

BEVERLEY BLARNEY

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December 2011
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and happy
Festive Season.

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PRESENTS

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*Saturday 17th December
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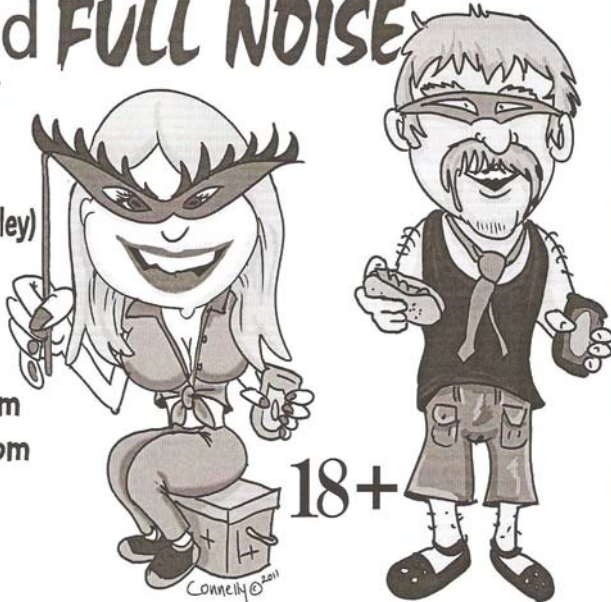
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SHIRE OF BEVERLEY

**BEVERLEY WALK
TRAIL**

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

The Council is inviting and seeking comments and suggestions from Community groups and individuals on a plan for a Walk Trail within the Townsite of Beverley.

The plan proposes a Walk Trail from approximately the Dead Finish Museum generally following the creek line to and along a part of the Avon River. The railway line crossing point has yet to be decided.

The Council is particularly interested in points of Heritage, Cultural and Environmental significance.

A copy of the plan and more information is available from the Shire Office.

Comments and suggestions should be addressed to:

Mr S P Gollan
Acting Chief Executive Officer,
Shire of Beverley
PO Box 20
BEVERLEY WA 6304

and are to be submitted by 4.00 pm,
Thursday, 22 December 2011.

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**SHIRE OF BEVERLEY
CHRISTMAS NEW YEAR PERIOD**

**The Shire Office will be closed from 4.00pm Friday 23 December 2011
and will reopen 8.30 am Tuesday, 3 January 2012**

**We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a safe and
Happy New Year**

**The President, Councillors and
Staff at the Shire of Beverley**

President's Report

December 2011

Fire-Break Order

Slashing and burning activity has been occurring around the town recently to comply with the Shire's Firebreak Order, you may have even received a reminder that the work needed to be done?

Release of the WA Government commissioned Keelty Report which delved into all aspects of bushfire risk management following the disastrous Perth Hills bushfires in Roleystone-Kelmscott earlier this year has reinforced that prevention and risk management are important factors in being prepared. There is no doubt the review will be ongoing following the recent Margaret River fire.

Assistance provided by the town brigade under the direction of Fire Control Officer Darren Boyle is greatly appreciated.

Wheatbelt Development Commission Sub-Regional Forum

The Acting CEO and I recently attended a Wheatbelt Development Commission "Avon" sub-regional workshop encompassing the Shires of Beverley, Brookton, Cunderdin, Northam, Quairading, Pingelly, Tammin and York.

The aim of the workshops is to identify appropriate Regional Country Local Government Fund projects and begin the process toward integrated planning and the development of a regional investment blueprint.

Priority areas are Telecommunica-

tions, Aged Care, Waste Management, Land Development, Health and Transport Routes.

Recreation Facilities Update

Amenities Building Repair - The building tender for insurance repairs to the Amenity building will be awarded early December. Council is expecting the works to be completed prior to commencement of the 2012 winter sporting season.

New works - The tender to provide architectural services and construction supervision for the Beverley Oval and Recreation Centre was awarded to ADC Projects. Final plans are now being prepared to facilitate advertising the construction tender. The Shire Recreation Committee comprises Councillors Alexander, Foster, Murray, Shaw and Ridgway.

Roadworks

The road programme is continuing with recent widening and sealing of a 2km section of the eastern end of Vincent St and widening of a 1.8km section of Westdale Rd east of Lupton Rd, underway. The Plant & Works committee and Works Supervisor will be reviewing the 10 year road programme early next year in preparation for next year's budget.

Christmas Banners

The Community Resource Centre have assisted Council to commence refurbishment and upgrade of the community Christmas decorations by sponsoring and organising Banners for the main street banner poles.

Station Platform Theatre and Avondale Harvest Festival

On the weekend of 19th/20th November two significant events were hosted in our Shire. Beverley Station Arts presented Daryl Braithwaite at the Platform Theatre as part of an inaugural season of programmed events at the Railway Station, and the Avondale Farm Project Association hosted the 17th Harvest Festival at the Heritage listed Avondale Farm. Both venues are unique and have the potential for increasing importance to not only local and surrounding areas, but to the Wheatbelt region as a whole. It's amazing that both these events were staged by volunteers, the Harvest Festival having some 90 helpers alone!

Thank you to everyone involved for your contribution to our wonderful community.

Dee Ridgway
Shire President



SHIRE OF BEVERLEY

BUSHFIRE BRIGADE OFFICERS

For 2011/2012 season




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North East 1 Brigade	Lincoln Murray	9641 6146	0428 211 371
Morbinning 1 Brigade	Deane Aynsley	9646 6246	0428 466 246
Avondale 1 Brigade	John Barrett-Lennard	9646 1278	0429 461 278
Kokeby West 1 Brigade	David Adams	9646 1378	0429 461 378
Dale 1 Brigade	Robert Fisher	9647 2045	0427 472 045
Dale West 1 Brigade	Paul Schilling	9647 1008	0427 158 908
Talbot 1 Brigade	Andrew Shaw	9648 1022	0428 481 022
CESM	Justin Corrigan		0427 057 719

HARVEST BAN HOTLINE - 9646 0145

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PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD

Notice is hereby given that the PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD for the Shire of Beverley begins on Thursday 24 NOVEMBER 2011 to 14 February 2012, unless otherwise notified.

NO FIRES ARE ALLOWED

THE USE OF SLASHERS AND TILLAGE IMPLEMENTS IS PROHIBITED UNTIL THE LIFTING OF THE PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD.

FOR NOTIFICATION OF HARVEST BANS,

Please call the Shire of Beverley

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Shire of Beverley
Recycling and Landfill Site Manager.



Applications are invited for the above position to manage and maintain the Council's Recycling and Landfill Site in Nicholas Street Beverley.

The site operates from 8.00am to 4.00pm on Saturday, Sunday and Monday (except Christmas Day and New Year Day)

The Council has endorsed the Towards Zero Waste WA program and wishes to appoint a person to engage in all facets of this program.


The Council will negotiate retention of income by the Site Manager for recycled materials.

The initial appointment will be for 12 month period with a possible extension after that time.

A job description, remuneration and employment details available from the Shire Office or by telephoning 96461200.


Written applications will close at 4pm on 13 December 2011 and should be addressed to the undersigned

S P Gollan
Acting Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Beverley
PO Box 20
BEVERLEY 6304.



WESTERN AUSTRALIA POLICE

BEVERLEY CRIME EWATCH



Beverley Police are launching a new initiative called eWATCH.

What is eWATCH?
eWATCH is a crime alert email sent to all registered residents and businesses. Registered members will receive a regular update from the Officer in Charge at Beverley Police Station on crime trends, statistics, and safety tips.

How do I register?
If you're a local business or resident, become a registered eWATCH member and make a difference. Send your name and preferred email address to:

Beverley.Crime.Ewatch@police.wa.gov.au

Merry Christmas
From Mark and Angie
at the



BEVERLEY BAKERY

The bakery will be closed for our annual holiday from
25 December 2011 to 18 January 2012
Inclusive

We wish all our customers a safe and happy New Year.

GARAGE SALE

44 Hunt Rd, Beverley
Saturday 3rd December 2011,
10am - 2pm

Household Items, Furniture,
Books, Wii Games, Toys,
Craft Items, Camping Gear,
Clothes and much more.

Dale Hall Christmas Tree

Saturday 17th December
at 9.30am
Father Christmas arrives
10am
All welcome.
Anne Fisher 9647 2055





Year 12 Narrogin Ag College student Travis Boyle from Beverley has successfully completed a Cert II in Automotive and Cert II in Metals and Engineering Mechanical.

Travis is to be congratulated on gaining a Heavy Vehicle Mechanic apprenticeship with Coote Motors in Brookton which he commenced in October.

Amongst other achievements Travis achieved Cert II in Wool Classing and his skipper's ticket and has enjoyed his 2 years at the College.

Joyeux Noël et Bonne Année!to
all my wonderful Customers!

Thank you for your loyal support

Wishing you all the best for a
prosperous 2012

Cathy

Catherine Riches

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A group of Gartrell and Bechtel (Anderson) descendents enjoyed an interesting day "on the Dale" recently. Some met for the first time and others caught up after many years. The occasion celebrated the Centenary year of the marriages of brothers Archibald and Thomas Gartrell, to sisters Mary May and Lillian Bechtel (Anderson), in April and November 1911.

Tom and Archie's father Benjamin Gartrell emigrated from Cornwall to South Australia in 1866, where he later married Sophia Prisk and had a family of four sons. During the Western Australian gold rush, the sons Henry, Frank, Thomas and Archibald moved to Western Australia where they ran a general store in Boulder. In 1903 Tom and Archie ventured to "The Dale" to take up land at Sherlock Gully, clearing the land and farming their properties "Dingwall" and "Mambine" until the late 1950's. The two farms remained in the Gartrell family for many more years and a portion of "Dingwall" is still owned by Gartrell family members today.

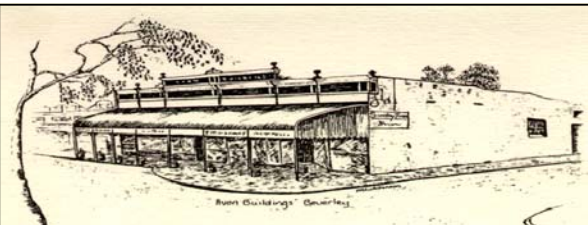
May and Lillian Bechtel came from South Australia to Western Australia with their parents Robert and Dorothea Elisabeth Bechtel in 1890. Robert Bechtel had been born to Scottish parents called Anderson but both of his parents died when he was very young. Robert was fostered by Konrad and Mary Bechtel of Adelaide and taught the trade of saddle-making. Once settled in Perth, Robert set up a successful saddlery business, located in Hay and Barrack Streets. Robert's wife (known as Elisabeth) was of German origin, her grandfather Friedrich Kleeman arriving on Kangaroo Island in 1837, one of the first German settlers there. After living on Kangaroo Island for five years Friedrich moved to Jacob's Creek in the Barossa Valley, where he farmed and remained for the rest of his life.

In 1905 Robert and Elisabeth Bechtel took up land in the Dale River area, some 10,000 acres called "Boyagarring Station", later known as "Romilly". A friendship developed between the Bechtel and Gartrell families, which later led to the marriages of Tom and Lily and Archie and May.

The Gartrell descendents thank Carole Dorman for kindly allowing them to view the site of the original Bechtel homestead at "Romilly" and for sharing her knowledge of the history of the property. They are also grateful to the Dale River Tennis Club for allowing them to have use of the facilities at the club for the occasion.

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A VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS
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WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT
THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

**Open Invitation to the
 Community of Beverley**

After years of dedicated service to our school, Mrs Chris Mann (nee Jeffrey), has decided to call it a day. In recognition of this occasion, Beverley District High School will be holding a function to celebrate this event.

When: Wednesday 14th December 2011 at 3.30pm

Where: Beverley District High School

RSVP: Friday 9th December 2011 to the School Office 9646 1165

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Our ThriftyLink Catalogues are out now on Sale from 30th Nov - 24th Dec. With lots of ideas for the whole family. We have more Chrissy lights to choose from in store. Help and advice in always on hand with..... Jo and Vicki with Peter on Saturday's



May your new year
 be safe and happy



Geoff & Jenny

at

Beverley Farm Services

Wish our Customers a Happy Christmas & Safe
 and Prosperous New Year.

Thank you for your patronage in 2011

**Beverley Farm Services
Christmas/New Year Trading Hours**

**CLOSED FROM 24th December 2011
 Re opening Wednesday 28th December 2011**

**New Year
 CLOSED from 31st December 2011
 Re-opening Tuesday 3rd January 2012**

★ ★ ★ **OPENING HOURS** ★ ★ ★
 Monday – Friday: 8.30am – 4.00pm
CHRISTMAS CLOSING DATES
 We will be closing at 4pm on Friday 24th December 2011
 Re-open with normal trading hours on
 Monday 9th January 2012
 ★ ★ ★ *******For the period of 28th December-6th January******* ★ ★ ★
 Open from 12pm-2pm for basic internet & Centrelink services

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 E: beverley@crc.net.au
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*****TICKETS ON SALE NOW*****



WILD WOMEN OF THE WEST
 Keynote Speaker Maggie Dent
 Monday 5th December 2011

Major Prize worth \$1,400 to The Richardson Hotel
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Christmas Family Picnic Concert
 Beverley Platform Theatre
 Saturday 17th December
 Tickets \$25 Adults
 Children under 18 FREE
 Licensed Event-NO BYO
 Tickets available from CRC


Merry Christmas Beverley
 We wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year in 2012.

We thank all of the Beverley community for their amazing ongoing support of the centre during 2011. The products and services at the centre keep growing each year and we will continue to strive to bring our community more and more. We are very proud of the Christmas Banners that will be displayed in the main street during the festive season. The designs on the banners were done by the centre.

Wheatbelt Trainee of the Year Awards.


The staff and committee would like to congratulate our trainee at the centre, Gemma Ugle.

She was nominated at the recent Wheatbelt Trainee of the Year 2011, in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Year category. Gemma was runner up in her category and received a Highly Commended Award. Gemma had a great support crew on the day that travelled to the new Northam Recreation Centre for the awards. Photos of Gemma and the Hon. Mia Davies MLC will be published in The Nationals Newsletter.



Western Australian
Community Resource Network
2011 Celebrating 20 years

Beverley CRC Celebrated their 20th Anniversary with a **BIG BREAKFAST.**
 On Tuesday 15th November 65 CRC's in the state took part in this simulcast event. The event was broadcasted on the Westlink Channel with various CRC's linking in via video conference. We would like to thank all the businesses and clients that helped us celebrate on this day.



Bonnets and Boats

“Roses from the Heart”® Convict Women Bonnet Memorial

Christina Henri is coming to Beverley on
Saturday 10th March.

She will be giving an afternoon
presentation about the bonnet memorial.

Venue : Beverley Lesser Hall
1.30pm

Enquiries to Robyn Murray

grmurray53@bigpond.com or 96461660



Her Excellency Ms Quentin Bryce AC Governor
General of Australia at Cascades Female Factory
with artist Christina Henri and bonnet paying tribute
to convict woman Mary Walsh.

BEVERLEY TREE & GARDEN SOCIETY

A depleted number of members
attended the Dead Finish on Monday
7 November for our last meeting of
the year. This meeting also incorpo-
rated our AGM. Betty Cable
presided whilst office bearer
elections took place.

Vera Johnson was elected unani-
mously as President, Betty Cable as
Vice-President, Raewyn Blight as
Treasurer, Dalene Davies as Secre-
tary and Judy Moulton as Social
Secretary.

Subscriptions were set at \$5.00, just
as they have been for the last thirty
years!

Meetings for 2012 will be held at the
Dead Finish as usual but at the NEW
day and time of Tuesday afternoon
at 1.30 pm.

Twenty-eight members and friends
attended the Melbourne Cup lunch-
eon at the RSL hall. A great time
was had by all. Was this anything to
do with the champagne punch?

Our Christmas lunch is to be held on
12 December at the RSL hall.
Bookings are essential and must be
in to either Vera or Dalene by
8 December.

Vera 9646 4013 Dalene 9643 1047

The garden club
wishes all in
Beverley a safe
and happy
Christmas. See
you next year.



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Position Vacant

Child Services Coordinator—Full Time

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We are seeking a suitably qualified and motivated professional to provide high quality care to children and families in our centre.

Applicants must possess a minimum of a Diploma in Children's Services or equivalent and:

- Have a minimum 2 years experience providing quality programs to children
- Team and relationship management skills.
- High level communication and organisational skills
- Good understanding of the requirements of the Early Years Learning Framework and the National Quality Standards.

If you have a true passion for providing quality care to children and a strong work ethic then this role could be the opportunity for you.

The package offered is \$48,760 p.a. for a 38 hour week. Discounted childcare is available as well as training and development opportunities. There may also be a requirement for paid overtime.

For an employment package, please contact Angie Barber on 9642 1037.

Applications close 4pm on Monday 19th December 2011

CAN YOU HELP US?

There are plans in place to make the secure garden at Kalkarni Residency Brookton a place of reminiscence for our residents, especially those who have worked in the farming community for most of their lives.

Do you have any old farming equipment, not too large, that could be done up by our residents and placed in the garden? Do you have any old utensils and kitchen equipment that would have been used many moons ago?

Would you be happy to donate any articles to Kalkarni?

If so, could you please contact Nina Carnaby on 9642 0199

Hens

\$6 ea, 10 for \$50, 30 for \$120
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Delivery Wed 14 December 2011
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DALE RIVER TENNIS CLUB

CHRISTMAS PARTY

will be
Sunday 18th December

Time: 3pm for tennis


Father Christmas/Santa will be arriving at 6pm. Presents in by 5pm
Evening meal of various meats on the spit, salads and sweets, around 7pm.

Cost: \$10 per person


Please bring a salad and sweet, and a donated item to make up the Christmas Hamper Raffle would be much appreciated.

All welcome to enjoy a great night

Further enquiries to
Wendy Weaver
9647 1101

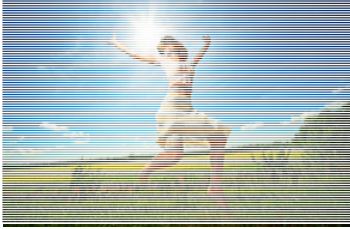



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A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR**





Wild Women of the West Seminar

MONDAY 5th DECEMBER 2011 at the Beverley Town Hall

Women of all agesDon't miss out

Spoil yourself and take one day off from your everyday routine to relax and be pampered with your friends.

With a great line up of guest speakers, food, gift bags and shopping stalls this event is a must for the ladies of Beverley. Come and join in the fun with a fantastic fashion parade hosted by Jones Road Emporium.

Table bookings of 8 are available so get the girls together for a Christmas catch up!

Major Prize is a Luxury Weekend away for 2 people with a spa treatment at The Richardson Hotel in Perth

Other prizes include decadent hampers from LUSH Cosmetics, Darrell Lea Chocolates, Hair Products and other gifts kindly donated by our local businesses.

You could also win a choice of a manicure, pedicure or neck and shoulder massage throughout the day.

This event is fully catered for and you will receive a complimentary gift bag on arrival.

Licensed bar sales after 11.00am.

*******This is a Child Free Event*******

Crèche available \$15 per child, Active After School for school aged children

Bookings are essential on 9646 1600 or beverley@crc.net.au

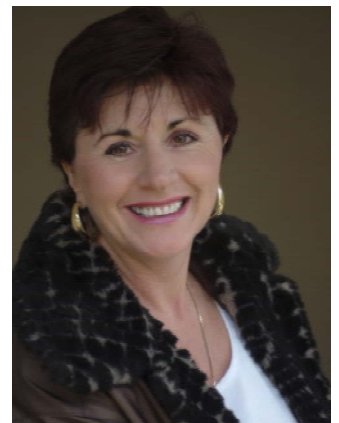
NO DOOR SALES DUE TO CATERING PURPOSES

Purchase tickets for \$30 at Beverley CRC and you will go into the draw to win the above prizes.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER-Maggie Dent

Maggie is renowned for her inspirational speeches that build awareness of personal and professional resilience. She is an author, resilience specialist and a parent with a background in education, palliative care, ABC Radio and as a celebrant. Come and listen to her in Beverley.....

Black Duck Wisdom & Wonderful Juicy Wise Women Presentations





THE BLUE LINE

Beverley Police Station
57 Hunt Road, Beverley WA 6304

From Darrell and Kerry

Merry Christmas



Hello Beverley,

After spending October in Perth for CHOGM it is great to be home. I want to thank John Lines who came over from Northam to help Kerry. I know he enjoyed his time in Beverley and he now knows why Kerry and I say that Beverley is the best town in the Wheatbelt.

They were both kept busy while I was away and they did some fantastic work in charging those responsible for some of the offences that occurred. There are still some outstanding matters still being investigated and we are working closely with York and Quairading Police to resolve those matters.

We have launched a new initiative called eWATCH. Hopefully you have received an information brochure in the mail over the last couple of weeks. eWATCH is another way for Kerry and I to get any messages out to the community. These messages will be of crime trends, safety tips and any other information that will help keep our town safe.

eWATCH is also a way for you to email the police station with any information you think that we may want to know. (The more information we get, the better). The emails are checked regularly and acted on immediately and all information will be kept confidential.

If you haven't received a brochure you can go to either the police station or the shire and collect one. Otherwise you can email Beverley.Crime.Ewatch@police.wa.gov.au and register to become a member. So far I have received some good responses and I hope to get some emails out in the next few weeks.

As you can tell from the fat policeman in the red suit (and no it's not me) Christmas is hurtling towards us at a rapid pace. Last year Kerry gave some great advice about Christmas functions and below is the extract from last year's Blarney so please read it as it is still very relevant for this year.

"December is also traditionally a time when workplaces arrange their Christmas parties. It is well known that these parties involve consumption of large amounts of alcohol and a few silly antics. Please be mindful that, you are still employed with the company and do have to return to work at some point (so don't get too silly), and then there is the policing side of things, here are some handy tips to think about when arranging your Christmas function this year:

- *Employ a skipper (a person dedicated to not consuming alcohol, or walk)*
- *Enjoy a meal (incorporate a dinner or lunch with your drinks)*
- *Space your beverages (Enjoy the evening for what it is; relax, you have all night)*

- *Drink plenty of water (keep the liver hydrated ;-))*
- *Be considerate of others (you may not be the only group in the bar, or at the restaurant)”*

December and January is school holiday time and with this comes an increase of people around town, especially kids. Parents be aware of their children’s activities and location, making sure you know where they are and they are safe.

It’s also a time when the kids are on bikes and walking around town. As responsible drivers around town, as we know you all are, please keep attention to the road and its surrounds when driving.

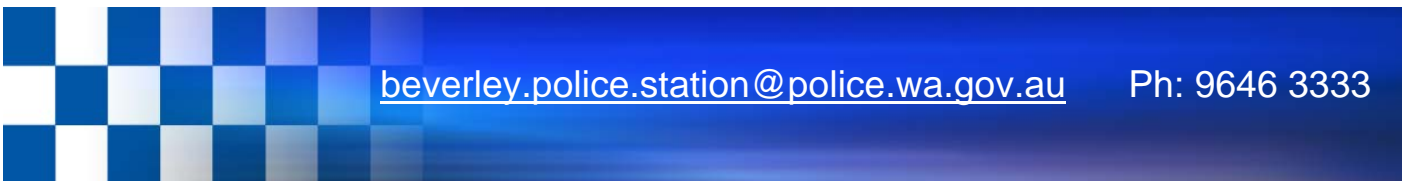
The coming months are also a great time to get away for a much deserved break. If you are going away for an extended time be sure that you let your neighbours know that you are leaving.

Also contact us and advise us of how long you are going for and who is the contact person looking after your property. These details can be emailed to us using the new eWATCH email address.

So I want to leave you with one word for the upcoming couple of months “VIGILANT”. Be vigilant around town and protecting your property.

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Year 11 Narrogin Agricultural College student Greta Evans from Beverley has enjoyed her first year at the college adapting to living away from home and embracing the many varied learning and social opportunities. Greta played netball in the College Country Week team and passed her Senior First Aid Certificate and Certificate II in Wool Handling.

Greta is enrolled in the Agricultural/Equine program and is pictured, wool handling.



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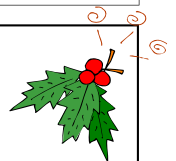
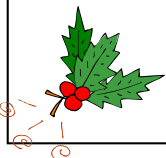
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Note from Mal G Roberts

Special heartfelt thanks to all the Medical Doctors and administration station staff at our Beverley Medical Practice. During my recent illness and near death experience, Doctors Remi and Rao Adebayo visited me on a regular basis at the Haematology Ward at Sir Charles Gardiner Hospital and at home after my discharge. Their professional help and kindness and the many phone calls went far more than their duty of care.

Dr Emanuel and the staff at the surgery fitted me in at short notice, who also showed their care and kindness in understanding my acute illness.

When I was unable to walk, the home visits from Dr Remi and the two pathologists made my life so much easier and gave me that peace of mind. Also special thanks and seasons greetings go out to the Beverley nursing staff who visited me twice a week and the dedicated meals on wheels volunteers for their kind service.

In closing, may I offer my thanks and appreciation to these kind, caring and wonderful people, who put me on the way to an early remission. I wish you all and your families a happy, joyous and healthy Christmas and prosperous 2012.

NB: on a softer note, one of my GP friends who was a partner in a Fremantle Medical Practice once said to one of his patients that he was unwell. The patient looked surprised and said, 'But you are a Doctor?'

Christmas Hampers

From Share and Care Northam.

All the Centrelink recipients who have put their names down with BCS including children, please note the procedure is to contact Share and Care NO later than the 22 December. Please take your Centrelink reference number and you will receive a voucher. For further information contact Sylvia on 9646 1072.

For the past 17 years, Share and Care have been assisting our needy residents. We wish Carol (CEO) and all their dedicated staff a Merry Christmas and many thanks.

Mal G Roberts Sylvia Seddon
Manager Hon. Secretary

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<i>Saturday</i>	<i>31st Dec</i>	<i>Open 8:30-12:30</i>
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<i>Monday</i>	<i>2nd Jan</i>	<i>Closed (Public Holiday)</i>
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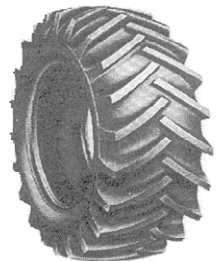
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Station Gallery and Platform Theatre News

Artist in Residence

We waved goodbye to Scott Robson who was Artist-in-Residence for 6 weeks following a truly successful exhibition of his works on Thursday 17th November. Around 30 people attended and of the 12 paintings he had completed, Scott sold 8!



Scott Robson

From Across the Nullarbor

On Monday November 21st we welcomed two artists from Victoria, Ngaere Donald and Cynthia Boyle, who painted their way across the Nullarbor to join us in Beverley. Cynthia and Ngaere live near Orbost in East Gippsland in the pointy end of Victoria. They met about 5 years ago through their membership in the Wilderness Coast Artists and have been fellow adventurers and painting companions ever since. Although their styles and subject interests are varied, they share a love of drawing and of colour.

They bring with them a collection of paintings created within the last 2 years that reflects their interests in the land, the sea, and the people and animals of East Gippsland which are exhibited at the Station Gallery. Their exhibition will be open until 6th December.

Workshop Saturday December 3rd

Program for one day Drawing Workshop with tutor Cynthia Boyle

Cost: only \$25 per person

am: Drawing is a verb

- The importance of mark making
 - Line
 - Shape
 - Tone
- Drawing with the whole body
- Choose your tool
- Seeing how others see
- Drawing as a creative tool

pm: Line, shape, tone, texture and pattern, colour

- Outline, contour line, thick and thin line
- Line and shape, flat shape, 3-D shape
- Adding tone, flat tone, graded tone
- Pattern and texture, creating form, size and density
- Colour: a whole new set of complications

For a list of materials and more information contact Marylou on 96471027 or

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Platform Theatre



Daryl Braithwaite with full touring band.

Well, Daryl Braithwaite and his touring band - weren't they fantastic? Another great night with more than 300 concert goers dancing the night away, the music ended all too soon. I extend a huge thank you to the wonderful

Station Arts Committee for the hard work preparing for the concert (especially to Marlene), Steve Ramm, John Willson and Bruce Denny for installing the new stage lights; Simon and his band of helpers on the bar; Steve and newcomer Tim Kilpatrick for sound and lighting control; the Hockey Club girls for attending the kiosk; and Justin, Brett and Damien from the Football Club for being security throughout the night - fantastic job boys; and Friends of the Station for manning the gates, selling raffle tickets (incidentally the \$200 of fuel generously donated by the Dome Service Station was won by Graeme McDonald) and the cleaning up afterwards.



Dancing the night away.



Katie Lindley with Daryl Braithwaite



Lighting installation.

WANTED: an old train guard's cap for our sound-man Steve to wear for meeting and greeting at our events - a job he does so well. Does anyone know where we might find one? We have been borrowing one from the Heritage Rail Centre in Bassendean but it is rather a hassle to do so, and it would be great to have one permanently at the Station.



Jenny Broun with Steve Ramm



Delicious Pizzas



Haydn making his acquaintance with Harvest Festival scarecrow before the Concert.

Saturday 17th Decembe
Family Picnic Christmas Concert
HOWIE MORGAN & MELODY WHITTLE plus a *very cool* 5pce all star band.

- Grateful thanks to Black Planet Thoroughbreds, Radiowest, Beverley CRC and Beverley News for supporting this event.
- Entertainment will be a **Motown Experience** featuring the Soulful voices of Howie Morgan and Melody Whittle plus a *very cool* 5 piece all star band. This Motown, Atlantic Soul Revue will bring us the power of songs from legends such as Otis Redding, Wilson Picket, Etta James and Aretha Franklin.
- Bring a picnic/ Sausage Sizzle/ Kiosk - open for snacks and cool drinks.
- BYO Chairs
- Gates open 5.30pm
- For the Kids - Santa, Circus performer and Christmas songs/ carols.
- Tickets \$25 Adults, Under 18's and children coming along with their families are **free**.
- Get your tickets NOW
To book this event, please go to <http://www.trybooking.com/ZZD> (for bankcard payment); Beverley News, or Beverley CRC for personal payment)

Reminder of Events and Dates to mark on your Calendar:

December 17th - Family Picnic Christmas Concert **Howie Morgan & Melodie Whittle**
 January 26th Australia Day Film Festival
 Feb 18th - Absolutely
 March 10th - Irish Gig
 April 13th - Comedy Production - 39 Steps
 April 7th - Platform Markets

If you would like to be included on the emailing list for notification of coming events, email Marlene Willson j_mwillson@bigpond.com or secretary Sarah Miller miller@reachnet.com.au

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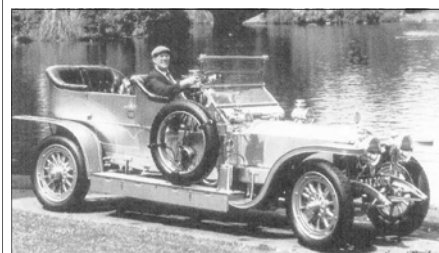
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A View from the Shed Canaries in Coal Mines

Years ago coal miners used to take canaries with them when they were working underground. It wasn't that miners were sensitive and caring about their pets, but the little birds were very sensitive to the noxious gas that is sometimes in these mines and they were an early warning system to alert the miners to get out. When the Canary stopped singing, or died, take immediate action get out as fast as you can as the air is becoming toxic.

As Men we also have an early warning system that we should not ignore. For us it's in our Budgie Smugglers, and commonly known as

erectile function. Given some of the stress of this harvest, a decline in libido could be an indicator of just how much stress you may be experiencing.

It is also important to realise that a "little loving" goes a long way in helping both men and women realise how important we are to each other in getting through difficult periods of the year.

When times are tough we need love the most, but sometimes we react toward each other in a completely opposite way and vent our frustration on each other with angry or critical comments. It is acceptable to feel this way about the season but it is inappropriate to misdirect it at our partner. (Sometimes this can also

come the other way, where the kids give mum a bad day but dad cops the flack!)

If we consider these behaviors for a minute you can probably understand how important it is to maintain a strong physical and emotional connection to your partner. In times of stress this can be the first victim, and should be seen as an early warning sign and things can quickly escalate to toxic levels if we don't act.

You don't need to be a rocket scientist to work out the solution to some of these things but if your love life isn't what it was, or should be, take steps to fix it, we all need as much help as we can get in difficult times. Nothing strengthens a person's capacity to cope more than the affection of our partner.

Even when times are tough make time for each other; in fact, this is the most important time to go the extra distance to make it matter, don't let the budgie die.



Regards
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Harvest Safety Reminder

It's a busy time of the year for farmers who are working even longer hours with harvest, hay making and general farm duties. More injuries occur on farms during the peak seasonal times therefore, it is particularly important that extra care is taken at this time.

With the pressure to get the harvest off quickly, many farmers and their employees will be working 18 hour days, which heightens the risk of fatigue. Physical and mental fatigue can lead to injury either from workers falling asleep or from making mistakes.



While you're sitting on the header or the tractor, or in the truck consider this...Agriculture is one of the most hazardous occupations in Western Australia. Most injuries occur when using machinery. So before leaping off to fix a blockage or repair a breakdown, think of your own health as well as the machines. The machine can be repaired if it breaks but in many case you can't. Farm safety is about stopping to identify the hazards, assessing the risk and making the necessary changes.

The trick is to recognise those hazards and PLAN to avoid them. This involves training, safe procedures, good tools and common sense. It may cost a little time and money but could save your life, your family and your farm.

What can be done to reduce risk levels?

- Remind yourself of your own value to the farm and family.
- Make sure you take adequate breaks.
- Drink plenty of water—always have some with you.
- Make sure you are warmed up before doing heavy physical work.
- Try to plan your activities—plan achievable work targets—short, medium and long term.
- Work together with neighbours where jobs require more people.
- Try not to rush things—the little time saved may well be at the expense of a serious injury.
- Make time to carry out the important safety maintenance jobs.

Another important aspect of harvest safety is ensuring that onlookers and children are sighted and out of the way of danger when machinery is in use. The National Farm Injury Data Centre reported a total of 40 on-farm deaths from January to September 2011, with quad bikes accounting for 12 fatalities and tractor related accidents causing five deaths.

An additional 59 non-fatal on-farm injury events were recorded during the same period.

TAKE CARE & STAY SAFE THIS HARVEST

WAFARMERS AVON VALLEY ZONE UPDATE NOVEMBER 2011

On behalf of WAFarmers and the Avon Valley Zone, I would like to thank all members who have attended meetings and rallies this year.

If you have not received an email from me, there may have been some technical issues, so please email me on hill-view16@gmail.com. Unexpected requests often crop up needing attention, and mail-outs are slow and expensive, while telephone calls are time-consuming, making email the most effective form of communication. If you change your email address, please let me know.

I appreciate those who considered taking a truck to Parliament House for the Wheatbelt Railway Retention Alliance's (WRRRA) rally in support of Tier 3 grain haulage rail lines on Thursday 10 November. The visual display of a truck and a school bus passing on a road during the handover of WRRRA's petition containing approximately 4,000 signatures in support of Tier 3 rail to Shadow Minister for Transport, Ken

Travers, was very convincing. The groundswell of public interest was very encouraging, particularly from the 'Fremantle Road to Rail Campaign', City of Fremantle and The Greens political party. The Greens have made this unusual alliance because it makes good sense, not only economically, but for the environment and safety of all road users, regardless of whether additional funds are put into maintaining the rural road network by State and Local Governments. We urge all local Shires in our Zone who are not already members of WRRRA to consider joining in a show of unity.

The Avon Valley Zone's Annual General Meeting saw Duncan Young, Jeff Murray and Ken Clark remain as the Management Committee. Ken also holds the seat on the WAFarmers Wool Council, as does Kevin Binning with his new assistant, Chris Wyhoon, on the Meat Council. Grains Council is currently awaiting a nomination, ideally from a younger farmer, who has much to gain by the contacts and knowledge gained by being involved with the industry at this level and prepared to attend the meetings and communicate with the Zone; although knowing Duncan holds the seat of Grains Council Vice Chairman is reassuring in that the

exchange of knowledge can be fast tracked. It is worth noting that one should not complain about situations when one has the ability to be a part of the Policy or changes, but does not take up the challenge.

On behalf of all farmers in the Avon Valley Zone, thank you to Duncan, Jeff, Ken, Kevin and their families for voluntarily giving up and sharing their time to serve our industry.

Please take care while you are busy with harvest on the farm and on the roads. Consider the Farmsafe WA message which aims to prevent accidents and save lives in the workplace where most farm families live.

Sincerely,

Sue Pike
Avon Valley Zone Coordinator
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Beverley Historical Society News

The November meeting of the Beverley Historical Society was held on Monday 21 November with eleven members present and two apologies, with new President, Bob Hall as the chair.

Well, we are coming to the end of quite a busy year for the Dead Finish Museum and historical society. During the course of the year there have been many visitors and quite a few bus tour visits, which have kept volunteers on their toes and researchers have been kept busy with requests for information. We will be covering over the exhibits for the long hot summer months to help

preserve the collection, when we meet for the last time for 2011 on Monday 5 December at 9 am.

Year Two students from Beverley District High School visited the museum on Friday 25 November and they all enjoyed participating in the activities that volunteers had ready for them. These included washing clothes by hand, polishing silver, writing with a nib pen and dressing up. All the children were given a polished penny at the end of the excursion as a keepsake.

Also on the 25th, ten seniors on a mystery tour from Mandurah visited the museum, all happily reminiscing of days gone by.

Donations to the museum for November included a brass tea

caddy spoon/measure with a tiny teapot shaped handle and a clock face bowl set at 4pm.

For anyone with an interest in history, the Beverley Historical Society is a friendly organisation whose aim is to preserve and promote the historical collection at the Dead Finish Museum; an eclectic mix of memorabilia housed in the oldest building in Beverley (1872), displayed as ten furnished rooms. New members are always welcome.

The first meeting for 2012 will be 12 March at 1.30 pm. For all enquiries please phone Morag Whitney - 9646 1541.



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Beverley District High School Happenings

Well, here we are at the end of another year. It is hard to believe that the year has passed in a flash.

At the time of writing we only have three weeks left for the school year. Teachers and students are getting ready for their end of year concert, which is on Monday December 12th commencing at 6pm on the Beverley Platform Theatre at the Railway Station after finally putting their last touches to their students' class reports.

Due to small numbers in the Kindy this year and in the Kindy and High School next year, the school has formed composite classes for 2012. They are anticipated to be K, P/1, Yr1/2, Yr2/3, Yr3/4, Yr4/5, Yr5/6, and Yr7/10.

Staff and students would like to congratulate Narelle and Daniel (Bails) Bailey on the safe arrival of Abigail Joy on Saturday 12th November and also to our new deputy, Hayden and Carina who had a baby boy, Flynn Hayden on Wednesday 16th November. Hayden informed the staff that "he's very handsome, just like his old man."

Staff would like to wish Chris Mann all the best in her retirement. We know that students, staff and parents will miss her. Chris has made a great contribution to our school. Good luck Chris.

Her retirement function is at school at 3.30pm on Wednesday, 14 December.

Year 3/4 Miss Meade and Mrs Corinna Thomas

Students have written letters to Santa and below we have a sample of those letters. Enjoy.

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa and Merry Christmas to you too! I got your letter, thanks for that.

I'm not forcing you, but all I want for Christmas is books. I don't mind if you get me something different.

When you last spoke to me I was 8 now I'm 9 and I am in year 4 this year. I have achieved 2 certificates for being good and I am proud of myself.

Love from

Jarrood.

P.S. I will see you then.



Dear Santa,

A very Merry Christmas to you too! Thank you for your wonderful letter. I am also looking forward to you coming to Beverley.

For Christmas this year I am hoping for everything on my list but I can't name them all because I am very forgetful. One of the things I am hoping for is an alarm clock, (I sleep in on school mornings).

This year I have been (I'm sorry I have to tell you this) kind of good and kind of bad. I can not help having an idiot of a brother. He is too annoying. I have achieved lots of things this year like passing my "D" star certificate in Pony Club and lots of other stuff.

Love from

Evie



Dear Santa,

A Merry Christmas to You too! Thank you for your wonderful letter. I hope you come to Beverley this year.

This year I hope to get some more Zhu Zhu pets and babies. I've been saving up my money for a present too. This year my behaviour at home has been bad and good but it's been good at school.

I have achieved in my writing and handwriting. I'm caring more now that I'm nine.

Love from

Kasey

Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas to you too! Thank you for your letter.

This year I've been good at my sports and lots of other things. At school it's been a lot of fun playing dodge with the older kids.

This year I would like a Freo footy shorts and jumper.

Love from
Kelvin



Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas to you and thank you for your letter.

I am very sorry but I won't be in Beverley this year. I will be in Port Hedland.

I would really like a horse for Christmas this year. I promise I will look after it. I have had a lot of experience with them and they're so beautiful. This year I have done a lot of things great and small. I have made people happy and found new friends. My class mates have also put up with me when I have been extremely annoying.

I am really excited about Christmas, not just about you but because I get to see my Uncle Glen and Desiree.

I am in year 3 and class 3/4. I am very good and like to be funny. I hope you give my friends nice presents because they have been really nice as well.

In Port Hedland we will have my birthday on the 27th of December 2011. I will have an ice-cream cake and a pool party. We will travel from Beverley to Port Hedland in the middle of December.

Yours sincerely
Elsie

P.S. I hope that you get a lovely present from the elves.

Year 3 and Year 3/4 went on an excursion and Kana Moulton has written a recount of their day.

Cicerellos

On a very sunny day in Fremantle, the Year 3/4 class and the Year 3 class went to Fremantle's Cicerellos and Maritime Museum for the day. We went on the bus but Mrs Thomas, Jayme and Mrs V drove to Fremantle.

First of all when we arrived in Fremantle we got to play in the park next to a Ferris wheel. Then we walked over to Cicerellos (the best ever fish and chip shop) and the manager Craig told us to sit down at a table so we could touch some marine animals.



First we touched a starfish, it was very slimy. Next we touched a sea apple and it squirted water at you if you squeezed it. Then we saw a crayfish shell and a crayfish.

They were very colourful. Last of all we got to touch a Port Jackson Shark but instead I kissed it. Then Craig took us to the beach to find interesting objects or man made rubbish. I found some green sponge and when you squeezed green slime came out. I also found glass that the water had made the edges smooth so it wouldn't cut you. Then we got ten minutes of castle making time.

Later we went to Cicerellos upstairs dining room to eat, I had a fish basket (fish and chips). It was delicious. We got to go to buy a drink and I bought a Lemon, Lime and Bitters. It was yum. Then we had to get back on the bus but we were getting on to go to the Maritime Museum.

When we got to the Maritime Museum we got a 'Spotto' sheet with nine objects to spot. I was in Mrs Thomas and Jayme's group and we spotted everything. It was a very fun nice day and we all had lots of fun.

Overall it was a fabulous and funny day. Everyone had fun. We even got to watch movies on the way back. Thank you so much Mrs Thomas, Mrs V, Mrs Wansbrough and Miss Meade!! It was so much fun!!!

By Kana Moulton Year 4
15-11-11

Pasta

Year 3 and Year 3/4 made pasta on Monday 7th November and Tuesday 8th November. I would like to thank the parents, grandparents and a huge thank you to some of my friends (who have no students at school or in those classes) who came in to help so that the students could make the pasta.



Year 3 above and Year 3/4 below
Buonissimo



Upcoming Events

Friday 9th December

Saturday 10th December

Monday 12th December

Wednesday 14th December

Monday 30th January 2012

Wednesday 1st February

Reports distributed

Kindy/PrePrimary Christmas Party.

Presentation Night 6pm-Beverley Platform Theatre.

School Assembly at 9am.....Please note change of time

Last day of school for students and staff.

Staff commence school

Students commence school

Term Dates 2012

	Students	Teachers
Term 1	Wednesday 1 February - Thursday 5 April	Monday 30 January - Thursday 5 April
Break	Friday 6 April – Wednesday 25 April	Friday 6 April – Sunday 22 April
Term 2	Thursday 26 April – Friday 6 July	Monday 23 April – Friday 6 July
Break	Saturday 7 July – Monday 23 July	Saturday 7 July – Sunday 22 July
Term 3	Tuesday 24 July - Friday 28 September	Monday 23 July - Friday 28 September
Break	Saturday 29 September - Monday 15 October	Saturday 29 September - Sunday 14 October
Term 4	Tuesday 16 October - Tuesday 18 December	Monday 15 October - Wednesday 19 December



Until next year, have a great holiday with family and friends. Merry Christmas (Buon Natale) and a Happy New Year (Felice Anno Nuovo) from everyone at Beverley District High School.

Sera Minchin

...and from all of us at school many, many thanks to Sera for her newsy, humorous and interesting Blarney articles she puts together for the school every month.

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The year 2011 has been a very busy one for Crana, getting the Indigenous Reserve project started is a mammoth job as there are various Government, Non-Government and Indigenous organisations involved. There has been a name change for the project which will be known as 'Indigenous Community Education Service Centre' (ICESC) Once the Crana property is sold, part of the proceeds will be utilised to purchase a building in kit form and the balance will be invested. The registrar of the Indigenous Corporation Canberra will be kept informed as to our progress. We will match the funding on a dollar for dollar basis.

Up to date, and for some years now Mal Roberts has established an excellent relationship with the Registrar's office and the senior staff who have been extremely helpful in pointing us in the right direction and assisting us with the legal procedures etc.

Also for some years, the Department of Indigenous Affairs Midland have offered guidance and support through their Manager, John Brinkman, who does attend our monthly meetings when invited to do so. Mal says thank you to the DIA.

Our thanks and warm wishes do go out to our legal advisor—Barrister Heng Ee who has kindly offered his professional services to Crana on a 'pro-bono basis' (no fee) and all the helpful Shire staff and Karina our Blarney Publisher. Our Acting CEO, Steve Gollan and Councillors are herein wished 'All the best for the festive season' and sincere thanks to the Shire in providing trucks to remove material from our Indigenous Reserve.

Crana services aim to (1) provide advocacy and support (2) referral to other services (legal and non-legal) (3) on-going follow up (4) guidance and support.

Mal G Roberts Mitch Henry
Advisor/Director President/Director

NB: Our secretary, Shane Moad, has been unwell for some three weeks, we wish him all the best for a speedy recovery. Our president is away, so I handle 3 briefs. Mal Roberts

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BEVERLEY YOUTH CENTRE

November Report

Sorry I missed the last Blarney but I was riding elephants in the River Kwai–Thailand, trekking through rice fields in Vietnam and just having a well needed holiday!

I would like to thank the Shire of Beverley and Danny, Max employment and workers for cleaning out the very flooded Youth Centre after that large downfall of rain. They did a fantastic job and the Youth and I appreciate all the work they did.

A big thanks to Sam and Claire for helping this term with the Active After School Program—I am sure the kids had a ball with all the water filled balloons, now it is getting a lot hotter I am sure they loved the water activity.



Girls enjoying their healthy food at Active After School!

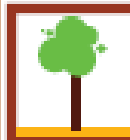
I will be taking a bus to Rockingham in January for paintballing and then head down to the beach to cool off! I have yet to finalise a date but will notify the Youth when it is organised. I am also hoping to go to the pictures and will be running different activities in the York Youth Centre as well. I will be looking for a volunteer bus driver, anybody interested please contact me.

Details of the above Holiday Programme will be available at the Beverley Youth Centre, Shire and Beverley Bulletin.

Christmas Disco

Will be on Friday 2nd December at the Youth Centre:

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DEADLINE DATES FOR BEVERLEY BLARNEY 2012

JANUARY 2012	Monday 19 December
FEBRUARY 2012	Monday 23 January
MARCH 2012	Thursday 23 February
APRIL 2012	Friday 23 March
MAY 2012	Monday 23 April
JUNE 2012	Wednesday 23 May
JULY 2012	Friday 22 June
AUGUST 2012	Monday 23 July
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17th ANNUAL HARVEST FESTIVAL AT AVONDALE

Wow! The Beverley community has put on another awesome event! The 17th annual Beverley Harvest Festival was an opportunity for the community to showcase the significant National Trust property, Avondale Farm, agricultural based activities, and some great country hospitality! And they did it with style.

The venue looked great, thanks to the Shire, Wooroloo Section 95 crew, and many local volunteers, the weather was perfect, and despite disappointing attendance, the departing visitors were enthusiastic about the event.

Entertainment on the day included log chopping, shearing, fashion show, harvesting demonstrations, live music, working Clydesdale horses, animal nursery, rides, blacksmithing, quilting display and working sheep dogs.

The Avondale Farm Project Association managed to secure sponsorship (dollars, and in kind) from RBDC Dry Season Assistance Scheme, Gilmac Mackie Hay, York & Districts community Branch Bendigo Bank, Tiang Heng Ee, Water Corp., CBH Group, Beverley Shire, National Trust of Australia (WA) and Avon Events and Marketing. The sponsorship, along with the huge volunteer effort means the event can be presented. The businesses who supported the "*Wonders of Beverley*" booklet allowed promotion of the event through a different means for 2011. Your support is appreciated.

We hope you will be able to join us next year at Beverley Events to be held at Avondale.

Sunday 24 June 2012 Beverley Clydesdale and Vintage day
Sunday 25 November 2012 Beverley Harvest Festival

OUR WONDERFUL VOLUNTEER HELP

In addition to the fantastic work that the Avondale Farm Project Association committee members do, off-site Richard Boladeras has spent a lot of time at Avondale getting the electric fence sorted for the horse paddocks, cutting timber off the lines, whipper snippering the long grass and repairing wires just to name a few things. Many thanks to Brian Beddall for the work he has achieved in the machinery collection. Frank McDonald, Harold Anderson and Ray Walters have put a lot of work into developing "Historical Notes" for identification on museum items which will add value to the Significance Assessment Report being developed by Cathy Day from Heritage Today. A big thankyou to John Pratt for being such a willing and generous host to the many, many visitors to Avondale and all the times he has volunteered his time to open up Avondale when required.

HARVEST FESTIVAL VOLUNTEERS AND CONTRIBUTORS

In the lead up to, throughout the event and afterwards, there has been an exceptional number of very willing volunteers who have made the running of the event possible. We understand you are giving up your time for a community event, often squeezed in to a very busy life. In the next few weeks we will be contacting you personally with our appreciation. Your contribution has been outstanding. Also, we would like to thank the local contributors to the day; folk who brought animals in for display, catering outlets, craft and produce stalls, machinery loaned, etc. Someone even dashed out early Sunday morning to direct traffic off the Westdale Road, after the sign had been turned around in the wrong direction.

NATURE RESERVE

Greening Australia visited Avondale on 13th October and started mapping the weed encroachment in the Reserve. This will give us a good indication on how to best manage the weeds. Movement activated cameras have been set up and have captured some great photos of kangaroos, lizards, flying foxes, various birds and a fox. Also, the Avondale Farm Project Association has been successful with their application for funding through the Federal Government, Caring for Country scheme. This will go towards commencing a weed management program in the Reserve. Exciting times ahead!

VISITORS TO AVONDALE

During the recent school holidays Avondale had lots of families, and a group visit from High Wycombe out of school care children and carers enjoyed the country experience. On Saturday 15th October a group of photographers travelled up to provide their members with different subjects to photograph. Peter Smith a professional photographer spent a day at Avondale with his ballerina models for his series entitled "Ballet in the Wheatbelt". The exhibition will be shown at the York Mill Gallery.

KEEN TO BE INVOLVED IN FUTURE AVONDALE EVENTS?

The Avondale Farm Project Association is already starting plans for events in 2012. If you are enthusiastic, passionate about agriculture and the promotion of Beverley we would love to hear from you. The group is looking for a

new Secretary, Volunteers coordinator, Stall Holder coordinator and committee members, among other things. Please contact Avondale Farm Project Association President, Bruce Mann for more information or to express your interest in being involved in the future of Avondale. Bruce Mann 0427 246 333 or email cbmann@activ8.net.au.

SIGHTS FROM THE HARVEST FESTIVAL



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MONDAY

7.00 – 10.00 Mornings at Seven - Milo
10.00 – 1.00 Mustang Sally – Susan
(includes at 12.30, York Shire Report)
4.00 – 7.00 Celtic Note – Joe

TUESDAY

7.00 – 10.00 Mornings at Seven – Milo
10.00 – 1.00 Around the World – Leila
1.00 – 5.00 True Country – Ken

WEDNESDAY

10.00 – 2.00 A Little Bit of Everything –
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7.00 – 10.00 Back to the Future – Frank

THURSDAY

12.00 – 3.00 Kaleidoscope – Chris
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5.00 – 9.00 Countrywide – Wally

FRIDAY

7.00 – 10.00 Rock-n-Roll Friday – Milo
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When we are in this state, frustration often kicks in, we say things like "we are at the end of our tether" or "our nerves are raw!" as examples of how we feel. It is also very likely we will say things that we later regret.

When we are under pressure it affects the thinking part of our

brain, unfortunately, this is also the part of our brain that has the closest connection to our mouths. It is very possible that when we verbalise our thoughts it can have a detrimental effect on those around us who are often the ones we need most for support.

Consider how this may play out on the two way radio. Everyone is under pressure, something goes wrong for one person and suddenly we have a very toxic conversation overheard by who knows.

It doesn't matter if you are the speaker or listener in this scenario it creates a toxic work place, detracts from the job at hand and does nothing to solve the problem which initiated the outburst in the first place.

If we consider this more deeply, when we allow our frustrations to hit the airwaves it effects much more than we anticipate. We often create serious rifts between family and friends, even destroying basic trust that is difficult to rebuild.

Everyone knows the harvest season is stressful, even when it is going well. In the heat of any incident be prepared to step back, take a deep breath and consider your reactions carefully. It is very seldom that someone makes a mistake intentionally and more often than not they will already feel bad about what has happened. These people need support not judgment. It becomes especially toxic if others also hear your tirade over the two way radio.

One thing we can all learn at this time of year is patience, not only with the season but with each other. When we have patience productivity will rise without the angst and our workplaces will be less toxic and supportive through difficult patches, which we are bound to experience.

Regards
Julian



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Our service, now going on to seventeen years has offered our pro-bono work not only to Beverley residents, but to other adjoining towns in our region, and to many suburbs in the Perth regions and to residents in nursing homes, hospital patients, home visits to terminally ill and not so mobile residents and to prison residents—all are part of this non-fee service.

This year Mal Roberts was unable to offer a continuous service due to medical reasons. Never the less, during this time emails and correspondence were handled by Samantha Mearns and the Community Resource Centre. Numerous and endless phone calls were answered by Sylvia Seddon our Secretary (also with us for some seventeen years). In a normal week, some ten to fifteen residents come through our doors to seek legal infor-

mation, help with Centrelink papers, work relating to carers, disability and age pensions, nursing home procedures, entry requirements and so on, and attesting to numerous documents as a JP

Centrelink: Information—according to their spokesperson stated on TV early in November 2011 that they have a very Hi-tech cross reference system and with the help from neighbours or 'dob-ins', 300,000 cases had disability or other benefits cancelled during the last 2 months—from real life cases shown on TV where there is evidence (proven) that fraud exists. Centrelink started a new ploy in early November 2011; this related to Newstart and those seeking employment. This scheme is referred to as 'No Go No Pay'. It is assumed that it is targeted for those who do not have proof that they are actively seeking employment. Insurance companies - once again as seen on TV, they are using sophisticated equipment to investigate cases from 'dob-in' where the recipient has received payouts or compensation, who they have depicted on TV, are leading a very active and normal life, yet claiming injury compensation - Never judge one too harshly.

Litigation—Legal costs—starting a court case. The information that I have at hand is: unless you have what is known as a water-tight case, check with your lawyer, firstly, whether you do have a case and the estimate costs etc. In legal jargon—seek assistance from your brief to 'test the waters'. You see it frequently on TV in litigation cases; many families have lost everything and have been left only with the clothes on their backs. The rule of thumb is always proceed with caution and seek a second legal opinion before you even think of having your day in court. Bear in mind for every action there is a re-action.

Second lot of Christmas wishes. In closing I take this opportunity on behalf of BCS to wish all the Beverley residents a happy Christmas and prosperous 2012. It goes with saying that as an ex-Councillor, sitting for some fourteen years, I have a good idea of what the Beverley Shire staff do. They all deserve a note of praise and a vote of thanks. Read on:

Our Acting CEO, Steve Gollan is a popular officer in town; our indoor staff are most friendly, efficient and

courteous; our outdoor staff have done excellent work in various operations; our Councillors are dedicated and do much work behind the scenes, yet we find it very hard and fail to offer them some deserving praise, and a big thank you to the Shire who has been diligent and astute business managers which has put Beverley well and truly in the

black—need I say more. In closing I once again offer my thanks and appreciation to Karina our Blarney publisher for her excellent work/publications. Good on you.

Happy Christmas and New Year to you all and your families.

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OP SHOP ROSTER FOR December 2011

Fri 02 Maxine Watts, Ruth Edwards, Lee Storer

Fri 09 Leita Barrett-Lennard, Helen Bremner, Anna Mally

Fri 16 Val Edwards, Maree Hutchinson, Gail Alabach

Hospital Auxiliary Op Shop News!

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Val Moad
Hon. Secretary



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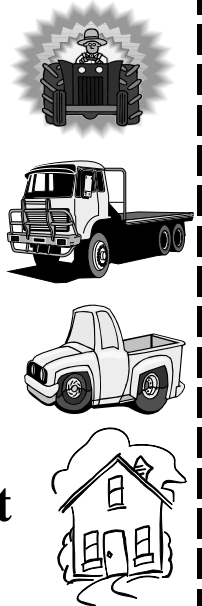
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DAY	DATE	CHURCH LOCATION	Time		SERVICE
			AM	PM	
Saturday	3 Dec	St Mary's, Beverley		5.30pm	Holy Communion
Sunday	11 Dec	St Paul's Beverley	7.45am		Holy Communion
Sunday	11 Dec	St John's in the Dale	11.00am		Holy Communion
Thursday	15 Dec	St Mary's Beverley		7.30pm	Carol Service
Sunday	18 Dec	St Mary's Beverley	10.30am		Holy Communion
Sunday	25 Dec	St Mary's Beverley	8.30am		Holy Communion
Saturday	31 Dec	St Mary's Beverley		5.30pm	Prayer, Praise and Proclamation



CATHOLIC CHURCH

Service in Beverley
 8:00 am every Sunday at
 Beverley Sacred Heart Church

THE RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (QUAKERS)

Beverley Friends Meeting - Old Catholic School Rooms
 Dempster Street

Sunday 10:30am - Meeting for Worship

For more information & enquiries
 phone 9646 0575.

The telephone numbers for the Rev'd John Poole is **9646 1112/0437 040 950**

All Parish correspondence to: **Secretary, PO Box 292 Beverley.**

Correspondence to Rev'd John Poole to: **64 John Street Beverley**

All mail for St Mary's Society please address to: **54 Smith Street, Beverley**



CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Church of Christ meets for services at the C.W.A. Hall every Sunday at 10:30am.

Enquiries to Sylvia Seddon
 Secretary 9646 1072.



PRIMARY HEALTH SERVICES
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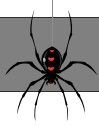
- **Child / School Health** – phone 9646 1210
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- **Social Work** – phone 9690 1320
- **Speech Pathology** – phone 9646 0217

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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.

If you have any concerns about your own health or your child's health and development, please phone the relevant health professional to discuss your concerns. Alternatively, you can speak to the Child Health or School Health Nurse, or your GP, to discuss your concerns and to determine the most appropriate referral.

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The Summer sports of bowls, cricket and tennis are in full swing, and with the weather now warming up many of the lads can finally make a start on the harvest.

The Beverley Football Club would like to wish all our players, members, sponsors and supporters a Merry Christmas, and a safe and happy New Year!!!! Once again our Club continues to function successfully, thanks to the continued support from our loyal and committed followers.

A final reminder that tickets are now on sale for our feature event of the year, the New Years' Eve Mid Summer Mask Party!!! Details of the event are circulating by e-mail and in local businesses around the town, so get in quick and grab a ticket from the Hotel Beverley or any one of our committee members.

2011/2012 Beverley Football Club Committee:

- President - Steven Minchin
- Vice President - Damien Murray
- Treasurer - Michael Barrett-Lennard
- Secretary - Ian Ross
- Committee -

Jeremy Barrett-Lennard	Justin Mann	Kelly Piper
Mark Bowden	Chantelle Meade	Tim Seed
Matthew Davey	Scott Minchin	Brett Shaw
Darrell Hagan (new)	Stuart Murray	Robbie Wansbrough
- The Beverley Football Club invites applications for the positions of League and Reserves Coach for the 2012 season. Please apply in writing to:

**The President
Beverley Football Club
PO Box 10
BEVERLEY WA 6304**
- The Beverley Football Club requires the services of an enthusiastic team of ladies to manage and facilitate the operation of our kiosk for our seven home games in season 2012. The Ladies Committee acts as one of our Club's strongest resources and it is our wish with your valued assistance that this continues to be successful. Please contact President Steven Minchin on 9641 6060.
- The Beverley Football Club invites applications for the position of Reserves Umpire for the 2012 season.
 - Umpires Accreditation Course will be provided;
 - Remuneration package provided; and
 - Required for just seven home games.

Please contact President Steven Minchin on 9641 6060.

Congratulations to:

- 2003 League Premiership player Ross Gooding, and his fiancée Pip Shields, who celebrated their wedding on Saturday the 22nd of October;
- Brett & Carissa Shaw, on the birth of their baby boy Noah Campbell on Tuesday the 1st of November;
- Daniel & Narelle Bailey, on the birth of their baby girl Abigail Joy on Saturday the 12th of November;
- Bobbie Ogg, who celebrated her 30th birthday on Tuesday the 15th of November;
- 2010 B.M. Minchin & Sons Trophy recipient Charlie Horrocks, and his partner Kathryn Graham, who announced their engagement on Saturday the 19th of November;
- Aiden Collins, who celebrated his 18th birthday on Monday the 21st of November;
- 2009 B.M. Minchin & Sons Trophy recipient Liam Henry, who celebrated his 18th birthday on Monday the 21st of November;
- 2010 League Premiership Assistant Coach Dean Mann, who celebrates his 30th birthday on Sunday the 4th of December; and
- 2003 & 2010 League Premiership Player/Coach Dean McDonald, who celebrates his 30th birthday on Thursday the 15th of December.

Coming up:

- Saturday 17th December - Beverley Hockey Club: Sausage Sizzle Fundraiser at Bunnings Warehouse,

Midland; and

- 6:30pm, Saturday 31st December - New Year's Eve Mid Summer Mask Party at the Beverley Town Hall.

The Beverley Football Club is once again conducting a "sheep & wool drive" throughout the course of this season, so if you have any stragglers in your flock which you're happy to part company with, and likewise, if you have any fleeces, pieces, bellies, locks or stains you would like to donate, please contact a committee member regarding where to leave your sheep and/or wool deposit.

A reminder to all players, members, sponsors and supporters that you can now view all the latest news and events from the Beverley Redbacks by checking out our website at www.beverleyfc.com.au or you can find us on facebook!

To keep you informed and up to date on all the latest news and events from the Beverley Football Club, simply register your email address with us at beverleyfc@bigpond.com and we'll add you to our mailing list.

See you at the footy!!!

Beverley Lawn Tennis Club Pennants

We have started the Pennant season off with some very close matches and plenty of deuces. There is a mix of new and seasoned players making the team each and every week. In the first three weeks we have played Goomalling, Dowerin and Meckering who have all had challenging teams. Any spectators are more than welcome to come and support the Beverley team in action from 1:30pm so check out the fixtures. ☺

Results

5/11/2011 Beverley vs Goomalling
11 sets to 19 sets
12/11/2011 Dowerin vs Beverley
14 sets to 16 sets
19/11/2011 Beverley vs Meckering
14 sets to 16 sets

Up Coming Games

26/11/2011 Beverley vs Cunderdin
3/12/2011 York vs Beverley



**BEVERLEY
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The shoot held on 13 November was won by Eddie Powell. Kevin Lupton came second. The AGM was also held and office bearers are:

Kevin Lupton President (re-elected)
Barry Knight Secretary (re-elected)
Troy Granville Treasurer (re-elected)

Buce Malley and Kevin Lupton were also given Life Membership.

The next shoot will be held on 17 December followed by a BBQ. BYO meat and salad.

Come along and try to win your Christmas Pud. We would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas.

REMINDER

The deadline for the January 2012 Blarney is early due to the Shire Office closure for Christmas and New Year. Deadline is Monday 19 December.

No late entries will be accepted.



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It is with great sadness that we say our goodbyes to our lovely Delma and wish her and Peter all the very best on their marvellous adventure. We thank her for her contribution to our community and for always keeping us on our toes with her fascination for dates in our diaries!!!

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Beverley Lawn Tennis Club

While Santa is busy cleaning reindeer hooves and shining his Christmas baubles, we at the BLTC have been super busy battling it out on the tennis courts in several events during the last month.

Vin and Anne Szczecinski Handicapped Mixed Doubles (held 30th October)

Thank - You to Vin and Anne for sponsoring this annual event. We enjoyed perfect tennis weather on the day and had a good player turn out.

WINNERS: Ali Lewis and Graeme McDonald

RUNNER UP: Anne Cleland and Rob Fisher

Championship Mixed Doubles (held 13th November)

After the clubhouse copped a drenching during the unexpected November storm, a great number of pairs turned up to show Mother Nature that *"You can soak our club and wet our carpets but dammit...THERE WILL BE TENNIS!"*

WINNERS: Charmaine Willing and Marc Edwards

RUNNER UP: Kate Schilling and Rob de Gruchy

CBH Grainpool Ladies Open Day (held 16th November)

Another top event organised by Alisha Murray and sponsored by CBH Grainpool, saw a number of local players take on pairs from both Beverley and Beyond. Thank-You to Ashe Murray and all the ladies who assisted with the catering and Bob Hall, John Starling and Graeme Lewis who helped out on the day.

A GRADE WINNERS: Cathy North and Vanessa Leeson

A GRADE R/UP: Kirsten Arthur and Lynn Tagliaferri

B GRADE WINNERS: Alisha Murray and Mandy McLean

B GRADE R/UP: Natalie Kilpatrick and Anne Cleland

C GRADE WINNERS: Sandy Shaw and Bev Hall

C GRADE R/UP: Nikki Gors and Sally Kilpatrick



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our past Presidents and Captains who have added new additions to the BLTC family....Brett and Carissa Shaw welcomed baby Noah on 1st November and Daniel and Narelle Bailey brought little Abigail into the world on 12th November. Awwww!



DATES TO REMEMBER IN DECEMBER

4th Dec Social Tennis starting at 2pm

11th Dec Social Tennis starting at 2pm

18th Dec CHRISTMAS WIND-UP at 2pm (BBQ dinner, bring a salad to share)

Merry Christmas to All....HAPPY HITTING



BEVERLEY RUNNERS—UP at SUPER 8's CARNIVAL

Congratulations Audrey!



*BACK ROW: Liam Gollan, Lenny Ugle, Thomas McLean, Jamison Ugle, Toby Henry, Jake Baxter
FRONT ROW: Samuel McLean, Mitchell Ashworth, Barclay Wilkinson*

An enthusiastic team of junior cricketers and their parents, travelled to Pingelly on Sunday 20th November for the inaugural Super 8s Carnival. It was an early start to what would be a fantastic day of cricket designed for cricketers in Yr3 or Yr4.

The boys competed like true sportsmen, and finished the day as runners –up to Pingelly.

As one parent commented, the tiredness and a touch of the sun was all worth it to see the smiles when a ball was hit or a wicket was taken.

Some champions in the making maybe.....

In other cricket news, both Khyle Ugle and Leyton Ugle, represented Beverley in a combined Avon/Merredin team in the U13 Rutherford Shield Competition.



Photo courtesy of T. Heng Ee.

Audrey, daughter of Matt and Marie Carroll of Beverley showed off her dance expertise when she took part in the annual concert held by Dance flight of York at the York Town Hall on Sat 12 November 2011.

She participated in two numbers: the National Emblem Dance March, and an item called Moscow, with Russian Music. (As above).

Well done Audrey!

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Beverley Bowling Club

On Saturday 5 November the Men's Pennants saw 'Blue' travelling to Meckering to play, and they had a great 7-1 win. The 'Whites' having a Bye, had practice at home.

The Championship Mixed Pairs were played on Sunday 6 November, for the Avon Trading Trophies. The winning pair were Ron Napier and Glenys Collins with 3 wins and a draw + 30 shots up. The Runners up were Peter Fleay and Jane Murray with 3 wins +19 shots from Kim Moulton and Glenys Hastings who had 3 wins and 17 shots up.

In the Pennants played on the 12 November, 'Blue' played Bolgart at home for an 8-0 victory. 'White' played Northam Red for a 7-1 win at Northam. Well done to both teams.

Unfortunately both teams went down in their matches on 19 November.

The Country Kitchen Championship Triples which were to take place on the 13th have been postponed to a later date.

The Ladies Pennants were played on Wednesday the 2nd due to the Melbourne Cup Day on the Tuesday, and Beverley had a 4-0 win over Goomalling, playing at Beverley.

On Wednesday the 9th Social Bowls were played at home, and this time the 'Old Girls' Lesley, Dawn, Val and Glenys C. defeated the 'Young Ones' Jane, Lyn, Chrissy and Marg.

Dowerin Invitation Day was held on the 11th, and Beverley was represented by the team of Marg Peck, Glenys Collins, Lesley Heal and Jane Murray and they won 3rd prize from 18 teams - Well done ladies.

In the Pennants played on the 15th, Beverley defeated York Gold 3-1, playing at York.

The Pennant Match to be played against Bolgart on the 22nd will see players from both clubs playing in shades of Blue in recognition of the 'Beyond Blue' cause.

On the 16th the ladies played 50 up Singles, and the eventual winner was Glenys Hastings.

The Club Singles Ladies Championships are to be played on the 23rd and 30th. Results next Blarney. Good Luck to Marg Peck and Glenys Collins, representing Beverley in the AVLBA Inter-League Pairs at Cunderdin on the 26th and 27th on November.

Could any persons, who have taken table clothes home to wash after catering events, please ensure they are returned to the Club.

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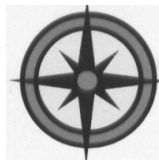
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Sat 18 February 2012

- Abbasolutely Just for Fun Concert at Platform Theatre

Sat 10 March 2012

- Bonnets and Boats, Convict women memorial.
- Irish Gig at Platform Theatre

Sat 7 April 2012

- Platform Easter Markets

Fri 13 April 2012

- Comedy Production at Platform Theatre 39 Steps

Sun 24 June 2012

Beverley Clydesdale & Vintage Day

Sat 18 August 2012

- 2012 Beverley Show

Sun 25 November 2012

Beverley Harvest Festival

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BEVERLEY LADIES BADMINTON CLUB

Our last day for Season 2011 was on November 16th with a morning tea and AGM.

Committee for 2012 is:

Captain	Debbie Ware 9646 1119
Vice-captain	Denise Strange 96471 014
Secretary/Treasurer	Judy Tomlinson 9646 0174

Once again John and his staff at The Hotel Beverley catered for our wind-up luncheon, with yet another fantastic meal; thank you.

Congratulations to our 2011 Trophy Winners -

A GRADE Club Champion	Marg Mourach
Runner/up	Lisa Mourach
B GRADE Club Champion	Keira Messenger
Runner/up	Rose Jones
A GRADE Doubles Winner	Beryl Carter
Runner/up	Lisa Mourach
B GRADE Doubles Winner	Keira Messenger
Runner/up	Rose Jones

MOST IMPROVED PLAYER FOR 2011 went to Sue Eramiha

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What's on in Beverley in December 2011



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			1 Line Dancing Playgroup Lions Dinner Meeting	2 Op Shop Youth Centre Christmas Disco	3 Swimming Club Street Stall	4 Social Tennis Bowls Mixed Singles Championships
5 Weight Watchers Child Health Wild Women of The West Seminar	6 HACC Men's Shed SOYF 9am Quilting 10.30am Stay Active Chair Exercises 10.30am	7 HACC Ladies Bowls Ambulance RAOB	8 Line Dancing Playgroup	9 Op Shop	10 Kindy Pre-Primary Christmas Party	11 Social Tennis Bowls Mixed Fours
12 Weight Watchers Child Health Garden Society Christmas Lunch BDHS Presentation Night	13 HACC Men's Shed SOYF 9am Quilting 10.30am Stay Active Chair Exercises 10.30am	14 HACC Ladies Bowls School year ends	15 Line Dancing Lions Business Meeting	16 Op Shop	17 Dale Hall Christmas Tree Clay Target Family Picnic Christmas Concert at Platform Theatre	18 Tennis Christmas Wind-up Bowl over cancer Christmas Party Dale River Tennis Club Christmas Party
19 Child Health <u>Blarney Deadline</u>	20 HACC Council Meeting Men's Shed SOYF 9am Quilting 10.30am Stay Active Chair Exercises 10.30am	21 HACC Ladies Bowls Masonic Lodge 7.30pm	22 Line Dancing	23	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day 
26 Boxing Day	27	28 HACC	29 Line Dancing	30	31 New Year's Eve Mid Summer Mask Party 	