
- **49.** Bathroom furnishing
- 50. Sorority letter
- **51.** Air again
- 52. Prison profession
- 54. Black cat, to some
- **55.** Nearly hopeless
- **56.** Drop-off point
- **57.** Rod's companion
- 60. Cain raiser

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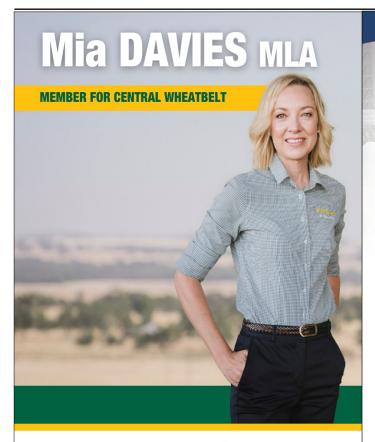
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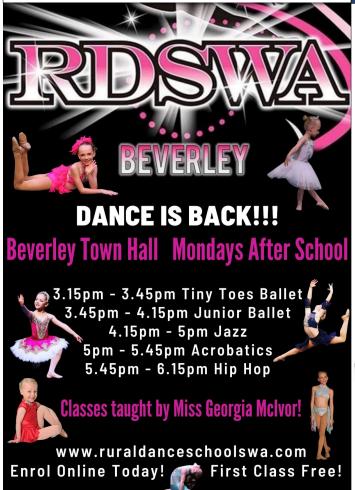
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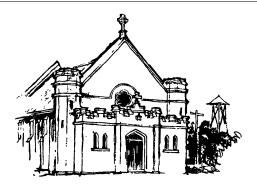
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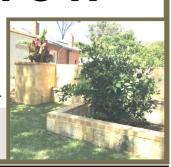
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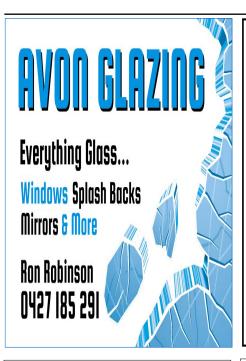
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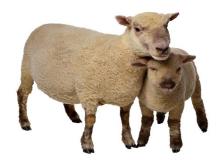
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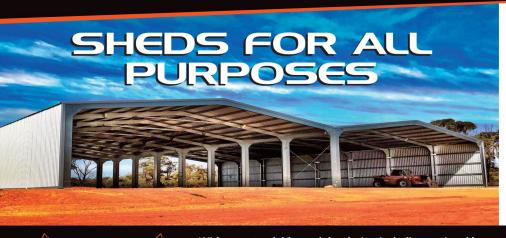
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We were sorry to say goodbye to Val Tylor & Gaenor Carter, who had been with the markets for many years. Both ladies had worked tirelessly for the markets.

We have had a very successful year in fundraising, and sponsoring the Beverley Swimming Club. We were able to donate \$6000. towards the club, we were also able to give Early Years Learning \$1000. to continue with their great work.

Of course, none of this would have been possible without the support of the people of Beverley who have come along each month throughout the year, thankyou. I want to say a big thank you to Daryl & Lee who have worked tirelessly beside me & assisted in setting up the markets each month as well as having their stalls. To all the other stallholders I appreciate your continued support.

To the mums & dads who have turned up each month to man the BBQ, again many thanks we couldn't have done it without you.

On behalf of all our stall holders have a wonderful Christmas & safe New Year, we look forward to seeing everyone in 2024 for more fun & games at our Community Markets.

Cheers, Jenny Foster.



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Skin Checks- With the summer sunshine here we all need to be vigilant regarding skin care please book an appointment with our experienced GPs to review any suspicious lumps, dry spots, or moles and add your name to our list for the skin check van coming to our town in April.

COVID Vaccines - as the Beverley community have been outstanding with their responsibility to attending for all their recommended doses, and with our commitment to reduce wastage and maximise doses we are now maintaining a waiting list for those who may need a further vaccination. This has been due to the logistics of ordering and storing the vaccine in the rural area, please check in for our next vaccination day. Remember the best way to avoid COVID is to ensure you are vaccinated, wash your hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds, use alcohol- based hand sanitiser, cover your cough and sneezes dispose of your tissues and wash your hands after, wear a mask and physical distancing, stay home, and follow the health direct rules if you have symptoms.

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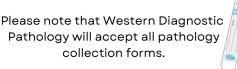
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Service Times for January, 2024

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Sunday, 14 th January	10.30 a.m.	Second Sunday of Epiphany - Eucharist
Sunday, 21st January	9.00 a.m.	Confession of St Peter - Morning Prayer
Sunday 20th January	/ 00 n m	Cancina at Ct Daulis Church Edward's Crassin

Sunday, 28th January 6.00 p.m. Service at St Paul's Church, Edward's Crossing

St Mark's Church, Brookton

Sunday, 7 th January	8.30 a.m.	The Baptism of our Lord - Morning Prayer
Sunday, 14 th January	8.30 a.m.	Second Sunday of Epiphany - Eucharist
Sunday, 21st January	9.00 a.m.	Scripture Union Family Festival Service
Sunday, 28 th January	10.30 a.m.	Conversion of St Paul – Eucharist

St Paul's Church, Edward's Crossing

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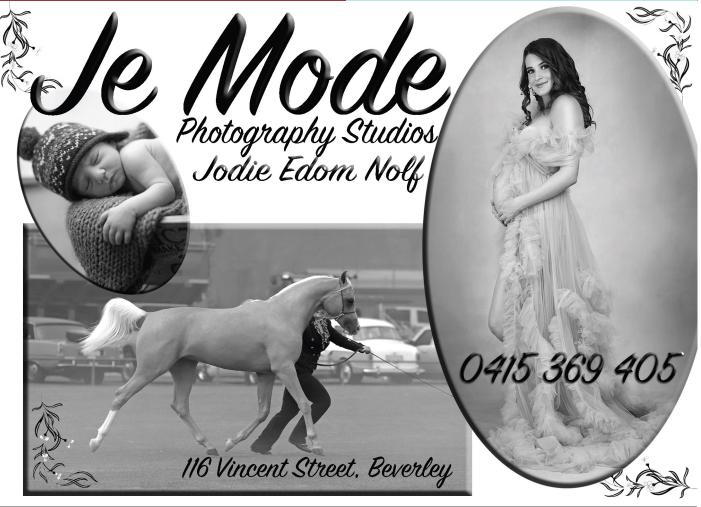
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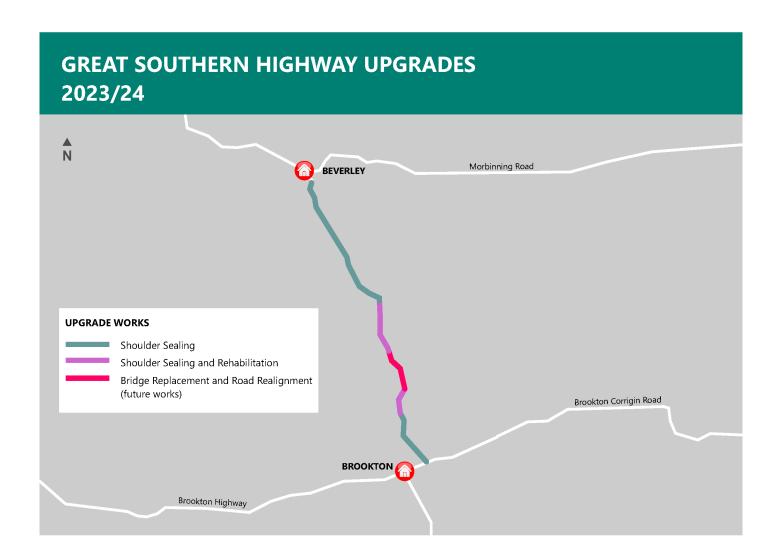
Dates for construction are not yet confirmed. Works are likely to commence in January 2024 until April 2024 when there will be a break over winter and construction will resume around September/October 2024.

During rehabilitation works there will be width restrictions for heavy vehicles. If you need to move wide agricultural equipment during the times above please get in contact with us on 138 138 so that we can discuss movements.

There will also be a gravel surface and significant distances of speed restrictions during the works. We ask that you plan extra time for your journey.

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Timber bridge 311 (near Smart Road) is also due for replacement and the road will be realigned 2 kilometres either side of the bridge. This will be done at a future time.





Beverley Horse and Pony Club



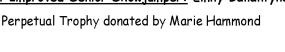
Presentation and Wind Up: On Sunday 26th November the club had a fun Christmas Games morning followed by

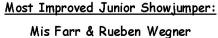
presentations.



Club Person of the Year: Jess Martin Perpetual Trophy donated by Drumclyer Stud

Most Improved Senior Showjumper: Emily Ballantyne





Perpetual Trophy donated by Marie Hammond

Best Presented: Winner: Ruth Elsegood Perpetual Trophy donated by Hawke Family

Second: Mia Farr Third: Sonja Houk



National and International Presentations:

Emily Maxwell and Ruth Elsegood representing Pony Club WA in the Tetrathlon Nationals.



Tess Hawke was acknowledged with the honour of Life Membership after 16 years volunteering with the club.

> Jess Martin was presented with a gift for her final year in Pony Club.



Beverley (West Aust) Horse And Pony Club Events

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Committee contacts:

President: Bec Halbert E beverleyhpc.president@gmail.com

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is given that the Annual General Meeting of the Beverley Golf Club will be held at the Beverley Golf Club, Forrest Street, Beverley on **Sunday 4th February 2024**, commencing at 4.00pm.

AGENDA

- Attendance & Apologies
- Adoption of previous Annual General Meeting minutes held 14th February 2023
- President's Report
- Financial Report for Year Ended 31st December 2023
- Election of Office Bearers
- Election of Patron
- General Business

If you wish to nominate for any of the committee positions, please email bevgolf@wn.com.au



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Beverley Golf Club

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND as quick as that, the year has disappeared. It's been a busy year at the club with plenty going on from golf, darts, wakes, birthday parties to fish and chip nights. It has definitely been busy.

I want to thank everyone involved in the club from the committee members, the volunteers to the people that have come to the golf club to enjoy the venue and everything it has to offer. The club continues to go from strength to strength and that is because of everyone's support.

Also, a massive thank you to all our sponsors during the year. Your continued support of our club is very much appreciated.

I wish you all a very safe and Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.



AGM

Notice is given that the Annual General Meeting of the Beverley Golf Club will be held at the Beverley Golf Club, Forrest Street, Beverley on **Sunday 4th February 2024**, commencing at 4.00pm.

It is important that we get as many to the AGM and hopefully people will nominate for positions on the committee as there will be positions available for President and Vice-President.

AGENDA

- 1. Attendance & Apologies
- 2. Adoption of previous Annual General Meeting minutes held 1st February 2022
- 3. President's Report
- 4. Financial Report for Year Ended 31st December 2022
- 5. Election of Office Bearers
- 6. Election of Patron
- 7. General Business

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Junior Blast Cricket 2023 season has now come to an end.

There were 23 children signed up this year with a couple of extra littlies joining in on a Saturday morning.

This year the kids have been super keen, even arriving early for their lesson and all willing to have a go at any new skill that was thrown their way.

We have had 6 junior cricket games this year, the most in the first half of the season for us yet, these included Friday afternoon games against York and weekend games against Brookton. 10 of our players played their first game ever this year, well done guys. Our fielding has been impressive to watch this year, with many run outs, almost catches and a few 4's saved.

As with junior sport tradition, the parents were involved in a cricket game with the children and there were lots of laughs with the largest group to play with 15 pairs.

Big thank you to Skye Doncon for taking on the main scorer role this season.

Thank you to all the parents who don't hesitate to get involved and are almost more excited than the kids.

Thank you and congratulations to the "bigger" kids for coming down each Saturday and jumping in to help out the "little" kids without being asked it's very impressive to watch you guys grow over the years, well done.

Thank you to Brent Criddle for taking on the assistant coach role with awesome gusto and enthusiasm, some of the games would not have happened without your help, thank you.

Look out for all the photos and highlights on the Junior Sport Facebook page of all our games.











LOCAL CLUB/GROUP CONTACTS



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	Secretary: Bruce Hunt	0404 044 202
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Beverley Bowling & Croquet Club	President: Jeff Murray	
,	Ladies Capitan: Lyn Murphy	0439 461 634
	Mens Capitan: Brendan Minchin	0458 088 674
	Croquet Captain: Beverley Hoey	0428 371 714
Beverley Community Garden	Betty Lobb	0400 569 971
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Beverley Community Markets	Jenny Foster	0418 454 571
Beverley CWA	President: Pat Hambly	9646 1481
,	Secretary: Sam Mearns	0447 160 076
Beverley DHS P&C	President: Matt Davey	0429 002 212
Beverley Football & Netball Club	President: Blake O'Meagher	0499 166 160
,	Secretary: Dale Wansbrough/Charlie Horrocks	
	League Coach: Kyle Martin	
	Reserves Coach:	
Beverley Garden & Tree Society	President: Linley Thompson	0429 953 800
,	Secretary: Dorothy Sampson	0429 989 031
Beverley Golf Club	President: Darryl Hagan	
•	Mens Capitan: Mark Bickley	
	Ladies Capitan: Jane Murray	
Beverley Historical Society	President: Glenys Petchell	0417 973 559
,	Secretary: Morag Whitney	9646 1075
Beverley Horse & Pony Club	President: Bec Halbert	0419 879 310
	Secretary: Steve Mills	
	Treasurer: Kerstin Pike	
	Coach Coordinator: Lindley Cassidy	
Beverley Junior Sports	President: Megan Vandenberg	
	Secretary: Jo Copping	0438 972 335
	Football Coordinator: Tamara Nixon	
	Netball Coordinator: Emma Davey	
	Cricket Coordinator: Jo Copping	0438 972 335
	Hockey Coordinator: TBA	
Beverley Lawn Tennis Club	President: Chantelle Meade	0429 418 576
-	Secretary: Rebecca Smith	0428 805 681
Beverley Men's Shed	President: Peter Cashmore	0427 427 919
-	Vice President: John Fricket	0428 147 041
	Secretary: Bob Green	0429 441 253
Beverley Naturalists Club	Phyllis Facey	9646 1469
Beverley Netball Club	President: Jo Copping	0438 972 335
•	Secretary: Sam Mearns	0417 973 731

Beverley Off Road Motor Sports Assoc	Cheryl Simson	0409 205 551
Beverley Patchwork & Quilters	Denise Hales	0417 184 563
Beverley Pistol Club	President: H Henderson	0407 457 427
	Secretary: Alex Henderson	0407 457 427
Beverley Playgroup	President: Kelly Aaron	0400 772 081
	Secretary: Melissa Blechynden	0429 504 963
Beverley Redbacks Hockey Club	Secretary:	
Beverley Soaring Society Gliding Club	President: Geoff Overheu	0407 575 216
	Secretary: Piero Velletri	0417 045 437
Beverley Station Arts	Chair: Jenny Broun	0419 040 063
	Coordinator: Hazel Martin	0438 843 333
	Art Exhibiton Secretary: Ashton Edmonds	
Beverley Amateur Dramatics	Britt Hadlow	0447 811 267
Beverley Station Arts Singers	Hazel Martin	0438 843 333
Beverley Toy Library	President: Kelly Mann	0428 779 234
	Secretary: Skye Carlhausen	0438 353 634
Clay Target Club	Secretary: H Henderson	0407 457 427
Cricket Club	President: Stephen Gollan	9646 1200
	Coach: James Adams	0429 461 000
Cropping Committee	Secretary: Stephen Gollan	9646 1200
Dale Community Group	President/Treasurer: Yvonne Hobbs	0438 370 755
Dale River Sports Ground Committee	Secretary: Georgina Beecroft	9647 1089
Friends of the Dale River	Linley Thompson	0429 953 800
	Hazel Martin	0438 843 333
Novus Agri	President: Kelly Mann	0428 779 234
	Secretary: Skye Carlhausen	0438 353 634
Beverley OP Shop	President: Gina Adams	0427 461 368
	Secretary: Jo Sims	0400 661 256
Rifle Club		9641 6061
Royal Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes		0419 945 240
Southern Avon Ladies Darts	Monica Camenzuli	0474 105 242
St John Ambulance	Chairperson: Ian Frizzell	
	Become a Volunteer: Jenny Rayner	
	Sub Centre	9646 0646
	IN CASE OF EMERGENCY	000
	Jan Turrell	0429 952 177



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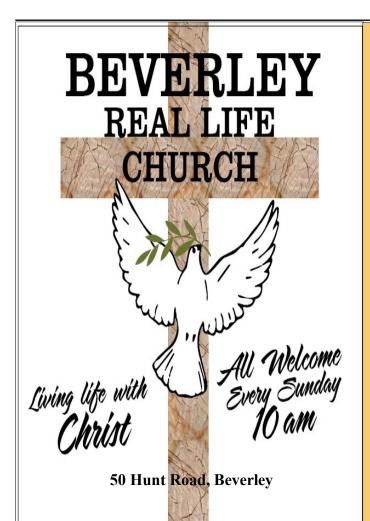


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- / Yenyening Lakes
 / County Peak
 / Vampire Jets
 (Great Southern Hwy
 6 Lukin Street)
 / Cornerstone Building
 / James Giddy Street Art
 Station Art Gallery



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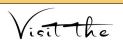


Meeting Wednesday Nights 6.00pm - 7.30pm

In the Green Room at the Platform Theatre

Enquiries can be made by calling Hazel 0438 843 333

Beverley Community
Garden



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EVENTS 2023				
EVENT	DATE			
CRC Square Workshop	February 02			
Golf Club AGM	February 04			
Come 'n' Try Diving Event @ Swimming Pool	February 11			
Men's Shed Special Half Yearly Meeting	February 20			
BAS Diner En Blanc	February 24			
Community Markets	March 03			
Easter Art Exhibition	March 28 - April 01			
Easter Tennis Tournament	March 31 - April 03			
BAS An Evening with Marina Prior	May 05			

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900 copies each month

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Monday 22 January 2024

Contact our friendly Shire staff today Shire of Beverley PO Box 20 Beverley WA 6304

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Community Calendar... January 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 NEW YEARS DAY	2 Pool Closed SHIRE OPENS	3	4	5 Croquet Golf Scroungers Recycle Bin	6
7 Clay Target Mass – 8.00am Sacred Heart Church	8 Bridge Weight Watchers	9 Garden Club Mens Shed 8.30am Pool Closed Quilting	Active Farmers Golf Scroungers	11 Line Dancing	Active Farmers Croquet Golf Scroungers	13
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21 Mass – 8.00am Sacred Heart Church	22 Bridge Weight Watchers BLARNEY DEADLINE	23 Mens Shed 8.30am Quilting Pool Closed Stay Active	Active Farmers CRC Volcano & Explosion Workshop Croquet Golf Scroungers	25	Active Farmers Croquet Golf Scroungers AUSTRALIA DAY Pool Party	27
28 Mass – 8.00am Sacred Heart Church	29	30 Pool Closed	31 Active Farmers Croquet Golf Scroungers			