

# **BEVERLEY BLARNEY**

Edition 317 March 2011 No Charge





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A MEETING TO **DISCUSS THIS** MATTER WILL BE HELD AT THE R.S.L. HALL ON **FRIDAY MARCH 25<sup>TH</sup>** AT 7.30PM

WITHOUT THE R.S.L, THIS YEAR'S ANZAC DAY WILL BE THE COMMUNITY'S **RESPONSIBILITY!!** 

#### SHIRE OF BEVERLEY

#### LEASING OF CROPPING COMMITTEE LAND 2 YEARS

Submissions are invited for the leasing of the Cropping Committee reserves on an individual basis. The leases are offered for either grazing or cropping. The period of the leases offered will be for a **two year period**.

The following land is available for leasing;

- > Portion Reserve 5265 Lot A (Old Commonage) 260 ha.
- Portion Reserve 5265 Lot B (Sand Pit) 101 ha
- > Portion Reserve 5265 Lot C (Between Great Southern Highway & Railway Reserve) 54ha
- > Portion Reserve 5265 Lot D (Off Bremner Road) 60ha
- > Reserve 25266 (Bethany Farm) 106ha
- Reserve 2633 (Old Aerodrome Opposite CBH) approximately 31ha
- Reserve 3788 (Old Racecourse) 43ha
- Lot 78 Waterhatch Road 14ha

The following is to be noted in relation to the leases

- That the Perth Tractor Pull Association uses a small section of the Reserve 3788 Old Racecourse several times a year.
- That there is a section of Reserve 2633 that is not for lease, being the area that is occupied by Onsite Repairs (approx 2ha).

Submissions must be put in writing quoting the reserve required, period of lease and the amount of the lease.

The leases will commence on 1<sup>st</sup> April 2011. A draft agreement is also available upon request.

The submissions are to be addressed to Mr. Keith Byers, Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Beverley, PO Box 20 Beverley WA 6304.

Submissions close Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2011 at 4.00 pm.

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# President's Report 22/2/2011

### **Regional Transition Group / Amalgamation**

- Dominic Carbone and Associates have been endorsed by the Board of the South East Avon Regional Transition Group (SEARTG) to prepare a Regional Business Plan. Dominic Carbone is the Executive Officer for SEAVROC and has previously worked with each of the RTG partners in various capacities.
- Community consultation is to be undertaken as part of developing the draft Regional Business Plan.
- The aim of the Business Plan is to provide information for Communities to make an informed decision about their future and guide the process of how this might occur. The plan will endeavour to identify the benefits or otherwise of amalgamation, both from an economic and social point of view. No decision has been made if an amalgamation is to proceed.
- The Regional Business Plan will investigate amalgamating Beverley Council with Cunderdin, Quairading, Tammin and York, including retention of services, local identity, community representation, a shop front in each of the current Shires and cost implications.
- Funding has been provided by the State Government to develop the Regional Business Plan. Councils have not however been reimbursed for the Staff and Councillor commitment required as part of the process.
- Following development of the Business Plan, another round of Community consultation will be held prior to any decisions being made which would move the group toward amalgamation.
- The subsidiary model which was being pursued by SEAVROC in the structural reform process was not supported by the Minister for Local Government. Brookton is still a member of SEAVROC, however have chosen to form an RTG grouping with Pingelly to investigate the possibility of amalgamation.
- Your Councillors are very keen for electors to take an interest and be involved in the consultation process, particularly following a request made at the annual electors meeting for more community information relating to the structural reform process being participated in by the Shire of Beverley.

#### <u>Storm</u>

The sudden severe storm on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January caused havoc to businesses, private property and infrastructure around the Beverley district and it is anticipated the clean up and repair work will be ongoing for many months to come if not for the rest of the year.

In the immediate aftermath of the storm, with numerous sections of road impassable, shire staff and many rural landowners worked long hours to ensure at least a minimum level of road accessibility, which I'm sure was greatly appreciated by those requiring access, including FESA and Western Power.

With the SES fully pre-occupied due to damage elsewhere, there were many in our community out helping others who didn't fare so well, with at least two families requiring temporary accommodation and many homes tagged to have electrical checks prior to reinstatement of power to their properties. The extended power outage was a challenge in itself.

With the various natural disaster events that have been occurring around Australia and now in New Zealand our experience could be viewed as humbling. Never the less, this was a disaster event in our district and debriefs involving Councillors, FESA services, Police, Department of Child Protection Emergency Assistance and the Local Emergency Management Committee have been held to review the response.

There is information elsewhere in the Blarney relating to the ongoing clean-up.

"Thank you to everyone who gave a helping hand"

#### **Recreation Feasibility Report**

Mark Casserly from CCS Strategic made a presentation to Councillors and community group representatives on 10<sup>th</sup> February, utilising the new screen and projector in the town hall. The proposal was well received and the submission made to the Department of Sport and Recreation (DSR) for funding assistance supported, the outcome of which is still several months away.

The Community Sporting Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF) Small Grants was identified in the recreation feasibility review as an opportunity to obtain assistance for relocation and upgrade of the multipurpose courts. Council has since resolved to support an application which will most likely occur in the second funding round this year.

There is now an urgency to identify the outcome of the Amenities building roof damage as many groups will be requiring the use of a community building on the oval with the commencement of winter sports.

#### **Town Entry Statements**

The Town Entry Statement Committee has held several meetings and recently took the opportunity of sending representatives to a Public Art Seminar which encompassed an array of topics, including town entry statements. The Committee have since agreed to investigate the prospect of engaging assistance from an arts specialist to formulate a unique project relating to Beverley, along with funding possibilities to support this. It is anticipated there will be community engagement in developing a proposal for the town entry statements.



Councillors and community members at this year's Annual Elector's Meeting enjoying the new town hall lighting

Dee Ridgway Shire President



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# FOR ALL FIRE EMERGENCIES PLEASE CALL 000

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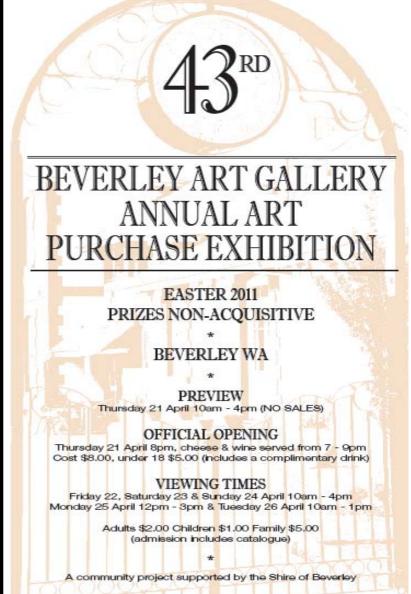
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# **SHIRE OF BEVERLEY**

COUNCIL WILL BE USING A COMBINATION OF CONTRACTORS AND COUNCIL STAFF TO REMOVE FALLEN TREES FROM THE ROAD RESERVES DUE TO THE STORM WHICH OCCURRED ON THE 29 JANUARY 2011.

THESE TREES WILL BE PLACED IN PILES AND DISPOSED OF AT A LATER DATE. IN SOME AREAS DUMP SITES WILL BE REQUIRED AND THE WORKS SUPERVISOR WILL BE LIAISING WITH THE LOCAL FARMERS TO DETERMINE WHERE THESE SITES WILL BE -YOUR CO-OPERATION WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED IN THIS REGARD.



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#### THANK YOU

Desley wishes to sincerely thank all friends and relatives for their support, messages and attendance at the service for her much loved Fred. Special thank you to Peter and Lorraine, Peter and Verna and Greg and Gail. 'Friendship is priceless.'

### THANK YOU

Sheila and Ted Sheehan cannot thank the people of Beverley enough for everything that they have done to help and support us since January 29.

We all know what the day was like, but help was at our house right away. How lucky we are to live here and have so many people who really do care. Daily we are still meeting people who help more than they can ever know by just asking how we are.

I think we were both dumbstruck yes, even me for a while, but when you see the terrible happenings all over the State we are truly blessed. We are well, we have friends, we have Beverley.

Thank you.

## THANK YOU

To our landlords, Ash and Dawn; their friends; Hayman Roofing Constractors and staff; our son-inlaw Damon; friends and neighbours, who helped when we lost our roof recently, please accept our grateful thanks. This served to reinforce our belief that we are where we BELONG; in the friendly town of Beverley.

God bless you all.

John and Ann Blundell

## THE BLUE LINE Beverley Police Station - Western Australia Police

Please note that the new phone number for the Beverley Police Station is:

# 9646 3333

We apologise that there will be no 'The Blue Line' article for this issue.



# BEVERLEY LAWN TENNIS CLUB 78<sup>th</sup> Annual EASTER TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by JACK & MARY THOMAS

22<sup>nd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> April 2011

Conducted by the Beverley Lawn Tennis Club over the Easter Holiday Weekend

## Play commences 8.30am Good Friday

Entry Forms can be downloaded from beverleytennisclub.com Entry forms <u>must</u> be received via post addressed to: The Tournament Coordinator, PO Box 110, Beverley WA 6304. OR by e-mail to: entries@beverleytennisclub.com

Closing Date: 4pm Friday, 25th March 2011

#### Number of entries are Limited.

A list of entries can be found on our website www.beverleytennisclub.com. As entries fill the website will be updated. If you enter an event that is filled, your entry may be rejected.

Entrance fees MUST accompany your entry form.

TROPHY PRESENTATION AT CONCLUSION OF PLAY MONDAY 25<sup>th</sup> April 2011

Brett & Carissa Shaw Phone (08) 9646 1813 president@beverleytennisclub.com Natalie Kilpatrick Phone/Fax (08) 9646 4068 secretary@beverleytennisclub.com

# Sunday Night Entertainment at the Club:

# My Big Fat Greek Sundowner

# **Togas Optional!**

Souvlaki, Ouzo, plate smashing (maybe not), did I mention Ouzo... whether you're a Greek God or a Greek Geek, it doesn't matter if you're an Alpha female or a Beta male, it doesn't even matter if you wear your underpants outside your toga. You

will find your place amongst the pantheon of the Gods at the BLTC Sunday night Greek Sundowner ...PS bring your racquet ....there will be ball sports.



# THANK YOU

We would like to publicly acknowledge and sincerely thank Paul Baldwin for the invaluable assistance he gave us after the violent storm of Saturday, January 29.

Paul truly exemplified the meaning of the words "a friend in need is a friend indeed," and we are most grateful.

Chris, Pat, Jason and Gavin.



# **BEVERLEY TOURIST BUREAU**

Our Bureau has had visitors coming in from various parts of Australia and overseas in the past few months. Many people from Europe, South and West Africa and New Zealand. They range from retirees to backpackers and most have a story to tell and we welcome them.

The Bureau has recently had a wonderful donation of a WWII flying coat from a local resident. Thank you.

Our committee is committed to helping improve both the Bureau and Museum and work on ideas to help make Beverley an even better place to live.

Over the next few months a shed will be erected to overcome our storage problems. We plan to help improve street signage, and the Tourist Bay on Hunt Road must have a serious 'makeover'. The Vampire Jets will also receive attention.

There are other items on our program, but we are a small group and all volunteers, so these things take time.

Thank you to everyone.

If you would like to become a Tourist Bureau volunteer and help promote this wonderful town of ours, please drop in to the Tourist Bureau and chat to a Beverley Tourist Bureau member. Open 9 am to 4 pm daily.

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# **Ladies Golf Meeting**

Ladies Golf are having a meeting on Friday 4 March at 9.30 am at Jane Murray's house.

Could everyone please attend.



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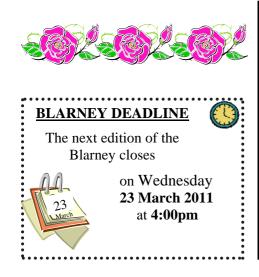
#### In Memory of Jann Howard

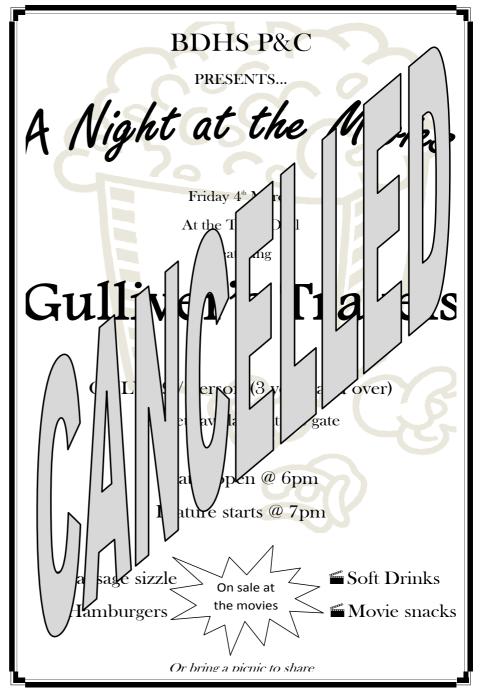
It is with great sadness that the Beverley Agricultural Society notes the sudden passing of our long time colleague and friend Jann Howard. Jann started coming to meetings in July of 1997 and soon became a regular attendee of all meetings. You could always rely on her to be there, so over time she became something of an institution in her own right.

In 1999 Jann took on the role of shed secretary then in following years applied her skills to overseeing the organisation of catering for members, VIPs and volunteers. She put her whole heart into whatever she did and Jann's friendly chatty personality made her a great hostess when it came to making guests feel welcome.

In recent years Jann took on the job of trophy selections, she donated the perpetual art trophy and has for many years quietly paid for all those ribbons for most outstanding exhibit in each section. It was typical of her that she didn't want her name to be on the trophy or ribbons, Jann would always just say to anyone who asked that it came from the Ag Society. Of course over the years Jann amassed her own collection of prizes for her exquisite needlework. I remember listening to the judges commenting on how perfect the stitches were, which was typical of anything Jann undertook, she took care and time to make sure everything was as perfect as she could make it.

We will all miss her very much.





#### **Relief Cleaner**

Beverley District High School are looking for a relief cleaner, available on short notice. Anyone interested, please contact the Registrar, Marie Carroll on 9646 1165.

# Beverley District High School Tender

4 sheds surplus to requirement.

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Contact Jethro Sleer, School Gardener or Norm Ireland, Principal for viewing – (9646 1165).

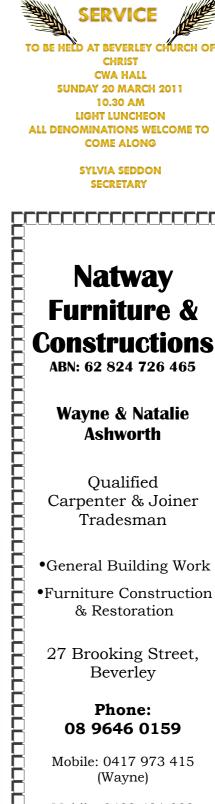
Tenders (in a sealed envelope with your name, contact details, description of the shed you are bidding for and your bid) are to be lodged at the School Front Office no later than <u>3:00pm Monday, 28 March 2011.</u>

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Railway	728m2	\$65,000		
Bartram	999m2	\$70,000		
Railway	636m2	\$72,000		
Brockman	937m2	\$75,000		
Forrest	1214m2	\$75,000 \$75,000		
Reduced Barnsley Prior Place	2000m2 1783m2	\$75,000 \$91,000		
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Great Sth/Hwy	3acres	\$129,000		
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# **SHIRE OF BEVERLEY**

# **KERBSIDE PICK UP**

# **MARCH 2011**

Council will provide a GREEN WASTE and BULK WASTE Collection for residential properties within the town site boundary commencing on the following date:

# TUESDAY, 8 MARCH 2011

# WILL REMOVE

- Garden and green waste max length 1.5m
- Old furniture
- Stoves and refrigerators (doors removed) and other white goods
- Car parts only if they are drained of all fluids
- General household items, max length 1.5m
- Metal, wire, etc

# NOTE: PLEASE GROUP SIMILAR ITEMS TOGETHER

# WE WILL NOT REMOVE

- Building Materials bricks, rubble, sand, etc
- \* Asbestos and cement products
- \* Renovation and demolition waste
- Tyres, batteries
- Foodstuffs
- ✤ Hazardous Chemicals, paint, etc
- \* Metal or plastic chemical drums

# CAR BODIES AND WATER TANKS

Removal of car bodies and/or Water Tanks is **by appointment only**, please phone the Shire Office on 9646-1200

# PLEASE FOLLOW THESE STEPS TO MAKE COLLECTION EASIER:

- 1. Place bulk waste NEATLY on the street verge.
- 2. Similar waste to be grouped SEPARATELY, eg Green Waste, Furniture/timber for recycling purposes.
- 3. Do **Not** obstruct footpath.
- 4. **REMOVE** fridge doors and **DRAIN** oil from machinery parts.
- 5. Please **DO NOT** place your bulk waste out **UNTIL THE WEEK-END PRIOR** to the collection date. This constitutes littering and is liable to incur a penalty.
- 6. Any items **NOT REMOVED** from your verge, **PLEASE REMOVE** or a penalty may be incurred.

# SHIRE OF BEVERLEY drumMUSTER



# TUESDAY 22 MARCH 2011 BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL PHONE 9646-1200

# **Drums must be:**

- Triple rinsed
- Lids to be removed
- Steel drums must be punctured through the top, out the base

# \$5,000 Western Australian Grants for Women Program 2011 now open.

Women's Interests Minister Robyn McSweeney today announced oneoff annual grants of up to \$5,000 to eligible community groups and organisations which provide services to West Australian women.

Grants will be provided to applicants who run projects to strengthen the social and economic wellbeing of women; increase their participation in the community; promote positive images of women; and encourage a sense of leadership and safety.

"The one-off grants, worth \$80,000 in total, are on offer to help community organisations and not-for profit groups encourage greater participation of women in our communities," Mrs McSweeney said.

"2011 is a unique year as we mark the centenary of International Women's Day where we hope to continue promoting the equality of women by developing projects that highlight and strengthen women's economic, political and social accomplishments."

The Minister said eligible groups and organisations must be incorporated not-for-profit organisations; or unincorporated organisations or community groups applying through the auspices of an incorporated body or local government, to be eligible to apply.

Projects delivered in 2010 as part of the grants program included:

- Relationships Australia (WA) ran events to bring women together who had experienced domestic violence and gave women skills designed to enhance their personal safety.
- Small Business Centre Goldfields ran 'Women in Business -Personal Mastery' - one-day programs designed to give women extra skills to achieve results in their businesses.
- Manjimup Family Centre 'Rainbow Mum's project supported local mothers with post-natal depression and issues relating to social isolation.

Guidelines and information for applicants are available at <u>http://</u> www.communities.wa.gov.au/grants or by phoning the Department for Communities on 6217 8400. The deadline is 5:00pm, April 15, 2011.

Successful applicants are expected to complete their projects within 12 months of their grant allocation.

# CWA HALL BOOKINGS

Now phone: 9646 1261

Rhonda Seymour

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#### Platform Theatre

Pete Rowsthorn Live:-Well, he promised 2 hours of laughter and that's what we got. It was a fantastic atmosphere with a crowd just short of 300 who started to arrive around 6pm to claim a spot and enjoy their picnic on a perfect summer's evening. People ventured from far and wide to see the show - Sawyers Valley and Mundaring, Perth, Toodyay, York, Quairading, Pingelly, and even a busload from Brookton. All visitors said how much they enjoyed the relaxed ambience of the outdoor theatre and are looking forward to future events. Thanks to everyone for the manner in which the venue was left - a couple of bottle tops were all that was found on the grassed area. And thanks too to our wonderful committee and their spouses, and to several of our 'Friends of the Gallery' for helping out on the night. Not to mention the incredible job Barry and Pauline of Beverley Newsagency did with the issuing of tickets and food vouchers. All in all it was a magnificent night with the promise of more to come which leads me to the official opening of the Platform Theatre.



Pete Rowsthorn

*Gala Opening:* Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March is the date set for the

# Station Gallery News

official opening of the Platform Theatre. Flyers advertising the event are around town (and surrounding towns) as is elsewhere in the Blarney and on the Beverley website www.beverleywa.com (click on 'Things to do' - very helpful when advising friends further a field of what's going on in town). Due to the logistics of available space at the Station Gallery, it has been decided not to offer a meal to the public on this occasion. However, the hot spud and coffee vans will be in attendance, along with snacks and cool drinks at the Guard's Kitchen and wines and beers at the bars. It is a licensed event so no BYO, and under 18's must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian at all times in the bar area - which is the entire Station precinct. Seating will be formal to encourage more people to attend so please leave your chairs and eskies at home.

Tickets for the Gala Opening are \$30, <u>however</u> the first 100 tickets sold to local residents will get them for \$20 (only 2 per family), so be quick and buy now! The ticket subsidy is courtesy of the Dry Season Assistance Scheme offered by the Rural Business Development Corporation.

We assure you a to remember, as along with the official opening by the Honourable Brendon Grylls, the ceremony will include 2 solo acts by Beverley music teacher, Nicole Harris, and Ann Rayner's daughter, Kelly Simpson, plus entertainment by the Metro Big Band. A 17 piece big band fronted by 1 male and 2 female vocalists delivering the best jazz, swing, and classics of your life, the band promise us a powerhouse of glamour, elegance and excitement! So get out those glad rags and dress for the occasion! It will make you feel like dancing (which will be restricted to the paved areas either side of the stage).

**Treasurer:** If anyone in the community wishes to join the committee of the Beverley Art Gallery Society, the job is Treasurer! This does not entail the Easter Art Exhibition, but does include the Station shop sales along with the theatre events finances.

*Station Festivities:* We're planning a terrific fun day for the kids on Easter Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April, along with some great craft and produce stalls at the Station.

#### Easter Art Exhibition

Anyone wishing to enter works of art into the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Art Exhibition can pick up entry forms at either the Shire offices, Station Gallery or the Newsagency. There are many sections of 2D media that can be entered into, including sections for children so get those pencils and paintbrushes out kids!

#### Easter Art Raffle

Raffle tickets now on sale at the Newsagency or Station Gallery for the lovely oil painting by Barry Mackie (judged Best Local Artist 2010) and framed by Chris and Ruth Baker of York.

#### Artists in Residence

We're gearing up for another packed year of Artists in Residence. During April, Neil Elliott who lectures at Claremont School of Art, will conduct 2 different workshops on the 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> of April. The Friday one will concentrate on 2D mixed media incorporating found objects, and the Saturday class will be metal sculpting with found objects sounds like one for the blokes out there! Please indicate your interest to Marylou (details below).

Artists in Residence programme 2011 thus far:

*April:* Neil Elliott from Perth *June:* Helen Amyes from York *July:* Marta Salamon from Victoria *August:* Michael Vandeleur from Safety Bay

Contact Artist in Residence coordinator Marylou Hutchinson on 9647 1027 / 0427 085 511 or email; *hutchinson@wn.com.au* for any further information of the above.

#### Station Gallery Garden

Special thanks to the garden fairies who have kept the garden alive during this hot dry summer with watering and weeding, and re-staking the standard roses after the horrific storm. Weren't we lucky to have only lost one limb of the gum tree in the theatre seating area? The same can't be said for the poor old Cape Lilac in the gravelled area, but, the buildings still stand proud!

In closing, have you noticed the very flash and innovative bench seating that Brett and Marylou have crafted? Worth a look - and no, they're not taking orders!)

<u>Gallery Open Hours</u> 11.00am – 3.00pm Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday

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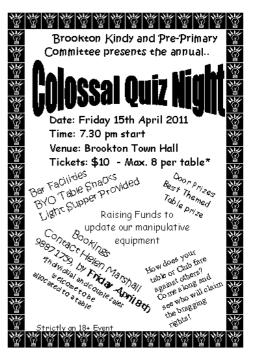
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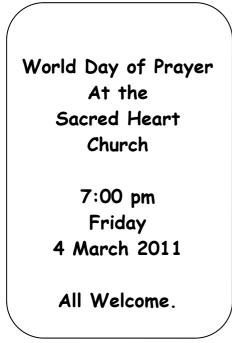
Beverley Hospital WHEN: 7.00PM til 8.45PM ON TUESDAY 8<sup>th</sup> March Contact

Contact

Leonie Hill on 96464 149 Type one and two diabetics of all ages are encouraged to attend as well as other members of the public interested or suffering from diabetes.

Please park on the road or behind the St John Ambulance Centre. **TIP:** 

Maintain a healthy diet by eating five vegetables and two fruit daily. Exercise for thirty minutes a day or take two 15 minute walks.



# FREE Public Lecture Cancer Council WA

Cancer Council Western Australia and the Western Australian Clinical Oncology Group Is pleased to invite you to a free public lecture titled

# Breast reconstruction - tailor made or grow your own?

Speaker:	<b>Professor Wayne Morrison</b> Bernard O'Brien Institute of Microsurgery, Melbourne
Date: Time:	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2011 12.30 - 1.15 PM
Where:	State Library of WA Alexander Library Building. Situated in Northbridge between Francis Street and the James Street Mall.
RSVP:	Registrations to attend are essential as places are limited. Please call the <b>Cancer Council Helpline</b> on 131120

#### Background

The experimental stem cell breast-growing technique - called Neopec - could replace breast reconstructions and implants within years. The trial offers hope to more than 5000 Australian women who lose their breasts to cancer each year.

Scientists from the Bernard O'Brien Institute of Microsurgery in Melbourne are working on implanting fat cells, which will multiple rapidly and be shaped into the breast removed during cancer surgery.

The process relies on surgeons implanting a biodegradable synthetic breast-shaped chamber beneath the skin on a woman's chest to act as a scaffold for the new breast to grow in. They then redirect a blood vessel from the woman's underarm through the chamber to a 5ml piece of the patient's own fat, which spontaneously grows to fill a fist-sized space and form a new breast over the next four to six months.

Professor Morrison will present the latest developments in this very promising experimental work. All members of the public are welcome to attend.



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# **BEVERLEY BRANCH, COUNTRY** WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

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A great deal of enthusiasm was shown at our CWA meetings on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February.

We welcomed two new members and one who has been able to rejoin after some years.

At our AGM all offices were filled and with a new President in Irene Pavers, who is brimming with new ideas and enthusiasm, it promises to be a great start to 2011.

Irene has had a wealth of experience in many fields and specialises in crafts of all kinds. It is envisaged that in the near future, she will be demonstrating new crafts on a regular basis - watch this spot for further information.

Next meeting will be Friday 18<sup>th</sup> March at 9.30am with a "bring and share lunch." We expect to have a "think tank" to discuss our options and choices to program our activities for the year. We envisage having bi-monthly meetings with activities conducted on the alternative months.

Future meetings will be on the second Friday of each month commencing at 9.30am - excepting March which will be, as mentioned, the 18<sup>th</sup> March.

New Members would be made most welcome - please feel free to drop in and join us on our meeting/social davs.





Lorraine Sims Secretary.



#### **Primary Health Presents:**

# "Junior Jibber Jabbers"

#### An Early Language Group for Toddlers

Parents are invited to bring their children along to Junior Jibber Jabbers, a group which promotes language development and social interaction through play. Come along and learn fun and exciting ways to interact with your child to encourage the development of their language skills. Each week a different language development strategy will be discussed and demonstrated. You will then have the opportunity to practice the skill with the support of a Speech Pathologist.

- What: A range of topics will be covered over the course of the group, with information and handouts provided.
- Where: Day Hospital at the Northam Hospital please present to Allied Health Reception area.
- When: 9:30 10:30am followed by morning tea

Dates: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April



#### NB: No group on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> March due to a Public Holiday.

Who: Parents of children aged between 12 - 36 months who are concerned about their child's language skills or who would like extra tips and ideas how best to promote language development in their children.

Parents are welcome to come along to any or all of the above sessions. Morning tea will be provided for parents, please bring a snack and drink for your child.

Parents are requested to contact their Speech Pathologist on 9690 1321 if they are interested in attending any of the group sessions.



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# DO YOU OWN LAND in the AVON WHEATBELT?

#### Interested in having tree crops as part of your farming system?

WA Wheatbelt AFG has secured funds from Wheatbelt Natural Resource Management to run the highly acclaimed Master TreeGrower Program this autumn in the Avon Wheatbelt. The course is for land managers in the Avon Wheatbelt who would like to include tree crops as part of their farming system.

The course will run for eight days over four weekends at four different locations in the Avon.

Eight-day course over four weekends:

- Friday/Saturday March 11th and 12th value adding opportunities
- Sunday/Monday March 20th and 21st site selection, silviculture and management
- Sunday/Monday April 3rd and 4th tree crops in the broader landscape
- Sunday/Monday April 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> property planning

The course brings together experts in a range of fields associated with tree crops and property planning – you will learn how to match the most appropriate tree crop to each site, learn how to manage your plantings, value-adding opportunities and visit other properties to learn from each other.

To register contact Monica Durcan: 0418 934 870 or email: mdurcan@iinet.net.au

http://www.agroforestry.net.au/main.asp?\_=Australian%20Master%20TreeGrower

# Situation Vacant

Experienced Part-time Office Admin person required by a local agricultural services company for an initial 3 month period.

Duties include ordering, filing, dispatching, data entry and general office duties. Some previous agricultural experience would be an advantage.

Flexible hours and days, also extra work available for the right person. Contact Mike on 0408 056 662 or send CV to york@agrisearch.com.au

# Situation Vacant

Casual packing work 3-4 days a week March/April.

Must be well organised with good reading, writing and arithmetic.

Contact Mike on 0408 056 662 or york@agrisearch.com.au



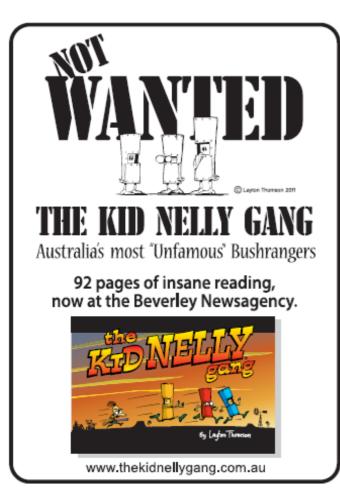
'We all have our own life to pursue, our own kind of dream to be weaving, and we all have the power to make wishes come true, as long as we keep believing.'

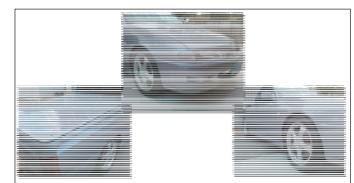
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## **Beverley Agricultural Society**

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday 16 March, 7.30 pm at the Freemasons Hotel.







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Should the need arise, there are six defibrillators placed throughout the town in the following locations;

- 1. On the wall in the outside foyer of the Beverley Shire Office.
- 2. On the wall in the foyer of The Hotel Beverley.
- 3. On the wall above the ATM machine inside the IGA.
- 4. On the wall in the main entrance to the Freemasons Tavern.
- 5. On the wall in the locker room at the Beverley Bowling Club.
- 6. On the wall inside the main door of the Amenities Building.

# Are you wanting to make a difference in 2011P

Giving back to the community in which you live is always a rewarding place to start.

Your local Sub centre is always looking for new volunteers to join their team.

If you are up to the challenge and would like to be part of our friendly crew, you can contact the secretary Sharon Morrell on 96460646 for an information pack.

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The first meeting for 2011 will be held at Erica Murray's house on York Road at 10:00 am, Monday 14 March. All Welcome.

Enquiries to Del 9643 1047.

# **GYM MEMBERSHIP**

Don't forget, Gym Memberships can be obtained from the Shire office or from www.beverley.wa.gov.au.

Beverley Gym The Old Courthouse, 97 Vincent St.

# Men of the Trees

Men of the Trees has secured funding from Wheatbelt Natural Resource Management to run activities and training sessions based on the 'Treemendous Trees' Education Kit.

2011 is the International Year of Forests. The Men of the Trees' 'Treemendous Trees' Education Kit is full of information and curriculum linked activities for all ages designed to instil an appreciation of what trees do for each of us individually, for our communities and for the environment.

Opportunities will be designed to suit your needs but can include:

- Class activities for different age groups;
- How to grow native seedlings; and/or
- Training for teachers in the use of the kit so that your school can continue to use the kit well into the future.

The kit contains a Teachers' Resource Book, story books for younger students and a manual on how to propagate native seedlings.

This offer is free to schools within the Avon Wheatbelt however all activities must be completed by mid-May 2011.

For more information or to book your visit by Mrs Jo Wheeler, Men of the Trees' Revegetation Officer, please email to request an Expression of Interest form at jowhwk@gmail.com.

What better way to participate in the United Nations' International Year of Forests (see <u>http://</u> <u>www.unorg/en/events/iyof2011</u>)

This offer funded by Wheatbelt NRM ends mid-May!



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# An extra set of hands for rural families in WA

WA farmers needing a break are now linked to a national network of people who can look after their properties.

The Department of Agriculture and Food WA has formed an alliance with Frontier Services, which runs the successful Outback Links Program.

"In the case of WA, the program initially is seen as beneficial to farmers who need time out due to the dry season," department Regional Operations and Development executive director Greg Paust said.

"The beauty of this program is that it's well established and operates all year. It's not just the dry season when farmers might need a break."

The program primarily exists to minimise the isolation found in some parts of remote Australia, by linking skilled volunteers with individuals and families who need help.

During the past three years, a growing number of volunteers have:

- Given respite to palliative, sick or elderly station dwellers;
- Provided childcare and education, freeing rural women for other tasks;
- Given station assistance in times of flood recovery and drought;
- Provided station caretaking to enable those on the land to tend to off-farm commitments;
- Assisted with practical advice on IT, or building and machine maintenance.

The volunteer workforce comprises people of all ages, skill levels, backgrounds and nationalities. All have been police-checked and they are insured.

"Through Outback Links we can provide help based on the skills of available volunteers at any given time," Outback Links co-ordinator Davida Melksham said.

"If you are a rural person who needs help, you only need to call or e-mail and ask. And that's a big step, as many rural families hesitate to ask for assistance.

"We have set up the service so it's a

two-way street. Our volunteers provide farmers and graziers with the assistance they require without depleting already stretched financial resources, and the volunteers get to live and work in another part of the country. It's a simple concept which just works."

To find out more about Outback Links, phone: 1300 731 349, e-mail:

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#### BEVERLEY DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL HAPPENINGS...

"I like my new classroom because it's big and we have our own desks."

"I like that we have carpet now and that it's really, really, really BIG."

"I like how our names are on the wall and there is heaps of stuff in our classroom."

"I like that there is a blackboard and windows with locks that open and shut."

Above are a few comments that our new Year Ones said about their classroom, which for the older community members is the old manual arts room. That room has had many faces in the last 20 to 30 years. Last year it became our temporary library. The library books have been temporarily moved to a room in the high school section of the school. We hope by the time the next edition of the Blarney is out, our library will have moved to its new, modern home.

Staff would like to welcome everyone back in 2011 and a special welcome to our new parents and their children. Remember if you have any queries, please contact your child's teacher by making an appointment with Megan Vandenberg, our school officer. If you are coming to the school for any reason, eg bringing lunch to your child, you must sign in at the front office and then sign out when you leave the school grounds. We want to know who is on our school grounds at all times. Staff

Norm Ireland	Principal
Narelle Bailey	Deputy Principal
Marie Carroll	Registrar
Sally Baxter	Year 4/5
Sue Carbone	English, S&E, Art
Diane Colebrook	Health/T&E/VET
Lia Gault	Year 2
Sam Gollan	Pre-Primary – Mon/Wed
Nicole Harris	Year 6/7
Chris Mann	Pre-Primary – Tues/Thurs/Fri
Chantelle Meade	Year 3/4 – Mon/Wed/Fri & GiRN
Nicole Mitting	Year 1
Sera Minchin	Computing; Languages-Italian
Sharyn Morrell	Science and Secondary Maths
Aliesha Murray	Year 6/7 - Thursday
Angela Sims	Kindy
Guy Slingerland	Design & Technology
Corinna Thomas	Year 3/4 – Tues/Wed/Thurs
Karen Wansbrough	Year 3

#### Non teaching Staff

Gina Adams	Ed Assistant	
Kathy Adams	Ed Assistant	
Mary Brogan	AIEO	
Steve Byworth	Head Cleaner	
Kiriana Carroll	Ed. Assistant	
Terry Creedon	Cleaner	
Lois Edwards	Ed. Assistant	
Tracy Hare	Ed Assistant	
Evelyn Moad	Ed. Aide/Cleaner	
Gaye Redding	Ed Assistant	
Jo Sims	Library Officer	
Jethro Sleer	Gardener	
Gay Vandenberg	Ed. Assistant	
Megan Vandenberg	School Officer	
Carol Veitch	Ed. Assistant	
Marie Walker	Ed. Assistant	
Betty Wauchope	Cleaner	

Welcome back to all staff and to Karen Wansbrough who has returned after her leave.

#### Workplace Learning

Students in Year 9/10 will be starting their 1 day a week program from 25th of February by working each Friday with a local employer. Students will be learning employment skills which will help them get a job in the future. Thank you to our local business people who have volunteered to employ students; Avon Trading, Beverley Newsagency, Cafe 6304, Mr Jeff Murray, Year 2 -Beverley DHS, Kalkarni Lodge - Brookton, Mr Jamie Hammond. More students will be placed with employers in the near future.

#### Our Term Calendar

As you are all aware this term is going to be a long term - 12 weeks. Staff have been very busy as we did not have a good start thanks to Mother Nature. We were not sure if the students could start school on the Wednesday, but thankfully the power was restored on Tuesday and then it was full steam ahead for our staff.

Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> March Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 3 Assembly - 2.00pm Faction Swimming Carnival Assembly—2pm	
-	Round 1 Immunisation for Year 7 students	
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Interschool Swimming at Brookton	
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Brookton School Photos Year 4/5 Assembly - 2.00pm	

#### **Relief Cleaner**

We are looking for a relief cleaner, available on short notice. Anyone interested, please contact the Registrar, Marie Carroll.

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# 2011 Census job opportunities

# With 3,500 Area Supervisor jobs now available Australia-wide, you can help your community shed some light on Census night.

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# BEVERLEY JUNIOR RECREATIONAL EDUCATIONAL SPORTING COUNCIL AGM

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2011, 7:30pm at the Beverley Golf Club. All positions vacant. Apologies to: <u>sgollan@beverley.wa.gov.au</u> or 0429 461 200.

If your child is interested in playing sport in Beverley, please support the Council by attending and offering your services.



# NATIONAL YOUTH WEEK 2011 WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# **Film Competition**

Are you aged 12-25 years and handy with a mobile phone, video or web camera?

Create a short film of up to 2 minutes telling us your interpretation of Own It and upload it onto the Student Edge website for your chance to win the non-WA entrant prize valued at over \$3,000!

The competition is now open and closes 12am, Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2011, so get your entries in soon – visit the Student Edge website and following the National Youth Week competition link to FABtale and enter your film!

Further information regarding entry criteria/terms and conditions, the categories and prizes can be found at the Student Edge website www.studentedge.com.au

#### Upload your Film Interpretation of Own It now ..... to submit open FABzing!



# AVONDALE DISCOVERY FARM

#### Easter Long Week 22 - 26 April

Avondale will be OPEN to the public over the Easter long weekend; five days between 10am and 5pm. Museum, stables 1850's Homestead Farm drive, Clydesdale horses BBQ's, picnic area and a few animals. Volunteer activities.

New volunteers to the museum Brian Beddall and Tom Buckland have worked on various items in the a g r i c u l t u r a l m a c h i n e r y museum. Brian Beddall has also been amazing with his efforts helping with the storm damage clean up. Kerry Malone, John Pratt and Alan Windsor have been helpful in the planning of activities to be carried out on the machinery collection.

The Clydesdale horses are still looking fantastic thanks to the attention they are receiving from Emily Lucas, Dorothy Wilson, and Derry White. Well done guys we appreciate your time and continued efforts.



Comet and Robbie - feeling great! Photo courtesy - Dorothy Wilson

Section 95 crew have been diverted to help with the Kelmscott/ Roleystone bushfire clean up so we will miss their assistance for this month.

Avondale Master Plan Update The Steering Committee for the Avondale Masterplan, Bruce Mann, Kelly Piper, Cliff Collard, Mitch Henry, Dee Ridgway, and Lew Shaw have been busy with the Avondale Flora and Fauna Management Plan and the Avondale Farm Business Plan which are providing the basis for the Avondale Master Plan being pulled together by Grant Godfrey. This document is due for completion by 15 May, and so far, all is on schedule. Thank you to everyone in the community who has provided input, feedback and suggestions which are all being considered.

#### Beverley Schoolhouse Patchworkers and Quilters

This group of active folk have commenced their regular sessions on a Tuesday, after the summer break. It is great to see the re-use of the Landcare Centre.

## <u>AGM</u>

The Annual General Meeting of the Avondale Farm Project Association Inc. is to be held in April 2011 at the Avondale Homestead. Date to be confirmed Interested people please contact Chairperson - Bruce Mann 9648 1027 or 0427 246 333

<u>Storm Damage</u> Sat 29 January 2011

Along with everyone else in the path of the storm, Avondale suffered some damage. Fallen timber, and loss of sheets of tin from sheds, etc. Worst affected was the Blacksmiths Lane where the South wall blew out into the sheep yards and beyond.



#### Avondale Reserve Vermin Proof Fence Repairs

Fencing material is being ordered, and the Beverley Football Club have agreed to provide the labour. This Minister for the Environment funded project is due for completion by the end of March. It is the first stage of implementation of the Flora and Fauna Management Plan. Thank you to all involved so far. We hope to further conserve the core remnant vegetation through weed control and removal of vermin.

#### **Events Sub-committee**

The Avondale Farm Project Association now has an "Events Sub-committee" headed up by Kelly Piper. The idea is to have better communication between Avondale and the Beverley community where events are concerned. The first action has been to rename events being held at Avondale. For example:

> Sunday 19 June: Beverley Clydesdale and Vintage Day at Avondale

Sat 20<sup>th</sup> and Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Aug: Beverley Truck Muster weekend at Avondale

Sunday 20 Nov: Beverley Harvest Festival at Avondale

# REMEMBER

Avondale Discovery Farm 550 Waterhatch Road Beverley, WA OPEN from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> April 2011 10.00 am to 4.00 pm Entry by donation

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

Dina Barrett-Lennard T: (08) 9646 1004 F: (08) 9646 1002 W: www.beverleywa.com/Avondale E: <u>dina.blennard@ntwa.com.au</u>

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# **Beverley Historical Society**

I hope you all have had a very happy Christmas and New Year break. Now we have to recharge our batteries.

Our first chore is to uncover and dust all our belongings at the Dead Finish: arranged for the 2, 3 and 4 March at 9.00 am. The first meeting will be held on 14 March at 2.00 pm.

Before we closed, we had the Year 2 school children for a visit. We would like to thank all our extra helpers, you were great.

Mescal made a day on duty at the Dead Finish a lovely afternoon for visitors, showing her beautiful dolls and how she made them. We will plan a display for later next year.

Maree Hutchinson Hon. Secretary



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Apr issue	Wed, 23 March
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Jul issue	Thur, 23 June
Aug issue	Fri, 22 July
Sep issue	Tue, 23 August
Oct issue	Fri, 23 September
Nov issue	Mon, 24 October
Dec issue	Wed, 23 November



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# Perennial farming systems targeting wind erosion within the North Eastern and Southern Wheatbelt regions of WA.

# Soil Health Forum

# GUEST SPEAKERS

- Dr Roger Mandel—Precision Agriculture; reduction in chemical & fuel, increase in gross margins, traffic control systems, collect data for alternate land usage.
- David Gartner-Ag Lime, Liming options for improving soil health.
- Kobus Marais–Understanding the Physical **Properties of Soil to Improve Crop** Production
- Dr Angelo Loi Managing Pastures for **Better Crops**
- David Leake—Kellerberrin Farmer . member Wallatin Wildlife and Landcare group (WWL) and Kellerberrin **Demonstration Group.**
- Di Haggerty–Winner of AK Hill Agricultural Award 2010. Biological farming techniques, achieving optimum balance of soil nutrients and biology while increasing carbon and improving soil quality.

# **Merredin Regional Community and Leisure Centre**





From 1 January 2011, there will be further changes to Youth Allowance and ABSTUDY.

You may be affected by these changes if:

- you are receiving or thinking of claiming Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY, or
- your family home is in an outer regional, remote or very remote area of Australia.

# About the Independence rules

If you apply for Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY you will be assessed as dependent or independent.

Being independent for Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY means that your parents' income and assets are not taken into account when determining your eligibility or rate of payment. If you are already considered independent for Centrelink purposes, then changes to the independence criteria probably won't affect you.

# Age of Independence

From 1 January 2011, the age of independence will change from 24 to 23 years of age. This means if you receive Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY as a full-time student or an Australian Apprentice, you are automatically independent when you turn 23 years of age. The age of independence will then change from 23 to 22 years of age on 1 January 2012.

# Independence through workforce participation

If you have supported yourself in full-time paid employment for at least 18 months in one or more jobs, within a period of two years, then you may be considered independent for Youth Allowance or ABSTUDY. Full-time employment means that you have worked an average of 30 hours per week throughout the 18 months. The hours that you work each week can be averaged over periods of no more than 13 weeks.

From 1 January 2011, if you are a full-time student and you need to live away from home to study because your parents' home is in an area considered to be Outer Regional Australia, Remote Australia or Very Remote Australia according to the Australian Standard Geographical Classification, you may also qualify for independence if you:

- have worked part-time (at least 15 hours a week) for at least two years since leaving school, or
- have been out of school for at least 18 months and have earned at least 75 per cent of the maximum rate of pay under Wage Level A of the transitional Australian Pay and Classification Scale or the relevant modern award generally applicable to trainees in an 18-month period.

To be assessed as independent under these arrangements, you must also satisfy the following criteria:

- you are a full-time student
- you need to live away from home to undertake full-time study, and
- your parents' annual income is less than \$150 000 in the applicable tax year.

# For more information

For further information on the Australian Standard Geographical Classification or to find out whether your family home is in one of the above areas visit www.centrelink.gov.au

For more information about Youth Allowance and ABSTUDY, including these changes, call 13 2490.

# Disclaimer

The information contained in this publication is intended only as a guide to payments and services. This information is accurate as at January 2011. If you use this publication after that date, please check with us that the details are current.

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# View from the Shed The Importance of **Special Places**

Have you ever returned from a holiday and made a comment like "isn't it great to be able to sleep in my own bed?" We may have had the best holiday but there is nothing quite like the reassurance of our home surroundings and things like our own bed to give us a great sense of security because of its familiarity.

When we stop to think about these personal needs they are part of our psyche from a very young age, when a little child is in unfamiliar territory they don't venture too far from mum or dad. As adults we tend to see some of this behavior as childish, and think we can grow out of this sort of reliance on familiarity but the truth is we all need a sense of personal security.

In Hugh Mackay's latest book "What Makes Us Tick" he devotes a whole chapter on the importance of understanding and knowing about our inbuilt desire to know "my place"

One of the important things to remember is that we need to take time to identify where our special place(s) are. These places are fundamentally a place to retreat to when we are under pressure, or need to be alone to think out a problem. If we don't have these places identified it can increase our stress levels significantly. It is also important to realise these places are always real - cyber space doesn't fit the bill.

It is interesting to look at where these places are for people, it can be a favorite spot on the farm, sometimes just a special chair, often it is the car or the truck or maybe the bedroom. Most times we also have more than one place, perhaps one at work and one at home. What is important is to realise that these special places are important so we can be alone and gather our thoughts about what to do next.

I know people are going to be facing up to some pretty important decisions with budget reviews in the near future; make sure you give yourself and those around you time in their place to consider the decisions being made. If you have teenage children you will know what happens when they are in conflict

with you, stomping off to their room to consider options.

In our busy world this time of quiet contemplation is often ignored and is often the difference between a good decision and one made in haste. As Hugh Mackay says it is one of the key desires that drives us, and critically important to our wellbeing in many ways. We are still like children in many ways, find your special place and use it.

Regards

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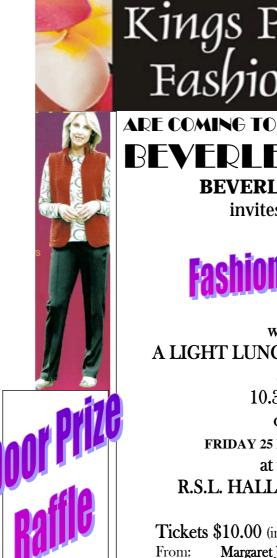
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# **BEVERLEY YOUTH CENTRE**

#### FEBUARY REPORT

The Youth Centre is just getting back into the swing of things for 2011 with the Youth playing lots of basketball, dodge and just being very active.

Another lounge was donated and we have it situated right near the door so Robyn and I can watch all the activities, but are extremely comfortable, all we need is our name printed on each chair and we would really look the part!

We all would like to wish Deanne Harmon all the best on her endeavors after graduating Year 12 and is undertaking an Enrolled Nurse course in Perth.

She has been a great role model, wonderful friend to many and has achieved lots since being part of the Youth Centre. As a very active member of the WYLD Team her photos are used in brochures, flyers etc. for Regional Development Australia and undertook the task of being one of the main organisers for the magazine and with her brother Nathan was the MC, and opened the launch with the Nyoongar Welcoming Ceremony.

Deanne also was the lead singer for the CD that was produced by WYLD and was very respected and loved by all who participated.

Julie, Robyn and I will miss her but have a wonderful friendship and will keep in contact, even though after driving her to Perth I carried the heavy boxes with tin food etc. up 3 flights of stairs!!!!!!!!!

Everybody from the Youth Centre will miss her and wish her all the best for her future.

I told Gerald Ugle that the only time I won't barrack for Greater Western Sydney is when they play the Dockers, but we were all so excited watching him run out and play his first AFL (NAB Cup) game, truly inspirational to all Youth of Beverley and a great guy. He is certainly making his very supportive family very proud. Well Done. Active after School will begin this Monday at 2.30pm to 4.00pm and Tuesdays 3.00pm to 4.00pm at the Youth Centre (Town Oval). This is free, we supply healthy snacks and all Primary School children are welcome.

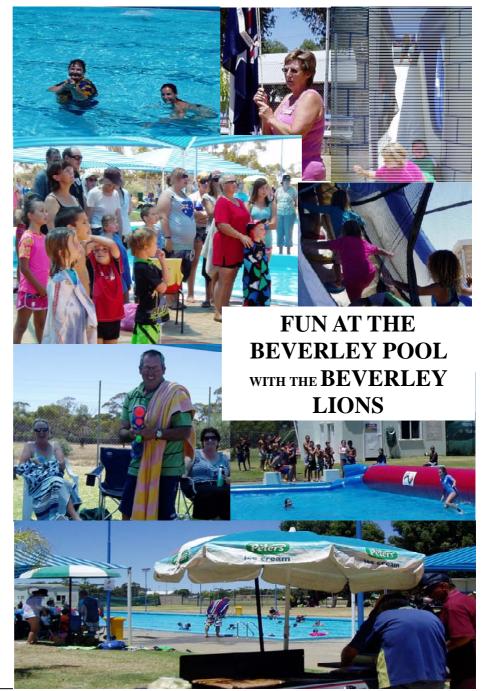
I am organising a bus to take Youth to York on the 5<sup>th</sup> March for an afternoon of challenges such as-tugof-war, Gladiator jousting, Capture the Flag and then followed by original bands, hip hop crew and more, 3.00pm to 10.00pm. Cost \$10 (includes dinner). First 20 to pay will be on the bus!

Also for the next School holidays along with youth from York I am organising Ice skating 26<sup>th</sup> April,

Paintballing day - 8<sup>th</sup> May and I will have more on these holiday programmes plus more in the next Blarney.

Lastly, the Youth Centre would like to pass on their condolences to Mark's family (Manager of the Pool), he was fantastic with helping to organise BBQ's, we were organising Water Polo and other events but will endeavour to go ahead next summer in his memory. It was great working with you Mark, thanks - Lyn.

Any enquiries please contact Lyn Kay, 0411 355 811 or 9646 0805



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Mar 07 P Deverell/B Foster Mar 08 S Eramiha/M Blechynden Mar 09 C & G Alabach Mar 10 B Wauchope/S McEwan(ND) Mar 11 A Elston/S Smith

Mar 14 S & T Ward Mar 15 C & B Cable Mar 16 D Rutty/G Roache Mar 17 R McCallum/M Hobbs Mar 18 H & M Anderson

Mar 21 E & D White Mar 22 C Moulton/J Brown(ND) Mar 23 J Howell/P Smith Mar 24 P Thompson/D Rutty Mar 25 D Kilpatrick(ND)/B Wauchope

Mar 28 C & G Alabach Mar 29 J Van Tiel/H Klofta Mar 30 D Strange/E Boyle Mar 31 A Elston/S McEwan(ND)

# BEVERLEY HOSPITAL AUXILIARY OP SHOP

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#### OP SHOP ROSTER <u>for</u> <u>MARCH 2011</u>

- Fri 04 Ingrid Bell, Anna Mally, Emma Robson
- Fri 11 Amanda McLean, Erica Murray, Glenys Lane
- Fri 18 Valerie Moad, Judy Moulton, Sera Minchin
- Fri 25 Anne Szczecinski, Bette Bremner, Joyce Ridgway

Val Moad Hon. Secretary





## **Beverley Environment News**

Welcome to the February edition of the Beverley Environment News! There are lots of events coming up in the next couple of months to keep you well informed of current environmental and agricultural trends and technologies. Please remember if you have any questions or need more information on anything in this newsletter, please contact me on the number below.

Want to receive email updates on current environment news? Please contact me to be added to the SEAVROC Environmental E-News list.

Jen Vincent Environmental Project Officer SEAVROC 9645 0016 / 0447 898 995 <u>gshireepo@westnet.com.au</u>

Cheers, Jen

#### **General News**

#### **Red Card for Rabbits and Foxes**

It's that time again for the 'Red Card' Project to target foxes and rabbits in this highly successful community driven Landcare project.

#### Fox and Rabbit Baiting

Over 25,000 baits were laid in March 2010 in WA by 500 farmers – can we top it this year? Get your baits now for the Hot Baiting Period: 1<sup>st</sup> March – 15<sup>th</sup> April 2011.

#### How to get 1080 baits:

1. Make sure you are 1080 accredited – accreditation is valid for 3 years only. Contact Jen Vincent on 9645 0016 or qshireepo@westnet.com.au if yours has expired.

2. Fill out the 1080 application form .

3. Submit your form and farm map to your local Biosecurity Officer. You will be then issued an authorisation form by the Department of Agriculture to present when picking up your baits.

## **Caring For Our Country Wind Erosion Project**

Perennial farming systems targeting wind erosion within the north eastern and southern regions of WA

**Soil Health Forum** – Merredin Recreation Centre, 15<sup>th</sup> March 2011 9am – 4pm - see advertisement in the Telegraph for more information. Free event, lunch provided, come and hear from some interesting speakers!

Trial Site Field Walks - Quairading March/April 2011 - Stay tuned for more details!

#### **Master Tree Grower Program**



**Do you own land in the Avon Wheatbelt? Interested in having tree crops as part of your farming system?** WA Wheatbelt Australian Forest Growers (AFG) has secured funds from Wheatbelt Natural Resource Management to run the highly acclaimed Master Tree Grower Program this autumn in the Avon Wheatbelt. The course is for land managers in the Avon Wheatbelt who would like to include tree crops as part of their farming system.

The course will run for eight days over four weekends at four different locations in the Avon and delves deeper into tree cropping, covering issues including nutrition, management, silviculture, tree measurement, pruning and thinning, value-adding, marketing, insurance, planning and much more. **Cost: \$275 (includes GST)** If you have any queries contact Monica Durcan: 0418 934 870 or email: <u>mdurcan@iinet.net.au</u>





# **Grants and Events**

# Junior Landcare Grants Open for Application

Through the Junior Landcare Grants Program, any school or organisation (including youth groups, scout groups, pre-schools, primary schools, high schools and day care centres) that would like to involve their students in landcare projects, in conjunction with local landcare groups, can apply for grants to

assist them with the cost of their projects.

#### Coles Junior Landcare School Garden Grant 2011:

Round 1: Coles School Garden Grant Friday 25th February, 5pm (AEST) Round 2: Coles School Garden Grant Friday 13th May, 5pm (AEST) Round 3: Coles School Garden Grant Friday 5th August, 5pm (AEST) http://www.juniorlandcare.com.au/grants-2/coles-grant



# **ROUND 5 WNRM SOIL CONSERVATION INCENTIVES PROGRAM – GROWER GROUPS**



Wheatbelt NRM has released round 5 funding for grower group to conduct trials and demonstrations of farm practices that improve soil quality. In particular, the program is looking to address threats to the soil resource including wind and water erosion, soil acidity and a decline in soil carbon. Information guidelines and applications forms at <u>www.wheatbeltnrm.org.au/funding/scip</u>

# **Environmental Community Grants 2011**

The Western Australian Government is committed to helping communities and individuals undertake conservation projects which have environmental benefits. The Government will allocate \$1.53 million in grants this year to help with projects involving biodiversity conservation , sustainable catchment management, rescue and rehabilitation of injured or incapacitated fauna, interpretation and sustainable recreation in natural areas, regional parks Bush Forever sites, support for major conservation/environmental organisations and protection of high-value areas by landholders on private land.

Individuals, local community groups or organisations and local authorities may apply. State Government agencies are ineligible to apply directly for these grants but may participate by forming partnership groups. Visit <u>www.dec.wa.gov.au</u> for application forms and guidelines or Phone (08) 9442 0300 or email <u>grants@dec.wa.gov.au</u> for further information

## **Events Calendar**

Event	Date	Venue	Contact
Agribusiness Crop Updates	23 February	Burswood	Keisha Davies 6272 4567
	2011		admin@agvivo.com.au
Crop Updates – Cunderdin	9 March 2011	Cunderdin Agricultural	Christiaan Valentine 9690 2197
		College	christiaan.valentine@agric.wa.gov.au
Soil Health Forum	15 March 2011	Merredin Recreation	Lisa Clark 9685 1202
	9am-4pm	and Community Leisure	nrmo@mtmarshall.wa.gov.au
		Centre	
WA No Till Farmers Association	24-25 March	Burswood On Swan	Esther Price 9525 9222
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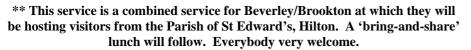
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<b>Beverley Anglican Community</b>	
Times for Sunday services for MARCH 2011	L

DAY	DATE	CHURCH	Tin	ne	SERVICE
		LOCATION	AM	PM	
Saturday	5 Mar	St Mary's, Beverley	5.30pm		Holy Communion
Sunday	13 Mar	St Paul's Beverley	7.45am		Holy Communion
Sunday	13 Mar	St John's in the Dale	11.00am		Holy Communion
Sunday	20 Mar	St Mary's Beverley	10.30am		Holy Communion
**Sunday	27 Mar	St Mary's Beverley	10.30am		Holy Communion



The telephone numbers for the Rev'd John Poole is **9646 1112** or **0437 040 950** All <u>Parish</u> correspondence to: **Secretary, PO Box 292 Beverley.** 

Correspondence to <u>Rev'd John Poole</u> to: **64 John Street Beverley** All mail for <u>St Mary's Society</u>, 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 on 9646 1072.



# CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

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# PRIMARY HEALTH SERVICES available to the community of Beverley

You can refer yourself or your child to the following health professionals:

- Child / School Health phone 9646 1210
- Dietetics phone 9690 1320
- Occupational Therapy phone 0429 466 224
- Physiotherapy a Doctors referral is required please send to PO Box 142, Beverley
- Podiatry a Doctors referral is required please send to PO Box 142, Beverley
- **Social Work** phone 9690 1320
- Speech Pathology phone 9646 0217

These services are provided by WA Country Health Service and are free of charge.

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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<u>OPENING HOURS</u> Monday – CLOSED Tuesday – Friday

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# **Congratulations Gemma Ugle**

Gemma was the successful candidate in securing the Traineeship at the Community Resource Centre, studying Certificate in Business and Administration II. Congratulations and welcome to the team. We look forward to working alongside you for the next 12 months.

Thank you to the other applicants.

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# ТНАЛК УОИ

After our recent dust storm in January many families were at a loss. No power for days resulted in major amounts of food being lost. **Julie Brown**, from the **Department of Child Protection** spent two days at our centre until 6pm tirelessly assisting those families in need. She has been travelling through the Wheatbelt district and we wish to acknowledge her huge efforts and the **Shire of Beverley** for arranging her visit.

# WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

On Thursday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of March, Rosie Fleay will be at the centre. She will be conducting a workshop for those individuals who wish to re-enter the workforce or are wanting to change their current career. Guidance in resume writing and interview techniques will be covered. The workshop runs from 9am to 12pm. If you're interested please contact us.

# **Attention: Clubs and Groups**

If you are preparing for 2011 and have fixtures, rosters, menus, programs and events calendars that need printing, we have the facilities to print these items fast, professionally and cost effectively for your club. Special rates apply for bulk orders. Why stress, when our friendly staff can assist you. Call us for a quote.

# Easter Weekend Programme

We have been requested to compile an events programme for the Easter Weekend. With so many events happening in our town over Easter, we really want to promote all these great activities and events. We are striving to get these programmes into the metro area, as soon as possible. If you are hosting an event and you would like to included it, please let us know so that we can promote it and our great town.



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# **BEVERLEY FOOTBALL CLUB**



The Beverley Football Club has begun the early stages of pre-season training, and although the number of players on the track right now isn't quite what we would have hoped for, we are confident player numbers at training will increase over the next few weeks as people return from holiday and begin to settle into the new year.

The Beverley Football Club welcomes Scott Minchin on to the committee for his first term. Unfortunately for Scott he will miss the 2011 season due to a knee injury, however this loss to the player group is now very much a gain for the committee, and Scott is already proving to be a valuable contributor in this area of our club. If you weren't already aware, Scott has been the mastermind behind our club's website which has been an important means of delivering club news to our players, members, sponsors and supporters.

- > The Beverley Football Club seeks interest for the following positions:
  - 2010/2011 Committee Members (up to two vacancies).

Please contact President Steven Minchin on 9641 6060.

#### Congratulations to:

- Former Reserves Vice-Captain, Brad Copping, who celebrated his 30<sup>th</sup> birthday on Sunday the 16<sup>th</sup> of January;
- Dual Springdell medalist and 2010 League premiership player, Brendon Ogg, who celebrated his 30<sup>th</sup> birthday on Friday the 4<sup>th</sup> of February;
- Mark Bickley and his fiancée Emma Croucher, who celebrated their marriage on Saturday the 5<sup>th</sup> of February;
- 2003 and 2010 League premiership player, Matthew McLean, who celebrated his 30<sup>th</sup> birthday on Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> of February;
- David Capper and his fiancée Melanie Simpson, who celebrated their marriage on Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> of February;
- Sarah Owens, who has been selected in the Wheatbelt Flames Netball squad; and
- Jacinta Murray, who celebrated her 30<sup>th</sup> birthday on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> of February.

#### Coming up:

- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March Beverley Football Club: scratch match vs. Corrigin in Perth (details to be confirmed);
- Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> March Beverley Football Club: fencing busy bee at Avondale (details to be confirmed);
- Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March Beverley Football Club: scratch match vs. Brookton/Pingelly at Brookton (details to be confirmed); and
- Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> March Beverley Football Club: pre-season camp and scratch match vs. Coorow/Latham at Greenhead (details to be confirmed).

The Beverley Football Club is once again conducting a "sheep and 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 <u>www.beverleyfc.com.au</u>

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 <u>beverleyfc@bigpond.com</u> and we'll add you to our mailing list.

See you at the footy!!!

# **Beverley Cricket Club**

#### Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2011 Beverley All Out for 202 lost to Kellerberrin 7 for 239

Beverley Batting:<br/>Kellerberrin Bowling:Brock Fleay 98, Robbie Wansbrough 37, Jake Fleay 13 not out<br/>John Hammond 3 for 19, Mike Smith 2 for 22, Bruce Smith 2 for 31<br/>John Hammond 82, Bruce Smith 26, Brad McLennan 23<br/>Brock Fleay 3 for 34, Khyle Ugle 1 for 8, Brayden Carter 1 for 19

#### Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2011 Beverley forfeited to Quairading

## Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2011 Beverley 4 for 236 defeated York 6 for 230

Beverley Batting:	Stephen Gollan 115, Dale Wansbrough 51, Travis Ugle 37
York Bowling:	Troy Scoble 1 for 34, Al Draper 1 for 34
York Batting:	Jason Harris 117, Mike Mount-Bryson 49, David Jenkinson 32 not out
Beverley Bowling:	Kodie Fleay 3 for 36, Dale Wansbrough 2 for 50, Stephen Gollan 1 for 35

This match was a Day / Night game and was also the Jock Ugle Memorial match. It was one of the best games of the year and was witnessed by a large band of supporters from both York and Beverley. York seemed to be cruising to victory but lost their way in the final few overs to see Beverley record a great win under lights.

Congratulations to Stephen Gollan and Jason Harris who shared the Man of the Match award.

#### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2011 Beverley 5 for 222 defeated Seabrook 5 for 220

Beverley Batting:	Stephen Gollan 107, Dale Wansbrough 71, Brock Fleay 33
Seabrook Bowling:	Geoff Brain 2 for 73, Don Seaman 1 for 12, Ryan Sheridan 1 for 34
Seabrook Batting:	Ryan Sheridan 103, Troy Bassett 66, Andy Stillwell 16
Beverley Bowling:	Dale Wansbrough 2 for 36, Brock Fleay 2 for 74, Stephen Gollan 1 for 18

#### Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2011 Beverley 6 for 171 lost to Seabrook 6 for 244

Beverley Batting:	Stephen Gollan 50 ret hurt, Bob Ugle 43, Brock Fleay 32
Seabrook Bowling:	Craig Davis 3 for 30, Ryan Sheridan 2 for 12
Seabrook Batting:	Don Seaman 92, Ryan Sheridan 60, Brad Eyre 25
Beverley Bowling:	Kodie Fleay 1 for 19, Dale Wansbrough 1 for 23, Karl Gillespie 1 for 8,
	Stuart Murray 1 for 27, Andrew Coxon 1 for 38

This was the final Qualifying game for the year. The Premiership ladder at the completion of all games showed Beverley clearly on top, which is a great achievement with such a young side.

The Premiership Ladder read:

Beverley	130.40 points
Seabrook	119.99 points
Quairading	105.32 points
Tammin	105.10 points
Kellerberrin	89.94 points
Brookton	69.00 points
York	68.14 points

This means that Beverley will play Seabrook for the 3<sup>rd</sup> time in as many matches in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Semi Final, with the winner progressing straight to the Grand Final to be played in York on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2011. The losing team will play in the Preliminary Final.

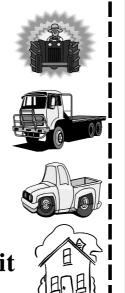
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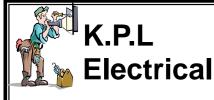


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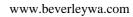
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# **Beverley Lawn Tennis Club**

Fortunately the clubhouse did not blow away Wizard of Oz style during the recent storms and only debris and minor fence damage (although it probably didn't seem so minor to the people cleaning it all up) were the worst the club sustained. Which meant we were able to continue playing tennis throughout February....it might have been nice if the storm had dropped a pool at the club house though...there sure were some warm days!

## PENNANTS

#### February Pennant Results

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> February Beverley def Meckering 20 sets 149 games to 10 sets 118 games

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February Cunderdin def Beverley 21 sets 154 games to 9 sets 113 games

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> February Dowerin def Beverley 18 sets 145 games to 12 sets 122 games

Beverley is due to play Northam on 26<sup>th</sup> February in the last round of the season. A pennant wrap up will be in next month's Blarney.

#### **CHRIS BOLADERAS MEMORIAL TROPHY**

On Sunday the 20th of February, a number of players took to the courts in the annual Chris Boladeras Memorial Trophy. This tournament was a self-handicapping event with a draw for partners. This provided plenty of entertaining tennis and really evened up the matches. On a beautifully overcast afternoon, the final was played, with the tennis so competitive it had to go in to extra time! The final result;

WINNERS: Rob Fisher and Anne Cleland

#### RUNNERS UP: Rob de Gruchy and Anto Cooke

Thank you very much to the Boladeras family for sponsoring this event and to all those who played.

#### **MARCH / APRIL FIXTURES**

DATE	FIXTURE	COMMENT
Sun 6th March	Social Tennis	
Fri 11th March	WFI Mixed Open Day	See club notice board for details
Sun 13th March	Social Tennis Theme Day -"Opposites Attract"	Fish and Chip Night
Sun 20th March	Championship Singles and Doubles - All Day Event	Names due by 5.00pm 13 March
Sun 3rd April	<b>Closing Day</b> - Social Tennis, Club Championship Finals and Presentations including AGM at 5pm	BBQ Dinner. Please bring a salad to share.
Fri 22nd - Mon 25th April	<b>78th Annual Beverley Lawn Tennis Club</b> <b>Easter Tournament</b> - Sponsored by Jack and Mary Thomas	Please see catering list on notice board.

# WFI Mixed Open Day

This event will be held on Friday 11th March \$20.00 entry fee includes morning and afternoon tea and lunch <u>8:30am registration for 9:00am start</u> Entries close Tuesday 8th March

Names/Queries to

Carissa Shaw : 9646 1813 carissapoultney@hotmail.com Bruce Kilpatrick : 9646 4004 bskilpatrick@westnet.com.au

# The 78th Annual Beverley Lawn Tennis Club Easter Tournament

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Friday 22nd April - Monday 25th April Entries Close 25th March 2011

# SEE YOU AT THE COURTS

# **Beverley Netball Club**

It's that time of year again so dust off those shoes.

Registration Day is Saturday 19th March at the Netball Courts 9.30 am to 11.00 am.

All old and new players are required to register on or before this day and subs will need to be paid.

If you need any further information please contact Jo on 9646 0297.

There will be a supa slice order form arriving in your mailbox soon so be on the look out and order up big so you can help us with raising money towards our new courts.

Please keep a watch on this space for further fundraising towards the new courts.

Thank you and see you on the courts



# **Beverley Bowling Club**

Congratulations must go to Marg Peck and Glenys Collins who on the 8<sup>th</sup> of February at Dowerin became the winners of the Avon Valley Ladies League Pairs.

The Boekeman Machinery Pairs were played on the 28<sup>th</sup> of January and the winners were Maurie Stone from York and Warren Hunt from Boekman's. Runners-up were David Bell and Kim Moulton from Beverley. The AM round went to Mark Armstrong and Fen Aynsley and the PM round was won by Daniel and David Fleay.

The 29<sup>th</sup> of January saw Beverley hit by the enormous storm, unfortunately causing damage from flying debris to our carpet greens, which is where the Corporate Bowls would have been played under lights. We apologise for the cancellation of this event for this summer.

On Sunday the 13<sup>th</sup> of February the men started their Hotel Beverley Championship Singles.



# BEVERLEY LADIES HOCKEY 2011 Pre Season Fitness Training

THURSDAY 17<sup>th</sup> March at the Town Oval at 6.00pm

# Look forward to seeing new and past players there!

This year we are organising jumpers for both players and supporters. The cost of the jumpers will be \$45. Orders are due by <u>Thursday</u>, <u>31st March</u>- This will allow delivery before our first playing game. Please let us know if you would like to order a jumper.

If you are interested in playing hockey, more information or maybe coaching is for you? Please contact Kelly or Carissa as soon as possible.

# EVERYONE WELCOME - NEW AND EXPERIENCED PLAYERS

Kelly Piper Mobile – 0408952790 Email – <u>kelly.piper@cbh.com.au</u> Carissa Poultney Phone – (08) 96 461 813 Email – <u>carissapoultney@hotmail.com</u>

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At the end of day one those left in the Major are Peter Fleay, Royce Edwards, Greg Barrett-Lennard and Louis Irvine, while those left in the Plate are Daniel Fleay, Jeff Murray, Greg Moulton and Trevor McLean.

The Finals will be completed once the Freemason's Tavern Championship Pairs (which had been set for the 6<sup>th</sup> of February) are re scheduled, and a suitable date can be found.

We wish the teams of both Men and Women going to Country Week in Perth - good luck.



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Sunday 3 April - Tennis Closing Day Sunday 17 April - Bowls Closing Day

Thursday 21 April Official Opening of Art Purchase Exhibition

**Friday 22 April -** Good Friday Easter Tennis Tournament begins

Sunday 24 April Easter Tennis Tournament - Entertainment -My Big Fat Greek Sundowner

Sunday 25 April - Anzac Day Service Saturday 7 May - V8 Tractor Pulls

Sunday 19 June Beverley Clydesdale and Vintage Ploughing Day at Avondale

Sat and Sun 20, 21 August Beverley Truck Muster at Avondale

Sat 20 August Beverley Agricultural Society Ag Show

# Need a cuppa or just time out?

Beverley Oasis is open every Thursday 10 am to 12 noon.

Join us for a cuppa, a chat or if you just need a break. You will be welcome.

50 Hunt Road.

DRUG & ALCOHOL COUNSELLING

The Wheatbelt Community Drug Service Team will be visiting Beverley Hospital every 2nd Thursday.

For appointments - please phone Debbie on 96211 055. The flag was flown at half-mast on the Beverley Town Hall as a mark of respect to:-

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- Frederick William (Fred) Garwood
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## The deadline for the next Beverley Blarney is 4pm Wed 23 March 2011

Shire of Beverley PO Box 20, Beverley, 6304 Tel: 9646 1200 or Fax: 9646 1409

Email: blarney@beverley.wa.gov.au

# What's on in Beverley In March 2011

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1 HACC Men's Shed SOYF 9.00am Quilting 10.30am	2 HACC Badminton RAOB Ambulance	<b>3</b> Line Dancing Playgroup Ladies bowls	4 Op Shop World Day of Prayer Ladies Golf meeting 9.30am Youth Centre 10-12yr 6-8pm 12+ youth 7-10pm	<b>5</b> Quilting 10.00am	6 Social Tennis Seeded Mixed bowls
7 Labour Day Public Holiday	8 HACC Men's Shed Kerbside Pickup Begins SOYF 9.00am Quilting 10.30am Diabetes Group St Mary's Soc AGM Junior Sport AGM	9 HACC Badminton	<b>10</b> Line Dancing Playgroup	11 Op Shop Tennis WFI Mixed Open Day Youth Centre 10-12yr 6-8pm 12+ youth 7-10pm	12 V8 Tractor Pulls and Dirt Drags	13 Social Tennis 'Fish and Chip Night'
14 Weight Watchers Child Health Historical Society Garden Soc	15 HACC Men's Shed SOYF 9.00am Quilting 10.30am Bowls - invitation classic fours	16 HACC Badminton Ambulance Masonic Lodge 7.30pm Ag Soc Meeting	17 Line Dancing Playgroup Ladies bowls	18 Op Shop CWA Youth Centre 10-12yr 6-8pm 12+ youth 7-10pm	19 Quilting 10.00am Netball Reg Day Gala Opening of Platform Theatre with Metro Big Band	20 Tennis Champ Singles and Doubles Harvest Thanksgiving Service Bowls - IGA Champ fours
21 Weight Watchers Child Health	22 HACC Men's Shed SOYF 9.00am Quilting 10.30am Council Meeting drumMUSTER	23 HACC Badminton <u>Blarney Deadline</u>	24 Line Dancing Playgroup Ladies bowls	25 Op Shop RSL Meeting Kings Park Fashions at RSL Youth Centre 10-12yr 6-8pm 12+ youth 7-10pm	26	27
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