



BEVERLEY BLARNEY



Edition 426

April 2020

No Charge

To the People of Beverley,

The health and well-being of the Beverley Community is the priority of Council as the COVID-19 health issue continues to evolve.

The Shire of Beverley is keeping up to date with the latest Department of Health information so that the services and advice provided to the community are adjusted accordingly. As everyone now knows, this is a rapidly changing situation.

The Shire of Beverley has currently closed all non-essential facilities and we have a Business Continuity Plan in place to keep critical organisational and Shire delivered community functions going in the event of a mandatory lockdown. These functions include waste removal, provision of burials and emergency response to incidents concerning Shire assets, for example trees on the road after storms.

The Shire is supporting the Beverley CRC who are working on a register of vulnerable community members to develop a system to ensure essential supplies get to them. Please contact the CRC on 9646 1600 for more information.

Council urges everyone to “BE Very Community Minded” and “BE Very Healthy” by continuing to support our local Beverley businesses and community groups whilst practising social distancing, good personal hygiene and recognising mental health issues. Regularly check-in with your family, friends and neighbours over the phone or via social media.

Please follow all directives issued by the Department of Health so we can get through these uncertain times together and come out the other side as a healthy, thriving and stronger community.

While the COVID-19 response is the most pressing issue facing everyone right now and into the immediate future, Council is focused on the future and will continue to progress planning initiatives to continue to keep Beverley the place to BE!

**Cr Don Davis
Shire President
Friday 27 March 2020**



SHIRE OF BEVERLEY PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Good News! Youth Activity Area

In the face of these uncertain times I am very pleased to advise the community that the Shire was successful in receiving Lotterywest grant funding to assist with the construction of the Beverley Youth Activity Area. The Youth Activity Area has been designed to have quality infrastructure that encourages healthy activities, promotes participation by all members and provides a sense of belonging of the community which is essential for growth and retention of the population in regional areas.

Council would like to sincerely thank Lotterywest for recognising the merit and need of a new activity area for our youth and their families. We would also like to acknowledge and thank everyone who participated in the working group, community workshops, and school workshops throughout 2019; and to the fundraisers at the Community Markets, your desire to see this project come to fruition is now well underway.

Lotterywest's support for the community is possible only because of the small businesses and players that support the purchase of Lotterywest games. So, thank you also to everyone in the community who purchases Lotterywest games, your contribution has now come back to Beverley for all to enjoy!



Rock/Boulder Donations

With news of the Youth Activity Area going ahead, Council are seeking rock pitching donations as part of the landscaping which is included in the Youth Activity Area. Please contact Steve Vincent at the Shire if you are able to assist – 9646 1200.

COVID-19 Updates

For local updates pertaining to our community, please refer to the Shire of Beverley website (www.beverley.wa.gov.au) or the Shire Facebook page. For information, advice and facts from the WA Department of Health refer to: https://healthywa.wa.gov.au/Articles/A_E/Coronavirus

The Corona Virus hotline number is: 1800 020 080

Kinetic Sculpture

After the February Council meeting, concern was raised that the Community were not appropriately consulted to determine the final location of the Kinetic Sculpture currently located on Vincent Street. Please refer to page 27 of the Blarney to review the history and have your say.

Road Works

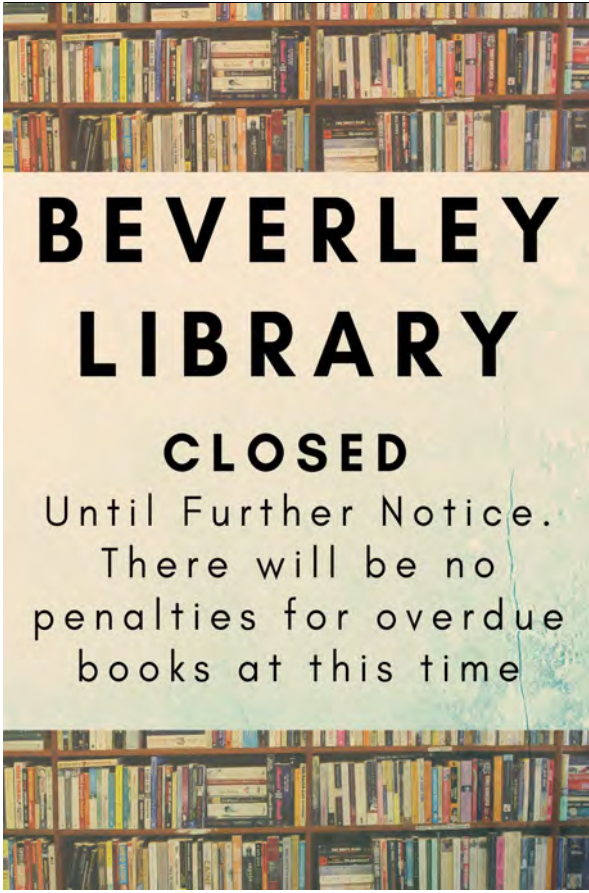
Throughout April, road construction is expected to continue on Top Beverley Road and Bethany Road. Reseals will occur on Mawson, Westdale and Morbining Roads. Please take care and follow all signs when moving through construction areas.

Drought Communities Program

The Shire will submit an application to the Drought Communities Program for \$1 million towards self-contained on-site accommodation at the Caravan Park and co-funding of the Beverley Youth Activity Area.

Both projects will provide economic stimulus by employing and contracting local suppliers and businesses during the construction phase. Once complete, both projects are expected to increase visitor numbers and it is expected that those visitors will patronise local businesses and spend some money.

Cr Don Davis
Shire President



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Beverley Visitor Centre CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Thankyou to the invaluable volunteer team who have assisted the Community Resource Centre (CRC) so far in 2020 to keep the Beverley Visitor Centre open on weekends.

Unfortunately, due to the current Covid-19 pandemic the Visitors Centre is now closed on weekdays and weekends.

If you are interested in joining the volunteer team, once we re-open, please contact Sam at the CRC (96461600) or Dee (0428464007).

We look forward to seeing visitors and volunteers alike, back in the Visitors Centre as soon as possible.

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Other chemical residues

✓ Rinse container immediately after use as all chemical residues are much harder to remove when dry

✓ Some containers may require additional rinsing (more than three rinses)



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CRC OPENING TIMES

AS OF TODAY (27 MARCH 2020) THE CRC IS OPEN FOR ESSENTIAL SERVICES ONLY.

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IF YOU WOULD LIKE ANY INFORMATION OR ASSISTANCE, PLEASE PHONE OR EMAIL US INSTEAD OF COMING IN.

The Beverley Library is currently closed, as is the Visitors Centre.

As Government advice changes daily, we may be required to close the CRC completely. If this happens we will put signs up and update social media to let people know.

WORKSHOPS POSTPONED DUE TO THE CURRENT PANDEMIC ALL EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS ARE POSTPONED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

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SHIER, LEE

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Jeanne and Nikki and family sadly inform their friends in Beverley that Lee passed away on the morning of March 23rd.

He fought the fight long and hard,
but even this tough old bushy could not do the impossible.

Lee appreciated all his friends and
his greatest wish was for them to come together
and remember him with laughter and fondness.

As this is not practical at this time,
please remember him in your own way.

Raise a beer and give thanks for having had him in in your lives.

Be happy that he is now at peace and know that
'Lee Goneagain' has indeed gone to a well-earned rest.



Beverley Historical Society-



Closed until further notice

Unfortunately, the members sadly have decided to close the Dead Finish Museum to the general public until after our May meeting and will then make future plans.

No weekend openings, 4 days of Easter plus our display for Anzac Day. Sorry for the inconvenience but with most of our volunteers of a certain age, we think this is for the best.

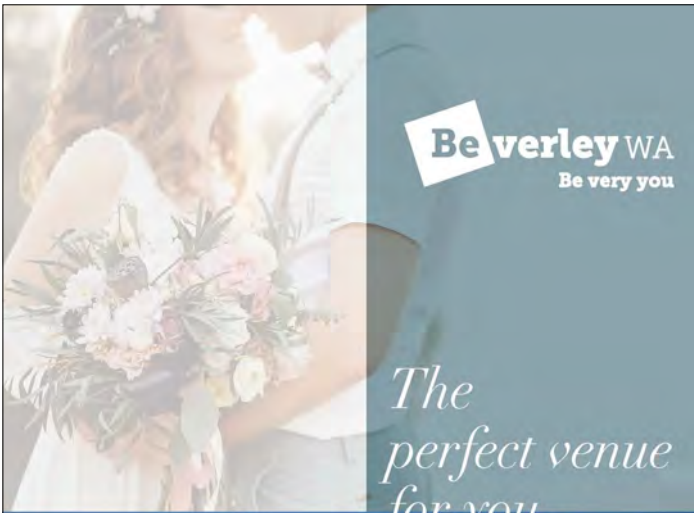
We will still be operating behind the scenes and are seeking help with the following –Pingelly Historical Society request any information of the Mail Coach Run from Guildford, York, Beverley, Mourambine around 1850's.

Our Wedding Albums are in the process of being updated and we welcome any photos of Beverley residents (even if you were not married in Beverley) but please add all your details. We will have them copied and returned back.

We are still chasing photos of old houses in Beverley plus names of farms that have changed hands over the years.

For any other enquiries please contact us at bhsdeadfinish@gmail.com. If you have any information on the above requests please email it to us.

At this stage, the Historical Society will still be holding our monthly meetings so the next one is Monday 5th April 2020 at 1.30p.m. (bought forward because of Easter).



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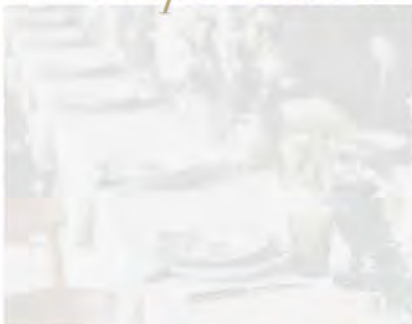
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FACTION SWIMMING CARNIVAL

We had another fantastic day at this year's Faction Swimming Carnival. The competition and sportsmanship was exemplary as our students fought hard for their factions! Our parent community offered such great support in volunteering on the day to ensure the smooth running of this event. A huge THANK YOU to the Beverley Shire and to our Pool Manager Brad Miller for once again providing us with such a wonderful facility. Your support is invaluable and greatly appreciated. Another thank you to the KPP Committee who ran a Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser at the carnival to support our students and families.

Faction Carnival Results 1st Dale, 2nd Eyre and 3rd Forrest



Overall Champion Boy and Girls



Our Medal winners on the day fought hard and were sensational in the water! (These are just some of our medal winners, more photos are published on our Beverley DHS Facebook page)

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!



2020 BEVERLEY BLARNEY DEADLINE

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BEVERLEY EARLY YEARS GROUP

The Beverley Early Years Group is a network that aims to strengthen opportunities for children (0-4) and their families to connect and thrive in our community.

Due to the current Covid-19 pandemic, all Early Years activities have been temporarily put on hold. The decision to restart Playgroup, Storytime and Toy Library will be looked at towards the end of the school holidays. We hope you all stay safe and well during this difficult time.

While you are stuck at home with kids and looking for things to do, have a look at the "The Bright Tomorrows Parenting App", which provides learning activities, 'in-the-moment' advice and practical tips to parents and carers with children from birth to age five.

You can download the Bright Tomorrows app to receive access to over 1000 meaningful moments and tips to help build young brains or check out their website for more information <https://www.brighttomorrows.org.au/>

Storytime



Beverley
Toy Library

To our valued members, sponsors and supporters of the Beverley Agricultural Society.

After lengthy consideration, it is with heavy hearts that the committee has decided to **cancel this year's Beverley Show**. It is an extremely important day in our calendar on which we celebrate our rural community; we share this special day with our neighbouring towns and city cousins. It is a day which brings EVERYONE in Beverley together. We are devastated.



In the current uncertain climate, both socially and economically, we feel that it would be too much pressure on our small community. We value our sponsors, local businesses and volunteers that support us and know that times will be tough in the coming months – we want to you look after yourselves and will be supporting where we can.

To ensure the Beverley Agricultural Society can continue to function and meet the requirements on its constitution, we need to maintain a minimum number of active members. To this end, we are offering complimentary membership to the Ag Society and would love to have you join us again in 2020. There is no need to do anything – we will roll your membership over for you!

If you are able, our standard and family memberships are also available and will provide a small financial boost to assist us with our ongoing administration costs. Please find the link to membership below. <https://beverleyagsociety.tidyhq.com>

If you have already paid sponsorship, advertising or site fees, we will reimburse you as soon as possible. Please be patient with our timelines as we navigate these uncharted waters. We will use this break to look after our **community, friends and family...and plan for an awesome show in 2021.**

Take care,
Sarah and the team Beverley Ag Society



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BEVERLEY EARLY YEARS COLOURING IN COMPETITION

Age Groups: 0-4 years & 5+

To be in the running for a prize please drop your entry into the box at Beverley IGA Supermarket & Liquor. All entries will be displayed in the window at IGA. Visit the Beverley Community Resource Centre (CRC) if require more copies to colour in.

Winners drawn Saturday April 11 2020



NAME _____ AGE _____



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MEDIA STATEMENT

16 March 2020

RSLWA has cancelled the conduct of all ANZAC Day commemorations as a result of Friday's announcement by Prime Minister Scott Morrison, backed by the Commonwealth's Chief Medical Officer and State Premiers.

The Prime Minister and state and territory leaders want all non-essential gatherings of more than 500 people to be suspended from this Monday amid fears about the continued spread of coronavirus.

RSLWA State President Peter Aspinall said that the decision of the Prime Minister and state leaders means that the traditional ANZAC Day 2020 services in the Perth CBD, namely the Kings Park Dawn Service, the Street Parade and the Commemorative Service, will not take place.

The State President and his Board have considered all relevant advice and have made the regrettable decision that it is necessary in the interests of veterans' health and safety to cancel all Anzac Day commemorative services in WA this year.

He said that, while RSLWA commemorations could still be held with gatherings less than 500 attendees, the risk is still too high.

As such, the Board is to advise its 125 Sub-Branches throughout the State that all commemorations on ANZAC Day be cancelled.

"RSLWA has a duty of care to its members and all veterans – many of whom are elderly and the most vulnerable as the coronavirus worsens," Mr. Aspinall said.

"Irrespective of how many veterans turn out, the risk is still too great. This is a very difficult but necessary course of action, especially considering our duty of care and the vulnerability of our older members."

RSLWA has the strong support of the Australian Medical Association (WA) to cancel all commemorations.

"For us, one death of a veteran, a family member or any member of the general public as a result of attending a RSLWA-organized service is one too many," Mr. Aspinall said.

The safety, health and welfare of all veterans and their supporters is paramount and, while cancelling the iconic and traditional ANZAC Day services is sad, health and wellbeing come first.

RSLWA will be looking at others ways of recognition of those who served and those who died but not in the form of public events on ANZAC Day.

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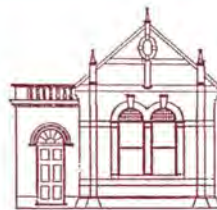


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Well these are different times we live in at the moment. Covid-19 or Coronavirus has taken up the world's attention and focus. Information from the government is coming through daily and by the time you read this the current health warning will have no doubt changed.

So, what I can tell you is that your police will be continuing to work to protect the community. We are still out there on the road patrolling the streets. We are still breath testing and drug testing drivers. Unfortunately, crime does not stop, so that means neither do we.

Seeing the reports coming through of people cleaning out supermarkets and people behaving selfishly is something very disturbing. I have made an effort to get down the main street during the day and I have been very impressed that the crazy antics of other places has not filtered through to Beverley.

All our business owners have been fantastic and doing their best to accommodate everyone.

This situation may get tougher before it gets better, so what are some of the things you can do to help:

- ◇ Follow the advice from the Australian government which includes social distancing, public gatherings and hygiene
- ◇ Don't panic buy
- ◇ Treat workers and other shoppers with respect and courtesy
- ◇ Look after the elderly who are the most vulnerable with this virus

One of the reasons I came back to Beverley was because of the community and how much everyone looked after each other. I know that in difficult times the community will continue to help and protect each other.

BEVERLEY POLICE – HOW TO CONTACT US

Life threatening or an emergency dial **000**

For all other matters phone **131 444 or 9646 3333 (leave a message if your call is diverted)**

If it's not urgent send us an email Beverley.Police.Station@police.wa.gov.au on twitter [@BeverleyPol](https://twitter.com/BeverleyPol) or drop into the station for a chat.

Please take care and stay safe.

Sergeant Darrell Hagan and Senior Constable Ian Jeffrey



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Dietetics – 9690 1320

Occupational Therapy - 0429 466 224

Physiotherapy – a **Doctors referral is required** – Please send all referrals to P.O Box 140 Beverley or drop them into the Beverley hospital. All referrals are forwarded onto Northam Hospital where they are prioritised and wait listed. Clients will be acknowledged with a letter informing them of the approximate wait time and will be seen in Beverley

Podiatry – a **Doctors referral is required**
Please send to PO Box 142, Beverley or drop referral to the Beverley Hospital (attendance Fridays) **

Social Work – Phone 9690 1320

Speech Pathology – Phone 9690 1321

- Services are provided at the Primary Health Building, on the corner of John and Forrest Streets, Beverley. There may be a waiting time for services.
- These services are provided by WA Country Health Service and are free of charge. (Please note that the Podiatry Service is a private practice and is not free of charge - there is a fee at first consultation but the WACHS/Beverley Health Service do not get involved in taking fee payments – only assisting at receiving the referrals for appointment. The Doctor's referrals are usually faxed to the service provider, Como Podiatry, who contact the patient by phone and make an appointment).
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Practice News!!

Every year the Beverley Medical Practice prepares to manage outbreaks of infectious diseases especially around the influenza season, our staff are committed to keeping our patients safe by providing up to date health advice and information.

With regard to the COVID19 pandemic we are following guidelines set out by the Department of Health.

Health Direct help line 1800 020 080 is a dedicated information line where you can discuss with a nurse how to proceed if you have any concerns at any time.

What should you do to protect yourselves and others- Practice good personal hygiene, by washing your hands thoroughly and frequently with soap and or hand sanitiser such as Aquium gel or similar, coughing into a tissue or the crook of your elbow and staying at home if you are unwell? Wherever possible practice social distancing keep at least 1.5 meters away from others and refrain from physical contact such as shaking hands and hugging. Anyone who is returning from overseas must put themselves in self-isolation for 14 days. **If you are feeling unwell and are not able to attend work you must also stay at home and away from public places such as shops, pharmacies etc.** If you need assistance ask a friend, family member or contact the practice and we may be able to arrange some support.

What should you do if you feel you have contracted the virus and have recently returned from overseas or have been in contact with someone who has tested positive?

Contact the Practice via telephone 9646 1241 **Do not present in person** let our staff know your symptoms and travel history then our staff will organise for our Doctors to attend a consult and collect swabs which will be forwarded to PathWest for analysis. If you feel unwell and are experiencing shortness of breath and need urgent medical help call 000 make sure to let them know your symptoms and travel history, you can also present at the major hospitals via their Emergency Departments, it is important to contact them first and give them your symptoms and travel history.

INFLUENZA IMMUNISATION

We are fast approaching the flu season and the government funded influenza immunisation program (WA) is due to start this month.

- Annual vaccination is the single most effective measure to prevent influenza and its complications.
- Protection against influenza starts to wane within 3 to 4 months following vaccination
- Providers will be informed via on-line ordering in early April and we can then let our patients know when the vaccine will be available.
- All products supplied are quadrivalent influenza vaccines (QIVs) and are latex free.
- The dose of influenza vaccines for all ages is 0.5ml including for young children
- For adults aged over 65 the adjuvanted QIV, Fluvad Quad is recommended over standard QIVs.

Care outside normal opening hours - When the Beverley Medical Practice is closed you can always get medical attention by calling–Ready Care **1800 225 523** or Calling health direct 1800 222 222 or by attending the Beverley District Hospital, located in Sewell Street Beverley where experienced staff will triage the patient and contact the on-call Doctor

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COVID 19 .

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- Clean your hands with soap and water
- Stay at home if sick
- Get Doctors advise / treatment through the phone or Telehealth if you are in isolation –call us today to find out

Get a flu shot now!

An annual flu shot is your best protection against influenza.

Flu shots are free for:

- People aged 65 years and over
 - Pregnant women
- Children under 5 years old
 - Aboriginal people
 - Medically at-risk groups.

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Kinetic Sculpture – Community Poll – Closes 19 May 2020

The Kinetic Sculpture was commissioned by Council as a tourism point of difference from our neighbouring towns with the intention of providing economic benefit. Several locations were initially considered by Council including the Station Arts Carpark, the garden of the old school building, the gravel carpark on Vincent Street adjacent to the train line, in the pond at the information bay on Hunt Road, near the retirement village on Hunt Road and in the garden at Apex Park.

Council at a Corporate Strategy Meeting discussed that the preferred location would be in the pond at the information bay on Hunt Road. The reason for this location was to capture the interest of passing traffic and to view the sculpture from a distance to take in its full effect. It was thought that on seeing the sculpture, tourists and road users may stop to visit or return to Beverley and provide an economic boost to the town.

When the sculpture was ready for installation in early August 2019, the pond was still full of water so it was agreed that it be temporarily installed on the Old School lawn to show case to visitors patronising the 2019 Beverley Agricultural Show.

The sculpture was constructed with the intention of always being located at the pond site. It will cost approximately \$9000 to move and reinstall the sculpture.

Council is keen to hear community thoughts.

The current location and the location in the pond near the information bay are the only two locations being considered.

Note - In light of the serious COVID-19 issue, the sculpture debate is considered a very low priority at this moment, but will be dealt with in due course accordingly. To stay within social distancing guidelines we prefer that you submit your vote by:

Email - admin@beverley.wa.gov.au

Phone – 9646 1200

Post – PO Box 20, Beverley 6304.

The voting box will be located in the entry lobby of the Shire Office and will remain open until 19 May 2020. Individuals are asked not to attend the Shire Office except for essential business only.

Tick one box only

Keep the Kinetic Sculpture on the Old School lawn in its current location

Move the Kinetic Sculpture to its intended location - in the pond on Hunt Road, to bring economic benefit and attention to Beverley.

Comment: _____

IT News

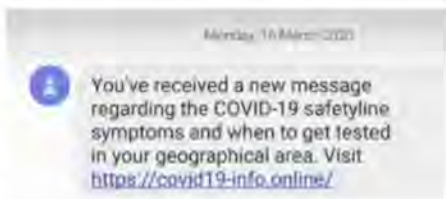
Online scammers taking advantage of COVID-19

People and business are particularly vulnerable in these times and scammers (criminals) are taking advantage of this to get into your bank account

More Australians are now working from home offices and kitchen tables as social distancing measures ramp up. But this change makes us more vulnerable to cybersecurity threats.

Australia's cyber spy agency has warned of increased scams and phishing attempts as criminals take advantage of the disruption. Scamwatch has received 94 reports of COVID-19 scams this year, and rapidly rising.

For example, Phishing scams using COVID-19-themed text messages are circulating in Australia. The one shown here appears to come from GOV, but the link and the



A COVID-19-themed scam text circulating in Australia.
ABC News: Australian Cyber Security Centre

sender are fake. Clicking on the link could install malware designed to steal your banking details. For more information search for "Coronavirus phishing scams Australia" or "Scamwatch"

Do not click on anything unless you are **absolutely** sure it is **not** a scam.

Windows 7 upgrades to Windows 10

I have found that free software upgrades to Windows 10 are available from Microsoft, although this service is not advertised to home users. However, this may not apply to all versions of Windows 7. I can install this as part of an upgrade service.

Some older PCs may not be suitable for upgrade and a new PC would then be recommended. Please phone to discuss suitability.

COVID-19 way of working

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Office 2007 and 2010 support ending

It is no longer safe to use Office 2007 or earlier on your PC as support ended in 2017. This means that Microsoft will no longer fix any security issues found in Office 2007 or earlier.

Office 2010 Extended support ends this year.

I have recently found that there can also be incompatibility issues if you use Office 2007 with Windows 10.

Since Office 2007 support ended in 2017 Microsoft have changed the default Internet browser to Edge and have pushed Internet Explorer into the background.

While doing so, Microsoft changed the way links work from Office applications (Word, Outlook etc.) to a browser (Edge, Firefox, Google, etc.). But Microsoft also removed the way that links work between Office 2007 (and earlier) and browsers.

For example, if you click on a link in Outlook 2007 in Windows 10 you may get this unhelpful message:

"This operation has been cancelled due to restrictions in effect on this computer. Please contact your system administrator."

Usually, you are the Administrator, so this doesn't make sense!

As Office 2007 is no longer supported, Microsoft won't fix this issue. They would prefer that you buy the new Office 365! There is a fix, but I also recommend that, for security, you update to Office 365.

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The Beverley Sub Centre of St John maintains the upkeep of these units by checking them every 12 months, making sure that the pads and batteries are in date and replacing them as required. To assist with this the Beverley sub centre has several donation tins around town. Please feel free to donate to these tins to assist in maintaining these life-saving devices.

In 2019, Beverley sub centre held AED Information sessions with several community groups. These sessions are free and are aimed to familiarize people with AED's and how to use them, should the need arise.

Again in 2020, the Beverley sub centre is offering these free sessions to small community groups and individuals who wish to familiarise themselves with AED's. To arrange this, please contact Jo Haythornthwaite between 9.00am and 2.00 pm on Tuesday or Friday by phone or email.



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Email: beverley@stjohnwa.com.au

COVID-19

There is a lot of concern about COVID-19, and the flu season isn't far away either. PLEASE look after yourselves and each other - keep your distance, cough into your elbow and WASH HANDS frequently and thoroughly.

However, Beverley sub centre and its volunteers wish to assure the community that our volunteers are well-informed and, where required, well trained in following Government and Health Department advice.

Should you, your family or your friends require the use of an ambulance, we will, as always, continue to provide the best possible level of service and care to our community.



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10.00 – 1.00 Mustang Sally - Susan
1.00 – 4.00 Round the Bend. Over the Hill – Rhonda & KT
4.00 – 7.00 Celtic Note - Joe
7.00 – 10.00 Classical Sounds - Chris

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6.00 – 9.00 Tuesday Breakfast - Bob
9.00 - 12.00 Around the World – Leila

12.00 - 3.00 Country Roads – Joe
3.00 – 6.00 Rocking on the Avon - Denni
6.00 – 9.00 Turn it up Tuesday - Michael

WEDNESDAY

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9.00 – 1.00 A Little Bit of Everything - Joe
1.00 – 4.00 Pot Pourri - Peter
6.00 – 9.00 Back to the Future – Frank

THURSDAY

6.00 – 9.00 On the Upbeat - Rhonda
9.00 – 12.00 Mustang Sally - Susan
12.00 – 3.00 Kaleidoscope – Chris
3.00 – 6.00 Sweet with a Beat – KT

FRIDAY

6.00 – 10.00 Friday Breakfast - Bob
10.00 – 12.00 Memory Lane - KT
12.00 – 3.00 **Michael's Mix Up** - Michael
3.00 - 6.00 Tonkin Along – Tonks

SATURDAY

6.00 – 9.00 Solid Gold Breakfast - Frenchy
12.00 – 2.00 Country Trax - Haydn
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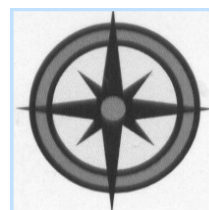
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Warrior Wellbeing Article

Stress in a Viral World

Ironically, many of us “crack a Corona” after a long day at work as a way of easing stress, however many blokes and community members are currently feeling under the pump a little more than usual and therefore, a discussion around that discomfort is timely. The feeling of not being in control and the subsequent stress that we feel has probably never been more widespread than it is today with the threat of Covid19 (The Coronavirus) affecting not only Australia, but the world.

Stressful events can creep up on us, however the current situation is more like that big wave bearing down on us at the beach, we're watching it, but we just have to brace ourselves and hang on. Stress is an entirely normal response to a perceived threat and it's useful when preparing us to take action. That fight or flight mechanism, getting us ready for impending trouble can serve us well, but given free reign, can also result in us becoming dysfunctional.

Letting unresolved stress overburden us is termed “situational distress” and it's important that we understand (depending on our individual capacity and other contributing factors) staying in this distressed state for prolonged periods can push some of us towards a mental illness diagnosis.

What Not to Do

- Retreat into yourself and shun the support of friends and family.
- Self-medicate with alcohol or drugs.
- Ignore surrounding events and do nothing or procrastinate about making any preparations.
- Over-analyse or dwell upon the mountain of negative media and sensational reporting.
- Catastrophise and hoard toilet paper and face masks for the zombie apocalypse.

So, What Can We Do?

- Maintain social networks (within guidelines of self-quarantine if ill, and by phone if necessary).
- Make reasonable and prudent preparations for the contingencies that are within our control. An example might be to have enough supplies for a possible 14-day self-quarantine period. This doesn't constitute hoarding; it's a balanced and proportionate response.
- Have discussions with family around what we will do if someone in the household does get sick. What is the most appropriate room for them? Bathroom access (easier if there is two)? Meal preparation options and shopping options (friends/family/online)?
- Brush up on our sick leave/carer entitlements. Have a discussion with our employers around whether working from home might be an option should we be sick and short of leave.
- Reinforce to our kids and ourselves and importantly practice, good hygiene. The most effective preventative step we can take is as simple as washing our hands thoroughly.

Three ways that we can alleviate the burden of stress are to: **Avoid the stressor**; so be informed but don't dwell or pore over the inexhaustible mountain of sensationalist press. **Adapt to the stressor**; make reasonable and proportionate precautions. **Accept the stressor**; sometimes we just need to realise that some things are beyond our control. This can be difficult but it's also healthier than railing against an unchangeable situation.

Finding ways to relax are also important, so meditation, music, fishing or any favourite pastime, may help us to get things back on an even keel. Most importantly it's our connection with others that has undeniably the greatest health benefits, so **...before it all gets too much...Talk to a Mate!!**

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Due to the rapid escalation of the corona virus. The executive committee has decided to postpone all games until further notice.

We will keep you updated on a regular basis through the Beverley notices, email, messages and Facebook page.

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Beverley GARDEN AND TREE SOCIETY

The first meeting of the Garden Club was held on Tuesday 03 March at the home of our president, Colleen McAdam. We had a wonderful attendance with 27 members present. Most of the meeting was taken up with discussing our activities for the year which includes several outings plus our usual involvement with the Beverley Agricultural show and the Rose Show. After the meeting and morning tea we crossed the road to Ailsa's home to admire the landscaping she has underway in her garden. Ailsa has certainly put in a lot of hard work. We also have a Busy Bee at the Dead Finish garden planned for Monday 06 April from 8.30am onwards. Any help will be gratefully received.

Garden Tips

- It's time to love your leafy greens! Asian greens, lettuce, mizuna, cabbage, silverbeet, rocket and spinach!
- Pop in some carrots during April.
- In the herb patch plant coriander (try a slow bolting variety if it's still warm), parsley, lemon grass, chamomile and oregano.
- Time to plant potatoes too.
- Veggies include artichoke, beetroot, broccoli, brussel sprouts, cauliflower, tomatoes, chilli, garlic and radish.
- Plants feel the need for a feed at this time of year. A seaweed tea, or any low environmental impact liquid fertiliser, is perfect for giving them a kick start as they establish. Apply to the soil early in the morning and in the concentrations mentioned on the packet.
- Pretty up the patch with these flowering fancies – marigolds, sunflowers and pansies, cornflowers, violas, snapdragons, stock, verbena and lavender. Putting these in around your veggies will give some colour and interest to the patch, and act as beneficial insect attractors!
- Consider a green manure crop to add some life and love to an overworked patch. At this time of year, try millet, oats, lupins or field peas. This will improve your soil incredibly, and, as a bit of forward planning, you'll find it well worth the effort!
- Water smarter at this time of year. Water first thing in the morning, and instead of quick irrigation, a nice, deep drink a couple of times a week is far more beneficial! Always check soil moisture before watering at this time of year... don't waste your precious drinking water if Mother Nature has already done all the hard work for you!
- Top up mulch on your veggie patches, herb gardens and ornamental beds, especially important for weed suppression at this time of year. A hot tip is to mulch after watering the patch, to a depth of about 7cm. Keep mulch clear of plant stems... especially young seedlings. Choose a sustainable, low environmental impact mulch, one that will enrich your soil as it breaks down.
- Weeding is an awesome job to do at this time of year. It may sound tedious, but it's incredibly rewarding!

Since this meeting we have encountered the advent of the Corona virus, so have reluctantly cancelled all meetings and outings until further notice. The busy bee will go on as planned.



All workshops have been cancelled for now. We will advise everyone of rescheduled dates later in the year. Thank you for your support. Stay safe everyone.

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Wheatbelt NRM is also keen to help our schools, playgroups, day cares and youth groups be part of this event. Once you've registered your event with Planet Ark contact us and we can work out how we can do it together.

From assisting with site selection, developing seedlings lists or finding seedlings in nurseries, Wheatbelt NRM are keen to help. Apply for the Seedling Bank support at the Planet Ark website. If you're not successful we may have limited funds available to help pay for the cost of your seedlings.

Please send an email to info@wheatbeltnrm.org.au to register your interest and we'll contact you. Register now through the Planet Ark website at as we need to find available seedlings promptly for your event this year.



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The European wasps' scavenging behaviour and drive for protein is **DISTINCTIVE** and unique. It's key to detecting and locating their nests. If these wasps aren't ruining your BBQ or eating from your dog's bowl, they may just find their way into a surveillance trap – attracted to the protein (fish) lure inside. Your watchful eyes and reports are helping us detect wasps and find their nests. **DO NOT STOP LOOKING!** As winter approaches, wasps start to turn off protein (favouring sugars) and we'll lose the opportunity to find them.

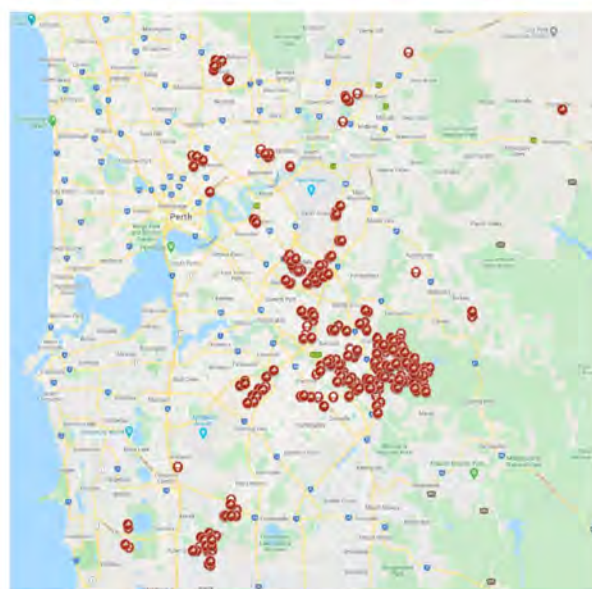
Quick Stats

- 100 nests found and destroyed as of mid-March; 99 in the Perth Metro, 1 in Hyden, and 1 evading us in Geraldton!
- 4000+ traps deployed across WA
- 1000+ enquiries with 30 positive reports

Know what to look for

Unlike the widespread and similar looking black and yellow paper wasp, European wasps (*Vespula germanica*):

- **Scavenge** on human and pet food
- **Feed on fruit** like grapes and stone fruit
- **Nest underground** - nests are now larger than a basketball and have a small (golf ball sized) entrance hole
- Have **black** antenna
- Do **NOT** dangle their legs when flying



Hot spots across the Perth Metro shown in red. Geraldton and Hyden also have detections.

For more information about the program, how to identify wasps or how you can help further, see agric.wa.gov.au/wasps or contact our Pest and Disease Information Service.



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APRIL 2020

DAY	CHURCH LOCATION	TIME		SERVICE
		am	pm	
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Sunday, 5 April 2020	St. Mark's Brookton			
Sunday, 5 April 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
Sunday, 5 April 2020	St. John in the Wilderness, the Dale			
Friday 10 April 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
*Sunday 12 April 2020	St. Mark's Brookton			
*Sunday 12 April 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
Sunday, 19 April 2020	St. Mark's Brookton			
Sunday, 19 April 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
Sunday, 26 April 2020	St. Mark's Brookton			
Sunday, 26 April 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
Saturday, 2 May 2020	St. Mary's Beverley			
**Sunday 3 May, 2020	St. John in the Wilderness, the Dale			

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Tuesday 07	-
Wednesday 08	Smith M
Thursday 09	-
Friday 10	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Monday 13	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Tuesday 14	-
Wednesday 15	Johnson J
Thursday 16	-
Friday 17	Kessener R
Monday 20	Howell J
Tuesday 21	-
Wednesday 22	Smith M
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Station News

**The Station garden is available for public use at any time;
just open the gates and enjoy!**

What horrific times we are living in now and into the unforeseeable future due to COVID-19. How things have changed so quickly from last month's Station News to now is quite unbelievable, and the impact is far reaching. We hope that everyone is keeping well at this difficult time. Following the ban on indoor gatherings of 100 or more people, we have now gone beyond that and cancelled all events and performances until further notice.

Our primary responsibility is the health, safety and wellbeing of our audiences, volunteers and artists. Please join us in practising strict positive hygiene and social distancing. If you feel unwell, even with cold or mild illness, we ask that you please stay home for the safety of everyone.

On a lighter note, let us reflect on what did happen at the Station during the month of March:



Artists-in-Residence

Len Zuks

Artist-in-Residence for the first two weeks in March was Len Zuks who put in a powerhouse of work whilst here working mainly on huge canvases on the station platform. A last-minute wine and cheese evening was organised as a show and tell of his impressive collection. See pics of a great evening below.





Some people just don't know when to go home!



Kath Moore

Artist-in-Residence for the final two weeks in March was Kath Moore who enjoyed her time sketching and painting many portraits of people around town though with the COVID-19 pandemic heating up she saw fewer and fewer visitors coming through the Station Gallery doors.



THE NEXT 3 MONTHS RESIDENCIES ARE POSTPONED TILL FURTHER NOTICE DUE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND THE GALLERY WILL BE CLOSED

Please keep an eye on the weekly Bulletin for further information regarding residencies, workshops or any changes to schedule - or contact Artist in Residence Coordinator Marylou on 96471027 / 0427085511 or email: hutchinson@wn.com.au

Artists-in-Residence Programme for 2020 - THE NEXT 3 MONTHS RESIDENCIES ARE POSTPONED

January: Kaitlyn Elsegood
 February: Pia Remund
 March: Len Zuks - first 2 weeks; then Kath Moore
 April: Carollyn Rhodes-Thompson **POSTPONED**
 May: Rod Brown **POSTPONED**
 June: Suzi Marwick **POSTPONED**

July: Joanne Francis
 September: Trish Davis
 Oct: Thelma Cluning, Sally Watts, Suzanne Crawley
 Nov: 01-08 Verena Marmion; 09-30 Michele Scott
 December: Cynthia Boyle and Ngaere Donald



Easter Art Exhibition - CANCELLED

Beverley Station Arts has had to make the heart wrenching decision to cancel the Easter Art Exhibition following direction from our local Beverley Shire Council. Due to the current situation with COVID-19 outbreak they have advised Beverley Station Arts against holding the event. We're not enjoying for a moment cancelling the exhibition at this late stage, but we find we have little choice but to adhere to the Department of Health's advice of cancelling events where the recommended social distancing measures (1.5m between individuals) cannot be achieved.

So, all things considered, it is with much regret that we will not be seeing and promoting the beautiful and varied artworks in Beverley this year. But we do hope that we can have everyone's support in 2021 when this current crisis will be all but a bad dream.

All entry fees will be refunded at our earliest convenience. Please be patient, bearing in mind we are all volunteers.

Take care, everyone.



Beverley Station Singers

The next practice for Station Singers is still to be decided because of not only the corona virus, but also those choir members when permitted, will focused on working (from home) with the BAD group for their musical comedy "Cocky's Crossing". For anyone interested in joining the Station Singers later in 2020 please contact Tracey Fleay 0409 481 029 / traceyfleay67@gmail.com



Platform Theatre

The Platform Theatre will be sadly without any action for the next few months.



NEW OWNER - The fabulous puppet /acting / animation show by *Last Great Hunt* for all ages due to touring regional WA has now also been **postponed** to a later date – but just when is to be decided when things settle down a bit. CircuitWest has communicated that they will begin the process again to make the tour happen sometime in the future.



We haven't heard as yet whether the **Choir Bash** will go ahead as planned for **12 September 12th** but hopefully by then the world will be a better place in which to live and we can start socializing again. And singing into Spring has always been a great way to begin our season of events.

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Beverly Station Arts
Platform Theatre

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Postponed

2020 Performance Dates
Friday 27th March
Saturday 28th March
Friday 3rd April
Saturday 4th April

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Beverly Amateur Dramatics (BAD)

COCKY'S CROSSING - the forthcoming BAD performance of the Australian musical comedy to be performed over two weekends March/April has unhappily been postponed due to the current COVID-19 pandemic. So much work had gone into the production and it was just at the full rehearsal stage! However, it is planned to start rehearsals again around September should that be possible. The BAD Committee wish to say a massive thank you to all the cast and crew for giving up their Tuesday and Thursday nights and Sunday afternoons to give Beverley the best show possible. This amazingly talented group of committed people were so excited to show you everything they had been working so hard on over the last few months. The committee also extend a big thank you to the families of the cast and crew for supporting the group attending rehearsals over this time. They are so upset that this has happened but is out of everyone's control. The show will happen though, over two weekends as before but in six months' time - so, **mark it on your calendars now!** - **Friday 30 and Saturday 31 October, and Friday 6 and Saturday 7 November.** For more information contact Britt Hadlow by email: britt.hadlow47@hotmail.com or beverleyamateurdramatics@gmail.com

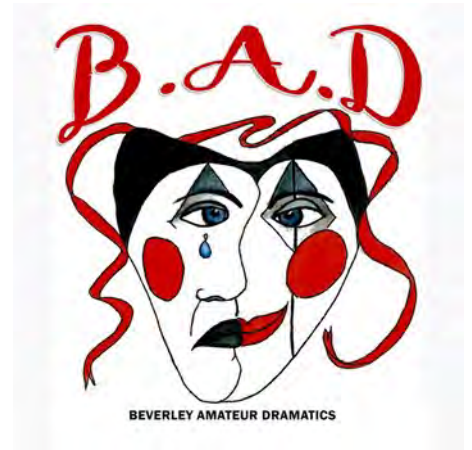
Below are some pics of *Cocky's Crossing* rehearsals - a taster of what is to come in six months' time!



BEVERLEY AMATEUR DRAMATICS

Performance Postponed

Due to the current global crisis as well as travel and performance restrictions, the performance dates for 'Cocky's Crossing' have been postponed and will be rescheduled for a later date; we are looking towards performing around the end of October.



This very difficult decision was made following the recommendations of government and medical authorities to help reduce the spread of the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).

All tickets for our original performances will be honoured for any future performances. Those not able to attend the new show dates are eligible for refunds at point of purchase.

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Beverley Bowling & Croquet Club

The social Barefoot Bowls competition sponsored by Shazmac Plumbing concluded on Friday 28 February after 5 weeks of very enjoyable and, at times, very competitive bowls.

A total of 10 teams of 3 entered and by all accounts all players thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Winners at the end of 5 weeks were Golf 1 (Chris Pepper, Allan Hammond & John Donavon). Second placed was the Beverley Tennis Club and third was Avon Trading.

The Bowling Club would like to give a very big thank you to Shazmac Plumbing for their continued support of this annual event and to all those people who played over the 5 weeks.



"Winners are grinners – Golf 1 John Donavon, Sharon MacDonald (Shazmac Plumbing), Allan Hammond and skipper Chris Pepper.

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Beverley Golf Club

Update on COVID19

From the Golf Australia Website

25/3, GA has received advice from the office of the Federal Sports Minister that golf can continue to be played while adhering to strict social distancing measures as announced by the Federal Government, and in conjunction with state/territory licensing laws.

From Clubs WA

The playing of golf can continue provided social distancing measures are in place. All licensed clubhouses should be immediately closed, with no food or beverage service taking place. Clubs should not provide any seated areas.

From the Golf W.A. Website

March 25, 2020

In light of last night's announcements by the Prime Minister in order to seek clarity, Golf Australia has been advised by the Office of the Federal Minister for Sport that golf can continue to be played in line with all social distancing and other restrictions advised to date.

Obviously social distancing is key, so we direct all golfing facilities to look at measures to achieve this including increasing the gaps between time slots; advise members/players to arrive at the tee 5 minutes before their tee time; no practice facilities; what processes do we have in place to ensure that golfers can't congregate – the clear messaging is to arrive, play and leave immediately after golf (again to ensure no gatherings).

From your Committee

In light of the above announcements all fixtured events have been cancelled until at least June. We are still allowed to play socially as long as we follow social distancing procedures. The clubhouse and patio area is closed until further notice. The toilets/changerooms will be open but no more than two people are to enter at the same time.

As such, ***Mens golf will continue for social golf only*** on Saturday afternoons at around 12:30 for 18 holes and Wednesday afternoon Scroungers for 6 holes. No trophies can be awarded but your cards will still be eligible for handicapping. If you want to play please text Captain Mark Kont on 0490 037 810 by Midday on Saturdays 3:45pm Wednesdays and he will advise your tee off time by return text. You can arrange your own groups (**no more than 3 per group**) but still please advise Mark so that no clashes of tee times occur.

If we all follow these simple procedures we hope to continue enjoying our game (as best we can) throughout the current crisis.

Busy Bees

Two Busy Bees were held during March to get our course into shape for the coming season. We thank those who volunteered a little of their time to help make the course playable for all. As a result, we have managed to get the course looking neat and tidy and it now depends on rains to provide some sort of grass coverage. Keep fingers crossed.

Thanks also go to **Andrew Shaw** for providing sand for green maintenance, to **Don Davies** for being our plant operator on the day, and to **Derek Hammond Water Carting** for water supply.

We'd also like to specially thank **John and Helen Shier** for the loan of a cherry picker which came in very useful for clearing back taller trees and to **Ian and Judy Williams** for the loan of a boom spray to assist with weed control.

Scroungers

Scroungers Golf has continued every Wednesday afternoon throughout the summer. Results for March: February 26th – 16 Played – Joint Winners Fred Bremner and Mike Carthew – 16 points

March 4th – 15 Played – Winner Paul Burns – 17 points

March 11th – 14 Played – Winner John Donovan – 15 points

March 18th – 15 Played – Winner Mike Carthew – 17 points

March 25th – 16 played – Winner Mel Vivian – 17 points

Ladies Golf News

Unfortunately our golf fixtures have gone into suspension until June 1st, but this might change depending on advice from GolfWA. So, there will be no fixtures sent out, no competitions and no one is allowed into the club house except for President, captains, vice captains, Secretary and Treasurer.

Ladies games will look like the following:

Play social 9 or 18 holes golf on Tuesdays beginning 07 April. Please try to get the clubhouse at about 10 as we need to go through the strict regulations that have been put into place.

We still have to pay a green fee of \$5.00

No golf balls will be given out, due to possible cross contamination of COVID-9.

Below is the directive from Golf WA and our President, Darrell Hagan:

Beverley Golf Club continues to monitor the advice from the Australian Government and GolfWA. As of 25 March 2020 the advice we have received is that golf can continue to be played in line with all social distancing and other restrictions. The Beverley Golf Club has its members as its number one priority and with this mind we have developed the below guidelines:

- **Clubhouse including licensed bar to be closed effective immediately. Only Authorized personnel allowed entry into clubhouse. (President, club captains, secretary and treasurer).**
- **No golf scoring cards will be allowed because of cross contamination. You will have to use the app called Hole19. This will be explained further on our first day.**
- **Entry only allowed by players to toilet areas. Maximum 2 persons on toilet area at one time. Only use one door and door to be wedged open during social games.**
- **Only 1 person allowed in buggy room at one time**
- **Only one person per motorized cart. Player to sanitize cart utilizing disinfectant before and after use.**
- **Flag pins and green scrappers should not be handled unless using the hand wearing a golf glove.**
- **All advice pertaining to avoiding actual contact between players should be observed. Two club lengths' distance at all times (1.5 metres)**
- **Wear at least one glove at all times while playing.**
- **Regularly wash your hands with hot soapy water as often as possible.**
- **Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth.**
- **Use alcohol-based hand sanitiser frequently.**
- **The practice of Social Distancing (i.e. 1.5 metres apart, no handshakes, maintaining distances etc.)**
- **Only 3 persons per playing group.**
- **When you finish playing, you must go home.**

Also:

If you have recently returned from overseas, you are now required by law to self-isolate for 14 days upon their return, as of midnight on Sunday, March 15. During this period, you should not visit the golf club for any reason.

It is hoped that by following these guidelines that we provide a safe environment for those wanting to play golf whilst still permissible by the Australian Government. Please make sure you follow this for the safety and well-being of not only yourself but everyone else in the community.

Please take care of yourself and your family in these very different and challenging circumstances.

Sera Minchin
Ladies Golf Captain

Be Very Straight

Beverley Lawn Tennis Club-2020 Season End



Sadly like many other clubs and groups, our season came to an early end on Friday 20 March after a directive from Tennis West to assist in the Corona Virus containment. Prior to this date we were also advised that our beloved 87th Annual Easter Tennis Tournament was not to proceed.

In regards to the Easter Tournament, a special thank you to the match committee – Mandy, Carissa, Chantelle, Aliesha and Bec who dealt with the difficult “are we, aren't we?” period which was quite stressful and full of questions. Then the large task of notifying our sponsors, competitors and volunteers of the cancellation. The match committee (supported by the club committee) did a wonderful job of keeping the communication flowing and organising refunds. We also recognise our greenskeeper Rob de Gruchy who had made a significant start on the oval courts and to the rest of the committee for the progress they had made in their Easter tasks.

Thank you to the Major Sponsors – R & L Hiab and Beverley Transport; our gold sponsors - Beverley Bakehouse, Elders, T-Bone & Sons and Beverley Gas and Plumbing Services; and silver sponsors - Avon Trading, Beverley Country Kitchen, Freemasons Tavern, Beverley IGA and Hotel Beverley. There have been several Easter Sponsors who insisted we keep their sponsorship, your generosity is valued and greatly appreciated. We ask all our members to continue to support our local businesses in what's probably going to be tough times ahead.

The Committee looks forward to the 87th Easter Tournament coming back better than ever in 2021.

Prior to the end of the season we managed to play the Championship Doubles, sponsored by Paul and Debbie Roediger. It was a great afternoon of some ripping matches! The Ladies Doubles Champions were Narelle Bailey and Carissa Shaw over runners up Deb Roediger and Annie Budiselik. The Men's Doubles Champions were Damien Murray and Mitchell Ashworth, runner up to them was Marc Edwards and Ben Murray. Unfortunately the Mixed Doubles were scheduled for late March and hence will not be played this season.

The AGM, which was set for Sunday 5 April has now been postponed. As a club we would like to take the opportunity to thank the committee, members, sponsors and supporters for the 2019/20 Season. Thank you also to the Shire of Beverley for your continued support. In 2019/20 we progressed tennis with our juniors holding both coaching and tournaments. Our competitions remained strong and our club has a great Sunday social attendance and atmosphere which is the envy of many clubs in the region.

Stay safe and healthy.
Roll on season 2020/21!

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FOOTBALL CLUB

2020 SEASON POSTPONED

In a united decision with the AFL and other State football bodies, the West Australian Football Commission has agreed to postpone all senior and junior community football in both metropolitan and regional Western Australia.

Consistent with the decision yesterday in relation to State League football and talent programs, all community football competitions will be postponed until 31 May 2020.

This includes Auskick, AFL 9s and community AFLX competitions, and also extends to football training sessions and face-to-face education courses.

The recommendation was collectively agreed upon based on the nature of shared public facilities across community football clubs and the health and safety of football's volunteer network.

WAFC CEO Gavin Taylor said the health and well-being of players, coaches, umpires, officials, volunteers and the local community was at the forefront of the decision. "The WAFC is determined to be part of the whole of community response to slow down the spread of Coronavirus and help the broader community and our health systems to cope," he said. "We strongly agree with the AFL and other State football bodies that given the current climate of uncertainty and complexity it is best to take decisive action now."

"We will be working through this postponement with all senior and junior competitions and affiliates throughout WA over the coming days and remain committed to offering our full support to community football during this time."

"Football is part of the fabric of our community and we will do everything possible to ensure we can overcome this unprecedented challenge together so that football not only survives, but thrives."

The WAFC will continue to meet with the AFL and other State football bodies in relation to community football and will continually review this decision based on the changing circumstances and advice from government and relevant health authorities and medical experts.

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Unfortunately due to the current Coronavirus issue we have been directed by Netball WA that all forms of netball are to be delayed/cancelled/postponed until 30 May. Keep an eye out on Facebook for netball quizzes and other netball activities to keep you netball ready. We will keep you updated if there are any changes.

But Great news, our bags have arrived. If you would like to get your hands on yours please email us at beverlynetballclub@gmail.com and the treasurer will give you bank details and instructions on where to pick up. Please also state if you would like the badge attached or not.



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BEVERLEY REDBACKS HOCKEY CLUB



Due to the COVID-19 pandemic we are unable to commence training as planned, and the season is going to be postponed to start 31 May. We will keep everyone informed with any new information on this matter via our Facebook Page, so please like us if you wish to keep up to date!

We wish all our players, supporters and community all the best at this time and hope everyone stays happy and healthy.

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Beverley Horse and Pony Club



Dryandra Tetrathlon @ Caballing: On 22 and 23 February 3 members competed and all came home with placings. Emily Maxwell 2nd in the 45cm 13yrs and over, Carly Ballantyne 3rd in the 45cm 12yrs and under and Mac Ballantyne 3rd in the men's 65cm.



York Pony Club Tetrathlon: On 07 and 08 March saw 5 members compete, all coming home with ribbons and rosettes. Jessamin Pain 1st in the 45cm open, Mac Ballantyne 2nd in the 65cm 13yrs and over, Emily Maxwell 2nd in the 45cm 13yrs and over, Jess Maxwell and Carly Ballantyne completion ribbons. Huge effort and fantastic results!



1st Rally 1st March: Our February rally was moved to March to provide the opportunity for our riders to attend the Dryandra Tetrathlon. Fantastic to see a great turn out for our first rally for the year. All riders participated in Dressage lesson, Show Jumping lesson, Cross Country or ride out lesson and Horsemastership lesson.



2nd Rally 15th March: Very busy day with 3 full groups rotating through dressage, show jumping, cross country and Horsemastership. Each year Active Riding has new team games (PPMG) and novelties for riders to learn, therefore each group got a chance to learn and practice three of the six novelties at this rally.

Welcome: to the Mills Family and Sam & Jack Ballantyne, who have all joined our club this year.

Members: Any new members or queries please contact Jessamin Pain, our Coach Co-ordinator, via bevpc.coaching@gmail.com or 044 7722 958

Follow us on Facebook @ Beverley (West Aust) Horse And Pony Club Events

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2020 Upcoming dates and events ...To Be Advised

UPCOMING EVENTS 2020

★★ 2020 ★★

27-28 March	Cocky's Crossing – POSTPONED
03-04 April	Cocky's Crossing – POSTPONED
09-13 April	Beverley Art Prize – CANCELLED
10-13 April	Easter Tennis Competition – CANCELLED
11 April	Easter Markets – CANCELLED
17 April	New Owner - Platform Theatre – POSTPONED
18 April	Macrame - POSTPONED
22 August	Beverley Show – CANCELLED
17 & 18 Oct	Beverley Heroic

The flag was flown at half-mast on the Beverley Town Hall as a mark of respect to:-

- ATKINS , Doreen
- SHIER, Leon (Lee)
- PAULSEN, Kevin Richard

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