

# Community Spirit

Distributed fortnightly in Fitzgerald, Hopetoun, Jerdacuttup, Lake King, Lake Varley, Munglinup, Newdegate and Ravensthorpe

## Sea Dragons triumph



### SENIORS GAMES

HOPETOUN Sea Dragons won the Seniors Games in March for the second consecutive year.

Hopetoun Community Centre was a mass

of colour and activity as organizer Jan Field welcomed over a hundred players from towns in the region.

Wilma Goddard declared the event officially open. As HACC Coordinator more than twenty years ago, Wilma

established the annual competition in South Central region. Previously, the only opportunity for this kind of participation involved travelling to Perth. This year nine teams from seven towns took part.

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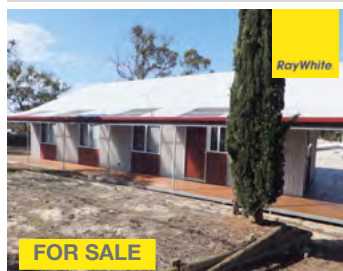
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# Seniors active in Games

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After a mass warmup, teams competed in four games and a quiz. Despite some close scores Sea Dragons 1 were winners in four of the five activities, taking the shield for the second consecutive year. Southern Cross Stars and Corrigin White tied for second place. Sea Dragons 2 were fourth – a good result as this team was a late inclusion to allow more locals to participate.

Shire of Ravensthorpe CEO, Gavin Pollock, presented medallions to winners of team events, and Hopetoun captain, Pat Cock, accepted the shield.

In pre-dinner entertainment listeners enjoyed a performance by Luz Sidamon who sang two songs. John Roy amused us by presenting some of his bush poems. Hopetoun line dancers took to the floor and were joined by others from the crowd.

Hopetoun Seniors extend thanks to all those who contributed to this successful event. Many volunteers helped in transport, setting up and packing up and acting as official scorers, umpires, timekeepers etc.

Jan Field worked tirelessly on organization and preparation to ensure smooth running of the day. Shire of Ravensthorpe sponsored the medallions.

Hopetoun Progress provided welcome packs and office assistance and catered for morning and afternoon tea. Little Barrens supplied lunch. Sue Lee and her helpers provided dinner, raising funds for work done by Professor Arlene Chan at Breast Cancer Research Centre WA.

Seniors Games 2020 will be held in Kulin.

–K Hanrahan



■ Hopetoun captain, Pat Cock, accepting the shield from Shire of Ravensthorpe CEO, Gavin Pollock.

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### Hospital Auxiliary:

Second Tuesday of the month 1.30pm in the Red Room  
Contact Judy Harp

### Allied Health:

Services such as Physio, Dietician, Occupational Therapy and Speech Pathology are available. Contact Ravensthorpe or Esperance Hospital to find out more about these services.

### Mental Health:

There is a Mental Health service available currently. Please contact Ravensthorpe Hospital to find out more about this service.

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## Word of the Day

**brummagem** adjective | BRUM-ih-jum

### Definition:

: not genuine : spurious; also : cheaply showy : tawdry

### Did You Know?

Brummagem first appeared in the 17th century as an alteration of Birmingham, the name of a city in England. At that time Birmingham was notorious for the counterfeit coins made there, and the word brummagem quickly became associated with things forged or inauthentic. By the 19th century, Birmingham had become a chief manufacturer of cheap trinkets and gilt jewelry, and again the word brummagem followed suit—it came to describe that which is showy on the outside but essentially of low quality. Perhaps the term was something of an annoyance to the people of Birmingham way back when, but nowadays when brummagem is used (which isn't often) it's usually without any conscious reference to the British city.



### ALL ENQUIRIES:

contributions@cospirit.net  
Kylie Thomas, Co-ordinator, 0408 840 447  
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Or Hopetoun and Ravensthorpe Community Resource Centres will accept written articles. Include name, address and phone details in all correspondence.

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### NEXT ISSUE DEADLINE:

5pm, Thursday April 18, 2019

# The Community Spirit is YOUR paper...

## WE WOULD LOVE TO KNOW WHAT YOU THINK AND WAYS TO IMPROVE THE PRESENTATION OF YOUR COMMUNITY SPIRIT.

We would also like to know what you would like to see in your paper.  
Please forward your contributions, thoughts & ideas to contributions@cospirit.net

# Person charged for mine thefts

## ■ RAVENSTHORPE POLICE STATION NEWS

### Theft Charges:

During 2018, First Quantum Minerals Ravensthorpe was subject to a series of burglary and theft offences, resulting in the loss of mining equipment. The Ravensthorpe Police Station and FQM conducted a partnered investigation into the incidents.

In February, a person was charged by arrest warrant for offences of 2 x Stealing and 2 x Fraud in relation to over \$13,000 worth of mining equipment. In March, a 35-year-old female from Baldyville was charged by summons for offences of Possess Stolen of Unlawfully Obtained Property and Fraud in relation to a further quantity of stolen mining equipment, valued at over \$13,000.

The Ravensthorpe Police continue to work with FQM as they enhance security and other initiatives on-site to prevent mine theft and identify criminal activity and perpetrators.

### Crime Reports:

No offences were reported in the Ravensthorpe Police Sub-district in the last month.

### Ravensthorpe Court:

The following are the court results from the Ravensthorpe Court held March 26th:

Bernard Michael KITSON from Derby was convicted of three counts of Stealing and fined \$1000.

Tracey Nicole ROSS was convicted of Possession of Cannabis and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia and fined \$500.

Guy Patrick VINTON was convicted of Driving With Prescribed Illicit Drug in Oral Fluid and fined \$450.



### Community Engagement:

We are continuing our weekly reading program this year with the year one and two class at Ravensthorpe District High School. We thoroughly enjoy being involved with the kids.

—Sergeant Jamie Paterson

Officer in Charge - Ravensthorpe Police Station

## Kerry Coventry of B.D. COVENTRY & SONS

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for allowing us to conduct your families' funeral  
services and for your support over the past thirty  
seven years.

Thank you.



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# SHIRE OFFICE CLOSURE

The Shire offices in Ravensthorpe and  
Hopetoun will be closed on Monday the  
15 April 2019 due to the NBN connection  
taking place plus required system  
upgrades.

The Shire of Ravensthorpe apologises for  
any inconvenience.

Gavin Pollock  
Chief Executive Officer

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**It's that time of the year again to get your yearly flu vaccination!**

As per statement by the Chief Medical Officer of the Australian Government Department of Health, the recommendation is to start vaccinating from **mid-April 2019** onwards.

Click here to read the media release by the Australian Government:

<https://beta.health.gov.au/news-and-events/media-releases/2019-influenza-vaccines>

Therefore, we will be holding a series of flu clinic in **April and May** for 18y/old and above.

### **Dates and Times for Flu Clinic:**

- Ravensthorpe: **20th April and 4th May** between 10am – 1pm
- Hopetoun: **27th April and 11th May** between 12.30pm – 3.30pm

Ring us at either Hopetoun Chemist at (08) 9838 3333 or Ravensthorpe Pharmacy at (08) 9838 1020 to book in for your preferred slot.

It's \$20 per person (regardless whether you're a pensioner/concession card holder). Once the Government supply arrives, for over 65 y/old, it's \$5 per person.





# Jerdacuttup Primary thrives!

## ■ JERDACUTTUP PRIMARY SCHOOL

And the reason the school thrives is due not least to its enlightened leadership and highly committed staff as evidenced in last year's School Review. But....equally as important, JPS thrives thanks to the staunch support offered by the community. The examples of such support are many and varied.

Salty dam water needed to be removed from the underground tank? - No worries, says JPS' neighbour James Mollett and brings his firefighter to do so (and stands some hours leaning on the fence and supervising the task).

You need the solar pump turned off and a tap installed on the intake pipe from the dam? Leave it with me says Chaplain Roger Mansell.

Children want a special visit to, and guide through, the Ravensthorpe Museum? - Ann Williams, Ravensthorpe Historical Society archivist comes to the rescue and escorts the children through the exhibits which, according to some sample recounts (<http://jerdacuttupschool.wa.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/T1-4.pdf>) was a huge success.

Pottery workshop? - Sure! Mr Bruce and Suzanne Shale and Mrs Cathy Tink volunteered to open the new Studio at the Dunnart Gallery and coach students in the arts of pot throwing—another successful outing.

Curious children need a closer look at mining? - Our FQM friends up on Bandalup Hill, currently on care and maintenance, are always patient and accommodating, shepherding children around the mine site in monster trucks and a front-end loader. They were also of great help when it came to remove the old ceiling rubbish late last year, providing a truck and thus saving the school quite a bit of money.

Staff and students want swimming lessons at the beach? To the rescue we have former student and Swimming Centre Co-ordinator Karina Bray and teacher Niki Crane whip up support from the Department of Education's Swimming and Water Safety Division, re-organize timetables and present intensive swimming and beach safety lessons at a local beach.

And last, but not least, Phillips River Lodge who shut their masonic doors on March 16th, after 116 years of operation, needed to empty their bank account. One way of doing that was by donating in advance a generous cheque for this year's end of year awards.

Jerdacuttup Primary School is indeed lucky to be so well supported and sincerely thanks all of you who make our school life so interesting.

—JPS School Community



■ Children gone potty (and muddy!) watching Mr Shale's demonstration. Both photos by K.Douthie.



■ Claire and Taylor enjoy trying out the old typewriter in the Museum.

## **GALAXY**

### Galaxy Limited have initiated a **Community Consultation Group (CCG)** with members of the community.

This group commenced in August 2018 and has been well received. With the recent resignation of a community group member, the CCG and Galaxy are seeking expressions of interest (EOI) to fill the vacant position.

The successful candidate will need to be a part of a local community group, as this is the position which has been vacated.

Should you be interested in being a part of this consultation group we ask that you send an EOI to [mtcattlin@galaxyresources.com.au](mailto:mtcattlin@galaxyresources.com.au). In the EOI please include;

- Full name,
- Community group represented
- Contact details
- Why you would like to be part of the CCG.
- Experience/skills which could assist being on the group.

Could you ensure EOI are returned by 01 June 2019 so that the CCG can review potential candidates. If there are any questions in relation to the formation of the group, you will also be able to contact us through the above email.



Together with my parents, Neville and Cathie, my wife Sharon, and children, we would like to thank everyone for the warm welcome we have received thus far since returning to Katanning.

We most certainly have big shoes to fill and have a huge respect for the care that the Coventry family has provided the community since 1974. We look forward to continuing the legacy left by Donald and Kerry and extend our sincere thanks for their impact on the Funeral Industry as a whole.

Together with our amazing team of staff whom will be based both from Katanning and Narrogin, we look forward to continuing the care that we have been so privileged enough to provide to the families of Narrogin and the surrounding district since taking over from the Dawson family in 2015.

Katanning however is not unfamiliar territory to the Steicke family, having lived in Katanning and surrounding towns in the early 80's and 90's. Professionally - we have provided care over the past two years via government contract for the entire area including Katanning, bounded by Kojonup, Gnowangerup, Ravensthorpe, and surrounding districts.

Whilst some things may change, we remain committed to all the communities Coventry's have come to serve and we welcome opportunities to give back to these communities both through Funeral Care as well as any local and community sponsorship.

The office on Richardson Street will remain open 5 days a week, and we will remain to be contactable for urgent attention 24hours a day via 08 9821 1079.

Please don't hesitate to contact us with any questions or enquires you may have and we appreciate your welcome during this transition period.

Kind regards

**Ben Steicke**

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# Passive versus Active...

## Southern Scribes in March

Southern Scribes' monthly meeting was held on March 23rd on a lovely sunny afternoon at Cape Mt Barren winery, although becoming a little chilly as the wind picked up over the afternoon. Helping to keep us warm were delightful little critters called "Hokeys" ... knitted shoulder sitters made by Madge. They like to be stroked!!

Publishing news ... Dellis has had her book published titled "A Path to Anywhere". Please reach out to her at the "Blue House Bric a Brac" to purchase a copy.

MIA this month was Eve, who was in Bunbury being honoured for her music which was featured in a concert by the Bell Canto choir. Congratulations Eve!

Heads up for those seeking a writing competition ... The Hunter Valley Writers Group are advertising a "Grieve Project" writing competition. For more information go to [hunterwriterscentre.org](http://hunterwriterscentre.org) or Hopetoun CRC, who brought it to Scribes attention ... thanks Kay W.

Our writing challenge for the meeting was to create three short pieces from random words, blindly picked. The words (a subject, a verb and an object) were prompts for creating an "active sentence" as apposed to a "passive sentence".

Sentences written in an active voice flow better and are easier to understand. The formula for writing an active sentence is to place the subject, verb and object in the sentence, in that order ... for example "Alison (subject) is writing (verb) this sentence (object)"

Before the meeting ended, we had discussed the active/passive enigma at length and we think we might understand it a little better.

Last month our suggested topic for a writing prompt was all about "Jeffrey" ... a person known for losing his car keys! There were many renditions of this common frustration and the reference to memory, or lack of, prevailed. If only we all knew about "mnemonism" a little earlier. As an example, the following poem was written by the host, Alison Bell (passive sentence!!!)

the aarghival

0600

brain bollards

built by dense grey fog-matter

prevent all passage

frustration dwells in this dark place

0615

a reluctant memory

like chocolate syrup

oozes its way through the bitter sweet jungle

encouraged by rapid foot stomping

0630

caffeine enriched

synapses begin to spark

soon flashing like paparazzi

the starlet awaits her entrance

0631

and then she is here

and I finally remember where I left the car keys

The meeting room in the Hopetoun Community Hall has been booked for next Scribes gathering. It will be held on Saturday April 27th, after Easter.

The meeting will be hosted by Linda. It was suggested that food be brought by those attending. Topic with invisible prompt was proposed by Alison - a glass of soft brown feathers.

OR ... (Spot the Difference)

Southern Scribes has booked the meeting room for April 27th, after Easter.

Linda will host the meeting. Those attending to bring a plate of food. Alison made an inspiring prompt for us to write about - a glass of soft brown feathers.

You guessed it ... passive verses active (thanks Kay H)!



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## New Cancer Symptom Website for Regional People

On Sunday 24 March, Cancer Council WA launched the new Find Cancer Early website. The site aims to improve regional cancer survival outcomes as research shows regional Western Australians are 20 – 30 per cent more likely to die within five years of a cancer diagnosis than people living in Perth.

The new website has been designed to improve regional Western Australian's understanding of the early symptoms of prostate, breast, skin, bowel and lung cancer and encourage them to report any unusual changes in their body to their doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker early.

Learn more about early cancer symptoms at [www.findcancerearly.com.au/cancer-symptoms/](http://www.findcancerearly.com.au/cancer-symptoms/)

## Harnessing the Power of Personal Stories

The stories and advice of regional champions who have experienced a prostate, breast, skin, bowel or lung cancer diagnosis has been gathered to help motivate regional people to Find Cancer Early.

Learn from Find Cancer Early champions or share your story here:  
[www.findcancerearly.com.au/local-stories/](http://www.findcancerearly.com.au/local-stories/)



### Arnold, Albany

Skin and prostate cancer champion

***“Get it looked at. Just get on with it”.***

Arnold recommends that anyone whose has noticed an unusual change in their body tell their doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker early.

For more information, contact:

**Bruce Beamish** - Great Southern Regional Education Officer, Albany WA  
[bbeamish@cancerwa.asn.au](mailto:bbeamish@cancerwa.asn.au)  
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The Community Spirit is your community based newspaper, covering local news and events. We are pleased to support local events

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2. Design must be **completed by client** and submitted as a JPEG or PDF.
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5. Notice Board is free providing there is to be a follow up article for the paper after the event. If no article provided then group will not be allowed this space again.
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**April 12th**  
Talk@10am  
Workshop@11am



## AUTHOR TALK & WORKSHOP WITH FLEUR MCDONALD

Detective Dave Burrows returns in Fleur McDonald's latest suspenseful rural crime novel, *Without a Doubt*.

Fleur McDonald is one of Australia's leading rural literature authors and one of the country's favourite storytellers. Hopetoun CRC and Allen & Unwin Book Publishers invite you to an author talk & workshop with Fleur McDonald from 10am on Friday April 12th.

Please contact Hopetoun CRC to register phone 9838 3062 or email [hopetoun@crc.net.au](mailto:hopetoun@crc.net.au)



## SUSHI MAKING CLASS



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# Measles Vaccination program announced

A new adult measles vaccination program has been announced for Western Australians born during or after 1966 who have not already received two doses of a measles-containing vaccine.

## Why has this program been introduced?

The number of measles cases in WA has been increasing in recent years, with 36 reported in 2018—the highest figure since 2014 when 44 measles cases were confirmed. Of the 36 infections last year, nearly three-quarters (73%) occurred among people aged 20 to 49 years of age. So far, 16 cases have been reported in 2019.

## Why is the vaccine available to those born after 1966?

The program addresses an important gap in the community's protection against measles, as people born prior to 1966 are usually immune to measles due to having the illness as a child and people 19 years of age and younger are already eligible for free measles-mumps-rubella (MMR) vaccine through the National Immunisation Program.

## Who should receive the vaccine?

All individuals born during or after 1966 (this refers to those aged between 20-53 years in 2019) who have not already received two documented doses of a measles vaccine.

Where can individuals receive this vaccine?

Eligible adults can receive this vaccine from their GP, AMS, travel clinic or community health immunisation clinics.

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**GALAXY**



# Weeds project highlights value of testing

## ■ GRDC

KNOWING the herbicide resistance status of their weeds, rather than making assumptions, will pay off for grain growers through their ability to implement more targeted and cost-effective weed management strategies.

Australian Herbicide Resistance Initiative (AHRI) researcher Roberto Busi said this approach would sustain the efficacy of valuable herbicides and other weed control methods.

Dr Busi has led a Grains Research and Development Corporation (GRDC) investment in Western Australia, centred in the western part of the Kwinana port zone, that aims to demonstrate the value of growers testing for herbicide resistance in major weeds on their farms.

It has looked at the herbicide resistance status of weeds on

'focus farms' and agronomic practices that can help growers deal with any developing resistance issues. The project was initiated as a result of priorities identified by the GRDC Kwinana West Regional Cropping Solutions Network (RCSN).

Dr Busi recently led workshops at Cunderdin, Wickepin and Kulin where he and ConsultAg staff discussed project findings with more than 100 growers.

"I discussed locally-identified herbicide resistance issues found on the focus farms, and the ConsultAg agronomists focused on a range of integrated practices that could help to manage weeds and to grow profitable crops," he said.

The focus farms involved nine growers, who all practice harvest weed seed control (HWSC). A total of 17 annual ryegrass samples were tested after being collected from

paddocks where herbicide resistance was suspected.

"On average, 10 per cent of all annual ryegrass samples tested were resistant to glyphosate, 20 per cent were resistant to trifluralin and 50 per cent were resistant to clethodim," Dr Busi said.

"However, herbicide resistance to other pre-emergent herbicides was generally lower, showing Group D, J and K pre-emergent herbicides are key in this region in controlling annual ryegrass.

"These results were fairly consistent with results from larger AHRI surveys assessing herbicide resistance levels in major cropping weeds in WA."

Dr Busi said another finding was the outstanding effectiveness of some mixtures of pre-emergent herbicides and mixtures of post-emergent herbicides.

"The focus farm growers generally had a fairly accurate perception of the effectiveness of individual post-emergent herbicides in their paddocks, but some were surprised by the effectiveness of the mixtures - which performed better than single herbicides," he said.

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# Weeds project highlights value of testing

## ■ From page 15

"For example, the full label rate mixture of clethodim and butoxydim was 95 per cent effective in controlling all annual ryegrass samples tested. This herbicide option could be effective against annual ryegrass in many paddocks, but I would still encourage growers to arrange herbicide resistance testing to test its efficacy."

Dr Busi encouraged growers to have weed seeds tested for herbicide resistance if they suspected resistance was present in a paddock – for example if weedy patches were present.

He said growers could over-estimate the effectiveness of newer herbicides on their farms.

"Sometimes these newer herbicides, when tested, have developing levels of resistance, which may not always be evident in the paddock," Dr Busi said.

"It is important to know if there are even developing levels of resistance in weeds (up to 20 per cent weed survival to full rate herbicides) so growers are aware of any emerging issues.

"Growers and their agronomists can

then use this knowledge to help guide effective farm planning."

More information from the Focus Farms project is available in a GRDC Grains Research Update paper

Weed seed resistance testing services are available via:

Peter Boutsalis, Plant Science Consulting, Adelaide (SA). Phone 0400 664460, email [info@plantscienceconsulting.com.au](mailto:info@plantscienceconsulting.com.au), web <http://www.plantscienceconsulting.com.au>

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Information on herbicide resistance and weed management is available via the GRDC-supported WeedSmart resource centre.

Analysis has shown that GRDC investment into herbicide resistance over the past 25 years has returned a benefit-to-cost ratio of \$3.50 for every dollar invested.

The GRDC's national investment



■ At a recent 'Focus Farms' workshop are AHRI researcher Roberto Busi, left, and Ben Whisson of ConsultAg.

Photo by Julianne Hill.

in herbicide resistance research, development and extension is channelled through several research partners including the Perth-based AHRI, the University of Adelaide and the University of Sydney. AHRI receives an annual investment contribution of more than \$1.5 million from the GRDC.

27<sup>th</sup> March 2019

### Katanning Trade Sale Market Report



Total Yarding: 16,458 Elders Yarding: 6,813

C/kg based on Top Price Bare Shorn	
Lamb	\$6.50
Mutton	\$4.30
Boner Mutton	\$4.40
Wethers	\$110 - \$130
Air Freight	\$6.50

#### Market Tone

Heavy Mutton	\$8 - \$10 Down
Trade Mutton	Equal
Boner Mutton	Equal
Wethers Export	Equal
Wethers Store	Equal
XB Lambs Heavy *O/S	\$2 - \$4 Down
XB Trade Lambs *O/S	\$2 - \$4 Down
XB Light Trade *O/S	Equal
XB Store Lambs *O/S	Equal
Merino W/Lamb Trade	\$2 - \$4 Down
Merino W/Lamb Store	Equal
Merino E/Lamb Trade	\$2 - \$4 Down
Merino E/Lamb Store	Equal
Ewe Hoggets	Equal
Rams Export	Equal
Rams Killing	N/Q
Suckers Heavy	N/Q
Suckers Medium	N/Q
Suckers Light	N/Q

#### XB Lambs O/S

Heavy	\$140 - \$165	22kg +
Medium	\$120 - \$140	18-22kg
Light Trade	\$90 - \$120	15-18kg
Stores	\$50 - \$90	Under 15kg
Suckers Heavy	N/Q	22kg
Suckers Medium	N/Q	18-22kg
Suckers Light	N/Q	15-18kg
Suckers Store	N/Q	Under 15kg

#### Ram Lambs

Trade	N/Q
Store	\$40 - \$70

#### Ram Hoggets

Export	N/Q
Store	\$40 - \$70

#### Ewe Hoggets (Wht Tag)

Trade	\$100 - \$120
Store	\$50 - \$100

#### Merino Ewe Lambs (Onge Tag)

Trade	\$90 - \$110
Store	\$40 - \$90

#### Merino Wether Lambs (Onge Tag)

Export	\$90 - \$120
Store	\$40 - \$90

#### Rams

Export	N/Q
Store	\$60 - \$80
Killing	\$20 - \$60

#### Mutton

<u>Weight</u>	<u>(Barb Shorn)</u>	
Over Fat	N/Q	
Heavy Trade	\$110 - \$130	25kg
Prime Trade	\$90 - \$110	21-25kg
Prime Boning	\$70 - \$95	18-21kg
Lightweight	\$50 - \$70	16-18kg
Boners	N/Q	Under 16kg

#### Wethers

Trade	\$110 - \$130
Store	\$60 - \$110

#### Wethers Hoggets

Trade	\$110 - \$130
Store	\$60 - \$110

#### Market Comments:

Numbers up by 3,000 head.  
Best lambs topped \$165.00

\*O/S = Old Season

3<sup>rd</sup> April 2019

### Katanning Trade Sale Market Report



Total Yarding: 14,454 Elders Yarding: 3,484

C/kg based on Top Price Bare Shorn	
Lamb	\$6.60
Mutton	\$4.40
Boner Mutton	\$4.40
Wethers	\$110 - \$130
Air Freight	\$6.50

#### Market Tone

Heavy Mutton	Firm
Trade Mutton	Firm
Boner Mutton	Firm
Wethers Export	Firm
Wethers Store	Firm
XB Lambs Heavy *O/S	Firm
XB Trade Lambs *O/S	Firm
XB Light Trade *O/S	Firm
XB Store Lambs *O/S	Firm
Merino W/Lamb Trade	Firm
Merino W/Lamb Store	Firm
Merino E/Lamb Trade	Firm
Merino E/Lamb Store	Firm
Ewe Hoggets	Firm
Rams Export	Firm
Rams Killing	Firm
Suckers Heavy	N/Q
Suckers Medium	N/Q
Suckers Light	N/Q

#### XB Lambs O/S

Heavy	\$140 - \$170	22kg +
Medium	\$120 - \$140	18-22kg
Light Trade	\$90 - \$120	15-18kg
Stores	\$50 - \$90	Under 15kg
Suckers Heavy	N/Q	22kg
Suckers Medium	N/Q	18-22kg
Suckers Light	N/Q	15-18kg
Suckers Store	N/Q	Under 15kg

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Prime Trade	\$90 - \$110 21-25kg
Prime Boning	\$70 - \$95 18-21kg
Lightweight	\$50 - \$70 16-18kg
Boners	\$30 - \$50 Under 16kg

#### Wethers

Trade	\$110 - \$130
Store	\$60 - \$110

#### Wethers Hoggets

Trade	\$110 - \$130
Store	\$60 - \$110

#### Market Comments:

Market strong on all classes of sheep.

\*O/S = Old Season



# Cameron wins Summer Matchplay

## ■ HOPETOUN GOLF

AS our summer season of golf comes to a close, the final of the Summer Matchplay was contested on March 23rd.

After an earlier draw for opponents, numerous matches were played with the final contested by Mark Cameron and Geoff Parr, with Mark having a good win. This year the Matchplay was a Gross event rather than handicap so it was somewhat appropriate that Mark was the winner.

In conjunction with the Matchplay, a Stableford event was held and to highlight Mark's good play he was the winner with 41 points from Shane Lacy with 40 points.

March 30th saw Geoff Parr (Parky to his mates) continue his good golf—he obviously took notice of the last edition when he was reminded that he was not carrying his scroungers form into the longer game, and his score of 41 points reversed the results of the previous weeks Matchplay with Mark Cameron second with 37 points.

Scroungers were held as well with a good field on March 21st, with the normal bandits in the winner's circle and only a small field on March 28th with no result recorded.

A first up event for the Men's Regional Association was held at Esperance Golf Club on Sunday March 31st. Two teams from Hopetoun travelled across and played in an American foursomes—a game which some would liken to a form of self-flagellation and a bit of that went on from both groups as the day wore on and partners were letting each other down, it was

reported.

Neither team had a great day but the Interstate Marauders (Webby and Shane) had a slightly better day than the NZ Refugees (Geoff and Mark Brayshaw). Apparently though, the promised financial recompense for the better result was not forthcoming!! A good effort for the men that travelled across as if you do not attend other Association events you cannot expect people to travel to your events.

With the cooler weather and greener golf course, now is a good time to dust off the clubs and get out and have a game. We hope to have some professional golfers at the course later in the year for a clinic and lessons with more information as we get closer to the date.

—J Kenna

## Think Tank answers from Issue 4

1. France; 2. Sugar; 3. Australia; 4. Londonbeat; 5. Circadian rhythms; 6. Neptune; 7. Bill Haley; 8. River Elbe; 9. Alistair MacLean; 10. Sleeping Beauty; 11. March; 12. Los Angeles; 13. Roald Dahl; 14. Switzerland; 15. Dr Christian Barnard; 16. 1800; 17. Transform men into animals; 18. Yellow; 19. 11am; 20. Raspberry; 21. Italy and Austria; 22. Blackadder the Third; 23. Chancellor of the Exchequer; 24. Phil Mickelson; 25. Gary; 26. Snake; 27. Apple; 28. Democratic Party; 29. Jack Dempsey; 30. Star Wars Episode V: The Empire Strikes Back; 31. Divine; 32. Poll Tax (Community Charge); 33. Unselfish; 34. Hawks; 35. Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat; 36. James Garfield; 37. Shrek; 38. Eight; 39. A potato; 40. Ill; 41. Miles Prower/Tails; 42. Polonius; 43. Volcano; 44. Britney Spears; 45. Pheidippides; 46. John Dillinger; 47. Jason Dufner; 48. Julia Sawalha; 49. Two; 50. Mozart

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## Sport News

# Scott Oakley victorious in championship singles

### ■ HOPETOUN BOWLS

On Saturday March 23rd the Men's Championship Fours were played with four teams playing a round robin of 14 ends.

At the end of the day there was a clear winner, but the runner up was that three teams had all won one game so it was decided on shots up with the team of Alan Corby, Geoff Earl, Terry Lord and Frank Green with 3pts plus 9 shots up.

The winners with 9pts plus 28pts were Alec Woods, Darryl Quinn, Fred Payne and Bill Pike.

Sunday 24th—Social Bowls were played with 11 players.

The Men's Championship Singles were played on March 30/31st with 12 players playing in two divisions, a round robin event. In the first division the overall winner, winning all his games with five wins was Alec Woods and in the second division were two players winning 4 games—Bub McGlinn and Scott Oakley, with Scott having more shots up than Bub plus 37.

The final got away with great draw bowling by both players with only one shot being scored each end then Scott scored a couple of threes, Alec coming back with a couple of threes of his own.

In the end it was Scott who was victorious with the score of 25-17. Congratulations guys a great final.

Mixed Scroungers:

March 27th with 14 players. Winners of



■ Alec and Scott.

the chooks were Margot Hawkins and Fred Payne.

April 3rd with 14 players, winner Peter Leanne.

Ladies Bowls:

April 3rd with 7 ladies playing.

#### **Forthcoming Events:**

April 6-7th—Men's League Championships at Esperance.

April 9th—Ladies Championships Singles at Esperance.

April 10/17th—Ladies Bowls 8.45am;

Mixed Scroungers 1pm.

April 14th—Hokey Painting and Roselea Trading Day.

April 16th—Ladies Pennants Closing Day.

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# Successful carnival to start season

## ■ ROD'S ROUND UP

A very well run, well attended event. Congratulations to the organisers, hosts and umpires.

Given it's so early in the season, the footy skills shown were brilliant and it shows well for the future.

Results:

Ravensthorpe Association v Newtown-Condungup 3.3 - 8.4

Best player: Chris Young (NC)—great goalkicking skills.

RA Goalkickers: J Ebert, Jacob Beecroft, G Parker.

RA Best players: N Mudie, J McAllister, J Ebert, C Foulds, E Clarke, H Crabb.

Ravensthorpe Association v Newdegate 6.5 - 7.3

Best player: J McAllister (RA)—run run run good skills.

RA goalkickers: J Ebert, N Mudie, J McAllister, Jacob Beecroft 3

RA best players: J McAllister, J Ebert, Jacob Beecroft, G Parker, C Foulds, S Bertola.

Newdegate v Newtown-Condungup 4.4 - 3.5 meaning Newdegate won the carnival—well done.

Best player: Courtney Burnett (NC)—mark from blind side well done. Tie with Ian Lloyd (N) 5 or 6 times pin point accuracy and a telling mark in the first half.

Both Newdegate and Newtown-Condungup have shown interest in a return.



ABOVE: Action at the football.



LEFT: Nathan Mudie lines up a kick.

Photos courtesy Digvijay Singh and Sophie Hirt

■ Netball & Hockey results page 24

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### April

- 1-30 Share the Dignity Drive, Hopetoun CRC
- 12 Author Talk & Workshop with Fleur McDonald, 10am, Hopetoun CRC
- 12 Pain Relief & Birth Interventions Telehealth Class, 2pm
- 13 School Holidays
- 15 Thai Seafood Cooking Class, 6pm, Hopetoun CRC
- 18 Postnatal Care & Early Parenting Telehealth Class, 2pm
- 19 Good Friday
- 20 Southerner's 25th Annual Fishing Classic
- 22 Easter Monday
- 23 Back to School Essential Oils Workshop, 2pm, Hopetoun CRC
- 25 ANZAC Day Service—Ravensthorpe
- 26 Sushi Making Workshop, 10am, Hopetoun Community Centre
- 26 Breastfeeding Telehealth Class, 2pm
- 29 School recommences

### May

- 3 Club Merlot
- 5 Hopetoun Markets
- 7 Ravensthorpe Community Centre General Meeting, 4pm,
- 7 Single Touch Payroll Session, 10am, Hopetoun CRC
- 14 Southerners General Meeting, 7pm

### June

- 7 Labour and Birth Telehealth Class, 2pm

For contributions to the Calendar of Events email the details to [contributions@cospirit.net](mailto:contributions@cospirit.net)

## REGULAR EVENTS

### HOPETOUN

**BOOTSCOOTING** Fridays 1.30 til 3.30 at Mary Ann Haven, Veal Street Hopetoun please Phone Rosa 0428 383 034 or Trix 9838 3378.

**BOWLS** Wednesday Ladies 8.45am, Mixed Scroungers 1pm, Thursday 9.30 am Coaching with Coral. Friday 4pm Roll up and fun. Sunday 1pm Social Bowls. Everybody welcome.

**CRAFT** Mondays from 1pm at Mary Ann Haven, all welcome.

**CRC, Library & Visitor Centre** Open Monday to Friday 9am to 4pm. Saturdays 10am to 1pm (Visitor Centre only). Committee Meetings bi-monthly, ask at CRC.

**CWA** 2nd Monday 1.30pm at Centre

**CWA SHOP** Saturdays 8.30 to 11.30. Library, secondhand goods, fresh vegetables, fruit, eggs, cakes and pies, honey, jams, and relishes, Asian food.

**FIRE BRIGADE TRAINING** Last Sunday of every month at Emergency Services Building, Veal St.

**GOLF** Saturday Ladies and Men's Golf 18 holes - Winter season names in by 11.30 Tee Off 12 noon, - Summer Season names in by 12 noon Tee Off 12.30. Thursday Scroungers Ladies and Men's Golf 9 or 12 holes depending on the weather, names in by 1.15 Tee Off 1.30. Visitors and Learners are always welcome.

**HACC HEALTH SERVICE** Day Centre Program, Tuesdays, alternating weekly between Hopetoun and Ravensthorpe. Contact HACC for details.

**HOPETOUN LOCAL MARKETS** first Sunday of each month except June, July and August when the markets go into recess for the winter. Ray White Real Estate outside area at 9am to 1pm. January markets will also be the first Sunday of the month. Please contact Robyn Cockram 0429 925 569 or cockram36@gmail.com for more details

**HOPETOUN PROGRESS ASSOCIATION** Tuesday - Friday 9am till 2pm. Phone/fax 9838 3363. Monthly meeting last Tuesday of the month 7.30.

**MACHINING GROUP** Thursdays phone Wilma 9838 3098 or Mary 9838 3243.

**MEN IN SHEDS** Tamar St Tues & Thurs 8.30am-12, 1-3pm and Sat 8.30am-12pm. All men welcome contact Darryl Quinn 0428 442 517.

**MEN'S STAY ON YOUR FEET** Tuesday and Thursday, 9-10am at Men's Shed, Tamar St.

**OLD BASTARDS CLUB** Men only BBQ, Fridays. Contact Geoff Earl 0418 905 555 for details.

**POOL COMPETITION/DARTS** Wednesdays 7.30pm Port Hotel.

**POOL COMPETITION** Wednesday 7pm Wavecrest Bar and Bistro.

**SEA SEARCH AND RESCUE** Monthly training at Emergency Services Building, as indicated by regular signage on Veal St.

**SENIOR CITIZENS** Thursday 1.30 pm. Meetings 1st Thursday every second month from June, 10 am at Mary Ann Haven.

**SOUTHERN SCRIBES** Fourth Saturday 1pm, phone 9838 3472.

**STAY ON YOUR FEET** Tuesdays & Fridays 9am-10am Mary Ann Haven.

**STORYTIME** Every Monday 10am (except school and public holidays) at Hopetoun Public Library (inside Hopetoun CRC) Free stories, songs, rhymes and craft. Suitable 0-5y.

**WINDSPRAY ART** We meet every Thursday 10-2 at 65 France St. New members ALWAYS most welcome to join us. Watch CRC notice board for upcoming courses. Enquiries: Beryl Semple 0428 411 171, Louise Lodge 0427 700 613.

### MUNGLINUP

**GOLF** Ladies Golf: Wednesday by 8.45am Men's Golf: Saturdays by 11.30am.

### RAVENSTHORPE

**ENDURO CLUB** meet second Tuesday of month, 7-9 pm at clubhouse on Floater Rd. Contact Lance Stewart 0439 207 410.

**GOLF** April- October Ladies Golf: Wednesday names in by 9am Men's Golf: Saturday names in by 12pm

**GYM** membership available. Contact Ravensthorpe Shire 9839 0000.

**HAND GUN CLUB** Every second Sunday 9.30am Contact Ray Edwards 0427 381 162.

**HOSPITAL AUXILIARY** meets on second Tuesday of every second month at the red room. Starting Feb 14, 2017. Contact Judy Harp 9838 1565.

**MUSEUM** Open 10am to 4pm Tuesday to Saturday otherwise by appointment 9838 1044 or 9838 1583.

**OP SHOP** trading 10am to 1pm Tuesdays to Saturdays.

**PROGRESS ASSOCIATION MEETINGS** held on third Tuesday of each month, 7pm, Red Room, Ravensthorpe. New members always welcome.

**RAVENSTHORPE BASKETBALL** For more information contact Ethan Clarke 0452 261 717.

**RAVENSTHORPE PLAYGROUP** Thursday 9-1130am at the Ravensthorpe Youth Club building. Please bring a piece of fruit to share.

**RAVENSTHORPE REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL** RRAC Dance Program (During School Terms 1 & 2, 2019) Weekly Dance Classes for Adults and Children. Hopetoun, Ravensthorpe, Lake King, Jerramungup. Contact Kirsty rraccoordinator@westnet.com.au or 0438 945 405. Facebook: RRAC Dance

**STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE** meets at 7.30 pm on second and fourth Wednesday of month at SES HQ, Morgan St.

**STAY ON YOUR FEET EXERCISES** exercises at Senior Citizens Centre, Fridays 10-11am.

**COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE & LIBRARY** Open all day from 9am-5pm Monday to Friday.

**TAI CHI** Senior Citizens Center each Wednesday 9.30 am - 10.30am \$2. Contacts Jessie Fairhead 0429 389 023 or Liz Aberline 0427 839 988.

**YOGA CLASSES** Ravensthorpe District High School Hall. Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday from 6:45 PM to 7:45 PM. Check Facebook: 'Philachyan Life Skills' for schedule updates

If you know of any changes that are required to REGULAR EVENTS, please ensure you notify us at [contributions@cospirit.net](mailto:contributions@cospirit.net).

## CHURCH NOTICES

### ANGLICAN CHURCH

St Andrews Ravensthorpe service on the first and third Sunday of the month at 11am.  
Peter the Fisherman, Hopetoun service every Sunday at 9am followed by morning tea.  
Enquiries Kevin and Lyn Hosking, 9838 3130.

### HOPETOUN COMMUNITY CHURCH

Hopetoun Community Church meets every Sunday at 10am in The Community Hall, lawn entrance.

Everyone is welcome to join us.  
Contact: Roger Mansell 0458 749 722

### CATHOLIC CHURCH

Saturday before 1st Sun of the Month Hopetoun 6pm

Saturday before 3rd Sun of the month Hopetoun 6pm

1st Sunday, Ravensthorpe, 8.30am

3rd Sunday, Ravensthorpe, 8.30 am

For enquiries please call Fr Joseph Sousa 9865 1248.

### RAVENSTHORPE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Our service time for worship is 4 pm on the second and fourth Sunday's of the month, meeting at the U/C building corner of Carlisle and Kingsmill Streets Ravensthorpe.

For enquiries contact Rob Loyde 9838 1153, or Ron Ross 9838 1188 or Elaine Archer 9838 1096



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# Carnival success....



## ■ HOPETOUN SPORTING CARNIVAL

The second annual Hopetoun Carnival was held on Saturday March 30th—a great opener to the winter sports season which starts in May.

Senior hockey, football and netball teams from Newdegate and Newtown-Condungup/Esperance travelled to Hopetoun to play combined Ravensthorpe Association teams in the friendly, pre-season event. A round robin format saw all teams face each other for a half-length game.

The Esperance netballers were too strong for both Newdegate and Ravensthorpe Association, taking out the games 22-13 and 23-15 respectively. Ravensthorpe did notch up a convincing win against Newdegate, 32-13. Gift packs from Ravensthorpe Netball Association's major sponsor, Yummilicious, were awarded to the best player on each team before many players ran off to don their hockey uniforms.

Once again, the Esperance outfit came out on top winning against Newdegate 2-0 and Ravensthorpe Association 1-0, but the games were all well fought and in great spirit. Newdegate snuck in a 1-0 win over Ravensthorpe. The best player from each team was awarded a Southerners bar voucher, donated by the Ravensthorpe Women's Hockey Association.

Football - see Rod's Round Up page 20.

As hosts for the day, Southerners Sporting Club did a superb job in preparing the grounds, running a great canteen and bar and even put on live music for the evening. Very positive feedback from all the visiting teams was in support of continuing the event annually.

This carnival was coordinated through the ongoing Winter Sports Project, supported by Every Club grant funding from the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries.

—G Major



## WANTED CANTEEN MANAGER

Ravensthorpe Tigers Football and Sport Club are looking for someone to take on the role of canteen manager for the 2019 season.

This will include five home games, one of those being the grand final!

We plan on having a fun season at the Tigers so if you would like to join us and come be involved, please contact Kye on 0427 380 084 or Gaby on 0429 991 322.