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Farmers urged to protect territory against UHT sales

Dairyfarmers in Victoria's south west are being urged to take a stand against the erosion of farm incomes due to growing sales of cheap UHT milk.

The Milk Processors Association of Victoria has launched a campaign to warn dairyfarmers that rising UHT sales will devastate the industry and farm incomes because farmers get paid 17 cents a litre less for UHT sales than for sales of fresh packaged milk.

Mr Thomas said UHT sales in Victoria are climbing rapidly while the fresh packaged milk market is declining.

He said farmers should learn from the South Australian experience where dairyfarmers in that state are demanding the full farm gate price for UHT.

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UDV seeking new members

The United Dairyfarmers of Victoria (UDV) is actively looking to expand its membership.

UDV President, Ivan Jones, said that given the nature and rapid pace of change in the industry, existing UDV members attached the highest priority to the need for all farmers to become actively involved.

This would bring the unity of voice and action which they believe is the key to future industry profitability.

Mr Jones said that a substantial majority of the state's dairyfarmers and sharefarmers were already members of the UDV.

"Many of the non-members are former members who recently changed to supply a different factory but had not yet arranged their UDV subscription with the new factory."

"These people and other dairyfarmers who are not financial members will be contacted through their local UDV Branch over the next few months. We will then follow that initial contact with a visit by a VFF Field Officer, to invite them to share the benefits of UDV membership which accrue to them individually and to the industry."

Mr Jones said since the campaign commenced in April, membership had been growing at the rate of 50 each month, and that number was expected to increase substantially in the coming weeks.

"The UDV has an indisputed track record in working for Victorian dairyfarmers."

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dairyfarmers are represented at state and national level by the Victorian Farmers Federation and the National Farmers Federation on all general farming issues which impact on dairyfarmers and their families.

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Other benefits through UDV membership included:

- advisory and support services exclusively for UDV members which include farm fi-

nance, calf marketing, share dairyfarming, employing labor, and education and training opportunities;

- discount accommodation for business and holiday travel.

Mr Jones said major issues for the

UDV in the year ahead will include:

- action to safeguard dairyfarmer interests as domestic market milk arrangements are modified;

- helping farmers gain the best per-

formance from dairy co-operatives;

- directing dairy research to areas of greatest need for farmers; and

- dairy product promotion in both export and domestic markets.

less for milk used in UHT. The money they lose goes towards dumping of UHT milk for crazy prices like 59 cents a litre compared with around \$1.20 a litre for fresh packaged milk."

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The farmer gets 17 cents a litre

New education and training opportunities in Colac

Colac WorkSkills and the South West Institute of TAFE have announced a new joint venture which will expand training and vocational opportunities in Colac and district.

The Workplace Recognition and Training Company, a unit South

West Institute of TAFE is recognised as a leader in the field of flexible delivery and workplace training.

They are hoping to expand training opportunities to individuals, employees and businesses in the Colac district.

Potential clients could include:

Employees who have business skills but are lacking qualification;

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"DRAMATIC CHANGES TO CUSTODY LAW"

The Family Law Reform Act 1996 took effect on 11 June 1996. The Family Law Section of Harwood Andrews led by Family Law Specialists, Linton Drever and Kim Henderson recently hosted a series of seminars for various community groups dealing with the impending changes to the law relating to children. Ms Lisa Hunt, who co-hosted the recent seminars, said that the new legislation will dramatically change the practice, procedure and terminology of the laws concerning children.

Ms Hunt says the traditional concepts of "guardianship", "custody" and "access" will be abolished and an entirely new set of concepts will be put in their place. These concepts focus on children's rights and parental duties and avoid terminology which suggests that a child is a "possession" who is won" by the custodial parent.

"The concept of parental responsibility is integral to the new legislation. Parental responsibility (as opposed to rights) is an obligation towards a child which rests upon both parents equally, regardless of whether married, de facto, separated or re-married" said Mr Henderson. It includes all the duties, powers, responsibilities and authority which, by law, parents have in relation to children. This "Parental Responsibility" is imposed by law and it can only be changed by contrary order of the court or by the creation of a carefully drafted "Parenting Plan".

Mr Drever believes that the concept of "children's rights" focuses on the best interests of the child being of paramount concern. This includes the right of a child to know and be cared for by both parents and to have regular contact with his or her parents (and others) who are significant to their care, welfare and development. The legislation is very positive in that it encourages parents to agree about the future parenting of their children.

For example, says Ms Hunt, "parents will be able to create their own "Parenting Plan" dealing with such issues as where the child is to live and the persons with whom the child is to have contact." "Parenting Plans" must be developed in consultation with a solicitor or counsellor. Ms Hunt also points out that Parenting Plans "can only be varied by subsequent agreement if they are

first revoked by written agreement. Alternatively, they can be revoked if the court thinks it is in the best interests of the child to do so."

The new legislation will provide for the following in relation to care arrangements for children:

RESIDENCE ORDERS = Where the child is to live (The Parenting Plan should therefore include a "Residence Order").

CONTACT ORDERS = Persons with whom the child has regular visits (the Parenting Plan should therefore include a "Contact Order").

SPECIFIC ISSUES ORDERS = Those issues relating to any other aspect of parental responsibility (The Parenting Plan should therefore include "Specific Issues Orders").

The Parenting Plan will include specific issues orders as to who is responsible for the long-term care, welfare and development of the child (equivalent to the old concept of "Guardianship") and who is responsible for the day to day care, welfare and development of the child (equivalent of the old concept of "Custody").

"The focus of the legislation will remain upon what is in the best interests of the child" said Mr Drever. Parents who are able to reach an agreement after separation as to the care arrangements of their child may agree to make a Parenting Plan. However, Mr Drever said that "parents who cannot agree may still make an application to the Family Court for the making of "Parenting Orders" dealing with the same issues as the Parenting Plan would otherwise deal with."

The most important thing to realise is that, unlike the former term "custody", a "Residence Order" deals simply with where the child is to live. It does not carry with it the same "bundle of rights" relating to children. Mr Henderson says "the power of a parent to make decisions about the short and long-term welfare of the child depends upon the contents of the Specific Issues Orders which they have included in the Parenting Plan." The closest equivalent to the old concepts as expressed under the new law are:

CUSTODY & JOINT GUARDIANSHIP = A "Residence Order" coupled with a "Specific Issues Order" as to long term AND day to day care of the child.

ACCESS & JOINT GUARDIANSHIP = A "Contact Order" coupled with a "Specific Issues Order" as to long term care of the child.

Ms Hunt reassures separated parents that if they have already made arrangements for their children under the existing Family Law Act, then these arrangements will not be affected by the new legislation. Those separated parents who wish to make care arrangements for their children after 11 June 1996, or parents with existing orders who seek to vary previous arrangements, will need to be aware of the new terminology and procedures, says Ms Hunt.

Ms Hunt also states that the legislation makes some changes to the laws surrounding domestic violence issues and may have an impact upon the freedom of movement of the parent with whom the child lives. Ms Hunt stressed that parents who are concerned about these issues may consult Harwood Andrews for further advice.

The new legislation does not affect the Family Court's ability to make orders prohibiting contact by parents (or others) with the child where it is considered to be in the best interests of the child. This situation may arise where it is necessary to protect a child from physical, sexual or psychological abuse.

If any person has a problem in this area they are able to contact Harwood Andrews for a free appointment with any family law lawyer at Harwood Andrews

Free Family Law Clinic held each Tuesday from 10:00 am to 7:00 pm on Ph: 268562.

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The family law team. Back row left to right: Kim Henderson (Partner Family Law Accredited Specialist in Family Law), Glenda Deans (Legal Assistant), John Backhouse (Consultant), Michele Bates (Articled Clerk) Linton Drever (Partner Family Law Accredited Specialist in Family Law, Lisa Hunt (Associate Solicitor) (Not photographed). Front row left to right: Deborah Lewis, Leanne Rosenow, Wendy Antrim (Legal Assistants)



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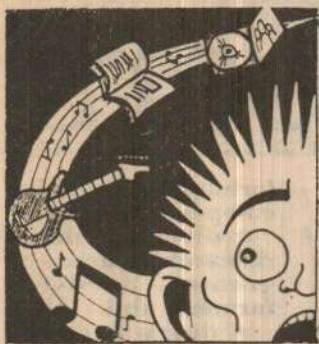
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Colac Public Radio

Annual general meeting
Colac Tourist Information Centre

Colac Public Radio will hold its "most important general meeting yet" on Thursday night, president Tony Graham said this week.

He said the meeting would address the group's activities over the past 12 months and would look at its application for a year round broadcasting license.

"The last 12 months have been really important," he said.

Tony said they had developed new programs and started to "consolidate" the programs to make them more professional and interesting.

He said 12 months ago the radio station had nearly gone under.

But with hard work and a few changes they have made it better than ever.

Tony said the radio station gave the community a diversity of programs to choose from.

He said it had the capacity to highlight the potential for tourism, infrastructure and business initiatives in the community.

This year the group have received support from the Colac Otway Shire, ACE, DEET, Social Security and neighborhood house.

Tony said they had also received support from "near on 50 businesses" from the area.

He said the community needed and deserved a radio station, which was diverse and interesting, while covering a wide gamete of topics.

Anyone interested in attending the meeting should go to the Colac Tourist Information Centre on Thursday night at 7.45pm.

The past couple of years have seen an absolute mardi gras of drag films — from the Thelma and Louise-esque road adventures "The Adventures of Priscilla, Queen of the Desert" and "To Wong Foo...," to the more subdued escapades of any number of try-hard actors seeking a bit of street cred by donning a frock and some lip.

O.K. - they're fairly cutesy and good fun for those of us from the ABBA brigade of the 70's, but at the end of the day one wonders whether it just hasn't been done to disco death.

And then, just as we are about to say "Fair go, um-pire", along comes a film with enough intelligence and integrity to redeem the rest and leave us smiling.

/ Albert (Nathan Lane).

Together Armand and drama queen Albert run the club and raise Armand's son Val to be an open-minded, responsible and mature young man.

At the news of the impending visit, Val asks his father to 'rearrange' a few things — his erotic art collection and furniture, his clothes, job, Jewish heritage ... and Albert.

Easier said than done.

Compiled by RHONDA MATHESON

The Birdcage

A United Artist's Film

Lorne Theatre

A visit to the future in-laws could be just the thing to put some sparkle back into his campaign.

Film review



In "The birdcage", a re-vamp of the French comedy "La Cage Aux Folles", we still have the showtunes, the glamour and the stilettoed excellence of the glitter genre — but this film offers something fresh and new?

So when Val arrives home and announces his engagement to the daughter of an ultra-conservative U.S. senator, what choice is there but to accept his decision with love?

Senator Keeley (Gene Hackman) has problems of his own. His career is about to take a downward spiral after the drug and prostitute related death of his closest politically.

It's a story about love and family — and the compromises you make to retain both.

Robin Williams plays Armand Goldman, the pro-

Lane absolutely shines in this movie, while Williams is happy to rely on his acting ability, rather than frothy hysteria, to carry him through the film.

The highlight for this blundstone-booted black duck is any scene featuring Hank Azaria, which he inevitably steals, with Puerto Rican/French maid perfection.

Azaria, better known for his work on "The Simpsons" and "Herman's Head", is going to be big. Watch out!

"The birdcage" is one of those films that takes some of the worst, most intolerable things in society and with a magic wand and some glitter dust, transforms them into the best.

Currently showing at Lorne Theatre.

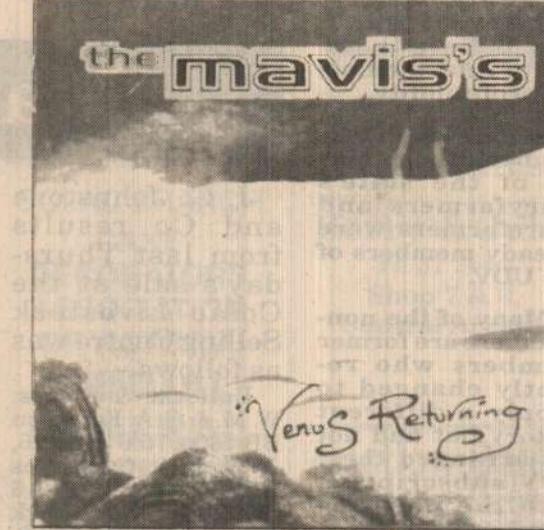
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Venus Returning

The Mavis's

Mushroom Records

Victorian band the Mavis's have hit the Melbourne pub scene by storm.



It wasn't long before they were playing every weekend and signing their first record deal.

Now they have started to move up the charts and have planted their feet firmly on the musical ladder of success.

With Josh Alexander on base, gong, feedback and Tibetan bell, Nick Gill on guitar, Becky Thomas on vocals, guitar and feather duster, Matt Thomas on nearly everything and Andrea Vendy on percussion, the Mavis's create an awesome sound.

CD review

They are played regularly on commercial and non-commercial radio stations. There are some other great tracks on this CD. Get in and buy yourself a copy.

Two of their title tracks, Thunder and Box have flown up the charts and another couple have just started air play on JJJ and RRR.

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Book review



Before I Wake

John Scott
Colac Books

Before I Wake is an absolute pleasure to read.

It concerns our relationships with ourselves and others and how important relationships are in our lives.

The story circles around Jonathan Ford, childless at 43, who moves restlessly through other people's lives.

From Australia to Europe he pursues a series of ill-fated relationships with the vulnerable and insecure.

In turn he is pursued by his past, whose echoes he finds all around him; in Danielle, a young French poet condemned to perpetual childhood.

In the aging Violet, wickedly irreverent even as she struggles through her days alone in a council flat.

In the flawed genius of the painter Malcolm Richardson.

In many lives, ordinary and extraordinary, that he changes in the profoundest ways.

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BIRTHS

GERVASONI — MASON — Tanya and Neil (Quayl) announce with much pleasure the arrival of their first child, a son.

'SAM NEIL'

on July 5, 1996, 6 lb 2 ozs.

JENNINGS — LADHAMS — Congratulations Chris and Sharon on the safe arrival of 'COURTNEY MAREE' 7 lb 8 oz at Bacchus Marsh on 3.7.96. Love and best wishes.

— Mum and Dad.

NEWCOMBE (Warner) — To Trevor and Leanne the early but safe arrival of

'KELSEY PAIGE' on 8.7.96 at SJOG, Geelong. A little sister for Caitlin.

WETEMANS (Coverdale) — Veronica and John proudly announce the early arrival of their third daughter.

'MYAH JAYDE' 7 lbs 12 ozs on 7.7.96 at 11 am. Little sister for Shannon and Karlie. Thank you to the wonderful staff at St John of God Hospital, Warrnambool.

WOODS (McKenzie) — Andrew and Jennie welcome with love

'DEAN ANDREW' born on 6.7.96, (8 lb 9 oz). Another brother for Katherine, Brett and Jeremy to love. Thanks to Lyn, Dot and Dr Nice.

ENGAGEMENT

MCCARTHY — HAYES — Margaret and Max together with Lesley and Ray are happy to announce the engagement of Lisa and Jason. We wish them love and happiness always.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS



Matthew

9.7.96

Happy 21st Birthday Matt

— Love Mum, K.B., Damian, Rob and all at the Roadhouse.

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Paul Neale

July 11



Love and best wishes

— From your family.

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Vera

Hammond

Happy 80th Birthday

Congratulations and best wishes on this special day 10.7.96

— Love from Murray, Glennis, Tony, Paul and Ashley.

DEATH

ARMSTRONG — Albert William on July 8 at Geelong Hospital. Devoted husband of Elizabeth. Loving father of Geoffrey (Belmont) and Peter (Inverwarran).

The suffering is over

RIP

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG — Albert William. Passed away on July 8, 1996. In his 83rd year. Loved only son of Alice and Albert Armstrong (both deceased).

ARMSTRONG — Albert William went to sleep peacefully at Geelong Hospital on July 8, 1996. Dearly loved and loving father of Geoffrey. Loved and respected father-in-law of Mary. Devoted and loving pa pa of Lisa, Donnet and Paul.

Our hearts were breaking as we sat by your bed.

Holding your hand and stroking your hand, watching you slip away, we tried not to cry,

But knew it was time to say goodbye.

Sleep peacefully Dad Time to rest

ARMSTRONG — Albert William at Geelong Hospital on 8.7.96. Dearly loved father of Peter, father-in-law of Narelle and pop of Bradley and Natalie.

You fought so hard to stay with us,

You suffered so much and told a few,

You never deserved what you went through,

Your memories lie in our hearts forever.

Rest In Peace

HARRINGTON — Dorothy, July 9. Daughter of Joseph and Edith McKnight (dec). Loving sister of Joe McKnight (dec). Auntie of Valarie Bowley, Gerald and Barry McKnight and families.

In her 105th year

JOINER (Morrow) — Ivy Ann on July 5, '96. In her 81st year. Loved and loving mum of Jim and Ann. Nan and great nanny of Gail, Owen and Dale; Kaye, Gary, Mark, Shelly, Philip and Leigh; Pam, Lynton, Mathew, Brendan and Sandra; Daryl and Dora; Sharon, Steven and Gavin.

She would not ask for sadness,

She would not ask for tears,

But just to be remembered,

Through the coming years.

— Lyn, Barry, Ebony and Trent XXXX.

FUNERALS

ARMSTRONG — Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul for the late Mr Albert William Armstrong will be offered at St Mary's Catholic Church, Colac TOMORROW (Thursday) at 11.30 am. At the conclusion of Mass the funeral will leave for the Colac Cemetery.

REX WAGENKNECHT & SONS Funeral Services P/L Colac — 31 2052

GARRET — The funeral of the late Mr Edwin James Garrett will be held at the Uniting Church Apollo Bay, TODAY (Wednesday, July 10) commencing at 11.30 am for the Apollo Bay Cemetery.

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IN MEMORIAM

ALLCROFT — Cynthia Margaret 10.7.95. Today is remembered and quietly kept, No words are needed we will never forget.

— From Ann and Steven.

ALLCROFT — Cynthia Margaret 10.7.95. We speak your name and think of you often.

Deep in our hearts you are never forgotten.

— From Ben, Jacob and Jessica.

LANGDON — Joseph Roy, July 11, 1993. Memories are lovely things,

They last from day to day,

They can't get lost or wear out,

And they can never be taken away.

Sadly missed

— Joyce, Patricia and Colin, Marion and Jack, Philip and Leigh; Pam, Phyllis and Richard and his eight grandchildren.

WHITTON — James 9.7.88. In my scrapbook of memories I see your face over and over again, and as I leaf through these pages in my mind, I find comfort remembering all the happy times we all had together. We all miss you dear.

— Lyn, Barry, Ebony and Trent XXXX.

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— Rest In Peace

JOINER (Morrow) — Ivy. Loved sister of Claude (dec) and sister-in-law of Bonny. Fond aunty of Valerie, Marlene, Judy, Claudia, Joyce and David and their families.

— Rest In Peace

KENNEDY — Edna Florence (Ken), on July 3 at home. Loved wife of Lance (dec). Loved and loving mother and mother-in-law of Danny and Gloria. Adored and devoted nanna of Trina and Shara.

At Peace

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Thank you to the wonderful people in Colac for their support.

— Rest In Peace

THWAITES — Jean at Queenscliff. Dearly loved sister-in-law of Alfred and Margaret. Dear aunty Jean to their family.

Loving memories ours to keep

— Rest In Peace

TREGONNING — Harold L. (Len) of 71 Church St, Kangaroo Flat, formerly of 83 Hart St, Colac. Passed away July 8, 1996. Loved and loving husband of Ella.

Sleep peacefully Len

TREGONNING — Len. Passed away July 8, 1996. Deepest sympathy to Ella and families.

A gentle man at rest

Eleanor and John.

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A Service of Thanksgiving
for the Life of
Dorothy Laura Frizon



26. 05. 1919 – 26. 08. 2010

St. John's Anglican Church
Roslyn Road. Highton

Wednesday September 1, 2010 - 12.00pm

Celebrant: Rev. Will Orpwood

Organist: Rosemary Calderazzo

OPENING PRAYER

I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord; he who believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die.. *John 11:25-6*

**Heavenly Father,
in your Son Jesus Christ
you have given us a true faith and a sure hope.
Help us to live as those who believe in the communion
of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
and the resurrection to eternal life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

HYMN: 'Abide with me'

1. Abide with me; fast falls the eventide:
the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide:
when other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
help of the helpless, O abide with me.
2. Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
change and decay in all around I see:
O thou who changest not, abide with me.
3. I need thy presence every passing hour;
what but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who like thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.
4. I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless;
ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? Where grave thy victory?
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.
5. Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes;
shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies:
heaven' morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;
in life, in death, O lord, abide with me.

Reading: Psalm 23 - John Frizon

- ¹ A psalm of David. The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.
² He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters,³ he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies. You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.
⁶ Surely goodness and love will follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.

Eulogy - Mark Llewellyn

HYMN: 'Praise, my soul, the king of heaven'

1. Praise, my soul, the king of heaven; to his feet thy tribute bring; ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven, who like me his praise should sing? Praise him, praise him, hallelujah, Praise the everlasting King!
2. Praise him for his grace and favour to our fathers in distress; praise him still the same for ever, slow to chide, and swift to bless: praise him, praise him, hallelujah, glorious in his faithfulness!
3. Father-like he tends and spares us; well our feeble frame he knows; in his hands he gently bears us, rescues us from all our foes: praise him, praise him, hallelujah, widely as his mercy flows!
4. Frail as summer's flower we flourish, blows the wind and it is gone; but while mortals rise and perish, God endures unchanging on. Praise him, praise him, hallelujah, praise the high eternal one!
5. Angels, help us to adore him, ye behold him face to face; sun and moon, bow down before him, dwellers all in time and space: praise him, praise him, hallelujah, praise with us the God of grace!

Reading: John 10:1-15 - Mary Dracup

¹ "I tell you the truth, the man who does not enter the sheep pen by the gate, but climbs in by some other way, is a thief and a robber. The man who enters by the gate is the shepherd of his sheep.

³ The watchman opens the gate for him, and the sheep listen to his voice. He calls his own sheep by name and leads them out.

⁴ When he has brought out all his own, he goes on ahead of them, and his sheep follow him because they know his voice.

⁵ But they will never follow a stranger; in fact, they will run away from him because they do not recognize a stranger's voice."

⁶ Jesus used this figure of speech, but they did not understand what he was telling them.⁷ Therefore Jesus said again, "I tell you the truth, I am the gate for the sheep.⁸ All who ever came before me were thieves and robbers, but the sheep did not listen to them.

⁹ I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved.

He will come in and go out, and find pasture.¹⁰ The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.¹¹ "I am the good shepherd.

The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep.

¹² The hired hand is not the shepherd who owns the sheep.

So when he sees the wolf coming, he abandons the sheep and runs away. Then the wolf attacks the flock and scatters it.

¹³ The man runs away because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep.¹⁴ "I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me--¹⁵ just as the Father knows me and I know the Father-- and I lay down my life for the sheep.

Sermon - Rev. Will Orpwood

HYMN: 'There is a green hill far away'

1. There is a green hill far away, outside a city wall,
Where our dear Lord was crucified, He died to save us all.
2. We may not know, we cannot tell, what pains he had to bear,
But we believe it was for us, He hung and suffered there.
3. He died that we should be forgiven, He died to make us good,
That we might go at last to heaven, saved by his precious blood.
4. There was no other good enough to pay the price of sin,
He only could unlock the gate of heaven, and let us in.
5. O dearly, dearly has he loved, and we must love him too,
And trust in his redeeming blood, and try his works to do.

Prayers

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory, are yours
now and forever. Amen.**

Blessing - Rev. Will Orpwood



Dorothy's family would like to thank you
for your presence here today; and for the many
expressions of kindness, care, love and support you
have given to them at this time.



*Following the Service you are all warmly invited
to the Highton Cemetery for the Burial Service
and then afterwards back to St. John's
to share refreshments and your special memories of Dorothy
with the family.*

*May he support us all the day long,
till the shades lengthen and the evening comes,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over,
and our work is done.*

*Then in his mercy he may give us
a safe lodging,
and holy rest,
and peace at last.*

- Cardinal Newman -



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Dorothy Frizon

Lindsay Webster, Brother
School 2708

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Mrs Webster used to make lovely scones for the children.

Was called Doffy. At 3 yrs, must get adenoids removed.

Uncle Will Gale, responsible for getting the first Bush Nurse

He had the first car in Forrest, a T Model Ford.

When Tommy Stephen's wife was having a child he wouldn't pay the 10/- for the nurse and she wouldn't come without it. The child died.

Son ran Stephen's electrical shop

She was a fine nurse

Mr King was coming down from the bush sitting on a load of timber pulled by horses but the rope gave way and the logs rolled off spilling him and killing him.

Remembers Joe and Bill Hayden. And Bill Black who had something to do with the unions. He wanted to work longer on weekdays and get Sat off instead of working until 1pm. Took men out on a strike for three months. Finally agreed after 3 months and applied to the whole of Victoria.

Railways used. Later Mc Donalds settled in Maryborough.

Des Keating was at the station house. He was rather deaf but claimed he could hear or feel the train coming by putting his ear to the buffer. One day another truck came and smashed his head. He died.

Children used to play on the turntable. They could sit on it while others turned it. Unfortunately one child was sitting there and his legs got crushed as it was turning and he was killed.

Banquets were very popular.

Buffalo Lodge existed in Forrest. Stephen was in it like a secret society for men. Mother Frizon provided food.

Mr Dunston was at the Methodist and Pres. Church (combined)

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Mrs Frizon's shop had a billiard table. Used to have to get a license to have one, not too close to the church or the pub. Postmaster and the policeman were good players. Frank whitehead was a bad looser and one day put a cue across his leg and broke it.

Her Dad had the opportunity of bringing Walter Lindrum to Forrest but wouldn't pay the \$5 required.

She worked for the school hotel and churches before the war as cleaner. Used to iron and clean the cushions.

Forrest had a blind concert every year with blind musicians. Hall was filled, lovely presents.

Toni Lamond's father gave a concert at Forrest. And Jim Farrier from Birregurra.

Where was Mr Washington's paddock? (1907 April 1, Sports Game,
1 pm on lawn at the Hall)

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BIRTHS

DARCY —
Luke and Nicole are excited to announce the arrival of their baby boy on December 24, 2010.

WILL THOMAS'

Special thanks to Dr Jeanie Brown, Dr Sharon Suguilan, Carmel, Pauline, Abby, Debbie and all the staff at CAH.

HICKEY (Foster) —
Tanya and Damien are happy to announce the safe arrival of their son

LOUIS JOHN'

born 3.1.11 at SJOG hospital.

LEAHY (Groves) —
Phil, Jodi and Callum are very thrilled to announce the arrival of their beautiful twins

FINNIAN ARCHER'
and
'GINEVRA GRACE'

born 28.12.2010.
A special thanks to Chris Beaton and the rest of the staff at South West Health-care, Warrnambool.

STOCKER —
Franz and Fiona are delighted to announce the birth of
'ALLISON PATRICIA'

on January 4, 2011.
Grandchild for Franz Stocker.

ENGAGEMENTS

CUOLAHAN — TRIGG —
Marion and Len, together with Roger and Vicki, are delighted to announce the engagement of Gemma and Chris.
Wishing you both a lifetime of love and happiness.

NEWTON — DOWNIE —
Grayer is excited to announce that his mummy, Jaalla and daddy, Matt are engaged.
He shares this exciting news with Poppy Greg, Nanna Carol, Gaddad David and Nana Maria (dec).
We all wish them a life of love and happiness.

Stay safe,
stay happy

XO

DEATHS

CONWAY —
Raymond William. Passed away peacefully at Geelong Hospital on January 5, 2011. Loved and loving son of Ray and Betty. Beloved brother and brother-in-law of Ken and Lorraine, Neil, Ron and Trisha, Phil and Margy. Treasured uncle and great-uncle to all his nephews and nieces.

'GONE TRAVELLING'

CONWAY —
Raymond William. Loved brother of Ken, brother-in-law of Lorraine and uncle of Rodney, Dale, Bradley and Craig and families.

Sadly missed

CONWAY —
Raymond William. Uncle of Bradley, Cherie and Mason.

Blessed be the journey

CONWAY —
Raymond William. Passed away 5.1.2011. Loved brother of Ron, brother-in-law of Trish. Loved uncle of Dean and Glenn, friend of Laura and great-uncle of Caleb and Sienna. In our hearts you will always stay, Loved and remembered every day. Will always remember fun times had camping at Glenaire and the annual Collingwood/Geelong footy trips.

RIP
"Go Pies"

CONWAY —
Ray. Passed away 5.1.2011. Loved brother of Phil, fondest brother-in-law of Marg. Words are few, thoughts are deep, Memories of you we will always keep You left a place no one can fill, We miss you and always will.

CONWAY —
Ray. Passed away 5.1.2011. Special uncle, great-uncle and friend. Will be sadly missed Always remembered and forever loved Our words are few, Our thoughts are deep, Wonderful memories, Are ours to keep. — Adam, Mel, Tim, Bec, Jorja, Oliver, Mia and Harper.

DEATHS

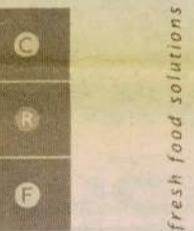
CONWAY —
Ray. A great workmate and friend for many years. Our trips away will never be the same. — Noel and Judy Swayn and family.

CONWAY —

Ray. 5.1.11. Employees at CRF would like to record with great sadness the passing of Ray. Ray is remembered with fondness and respect as he mentored so many as we established the new business and achieved so much. Ray was generous with his time, incredibly loyal, strong integrity, a good mate and humourous to be with. In a quiet way, he made this a better place.

We extend our sincere condolences to his family and close friends who will miss him dearly.

— CRF (Colac Otway) Pty Ltd.



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KENT (nee Hanson) —
Denise. Dearly loved friend and sister-in-law of Rhonda.

Loved aunty of Gail, Jill, David, Neil (dec), Andrew and Graeme and their families. Precious memories of times shared Sleep peacefully with Noel

KENT —
Denise. Special memories of our dear sister-in-law Will miss my phone call

— Gordon (dec) and Alma Kent.

KENT —
Denise. Passed away 2.1.2011. Loved sister-in-law of Frank and Lill Kent (both dec). Fond auntie of Ian and Elaine, Margaret and Doug Kerr, Allan and Donna, Wayne (dec), Lynette and Peter Facey and families.

Fond memories

DEATHS

McPADDEN —
Ethel. 27.01.1921-05.01.2011. Loved daughter of Roy and Rose Tyrrell (both dec). Loved wife of Harry (dec). Dearly loved mother of Graham, Derek, Diane and Elvie and their families.

In God's Care

MURNAKE —
Noel.

On behalf of Bulla Dairy Foods we offer our condolences to the family of Noel Murnane. Noel was an employee of Bulla for over 25 years and contributed to what Bulla is today.

From all within the Bulla family we extend our deepest sympathies

— Bulla Dairy Foods 25 Year Club.

SCHMIDT —
Kenneth George (Ken).

2.7.1921-31.12.2010. Beloved husband of Phyllis. Loved father of Desmond, Robyn and Janet (dec) and partners.

Cherished grandfather of 10 grandchildren (1 dec) and partners. Loved great-grandfather of 9 great-grandchildren.

Resting in Peace and will be sadly missed by all

SCHMIDT —
Ken. Dad;

Constant quiet support

We will miss you Love always

— Theo, Robyn, David (dec) and Margaret, Debra and Stuart, Georgia and Charlotte.

FUNERALS

CONWAY —
A graveside service to celebrate the life of Ray Conway will be held at the Colac Lawn Cemetery, Gravesend St, Colac on Tuesday, January 11, 2011 at 2 pm.

KENT —
The funeral of Mrs Denise Lorraine Kent will leave the Colac Uniting Church, cnr Manifold and Hesse Streets, Colac, TODAY (Friday, January 7) after a service commencing at 1 pm, for the Colac Lawn Cemetery.

— In memory —

— Your kids — Sharyn, Ian, Allan and Craig.

Granddad to 10 and great-granddad to 1+.

Wish you were here

— Sharyn.

FUNERALS

McPADDEN —
Family and friends are invited to attend the funeral service for Mrs Ethel McPadden to be held at Lara Uniting Church, Flinders Avenue, Lara on Tuesday, January 11 at 10.30 am.

A graveside service will be held at Yaqua Cemetery, Station Street, Forrest at 2 pm.

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IN MEMORIAM

SMART —
Phillip Wesley. 12.5.1947-8.1.2010. Dad;

We can't believe that one year has already passed;

Your presence has been sadly missed;

A lot has been done, said and learnt since you passed and we just want to thank you for giving us the opportunity to help fulfill your wishes;

Now finally you will be with us and watching over us always.

Lots of love
Simon, Kass and Zoey.

For Sale

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BEAC — The Artist Is Home is having a Red Dot Sale. Red Dots mean 10% off. Pottery, books, jewellery and homewares discounted. Art workshops in January. www.teresaculkin lawrence.com.au 77 Main Street, Beeac. Phone 52346454.

B LINDS Blinds — Beat the heat this summer. Check out the huge range of blinds and shutters at Bretts Carpets and Blinds, 365 Princes Highway, Colac West.

BOAT — Fibreglass hull, 14 ft, 60 Evinrude, registered, \$1600. Phone 52315008.

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CHEAP flower and vegie seedlings — Only \$3.00 per punnet. Huge range of quality plants. Gardeners Paradise Nursery, Hearn Street, Colac. Open 7 days.

CLASSIFIED Advertising Deadlines — Please note new closing times for Classified advertisements from December 1. All display adverts (including Death Notices and Personal Notices) will close at 12 noon the day before publication. Line adverts (including For Sale, Garage Sales, To Let, Wheel and Deal etc) will close at 1.30 pm. Display Adverts for the Monday paper close at 3 pm on Friday and Line adverts close at 4 pm. Death and Funeral Notices only will be taken on Sundays until 12 noon.

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"What a party we would have had"

— Love, Sue.

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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations

Alicia Barry

on achieving your university graduation —

Bachelor of Nursing

We are very proud of you

— Love, Mum, Doug, Jarrod, Jess and Ben, Jacinta and Paul, Ricky and Beth.

THANKS

I WOULD like to thank my family, relatives and friends for all the phone calls, cards and visits while I was a patient in the Colac and Maroondah Hospitals.

Also thank you to all the drivers who provided transport when it was needed.

Your help and kindness was greatly appreciated.

— Bob Johnstone.

IN MEMORIAM

HERRON —

Stephen.

Dearly loved

Always missed

— Mum, Dad, Linda and family, Gayle and family.

HUGHES —

Leslie James Bryan.

Born 2.7.1922;

Died 8.1.1977 at the

Colac Hospital;

Buried at the Colac

Cemetery.

— In memory —

— Your kids — Sharyn,

Ian, Allan and Craig.

Granddad to 10 and

great-granddad to 1+.

Wish you were here

— Sharyn.

All Birth Notices must be signed by BOTH PARENTS if both parents are mentioned in the notice.

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All Marriage Notices must be signed by BOTH PARTIES. We cannot print Marriage Notices not signed by BOTH parties.

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HAY — This season's, dry in shed, small bales, \$5 each. Phone 52315008.

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Garage Sales

SATURDAY — January 8, 9 am to 12 noon at 29 Quamby Avenue, Colac. Everything must go.

SUNDAY — January 9, 10 am to 2 pm at 146 Queen Street, Colac. Baby clothing, drawer set, ride-on mower, etc.

Situations Vacant

If you are looking to join a progressive team orientated organisation with career development opportunities, Colac Area Health is currently seeking applications for the following positions:

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Hours Negotiable up to Full Time
REF # 10/110

THEATRE TECHNICIAN

Part Time 16 Hours per week
REF # 10/111

NURSING

Multiple opportunities currently exist for motivated Registered Nurses in Acute, Emergency, Perioperative Services and Day Surgery. Interested applicants wishing to obtain further information should access Colac Area Health's website www.colacareahealth.com.au or contact the Human Resource Coordinator, Deb Matthews on (03) 5232 5384, email cahhradmin@swarh.vic.gov.au

Written applications for the above positions should include a resume as well as a letter of application addressing the qualifications, experience and personal attributes as outlined in the position description. Applications should be forwarded to the Human Resource Coordinator, Deb Matthews cahhradmin@swarh.vic.gov.au by COB Friday 21st January 2011.

All staff are required to provide a current Victorian Police Check prior to commencement of employment. Some positions will also require a WWC Check.

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- Regular Monday to Friday office hours.
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We require a person who has a desire to make a positive difference in the lives of family carers and care recipients.

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CASE MANAGER (Job Services) Job Number COL09#

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This position offers:

- Full-time – 38 hour week Monday to Friday
- Fantastic opportunity to work in a well-established and successful community focused organisation.
- Salary packaging benefits
- Full training provided
- 12-month initial contract

You will be required to:

- Use your marketing skills to identify and secure potential employment opportunities for clients;
- Interview, assess and case manage a diverse range of clients;
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- Develop, implement and review strategies to assist clients to find and maintain suitable employment

The successful applicant will ideally possess the following qualities:

- A proven commitment to delivering a high level of customer service
- Excellent interpersonal, verbal and written communication skills
- An ability to canvass employers and market on behalf of clients
- Ability to organise own workload and to achieve set performance targets
- Computer skills or a willingness to learn such skills
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Algae threat remains

by Jennifer Chiu

Civic leaders are powerless to stop people using a popular Colac district lake infested with toxic algae.

Lake users such as Colac Yacht Club have continued to use Camperdown's Lake Bullen Merri despite warnings of a blue-green algae health threat to people who touch the water.

Contact with the water can cause irritation, nausea, vomiting and in extreme cases, liver failure.

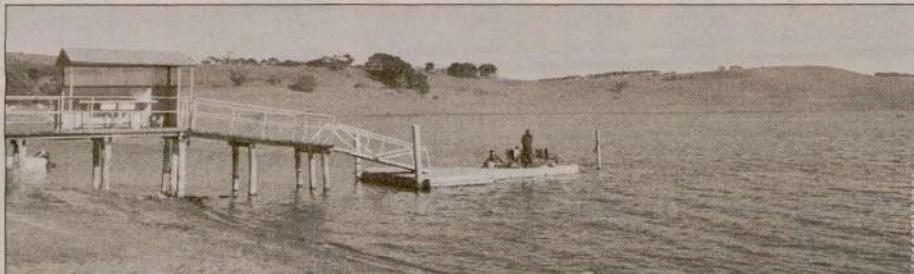
Corangamite Shire Council has placed warning signs at the lake.

Council chief executive officer Andrew Mason said the council could not ban people from using the lake.

The council and the Lake Bullen Merri South Beach Committee of Management are responsible for promoting the algae outbreak in the lake in a Wannon Water Blue Green Algae Convening Agency regional co-ordination plan.

The Department of Sustainability and Environment appoints the South Beach committee.

The council and committee's duties



LAKE WARNING: Authorities have warned lake users to avoid touching the water at Camperdown's Lake Bullen Merri because of a dangerous algae infestation.

include placing signs, informing lake users, monitoring the water and working with Wannon Water on the algal bloom.

"We have a public health role and the testing we've undertaken has shown there is blue-green algae in the lake and the species is known to be toxic to humans and also livestock," Mr Mason said.

"We have been doing quite a lot of publicity to alert people on the health issues and obviously we've put up signs and we've also put up information about alternative fishing locations," he said.

Colac Yacht Club commodore Steve

Cartwright last month told *The Colac Herald* the club would continue to sail on Lake Bullen Merri when its season resumed later this month.

Corangamite Shire mayor Matt Makin said it was "nothing short of foolish" to ignore the warnings.

"I just can't see any excuse for it when there are numerous other recreational water facilities nearby," Cr Makin said.

"There are alternatives and people should use them," he said.

The council expects the algal bloom to remain until at least the end of January.

Fire roadshow to visit Colac

by Carla Okai

A fire education centre will roll into Colac on Monday.

Country Fire Authority firefighters, Colac police and State Government workers will discuss bushfire prevention with people as part of the FireReady Road Show.

The State Government launched the program in response to

the Victorian Bushfire Royal Commission recommendations which called for greater public education on bushfire prevention.

The FireReady truck is travelling across Victoria visiting bushfire-prone areas.

Colac Otway Shire has eight of the state's 52 towns with high-risk bushfire status.

CFA community engagement officer Bir-

gitte Hutchens said people had responded positively to the education program.

"We were in Apollo Bay a few days ago and it was fantastic, I'd say we probably spoke to about 200 people over the course of the day," Ms Hutchens said.

"They learnt about the new fire danger rating signs, warning systems, what to do if you get stuck on a road

during a fire and planning ahead as well as a whole range of other information," she said.

"We spoke to holiday-makers as well as residents and they really appreciated that the service was there."

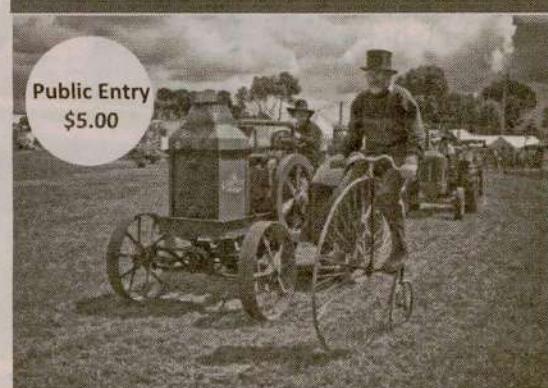
Fire experts will be available to speak individually with people and provide help on developing a bushfire survival plan.

"There's also a lot of

fun for the kids, we've got free giveaways, recyclable show bags, fire helmets for the kids, bottles of water, even a slushy machine which was very popular," Ms Hutchens said.

The road show will be at Lorne's foreshore tomorrow, Colac's Memorial Square on Monday between 11am and 2pm before travelling to Forrest between 4pm and 6pm.

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Colac to Lorne	PEAK	PEAK	PEAK	PEAK	PEAK	OFF-PEAK
Depart Colac Railway Station	7.15am W	10.00am	12.30pm	4.00pm	7.15pm	8.45am
Depart Gellibrand St	7.20am	10.05am	12.35pm	4.05pm	7.20pm	8.50am
Birregurra V/Line stop	7.35am	10.20am	12.50pm	4.20pm	7.35pm	9.05am
Deans Marsh – Birregurra Rd	7.50am	10.35am	1.05pm	4.35pm	7.50pm	9.20am
Arrive Lorne Visitor Information Centre	8.15am	11.00am	1.30pm	5.00pm	8.15pm	9.45am
						1.45pm

Lorne to Colac

DEPARTURE	TIME	TIME	TIME	TIME	TIME	OFF-PEAK
Depart Lorne Visitor Information Centre	8.30am	11.15am	1.45pm	5.15pm	8.30pm	10.00am
Deans Marsh – Birregurra Rd	8.50am	11.35am	2.05pm	5.35pm	8.50pm	1.45pm WT (Mon to Sat)
Birregurra V/Line coach stop	9.05am	11.50am	2.20pm	5.50pm	9.05pm	2.05pm
Arrive Gellibrand St	9.25am	12.10am	2.40pm	6.10pm	9.25pm	2.20pm
Arrive Colac Railway Station	9.30am WT	12.15pm	2.45pm WT	6.15pm W	9.30pm	2.40pm
						2.40pm

WT = connects with train to Warrnambool Monday to Friday. W = connects with train from Warrnambool Monday to Friday.

Peak Timetable

17 December 2010 to 30 January 2011
(Fridays to Sundays only,
except Christmas Day and Boxing Day)

Colac to Apollo Bay	PEAK	PEAK	PEAK	OFF-PEAK
Depart Gellibrand St, Colac	7.10am	10.55am	3.25pm	9.15am
Colac Railway Station	7.15am	11.00am	3.30pm	9.20am
Birregurra V/Line coach stop, Main St	7.35am	11.20am	3.50pm	9.40am
Barwon Downs, Community Hall	7.49am	11.34am	4.04pm	9.54am
Forrest, General Store	7.56am	11.41am	4.11pm	10.01am
Barramunga	8.06am	11.51am	4.21pm	10.11am
Turton's Track, intersection (C159)	8.20am	12.05pm	4.35pm	10.25am
Skenes Creek V/Line coach stop	8.39am	12.24pm	4.55pm	10.44am
Pisces V/Line coach stop	8.43am	12.28pm	4.58pm	10.48am
Visitor Information Centre, Apollo Bay	8.46am	12.31pm	5.01pm	10.51am
Pascoe Street bus zone	8.49am	12.34pm	5.06pm	10.54am
Arrive Marengo V/Line coach stop	8.54am	12.39pm	5.09pm	10.59am

Apollo Bay to Colac

Apollo Bay to Colac	PEAK	PEAK	PEAK	OFF-PEAK
Depart Marengo V/Line coach stop	8.55am	1.40pm	5.30pm	1.30pm
Pascoe Street bus zone	8.57am	1.42pm	5.32pm	1.32pm
Visitor Information Centre, Apollo Bay	9.00am	1.45pm	5.35pm	1.35pm
Pisces V/Line coach stop	9.03am	1.48pm	5.38pm	1.38pm
Skenes Creek V/Line coach stop	9.10am	1.55pm	5.45pm	1.42pm
Turton's Track, intersection (C159)	9.30am	2.15pm	6.05pm	2.01pm
Barramunga	9.40am	2.25pm	6.15pm	2.13pm
Forrest, General Store	9.50am	2.35pm	6.25pm	2.21pm
Barwon Downs, Community Hall	9.55am	2.40pm	6.30pm	2.28pm
Birregurra V/Line coach stop, Main St	10.15am	3.00pm	6.40pm	2.42pm
Colac Railway Station	10.30am	3.15pm	6.55pm	3.02pm
Arrive Gellibrand St, Colac	10.35am	3.20pm	7.00pm	3.07pm

Off-peak timetable

4 February 2011 to 24 April 2011
(Fridays to Sundays only,
except Good Friday)

Invitation up in the air

by Jennifer Chiu

A Camperdown man's plans to travel to an Avalon airshow are up in the air after organisers cut the number of people they invited to the show.

The Australian International Airshow at Avalon Airport will celebrate the Royal Australian Air Force's 90th anniversary this year with its largest display of historic, military and commercial aircraft, which means there will be less space for other planes on the main Avalon landing strip.

The show's organisers have decided not to issue a "general open invitation" to aircraft owners as they have in previous years, instead asking aviation clubs to send representatives.

Camperdown's Pip Robertson has flown his Jabiru plane to every Avalon airshow since 2005 and will find out tomorrow if he will represent a Lethbridge flying club at



DISPLAY: Pip Robertson of Camperdown's plane, which he has displayed at every Avalon airshow since 2005.

this year's airshow.

"We usually fly in and leave the plane on display and enjoy the airshow," Mr Robertson said.

"About three or four of us go and just meet up with other people down there we know – we go to one viewing area and have all our planes there," he said.

Mr Robertson said he would go to the airshow even if he was unable to display his plane.

"I'll still go down and watch the airshow but I usually take it there on the Wednesday or Thursday and leave it for a few days," he said.

"This time if I can't go in, I'll just go for a couple of days."

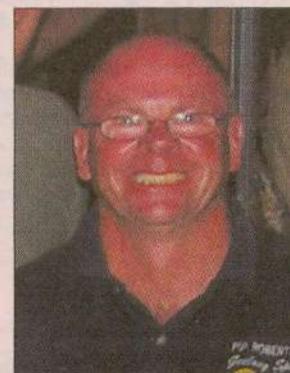
Mr Robertson said the highlight of his airshow visits was winning the Avalon airshow's Around the Bay plane regatta twice.

"It was like a car trial

– you take off and fly to different points, read your map and instructions, find your different points and answer questions about that and aviation, and hand the paper in when you get back," he said.

"To win not once but twice against bigger and better aircraft, that was really rewarding."

"It's an expensive hobby but it's a rewarding hobby."



Pip Robertson

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There'll be members of the CFA and Victoria Police at the Roadshow, along with representatives from your local government and various State Government departments including the Department of Sustainability & Environment, and the Department of Primary Industries. The Red Cross will also be there.

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Bring your kids along for a great day of fun and education. They can see a fire truck and enjoy free granitas, giveaways, rides and special activities – and also learn about fire safety.

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Where: **Colac** – Memorial Square, Princes Highway.

When: 4pm - 6pm Monday, January 10.

Where: **Forrest** – Forrest Hall, Grant Street.

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Computer starts fire

by Carla Okai

Firefighters believe an overheated laptop computer started a house fire at Forrest which caused \$80,000 in damage.

Eight fire trucks from Country Fire Authority's Region Six attended the fire at a converted bungalow at Forrest's Kents Road on Wednesday afternoon.

CFA Region Six duty officer Nick Brown said the occupants of the house had left their laptop computer on a chair.

"They left and the computer was still on and had no ventilation, and after some time it's caused the fire," Mr Brown said.

"It probably took about an hour for us to get the fire under control," he said.

Mr Brown said people often failed to realise the danger of overheating computers.

"We were at another fire only the other week and we considered the laptop as a cause but there was something else there which was more likely, but it can happen," Mr Brown said.

A CFA spokeswoman said the Forrest bungalow was "completely destroyed" and damages totalled \$80,000.

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GILL N EARL.

Farewell to Gill Neale

Gill was the first person I knew in Forrest outside of the Frizon family. I knew her first as the wife of my father-in-law's best friend Bruce, and in fact Paul and I invited her to our wedding in that capacity – Bruce was the MC.

Betty Whelan was also a guest at our wedding. She and Tassie gave me a cake mixer for a wedding present, which I always thought was a subtle hint to find my place as a new wife in Forrest by baking for the Footy Club.

Gill welcomed me into the sisterhood in Forrest in a different way. Her gift to me over 25 years has been simple but priceless: hundreds of brilliantly told stories, wicked vignettes full of characters even Dickens would have been pleased with, all told around her kitchen table as she plied me with food and drink. I didn't feel like I even had to be interested in the dominant male pursuits in the town, and she also made me feel that it was OK not to change my name.

She's given me 25 years of absolutely, ridiculously constant support. I think she felt for me as a refugee from the city, following her heart to marry a handsome man who wouldn't think of living anywhere other than Forrest, much as she had done.

It was her ridiculous, blind faith in me that helped me through the darkest days of my study when I sometimes doubted my sanity, let alone being able to finish my thesis. And she was there, strong for me in my embarrassing grief when my Mum died. *That's what I call a sister.*

Gill hasn't been a big noise, but she has worked quietly and long for very many of us in Forrest. She's washed thousands of footy jumpers, served a million meat pies, and cooked a hundred lunches for priests needing a meal and a friendly place to hole up on a Sunday afternoon.

She, with other Forrest mums, raised tens of thousands of dollars and campaigned to build the much-needed Infant and Maternal Health Centre in Station Street – now that the Centre has been sold, the funds she raised are still being used for community improvement projects such as footpaths, hall improvements, a bus and bike shelter at the school, and so on.

Gill has also worked further afield. When she came to Forrest, Gill was a talented secondary English teacher, working at Colac Tech. She was only a few years older than her students and I can imagine her cutting a striking figure at the school, with her rich, dark hair and tall, regal stature. She taught my friend and ex-colleague Gary Olney, who remembers her as the best teacher he ever had. I always thought it was a shame she never went back to teaching – **I doubt the cows appreciated her attempts to teach them the finer points of grammar.**

You may not know that Gill has also made a very large contribution to the Anglican Church over the years. She and Bev Frizon started the Anglican Women's Guild in Forrest to raise funds for the parish, and she was on the Diocesan Council of Guilds for many years. She was instrumental in setting up the Op Shop in Forrest, along with Bev Frizon; and was Treasurer of both the Otway Parish Council and the Forrest Church also for many years. Gill was also editor of the Anglican Ballarat Chronicle for some time. And she gave up many hours mentoring a young Sudanese priest through his theology qualification, helping him with English as well as theological matters, as far as I can gather. He now has his own church.

When Bruce was in Corangamarah, as many of you know, she visited nearly every day, and according to the carers there she brightened things up for many of the residents, not just Bruce. Even after Bruce had gone, she continued hosting big afternoon teas at her house for busloads of residents, some of whom had come from the Forrest area and loved getting back here to chat with a few locals and see their old haunts. She also contributed in other ways – apparently she helped write the life story of a particular resident who didn't have much family, and that gave him a great sense of satisfaction before he died recently.

So there's plenty for us to be grateful to Gill for, and to miss her for – not that she's dying of course! The great thing is she's still going to be just an email or phone call away, and I'm looking forward to catching up with her in the city for a play or something occasionally. Personally, I think I'm most grateful to Gill for her delicious story-telling, her wicked jokes, her intelligent cast of mind, and her rock-solid support, despite everything!

Thank you Gill.

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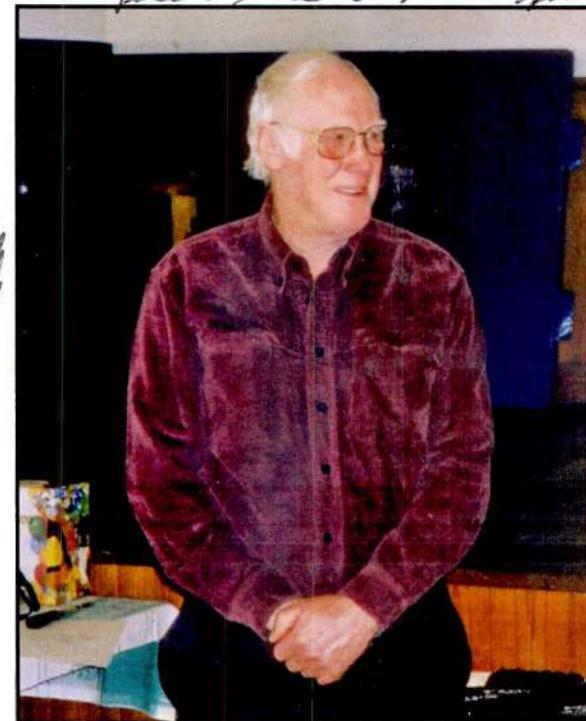
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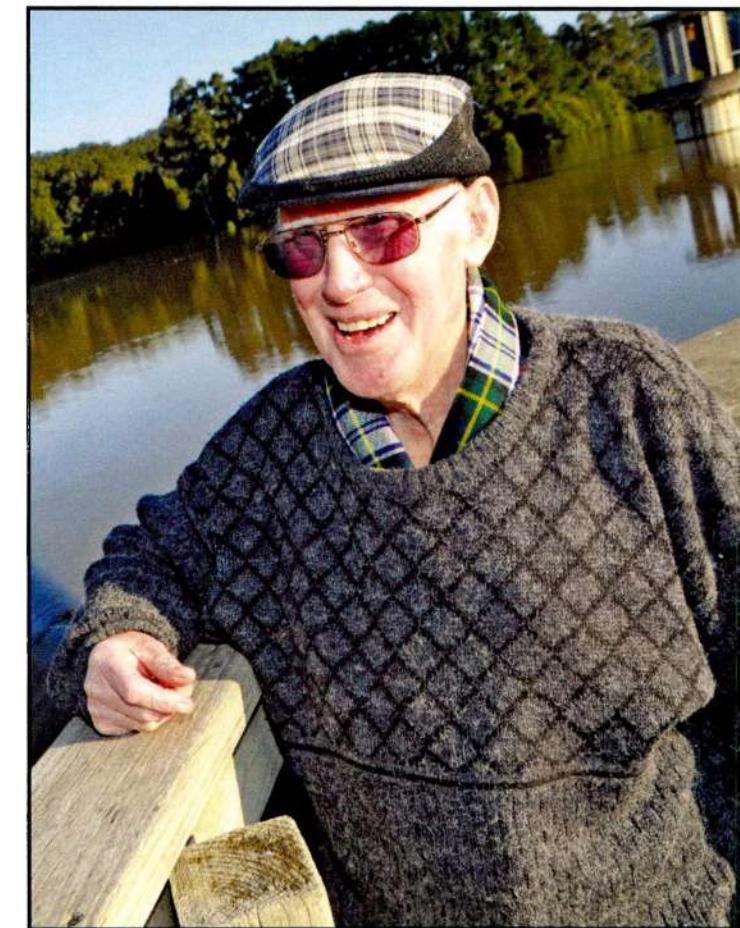
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ARMY DUCK, ON MERCY DASH, TRAPPED



THIS ARMY "DUCK" was on a mission of mercy through the floodwaters. On the Birregurra-Dean's Marsh-rd. bridge it became stuck and could not be released. Relief "ducks" from Puckapunyal were rushed to its assistance last night.

BETWEEN: These school children watched the floods which marooned them in Geelong yesterday. They had come to school from outlying districts. (STORY AT RIGHT.)



Gippsland towns clash—but no discords—in Top Town contest

GIPPSLAND floods did not prevent two Gippsland towns—Yarram and Wonthaggi—from providing a fine performance in The Sun's Top Town radio contest last night.

The broadcast was the eighth heat of the series.

Yarram opened with The Rose of Tralee sung by the Yarram Male Choir.

Next performer was George Scammell with a home-made xylophone.

Compere Reg Scammell told how George's xylophone was made of Gippsland timber.

With his sister Anne, at the piano, George played Lonely Little Robin and Tiger Rag.

Coupled with an invitation to find some "good fishing at Coruner Inlet"—only a stone's throw from Yarram, and try some of the shooting around Yarram, Ron White sang Give Me the Bush and a Log to Sit On.

Yarram rounded off its programme with I'm In the

Mood, At Dawning and Lucky Old Sun.

Wonthaggi's compere was the Mayor of Wonthaggi (Cr. Len Tilley). He congratulated Yarram on a good show.

Youngsters from St. Joseph's School started Wonthaggi's programme with Road to the Isles.

Then 21-year-old "boogie" pianist Don McKay played Bumble Boogie.

Arnold De Merlo sang The Volga Boatmen. He came 12 miles from his farm to sing. His rich voice was as solid as the coal from Wonthaggi's mine.

Bird Songs at Eventide (Jock Davis), Love Here Is My Heart (Rose O'Brien), and Swiss Chalet (John Mullin) ended the programme.

Next Monday the ninth heat of the Top Town Contest—Swan Hill v.

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MRS. D. BURNS, of McLeod-st., Bairnsdale, a registered Sun reader, won £50 by forecasting the exact result of last week's Top Town contest.

Bendigo beat Warrnambool by 6760 votes to 5696.

Cast your vote for the Yarram-Wonthaggi heat on the special coupon on page . Send it to Top Town Competition, Box 2155T, G.P.O., or drop it into a box at Newspaper House, The Sun office, Flinders-st., railway station, or 3DB, Flinders-st.

Families have been warned to leave low-lying areas.

Cann River cut off all day. Double bridge washed

away near Cann River.

Sale: Latrobe, Thomson and Macalister Rivers have been at flood level for a week. More water to come from Baw Baws and Glenmaggie Weir within the next 24 hours. Water is 7 feet 6 inches over the wall at Glenmaggie. Four families evacuated at Sale. Highway cut in many places.

Maffra:—So far three families have been evacuated and an Army duck has gone out for more.

Names of the families who have been evacuated from Bell Bird Corner near Maffra, are Mason, Heywood and Dowie.

In some places the water is 5 ft. deep.

Stratford:—First Constable W. McConnell left last night for Maffra in a bid to get a duck after an urgent call from four families stranded at Llowalong on the Avon River.

Moe: Rain stopped at 3:15 p.m. for the first time since 2 p.m. Saturday. Water had come within an

inch of the homes of Mr. W. Chapman and Mrs. J. Collett. Tanjil floods threatening a by-wash bridge on Walhalla- rd. and Beck's - rd. bridge over the Latrobe. Debris coming down creeks will threaten bridges.

Governor's daughter to have baby

LONDON, Mon.—The Governor of Victoria (Sir Dallas Brooks), will be a grandfather before the end of the year.

His daughter Jean, who married Lieut. Robin Byrne, R.N., in February, is expecting a baby. Lieut. and Mrs. Byrne are now living at West Meon, near Portsmouth, where he is serving with the Home Fleet.

7-HR. ORDEAL UNDER BRIDGE

SWIRLING Barwon floodwaters last night trapped an Army duck against a bridge near Birregurra during a mercy dash to Dean's Marsh. (PICTURE ABOVE.)

The amphibian was the only means by which three women, one of whom was due for a confinement, could be taken to Colac Hospital.

An ambulance from Colac could not travel beyond Birregurra.

The duck had gone barely 300 yds. when it was caught side-on by a swiftly-flowing stream on the second of two bridges and became wedged against the broken concrete work.

There it stayed for seven hours.

Another "duck" was requested from Melbourne. It arrived just before midnight to rescue the three-man crew from the stranded vehicle.

The Colac ambulance will return to Birregurra today in the hope that one of the ducks will reach Dean's Marsh.

The river at the bridge has expanded to a width of almost three miles. Normally it is 30 yds. wide at that point.

The three patients bound for Colac are Mrs. Les McKay, Mrs. A. E. Parker and Mrs. F. Smith.

Mr. McKay said that his wife was expecting her third child at any time. If

the duck could not get through, he would ask a doctor to come from Lorne. There was no hospital at Lorne.

Earlier yesterday, a Winchelsea grazier, Mr. Henry Hopkins, tried to rescue a coal truck driver, Mr. "Pitch" McKenna, who was trapped on the cabin roof amid floodwaters.

An appeal was sent to Queenscliff for a rocket line-shooting apparatus to reach McKenna. When this did not come quickly, Mr. Hopkins rode through the waters on his 18-year-old mare and brought Mr. McKenna out.

Here is a round-up of reports from flood areas late last night:

Birregurra: Four families had to leave their homes—Mr. and Mrs. Les Amiet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and family, the Murdochches and Whitecrosses. Bridge on Lorne- rd. half a mile from Birregurra under water. Colac road open. Still raining.

Apollo Bay: Roads blocked at Cumberland

River, Wild Dog Creek and Aire River. Town now isolated. Mr. Frank Murname, of Krambruk North, narrowly escaped at Wild Dog Creek when his car plunged into turbulent waters. He scrambled clear, but his car is still hood-deep in the creek.

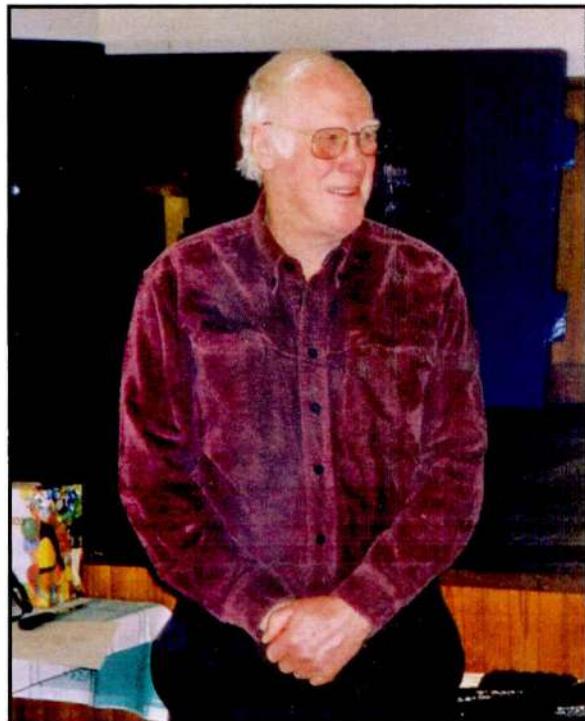
Inverleigh: Barwon and Leigh rivers rising quickly. Winchelsea road cut. Water 1 foot below last year's level in some places. Threat may develop during the night.

Lorne: Water 2 feet over road at Stony Creek at one stage yesterday, but buses from Melbourne got through.

Winchelsea: Water 1 foot from the middle arch of town bridge. Families evacuated during the day were the Gideon Leaks, Edward Leaks, Charles McDonalds, Edward Gargans, John Gubbins, Tom Holes and John Caldows.

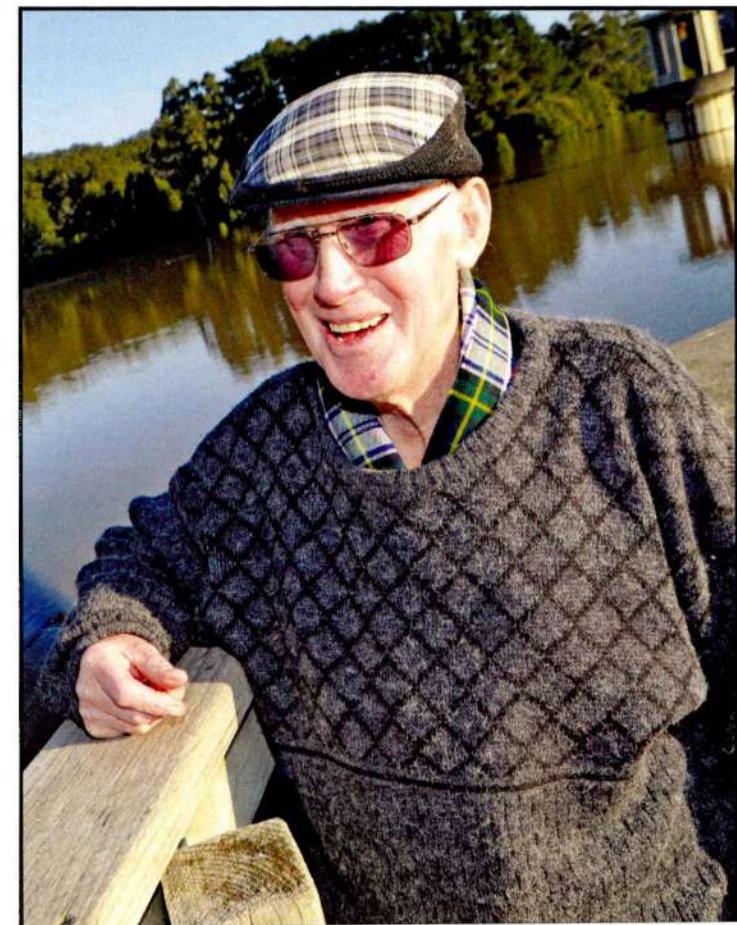
Strong south-east gales during the day helped hold back full force of flood. Native Creek flood cut town off from Geelong. Cressy road still open.

*Jim's family thank you for
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JIMS EULOGY.

James Alexander Speirs was born 31 Oct 1935, the only son and 2nd child of Eva and Alex Speirs. He was born at Thanet St Ringwood which was the home of his Maternal Grandparents Ernest and Elizabeth Franks.

Alex Speirs migrated to Australia from Ayreshire Scotland in 1928 he was one of 7 sons. It was depression times but he managed to get a job working as a gardener at Shelford. After meeting and marrying Eva they lived at Tanybryn. Alex, worked on the Lands Dept at Apollo Bay and later whilst Dad was very young he got a job on the Forest Commission. He became a Fire Spotter on the Mt Sabine tower every summer until his death.

Alec returned to Scotland for his parents Golden Wedding anniversary in 1957 and Diamond Wedding Anniversary in 1967 unfortunately a few weeks before boarding the boat on this second visit he died suddenly from a heart attack. He was buried in Scotland.

Eva Franks grew up at Hordern Vale then Apollo Bay. On leaving school she was working in domestic service. Eva and Alex met and married then lived in Melb Evelyn was born there and 6 mths later they moved to the farm at Tanybryn that was 1934. Dad was born as I said in 1935 and Ann was born in 1939. They had a handful of dairy cows and cattle, a horse and a menagerie of other livestock.

It was a hard pioneering life but Eva was a great provider and homemaker.

Until Dad was 18 there was no electricity, phone or wireless, the fridge was kerosene and later gas, wood stove for cooking, open fire for heating although it was a challenge to get and keep the wood dry. Washing was done in a kerosene tin on the stove until they got a copper in a small room adjoining the kitchen, wash day was Monday, ironing was done with a flat iron heated on the stove, Sunday night was bath night and the same water was used for everyone it was a race to see who would be first.

After Alex died in Scotland Eva stayed on the farm for some years with her beloved border collie SPOT.

In the early 1970s Eva built a house at 72 Wallace St, Colac and move there until her death from a stroke in 1983.

She is buried at the Whoorel cemetery.

Dads childhood at Tanybryn meant he could be a free spirit and roam to his hearts content and do all the things adventurous country kids did in those days but of course he always arrived home when his belly was grumbling for some of his mothers good home cooking.

Just a few of his childhood recollections.

- In His new Red Indian suit catching tadpoles in the tank Dad fell in head first, Eva pulled him out and Dad said "Just leave me and I will live"
- New Tommy Axe cut thru his boot, a ligament and artery in his foot his mother said "If you survive long enough to finish school it will be a miracle"
- On the farm Alex said the dog was so spoilt rotten by the kids it would have been better to tie up the dog and chase the cows himself.
- Old Dargo the horse got caught under the pole of the plough and Alex said to Dad to go home and get his pocket knife Dad asked "why" to which Alex said "to cut his bloody throat". But of course the pocket knife was to cut the pole strap to extricate the horse.

Dad went to what he called Tanybryn Tech, it had 28 students 3 of these being girls. Students could stay there from Grade 1 to 8.

Just a couple of stories from his scholastic days

- Story had it one of their classmates went missing and so with hands around faces they peered into the store room where Miss Currie was getting changed, she didn't believe their story so Max Fisher and Dad had bruises from their punishment.

- They'd put spuds up the exhaust of the teachers car so it would go off with a huge bang when started and splatter spuds everywhere.

Working Life.

Dad left school at 14, worked on the farm, did odd jobs in the district, cut blackwood billets at Smythes creek, cut bracken fern for 10 shillings per hour, shot rabbits in the evening for extra money, worked at Jock Fishers sawmill next door cutting stakes for ABC broom factory for 10 pounds a week, at Casper Towers sawmill, super spreading, fence building, working with Clydesdales and Shire horses in Gippsland, on the Country Roads Board, bridge building, water channel maintenance to name a few.

In Oct 1954 started with Forest Commission stayed for 38 years.

From construction foreman, Leading Hand machine operator, qualified as Forest Foreman in 1961 at Broadford. He gained many qualifications and certificates during this time for all types of machinery operation to use of explosives and everything in between.

Dad worked on all the local roads throughout the Otways and knew them like the back of his hand.

He learnt to drive bulldozers, graders, front end loaders, tip trucks and infact as he said anything that had an engine.

In the workshop he did welding, general vehicle maintenance, equipment design and construction including water tanks with power pumps and hoses as a slip on unit for 4 WD, these units of improved designs are still in use today for situations were tankers cannot access fires.

He was very proud of his hazard reduction burning with suitable weather conditions, small prepared bulldozer tracks, working alone or with a small crew and a 4WD the burn almost never got out of control and was a small cost to the environment and wildlife – different times now.

In 1967 on the Big Hill Track at Lorne at a bushfire undertaking a back burn, there was a wind change and the bulldozer driver Daryl Turner was trapped, Dad went in to get him out, they became surrounded by fire. Dad dug a hole with the dozer in which they sheltered and using the spray unit on the vehicle keep themselves wet until the fire passed overhead.

In later years he controlled and supervised local logging operations. So as you see he had a very diverse, interesting and often challenging work life.

Dad Retired in 1991 and said "I could not have had a more satisfying and rewarding career as the bush and the country is in my blood and one of my greatest loves.

In the early 1950s Dad was driving a bulldozer when he met Hugh Evans who worked for the Forest Commission at Anglesea.

He was camping in the FC depot Hughie decided the meals at the pub were to expensive and said "Well there are plenty of woman up home surely they can make you a meal". So Dad went for meals then Hughie invited him to stay. Mum got to know him reluctantly, Hughie seemed to have already matched them up. In due course they fell in love and as they say that is history.

Shirley Yvonne Evans was born 30 July 1934 in Geelong she grew up in Anglesea and was the youngest of 4 girls.

After leaving school she worked doing cleaning and Café work.

Mum and Dad were married 3 March 1956 in Geelong.

Initially they lived in a shed Dad built at Anglesea, then rented a house in Colac for a short while before moving to Forrest initially to Blundy Street, Dad then built a house in Turner Drive later in 1975 - 76 the family home at 55 Grant St was built basically by Dad and Geoffrey.

It was a comfortable, warm welcoming home and Dad was happy to stay there till the very end of his life.

From Mum and Dad came Us Kids.

Geoffrey James was born on 6 July 1957 in Baxter House Geelong.

Helen Yvonne was born 5 Nov 1958 at Colac Hospital.

Darren John was born 10 March 1962 at Birregurra Hospital.

Dad's community involvement was outstanding and included being President of and mastermind behind the Forrest Caravan Park development, secretary of the Forrest school committee, Sergeant in the Colac Branch of St Johns Ambulance Brigade, member of the Colac Pipe band and the Forrest Progress Assoc,

He formed a band after having learnt to play the saxophone it was very popular in the local area. It was called "The Otways" as you would not be surprised to know.

For 11 years Dad was a councillor on the Otway Shire including a term as President. As such He and Mum were officially invited to attend a Royal Gala Concert and State reception at the Melb concert Hall on Thur 9th June 1983. Whilst waiting to enter they were instructed to line up, Princess Diana walked through, stopped, spoke to and shook Mums hand, no doubt one of the greatest highlights of Mums life.

He was a member of the Birregurra Masonic Lodge which included time as Master.

Mum always supported and assisted Dad in his endeavours and celebrated his achievements right there beside him.

Dads hobbies and accomplishments included fishing both fresh and saltwater, in his younger years he was a keen bike rider and won several racing trophys. At various time he was also into hunting, camping and beekeeping, woodwork, welding, photography, 4WDing including running guided tours, was deservedly acclaimed as THE local historian who knew everything about sawmills and people of our local bygone days.

Aussie Holidays were a huge part of our lives Dads aim was to show us as much of Australia as he could and always said it was a better form of education than the formal school stuff. We went to every state in Aus a number of times, to northern Australia many times including his last trip just recently with Geoffrey for a month even in his state of failing health. We climbed Ayres Rock a few times saw the Olgas, the central gorges, was awestruck by the proliferation of bird, plant and animal life we observed not to mention the extraordinary people we met. Sometimes we went with friends as well as family.

In 1980 when Dads Mum was 75, 3 years before her death the whole family did a 2 mth trip to Cape York.

Things she said during this trip included

- Jimmy I never thought I'd come up here with you buggers,
- Oh Jimmy we are a long way from home
- Do you think you will ever get me home,
- I never thought I'd see all this,

At Cape York after having a shower Dad asked her did she enjoy it she very grumpily said "No I didn't, just look at my hair" and it was standing up on end due to the salty bore water – her thick white hair was something she prized and brushed religiously every night.

In 1994 Mum Dad and I took a great friend Edna Parker from Apollo Bay to Sth Aus. We had a hoot of a time.

Edna and I shared a tent and one night we had a mouse join us until we ejected it. Mum and Edna carried their handbags wherever they went even if it was in the middle of nowhere, Dad and I teased them about that repeatedly. Nearly every time Mum, Edna or I saw a shop it would be "How about an ice-cream?" Dad would groan and we'd get a "not another one" but he usually joined us.

Oh the great holiday memories.

Dad was our Motivator and Advisor.

- * I was working in Melb in 1981 Dad rang me to tell me the block I now own was up for sale and was a bargain, ultimately I bought it Dad helped me with advise, time and labour and I ultimately built my dream there and it is where my heart is.
- * He did a similar thing with Geoffrey with his block Geoffrey continues to develop it into his haven with a prolific vegie garden and orchard.
- * Some years ago he suggested I get some GOATS, GOATS I don't know anything about goats. Anyway he wouldn't let up on it and so I got some Boer goats. They are just so friendly, inquisitive, cheeky, affectionate and talkative. I just love them to bits.
- * He'd repeatedly get on my case about putting fertilizer on the paddocks, finally in frustration he'd say I'll get the trailer on and we'll go and get a load, OK and then it would be hows the supering, do you need a hand – No Dad I'm getting on with it. When it was finished he'd be satisfied.
- * As his health failed he'd want Geoffrey to do jobs around his place and got frustrated because of the time it took for the getting around TOWIT.

In early 2008 Mum was showing the early signs of Dementia.

Dad cared for her at home but it gradually became more difficult.

In August 2011 Mum was admitted to Winchelsea Hospital for respite whilst Dad had surgery for Bladder Cancer this became permanent for her due to the complications Dad developed. Mum became quite a favourite of the staff with her happy and cheeky personality. Mum is now in the Colac Hospital Dementia Unit and her decline continues. After 3 gruelling lots of surgery and 80 long days in Hospital and Rehab Dad finally came home. Instead of having only a urine bag he also had a bowel bag, as a Nurse I can tell you this is quite rare. A case of misadventure or I would say a complete surgical stuff up. Dad was weak and debilitated and took a long time to feel vaguely like his normal self. He coped with his situation in his no nonsense stoic fashion and just got on with it with our support of course.

He had had 4 types of cancer in all with no chemo or radiation and reached the ripe old age of 79 years and 6 days.

Final Days.

Dad wanted to stay at home for his final 10 days and told Geoffrey and I this and so of course it would be. His stubborn determination and resilience astounded Dr Sarkis and the Palliative Care Team from Colac they would be shaking their heads daily in disbelief at his extraordinary survivability.

Geoffrey as my Nursing apprentice proved himself more than worthy of the title over and over again.

There is often a humorous side to most things if you look hard enough even death it seems and so a few such moments

- Dad was asleep one day and woke up and I said to him You're back, where have you been and he said Nowhere. I said Who did you see and he said No-one, So much for enlightening me on the here after.
- DEPI had been doing burn offs around block and only a few days before his death DAD was telling Geoffrey he would have to take him out to check them out. – A true forestry bushman to the end.
- One day he asked me what all the noise was about outside and I told him it was Geoffrey on the hedge trimmer and he said Yeah that'd be right he's getting the place ready to sell.
- I said to him one day Are you going to have a sleep now and he said Yes but don't let me stop breathing.
- Typical Nurse one day when I was sure he was asleep I leaned over to feel his pulse only to be shocked with the word STOPPED being hollered in my Rt ear, scared the you know what out of me.

Ultimately though it did stop and on the 6th November 2014 he peacefully left us cocooned in our love.

Rest in Peace our Dad our Hero.

Hi Ken

I've written
the obituary,
this is for your
records. Mary.

Otway Shire's new East Riding councillor.

Mr Speirs, 41, of Forrest, won a three-way contest in an extraordinary election on Saturday.

He defeated Mr Charlie Grinham and former councillor, Mr Cyril Lidgerwood.

Mr Speirs will fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Cr George Moriarty.

He gained 160 primary votes to Mr Lidgerwood's 152 ad Mr Grinham's 72.

After distribution of Mr Grinham's preferences, the final voting figures were Speirs 213 and Lidgerwood 171.

Only 384 votes were received from the total of 1694 ratepayers on the roll.

Shire secretary, Mr Bob Richardson, said yesterday that 98 applications were received for postal votes but only 69 were returned in time to be included in the counting.

Voting was not compulsory.

Mr Speirs said yesterday he was pleased to have won the contest and would do his utmost to represent the riding as a whole.

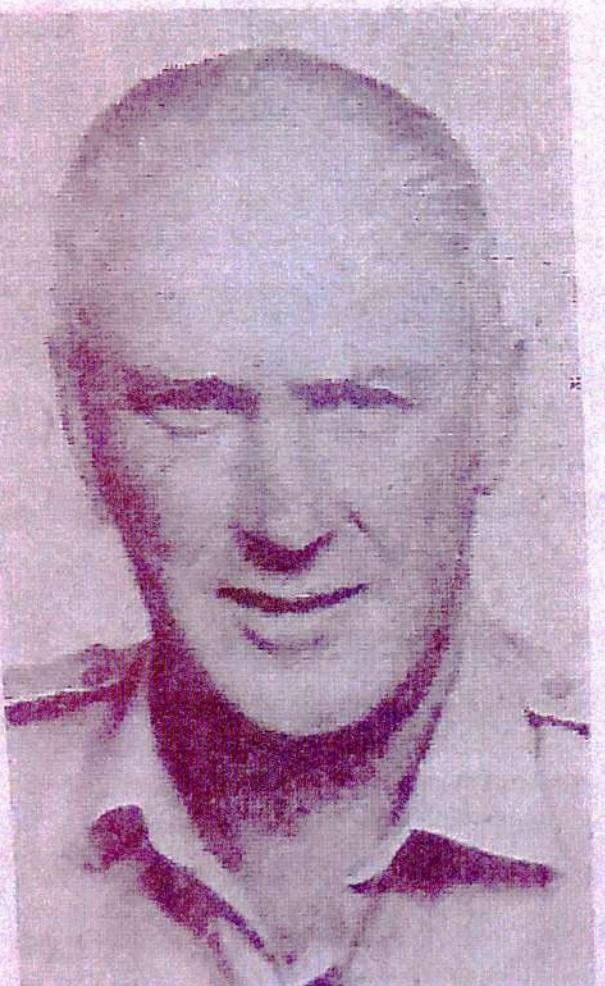
He has taken an active part in the development of Forrest since moving there 20 years ago and is particularly interested in the advancement of the Otways as a whole.

Voting details were:
Apollo Bay — Grinham 15, Lidgerwood 37, Speirs 53.

Forrest — Grinham 4, Lidgerwood 62, Speirs 61.

Wye River — Grinham 28, Lidgerwood 21, Speirs 34.

Postal — Grinham 25, Lidgerwood 32, Speirs 12.



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Susan.

Son of Alex and Eva (both
dec).

Brother of Evelyn
Simmonds and Ann
Joiner.

Dad,
You were our mentor,
motivator, friend and
adviser. You passed on
your love of the Otways
bush to us. To have cared
for and shared your last
days together was an
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Missing you now and
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- Geoffrey and Helen.

Even though I was so far
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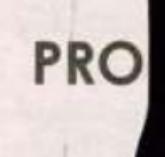
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BIRTHDAYS



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BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE

Happy 25th Birthday

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It's your birthday,
my angel son XOX.

I got a glimpse of
you yesterday, you
were skating at the
park it was getting
dark, you looked
so happy and free,
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to my knees.

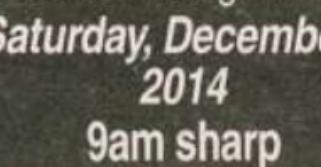
A stranger heard my
tears, she put out
her hand and helped
me to my feet
– her name was Lilly
– she was sweet.
You had sent her
my way to let me
know it's ok.

Thank you for still
watching over me
and your bro (Clay).
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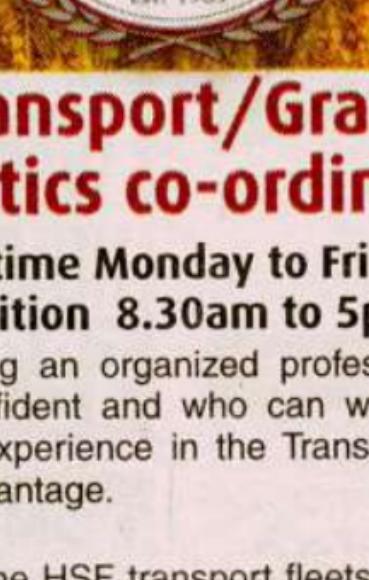
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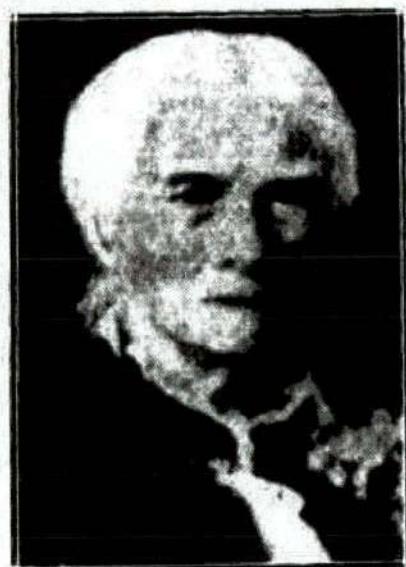
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OBITUARY

Centenarian's Death

The death occurred yesterday at her home at Croydon, of Mrs. Rosina Richards, aged 101 years. For 60 years, Mrs. Richards lived at Sutton Grange, near Mount Alexander, a property which was purchased by her husband, the late Mr. Joseph Richards, in 1858. Mrs. Richards was born at Stithians, Cornwall, April.



MRS. ROSINA RICHARDS

1833, and arrived in Australia in 1848. She spent some time on the Campbell's Creek diggings, where her husband was successful in the search for gold. Four sons and five daughters survive Mrs. Richards, who had no serious illness in her long life, and retained her mental faculties to the end.

Mr. John Hayden, who died suddenly at his home in Burke road, Deepdene, last Friday, was a member of one of Victoria's pioneer families. He was born at Blackwood 70 years ago, where his father established one of the first timber-mills in the State. Nearly 40 years ago Mr. Hayden and his late brother, Mr. William Hayden, formed the well-known timber company of Hayden Bros. at Barwon Downs. It has operated ever since. Mr. Hayden was the first president of the Hardwood Millers' Association of Victoria, in which he maintained an active interest up to the time of his death. He was the father of Bernard Hayden, a member of the Xavier College crew. The funeral was attended by Fathers O'Brien and Stevens, of Xavier College, the members of the crew, the coach, Mr. Marcus Burke, Mr. Mark Shea, and the president and the manager (Messrs. F. J. Yelland and E. W. Quinn) of the Hardwood Millers' Association. The Rev. Father Walsh conducted the services.

citation. The Rev. FRANCIS WALSH conducted the services.

After an illness of several weeks Miss Susan A. Hodson, head mistress of the Ballarat Church of England Girls' Grammar School, died in a private hospital at Ballarat yesterday afternoon. Miss Hodson went to Ballarat from Queensland about 18 months ago to succeed Miss Ethelwyn Rigg, who resigned to live in Melbourne. She was a bachelor of arts of the Brisbane University. Deep regret at her death was expressed by the Bishop of Ballarat (Dr. Crick) and by members of the school council. The school was closed for the holidays yesterday instead of to-day.

Miss Emily E. Eager, whose death occurred yesterday, was a foundation member and a member of the executive of the Victorian League of Nations Union, and Australian Peace representative of the Federation of Women Voters, a foundation member of the Women Painters, a foundation member and a member of the executive of the Women's Citizens' League, and president of the Kew branch of the Australian Reading Union.

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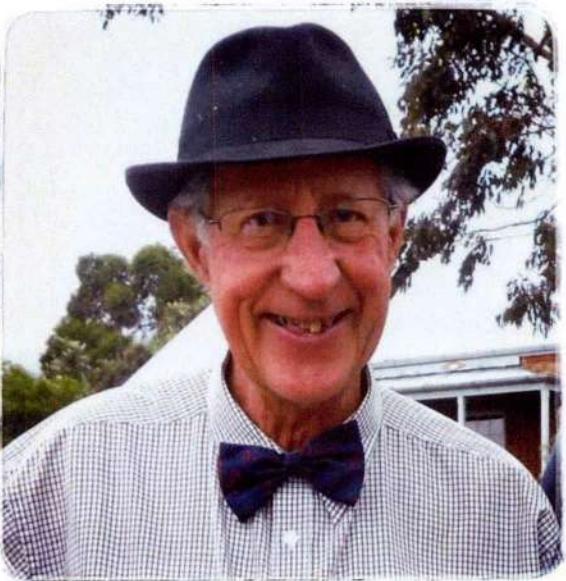
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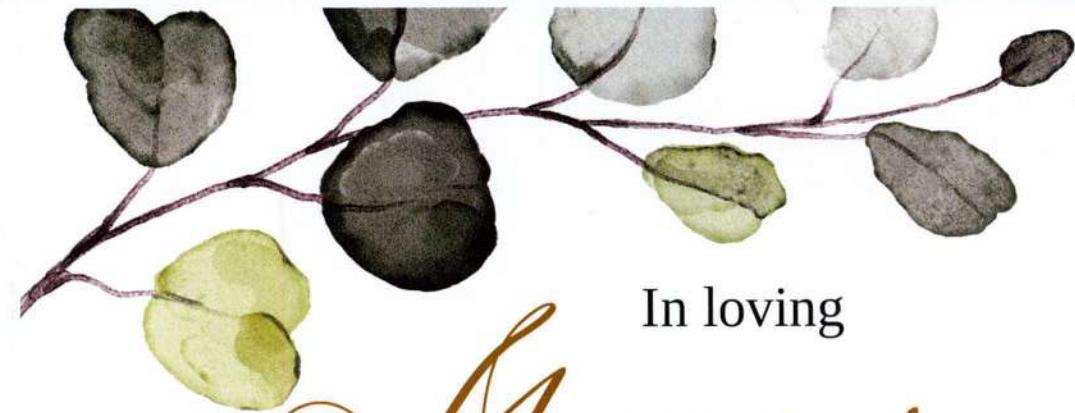
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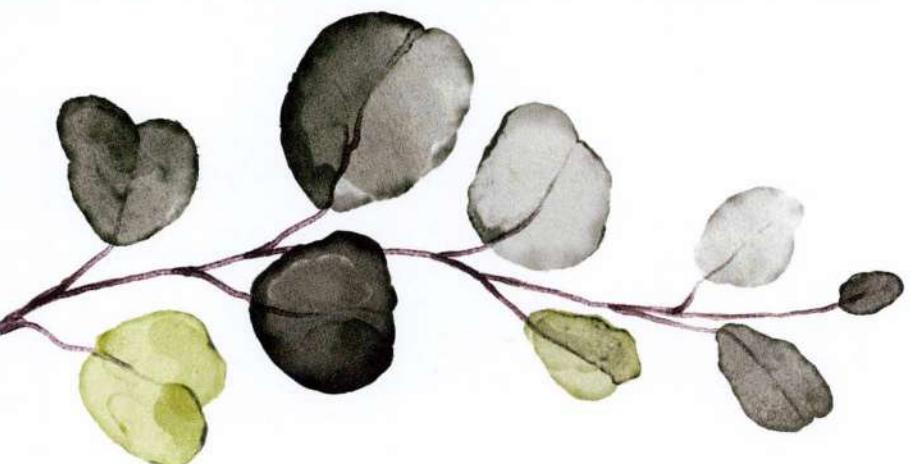
Please join us for a traditional 'Corn Boil'
on Ken's beloved farm from 4pm
Blacks Road, Forrest



Kenneth John Widdowson

27/4/1933 - 18/3/2021

"A truly remarkable life"



Order of Service

Music

Bach Prelude – Goldberg Variations
by Angela Hewitt

Welcome and Introduction
Anne Cowden – Celebrant

Celebrating Ken's life with tributes from
Julia Burns and Michelle Etheve



Visual Memories

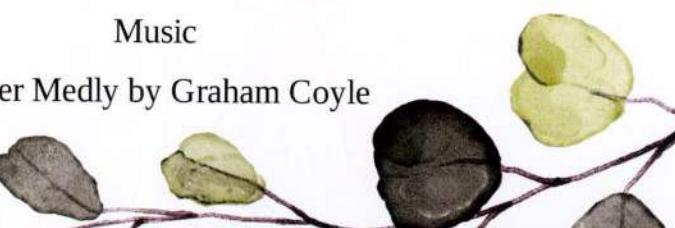
The Sunshine of Your Smile
Sung by May Widdowson (Ken's Mother)

Tributes from

Tania Griffin and Jennifer McDonald

Words of Farewell

Music
Waller Medly by Graham Coyle



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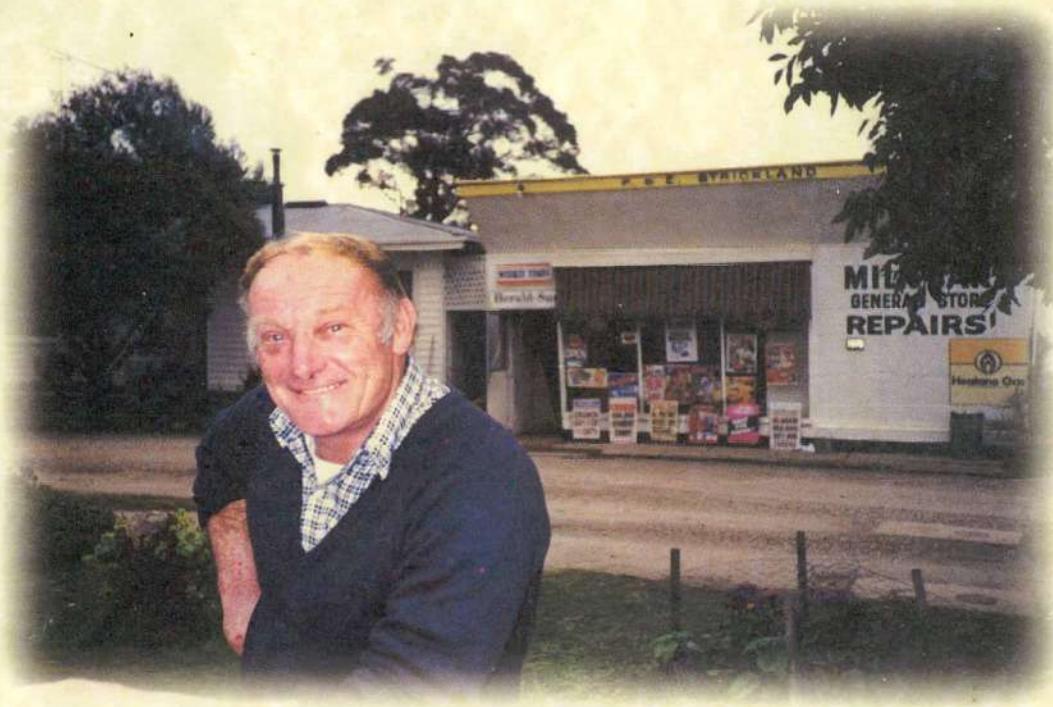
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A Celebration of
the life of
Kenneth Peter Strickland

25-03-1937 - 16-09-2002



"Strick"

Barwon Downs Public Hall
20th September, 2002

Order of Service

Amazing Grace - Glen Campbell

Welcome by the Celebrant, Anne Cowden.

Symbols of Pa from Jack, Charlie, Grace & Paddy
Pa's chainsaw, pocket-knife, lighter, vegies from his
garden & eggs from "his girls".

Opening words

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven
Hallowed be thy name
thy Kingdom come, thy will be done
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us
And lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil
For thine is the Kingdom
The power and the Glory
For ever and ever

Amen

Peter's Life Story

Speakers: Phillip Callahan
Albert Halliday
Rod Hehir
John James

“Our Dad” - words from the family

Time for reflection

“You’re My Best Friend” by Don Williams

A song chosen by Edith for Peter

Words of farewell

A reading, “A Blessing” by Michael Leunig

We give thanks for places of simplicity and peace,
Let us find such a place within ourselves
We give thanks for places of refuge and beauty.
Let us find such a place within ourselves.

We give thanks for places of nature’s truth and freedom,
of joy, inspiration and renewal,
places where all creatures may find acceptance and belonging.
Let us search for these places:
in the world, in ourselves and in others

The committal

“Were You There (When They Crucified My Lord)”

by Johnny Cash with the Carter family

An Indian Prayer

When I am dead, cry for me a little,
Think of me sometimes, but not too much.
Think of me now and again - as I was in life,
At some moments it's pleasant to recall.
But not for long - leave me in peace,
And I shall leave you in peace,
And while you live-let your thoughts be with the living.

“Grandad’s Wings” 1998

by Freya Boyle

Why'd she come so quickly? Why'd she come so soon?
Whenever did she manage to slip unnoticed in the room?
There was always someone with him, always someone keeping track,
So how did we not notice a small angel tying wings upon his back?
She did it so softly that no-one ever knew
But every day those wings of his slowly grew and grew.
She whispered so quietly and gently in his ear
How to use those wings to flyaway, that no-one was to hear.
So although it seemed quite sudden, to those left to say goodbye
All the while that Angel had been teaching him to fly.
I wonder if he ever knew, I wonder if he saw?
I wonder if he had noticed her visit more and more
And on their last encounter, when she taught him well enough to fly
I wonder if he felt her let go, so he could take on the whole sky.

We express sincere thanks for your presence with us today in giving joyful thanks for the life and love of Strick.

We invite you to join us for afternoon tea here at the hall at the conclusion of the service.

*Give me the charms of the Otway Hills,
From Barwon Downs to the sea,
Where softly drone the timber mills
And the birds sing wild and free.
There troubles fly and peace there comes
Neath the shelter of the scented gums.*

*Let me wend once more that winding way,
Thro' flowers and fern again,
And feel once more the salt sea spray
Of the cool and dark blue main,
All the world o'er the best spot to me,
Is from Barwon Downs to the sea.*

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*Lorna's family would like to thank you
for your love and support and for being here
today to celebrate her life.*



*Please join them for refreshments at the
Mid City Hotel, Murray Street, Colac,
after the service here in the Chapel.*

Lorna Mary Wilhelms



8th January 1925 – 28th August 2017

Order of Service

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Hymn
How Great Thou Art

Reading
Psalm 121

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help.
 My help cometh from the LORD, which made heaven and earth.
 He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber.
 Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.
 The LORD is thy keeper: the LORD is thy shade upon thy right hand.
 The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night.
 The LORD shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul.
 The LORD shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in
 from this time forth, and even for evermore.

Eulogy
Betty Roberts

Reflection of Life
Accompanied by Psalm 23 (Crimond)

Prayers
To conclude with the Lord's Prayer

Hymn
Now Thank We All Our God

Blessing

How Great Thou Art

Oh Lord my God
 When I in awesome wonder
 Consider all the worlds
 Thy hands have made
 I see the stars
 I hear the rolling thunder
 Thy power throughout
 The universe displayed

Chorus
Then sings my soul
My Savior, God, to Thee
How great thou art
How great thou art
Then sings my soul
My Savior, God, to Thee
How great Thou art
How great Thou art

And when I think of God,
 His son not sparing,
 Sent Him to die,
 I scarce can take it in;
 That on the cross, my burden
 gladly bearing He bled and died
 to take away my sin

Chorus
 When Christ shall come
 With shout of acclamation
 And take me home
 What joy shall fill my heart
 Then I shall bow
 With humble adoration
 And then proclaim My God
 How great Thou art

Chorus

How great Thou art
 How great Thou art

Now Thank We All Our God

Now thank we all our God,
 with heart and hands and voices,
 Who wondrous things has done, in
 Whom this world rejoices;
 Who from our mothers' arms has
 blessed us on our way
 With countless gifts of love,
 and still is ours today.

Oh, may this bounteous God
 through all our life be near us,
 With ever joyful hearts and
 blessed peace to cheer us;
 And keep us in His grace,
 and guide us when perplexed;
 And guard us through all ills
 in this world, till the next!

All praise and thanks to God
 the Father now be given,
 The Son, and Him Who reigns with
 Them in highest Heaven—
 The one eternal God,
 Whom earth and Heav'n adore;
 For thus it was, is now,
 and shall be evermore.

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*The family would like to
thank everyone for attending
in our time of grief.*

*Everyone is welcome to
afternoon tea at the
Birregurra Hall*

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Born June 28 1919
Died June 3 1997

Mary Eleanor Shanahan

Celebrant: Fr Denis Dennehy

*Fly, fly precious one
Your endless journey has begun
Take your gentle happiness
Far too beautiful for this
You are now in peace forever more.*

From a granddaughters' point of view, Nanna was the greatest grandmother we could ask for. Whenever any of us were upset about anything it was Nanna who would cheer us up. Not only did she give us treats, she also gave us love and a supportive shoulder. Nanna loved us all dearly, after all we were her girls.

Nanna was a sweet lady, you couldn't help but adore her. We all cherished Nanna, we hope she has a wonderful life with God and Grandpa Desmond. We know she's shining down on us from heaven.

Nanna you will be missed greatly, but always know we all love you.

*Sarah Shanahan, Melissa Luxton,
Monique Inch, Breana Shanahan
and Kate Shanahan*

Entrance Hymn:	The Beatitudes
First Reading:	Wisdom 3: 1-9
Response:	The Lord is my Shepherd
Second Reading:	Apocalypse 14: 13
Gospel:	Matthew 5: 1-12
Communion Hymn	Gentle Woman
Commendation:	Come to her aid
Final Hymn:	Strong & Constant

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DEATHS

BARTLETT -
John Warwick.
Peacefully at Colac Area Health on March 8, 2016 aged 83 years.
Dearly loved husband of Gloria (dec).
Loved father of Neil (dec) and Greg.
Very proud grandpa of Davin and Bridie.

BARTLETT -
John.
Deepest sympathy to Greg and family on the passing of John, a respected and long serving member of the Colac Bowling Club.
- Board, members and staff, Colac Bowling Club.

BELLCHAMBERS -
Ernest John Mark.
29.5.1940 - 6.3.2016.
Dearly loved husband of Beryl.
Loved father of Wendie Fox, Trevor and Jayne, and Wayne.
Loving grandad of Katherine and Jonathan.
Softly the leaves of memories fall,
Gently I gather and treasure them all.

DEATHS

BOURK -
Dorrie.
Thanks for the good times and chats we had over the years.
You were a wonderful friend, so caring and kind.
- Love, Heather, Don and family.

COLLIS -
Wayne Geoffrey.
24.10.1941 - 3.3.2016.
Eldest son of Darrel and Lola (both dec).
Dearly loved brother and brother-in-law of Terry (T.C.) and Kathleen.
Much loved uncle of their families.

COLLIS -
Wayne Geoffrey.
24.10.1941 - 3.3.2016.
Rest in peace my BIG BRO!
Thank you for the memories we had together,
Loving memories of you will always linger.
As I walk through life without you,
Sunshine passes and shadows fall,
But loving memories outlast all.

HARRINGTON -
Matt.
You were a beautiful person.
Your memory will be forever in our hearts.
We send our condolences to Glen and Dianne, but especially to our special friends, Shaun and Ally.
RIP Matty H.
- Brodi and Rahni. XOXO

MELLROSS -
Althea Elsie 'Thea'.
25.8.1926 - 8.3.2016
Passed away peacefully knowing she was loved.
Wonderful and loving wife of Bob.
Much loved mum and mother-in-law of Dianne and Lindsay Marriott, Ken and Christine, Pam and Henk Wind, Sandra and Bobby and Annette and Ross McDonald.

Treasured Mama to all her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.
Thank you for the years we shared,
The love you gave, the way you cared.
In our hearts you'll always stay,
Loved and remembered every day.

DEATHS

POTTER -
Nora.
Our members will greatly miss her enthusiastic company, outstanding contribution to our activities and generous contribution to our historic archives.
A real worker.
Vale Nora.
- Forrest and District Historical Society.

SINCLAIR
(nee Graham) -
Valda Caroline.
In loving memory of Valda Caroline, formerly of Colac.

Passed away peacefully on March 5, 2016 at Noosa, aged 85 years.
Dearly loved wife of Finlay (dec).
Loved mother and mother-in-law of Janice and Ross, Heather, Fiona and Marcus, Ian and Rita and Meredith.
Loved grandmother of Erin and Owen.
Sadly missed.

COLLIS -
The funeral of Geoffrey Collis in the Chapel Place, 15 Ske Colac on Tue 15, 2016 com 1.30 pm.
In accordance wishes Way privately cer

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MELLROS
Family and invited to a Thanksgiving the life of M 'Thea' Mel at Belmont Church, cc and Shack Belmont, C Wednesday 1.30 pm. No flower

A private
precede



FUNERALS

BARTLETT -
The funeral of Mr John Warwick P

VGUIDE

ABC

rage (PG) [s]
rage Guest Programmer (PG) [s]
How Not To Behave: Sport And Recreation [PG]
Restoration Man: Oast House (PG)
Who's Been Sleeping In My House: Oljato [s]
Griff's Great Britain: Lakes (PG) [s]
Antiques Roadshow: Derby Roundhouse [s]
Edge Of Nowhere [s]
Jillaroo School (PG) [s]
Landline [s]
Vera: Young Gods (PG) [s]
Gardening Australia [s]

BC News (PG) [s]
Death In Paradise (PG) – The team is introduced to crazy world of rock and roll when the lead singer of band is murdered on Saint Marie.
Offs (M,a,v.) – As Felix investigates a high-profile taping of a vulnerable victim, all is not as it seems. Heartbroken Jo loses sight of her professional-taking her emotions out on a criminal, leaving Carl to pick up the pieces.

ack Irish (M,i,a,v.) – Jack struggles to recuperate his mind takes an increasingly turn towards Rob and. Back in Manila, Linda is abducted. Longmores to act against the church leaving Jack alone to for Sarah.

Adam Hills: The Last Leg (PG) – Hot off the satellitom the UK, we fast-track this joyful, off-beat take events of the week, hosted by Adam Hills.

ack Comedy (M,i,s)
Te: Guest Programmer (MA15+ a,d,h,n,s,v)
e (PG)

PRIME7

6:00 Home Shopping [s]
7:00 Weekend Sunrise [s]
10:00 The Morning Show - Weekend [s]
12:00 Seven's Horse Racing: Australian Cup [s] – Worth more than \$1 million, the 2015 Australian Cup is a Group 1 race held in March each year. The Australian Cup is run over 2000 metres and is a weight for age race. It is a feature race in Melbourne's Autumn Racing Carnival and is part of Flemington's 'Super Saturday'.
5:00 Seven News at 5 [s]
5:30 Border Security - Australia's Front Line (PG) – High cocaine readings are found on the luggage of a Spanish tourist. Will it end his surfing safari? A dream working holiday may turn into a nightmare for an American traveller.
6:00 Seven News [s]
7:00 Movie: "Kung Fu Panda" (PG v) – Jack Black stars as Po the Panda who finds himself chosen as the Dragon Warrior despite the fact that he is obese and a complete novice at martial arts. Stars: Jack Black & Angelina Jolie
8:45 Movie: "Fast & Furious 6" (M,v,l) – Since the Rio heist, Dom and his team are scattered across the globe until Hobbs enlists their help to track a dangerous crew in London, where Dom learns his girlfriend Letty is still alive. Stars: Vin Diesel & Paul Walker
11:30 Program To Be Advised
12:30 Revenge (M) – Illumination Victoria and Conrad make a calculated move, starting a charitable foundation in the late Amanda Clarke's name.
1:30 Home Shopping

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en's Programs 4:00 Bananas In Pyjamas 4:45 Friends 5:00 Curious George 5:25 Sarah & Charlie & Lola 6:25 Octonauts 7:00 Spicks & Penn & Teller: Fool Us (PG) 8:15 Would I Lie 5 Mock The Week Looks Back At (M ls) 9:15 Late (M,i,s) 9:50 Live At The Apollo (PG) 10:35 chumer: Meth Lab (M,i,s) 11:00 The Office Special: Peep Show (M,i,s) 12:20 Mock The Week Stewart Lee: Carpet Remnant World (MA15+) news Update

WIN

6:00 Children's Programs
7:00 Weekend Today - Saturday
10:00 Today Extra - Saturday (PG) [s]
12:00 The Middle: The Graduate (PG)
12:30 Clipped: Dreamers (PG i,s)
1:00 Party Of Five: Hold On Tight (PG a)
2:00 Movie: "Men Don't Leave" (PG v) ('90) Stars: Jessica Lange & Arliss Howard
4:30 Getaway (PG) – Getaway is Australia's favourite travel show with wonderful holiday ideas for all tastes and budgets as well as those dream destinations.
5:00 News: First At Five [s]
6:00 National Evening News [s]
7:00 Australia's Got Talent: Semi Final 4 / 5 (PG) – Host Dave Hughes.
9:30 Movie: "Blood Diamond" (MA15+a,v,l) ('06) – In war-ravaged Sierra Leone, diamond smuggler Danny Archer learns that a local fisherman has stumbled upon a gigantic gem, and he offers to reunite the man with his family in exchange for the diamond. Stars: Leonardo Di Caprio, Djimon Hounsou & Jennifer Connelly
12:20 Movie: "The Driver" (M v) ('78) – A man who dresses like an Ivy Leaguer is known for his ability to drive a getaway car in a hold-up. A cop, obsessed with the idea of catching him, sets up a bank robbery with the help of some crooks. Stars: Leighton Meester
2:05 VIP: Max Better Blues (M v)
3:05 Sue Thomas: FB Eye (PG)
4:00 Anger Management (M s)
4:30 Extra [s]
5:00 Skippy - The Bush Kangaroo

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6:00 Children's Programs 10:00 Teen Titans Go! 10:30 Ben 10:00 Omaverse 11:00 Heidi (C) 11:30 Move It (C) 12:00 Kitchen Whiz 12:30 Spongebob Squarepants 1:30 Wild Kratts 2:00 Fishing Australia 2:30 Little Charmers (G) 3:00 Power Rangers 3:30 Sonic Boom 4:00 Yo-kai Watch 4:30 Ben 10 5:00 The Tom & Jerry Show 5:30 Batman (PG) 6:00 Movie: "Man Of Steel" (PG v,l) ('13) Stars: Russell Crowe 8:45 Movie: "The Dark Knight" (M v) ('08) Stars: Heath Ledger & Christian Bale 11:45 Making Of Batman Vs Superman: Dawn Of Justice 12:15 Arrow (M v) 2:00 Surfing Australia TV 2:30 Yo-kai Watch

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6:00 Fishing Edge [s] 6:30 Good Chef Bad Chef [s] 7:00 I Fish [s] 8:00 Family Feud - Encore [s] 8:30 Studio 10: Saturday [s] 11:00 The Living Room - Encore [s] 12:00 The Doctors (PG) [s] 1:00 Healthy Homes TV [s]
1:30 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield [s]
2:00 Places We Go [s]
2:30 The Home Team [s]
3:00 Jamie & Jimmy's Food Fight Club (PG)
4:00 I Fish [s]
4:30 Escape Fishing With ET
5:00 TEN Eyewitness News First At Five
6:00 Jamie's 15 Minute Meals [s]
6:30 Attenborough's Living With Dinosaurs (PG) [s] – Most dinosaurs were wiped out in a biological blitz 65 million years ago, yet many great reptiles survived.
7:30 David Attenborough's Fabulous Frogs (s) – Sir David Attenborough takes us on a journey through the weird and wonderful world of frogs, shedding new light on these charismatic, colorful and frequently bizarre little creatures.
8:30 Movie: "World War Z" (M v,l,h) ('13) – United Nations troubleshooter Gerry Lane traverses the world in a race against time to stop the zombie pandemic that is toppling armies and governments, and threatening to destroy humanity itself. Stars: Brad Pitt
10:50 Movie: "The East" (M v,s,a) ('13) – Sarah, an undercover agent at a private intelligence firm, is hand-picked to infiltrate The East, an ecoterrorism cell targeting companies that pollute the environment. Stars: Brit Marling & Ellen Page
1:00 Infomercial (PG)
2:00 Home Shopping (PG)

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6:00 Home Shopping 8:00 Star Trek 9:00 Hogan's Heroes 10:00 Gillette World Sport 10:30 Whacked Out Sports 11:30 Operation Repo (M) 12:00 World Rugby Sevens 12:30 Car Torque 1:00 World Series Sprint Cars 2:00 2016 Dunlop Series - Adelaide Clipsal 3:00 3:00 2016 Australian V8 Ute Racing Series - Clipsal 4:30 David Attenborough's Africa 5:30 Attenborough's Tiger: Spy In The Jungle 6:30 Monster Jam 7:30 Star Trek 8:30 The X-files (M a) 9:30 Ripper Street (M v,a) 10:35 Rush (MA15+ d) 11:30 Bellator MMA (M v,i) 1:30 Undercover Boss 2:25 Star Trek

ELEVEN

6:30 Pokemon 7:00 Get Ace 7:30 Vic The Viking 8:00 Totally Wild 8:30 Scope 9:05 The Loop (PG v,i,s) 11:35 Neighbours 2:05 The CMC Music Awards 3:35 Charmed (PG v,a,sn) 4:30 Family Ties 5:00 Cheers 6:00 Movie: "Turbo" (G) ('13) Stars: Ryan Reynolds & Paul Giamatti 8:00 Cristela: Equal Pay (PG) 8:30 The Graham Norton Show (M s) 9:30 Sex And The City: Running With Scissors / Don't Ask, Don't Tell (MA15+ s,i) 10:50 The Loop (PG v,s,d) 1:20 Neighbours - Encore 4:00 Charmed: Which Prue Is It, Anyway 5:00 Cheers (PG)

SBS

5:00 CCTV English News [s]
5:30 NHK World English News [s]
6:00 Worldwatch – France 24 News 6:30 Deutsche Welle News 7:00 Worldwatch Continues
1:00 PBS Newshour [s]
2:00 FEI Equestrian Jumping World Cup – Highlights from Helsinki, Finland.
3:00 Food Lovers' Guide to Australia [s]
3:30 Massive Moves: Family Farmstead
3:55 Massive Moves: Huge Hacienda
4:20 Who Were The Greeks? (PG)
5:25 Who Do You Think You Are?: Nigel Havers (PG) – Actor Nigel Havers is usually cast in upper-class roles, but his roots turn out to be very different.
6:30 SBS World News Australia [s]
7:35 Coasts Of Ireland: Belfast And The North [s]
8:30 Drama Movie: "Kenny" (M l) ('06) – From the biggest festival to the smallest church social, Kenny Smyth delivers porta-loos to them all. Follow Kenny as he tackles every septic challenge that comes his way. Stars: Shane Jacobson & Travis Golland
10:25 RockWiz: Jens Lekman / Sophia Brous / Gurumul (PG) – Rock music's most famous faces continue to mix it with the best local trivia bufs.
11:25 Borgen: Decency In The Middle (M s,a) – This Danish drama series follows the intricate and complicated lives of the politicians, media spinners and reporters who feed off their triumphs and failures.
12:30 Borgen: Count To 90 (M s,l)
1:35 Borgen: The Art Of The Possible (M s)
2:40 Borgen: 100 Days (M a,s,l)
3:45 Borgen: Men Who Love Women (M s)

SBS 2

5:00 Worldwatch 1:00 Hyundai A-League: Adelaide United v Melbourne City - Round 23 3:05 Great Adventures 3:10 Charley Boorman's Extreme Frontiers: South Africa 4:10 The Brain: China 6:00 Animation Movie: "Summer Wars" (PG) ('09) 8:00 If You Are The One 9:00 Bear Grylls: Mission Survive (M l) 9:55 Commando School: Fight Or Flight (M l) 10:50 Drama Movie: "The Yellow Sea" (MA15+ v,s) ('10) (in Korean & Mandarin) 1:20 Urban Freestyle Extreme 1:25 anis-Nice 2016: Stage 7 - Nice to La Madone d'Uttelle (177 km) 3:00 CCTV News In English

ABC3

i's Programs 9:00 Good Game SP 9:35 Thursday 10:15 Adventure Time 11:00 Camp Lake-Life With Boys 11:55 Make It Pop 12:20 The Madagascar 2:35 House Of Anubis 3:00 Ab:25 Officially Amazing 4:00 Good Game SP 5:00 Junes Of Madagascar 4:50 Strange Hill High 3 (PG) 5:40 World's End 6:10 Thunderbirds 7:30 Imble Histories 7:05 Yonderland (PG) 7:25 Degrassi: No Surprises 8:20 Degrassi (PG) Finding Freedom

7MATE

6:00 A Football Life 7:00 America's Game 8:00 Home Shopping 9:00 Market Values 10:30 Just 2 Wheelz 11:00 Night Thunder 12:00 Ultimate Sprintcar 12:30 Turfman (PG) 1:00 Gator Boys (PG) 4:00 Catching Hell (PG) 5:00 Doomsday Castle (PG) 6:00 Doomsday Preppers (PG) 7:00 Movie: "Hellboy II: The Golden Army" (PG v,h,l) ('08) Stars: John Hurt 9:30 Movie: "Lock, Stock And Two Smoking Barrels" (MA15+ v,d) ('98) 11:45 Doomsday Castle (PG v,l) 12:45 Doomsday Preppers (PG) 2:00 Catching Hell 3:00 Gator Boys 4:00 Market Values

GEM

6:00 Movie: "Take Me High" (G) ('73) 8:00 Home Shopping 8:30 The Baron (PG) 9:30 Movie: "Father's Doing Fine" (G) ('52) 11:15 Movie: "Treasure Island" (G) ('72) 1:15 Postcards (PG) 1:45 Movie: "The Time Machine" (PG v) ('60) Stars: Rod Taylor 3:55 Movie: "The Quiet Man" (PG) ('52) Stars: John Wayne 6:30 Heartbeat: Gabriel's Last Stand (PG v,a) 8:45 Agatha Christie's Marple: The Blue Geranium (M v) 10:45 Dalziel And Pascoe: The Wood Beyond (M v) 11:55 Movie: "The Time Machine" (PG v) ('60) 2:00 Movie: "Dead Of Night" (PG a) ('74)

ABC24

7:00 Weekend Breakfast 11:00 ABC News 11:30 Australia Wide 12:00 ABC News 12:30 Landline 1:00 ABC News 1:30 Planet America 2:00 ABC News 2:30 The Mix 3:00 ABC News 3:30 Tonic 4:00 ABC News 4:30 The Drum Weekly 5:00 ABC News 5:30 One Plus One 6:00 ABC News 6:30 Australian Story 7:00 ABC News 7:30 The Mix 8:02 Four Corners 8:45 One Plus One 9:00 ABC News 9:30 Australia Wide 10:00 ABC News 10:30 The World This Week 11:00 ABC News 11:30 One Plus One 12:02 National Press Club Address 1:00 BBC World News 1:30 The Drum Weekly

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- Mr Robert Halliday - Presentation to Betty Whelan and Nan Lidgerwood
- Mr Jack McKenzie - District Councillor Hampden & District Football League.
Representing Victorian Country Football League
- Mr Ray Cockerill - President Colac & District Football League
- Mr Keith Leorke - Representing Polwarth League
- Mr Merv Brady - Representing Colac & District Umpires Association and Past Players
- Mr Noel Vesey - Representing Past Opposition Players
- Mr Peter West - Representing Past Coaches
Seniors Coach 1960-1961
- Mr Rod Nutbean - Representing Local Community
- Mr Norm Rourke - Vice President Forrest Football Club. Presentation of gift.
- M.C. for the evening - Mr Albert Halliday.

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DEATHS

MURDOCH —
Gilbert (Bert). Passed away 31.7.08. A great mate. Always a smile. We will remember you always.
Sadly missed
— Kathy, Thomas, Tammy, Rene, Ricky and Greg, James, Tayla and Kaylee.
Rest in Peace

TEBBLE —
Vera Evelyn. Suddenly at Colac on August 3, 2008. Loved and loving wife of Harry (Boxer, dec). Beloved mother of Ken (dec) and Terri, Kelvin and Nicole, Ray and Sherry, Colin and Debbie, David and Glenice, Donna and Brendan. Treasured Nan of Shaun, Aaron, Michael and Luke, Daniel and Emily, Ryan, Adam and Stephanie, Jake, Grace and Danielle. To the world you were but one, To us you were our world.

Resting peacefully in the arms of Dad and Ken.

See later paper for funeral details.

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DEATHS

TEBBLE —
Vera Evelyn. The world has lost the most generous, caring and loving mother and grandmother, who was full of life and could see the best in everyone. Such a family orientated lady who will be sadly missed.

At peace with Dad and Ken

— Loved and missed by her son Raymond, partner Sherry and grandchildren Chloe and Jayden.

TEBBLE —
Vera Evelyn. 1.1.1933-3.8.2008 Passed away suddenly. Mum - three little letters, Mum - one little word. Lord said come with Me, a rest well earned, Rest peacefully in some place green, Some place nice, some place, That is called paradise, Weep not that she has gone, But smile that she has been, As God said to her, "on My shoulder you shall lean", Walk tall in Heaven with your head held high, 'Cause God's got another rose in His garden, A star in Heaven's sky.

Reunited with Dad and Ken

Your loving son always, Colin. XXOO

TEBBLE —
Vera. Passed away peacefully August 3, 2008. Thank you Mum for the years I shared, The love you gave, the way you cared, In my heart you will always stay, Loved and remembered every day. You were someone special, Someone good and true, You will never be forgotten, I thought the world of you.

— Your loving son David. XXX

DEATHS

TEBBLE —
Vera Evelyn. Passed away suddenly August 3, 2008, at Colac, aged 75 years. Mum, I dreaded this day would come, to be told you have left me. My heart broke into a million pieces, I cried because I never said goodbye. I cried because I never got to tell you how much I loved you. I cried because I never got to wrap my arms around you.

You were always there to love me, you gave your heart and soul, I was so privileged to have you as my mother. You will always be in my heart. You were not only my mother but my best friend too, what am I ever going to do without you - I will never know. I now have an ache in my heart that I know will never go away. Mum, you were the rock of this family that held us all together. Now that rock has gone our lives will never be the same. Please God look after her in Heaven as she only deserves the best. I will love you until my dying day.

Mum, wrap your arms around Dad and Ken and never let them go. Give them a kiss and tell them I love them. One day we will all be together again and I will never let you go.

— Your loving daughter Donna, much loved mother-in-law of Brendan. Cherished, loved and adored nana of Jake, Grace and Danielle.

TEBBLE —

Vera. Weep not that she has gone, But smile that she has been. Loving memories — Your daughter-in-law Glenice. XXX

TEBBLE —
Vera (Nanny Tebs). Words are few, thoughts are deep, Memories of you we will always keep, You left a place no one can fill, We miss you and always will,

Your memory is our greatest treasure, To have and to hold in our hearts forever.

Lots of love

— Ryan, Adam and Steph. XXX

Rest peacefully in that place so nice, That place we know as paradise.

— Admired by Deb.

DEATHS

TEBBLE —
Vera (Nanny Tebs). Dear Nan I will always miss the endless conversations we had, you always had something to say. I'll miss the awesome roasts you made, you know I loved those ☺.

I love you and miss you with all my heart

— Love, Emily. XX

Nan, Thank you for everything you have done in the very special time you had with us. You could bloody talk a lot but make everyone smile and brighten up the room.

I will miss you very dearly, I will miss the company, but most of all miss a friend who will put everyone first...with a lifetime of memories.

I love you always

— Daniel. XO

TEBBLE —

(nee Kent) — Vera Evelyn. Passed away 3.8.08, age 75.

Beloved sister of Biddy. Sister-in-law of Rex Clissold.

You travelled through life from the beginning 'til the end. You gave all your love to us all and now your journey has come to an end.

We say farewell, with heavy hearts, as you leave us.

I am going to miss you, Vera.

Thank you for all the help you have given myself and Rex over the years.

Rest in Peace

TEBBLE —

Vera. Deepest sympathy to the Tebble family

Fond memories of a very caring lady

One of the best Rest in Peace, Vera

— From Herb, Jacinta and family.

VESEY —

Albert.

Rest peacefully Tige

We will forever treasure our memories of a friend, that it was an honour to know and love.

"Keep man eye on our vegies for us mate and we'll keep a line in the river for you!"

Love always

— Steve and Gaylene.

DEATHS

VESEY —
Albert. 10.6.1924-5.8.2008 Passed away peacefully at Colac. Great mate of Trev, Diane, Katie, Paul, Cara and Brooke. Respected friend and mate of Ray. Thanks for being a great mate for many years.

"Catch ya later, cobber"

WATTS —

Dolly. Passed away 1.8.2008 - aged 94.

Precious sister to Anne, Allen, Ken (dec) and John (dec) Lane.

Wonderful caring aunty to Brian and Barbara Lane, their children Mark, Joanne, Michelle, Amanda, Tim, Bindy and Anna. Great-aunt to Patrick, Daniel, Kyle, Jemma, Darcy, Elizabeth, Olivia, Bridgette and Benjamin.

A lovely gentle lady

WATTS —

Dolly. 3.1.1914-1.8.2008 Dearly loved sister of Anne Lane.

No more tomorrow, For us to share, But yesterday's memories, Will always be there.

WATTS —

Dolly Theresa. Dearly loved sister of Allen and Sheila (dec) Lane.

Loved aunty of John (dec), Patricia and family.

Fond memories

Our thoughts are with John, Brian, Paul and Lesley and family

Rest in Peace

WATTS —

Dolly. Passed away August 5, 2008.

Dearly loved sister-in-law of Alan and Joan Watts (both dec).

Loved aunty of Robert, Kevin and Lynette, Dianne and Paul. Great-aunt of Kate, James and Luke.

Treasured memories

FUNERAL

VESEY —

The funeral of Mr Albert Vesey will leave the chapel of Quinn Funerals, 61 Corangamite Street, Colac, on Friday, August 8 after a service commencing at 2.30 pm, for the Colac Lawn Cemetery.

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There is a place in my heart for you alone. A day doesn't go by without thinking of you and wishing you were here. Just knowing how blessed I was to have had you in my life.

— Your loving wife Denise.

JOHNSTONE —

Betty Mary. August 6, 2003.

In memory of a loving wife, mother and nana.

Sadly missed

— Bruce, Brett, Grant and families.

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DIVERSIONS

Hospital tour inspires careers

by Georgina Howden-Chitty

Colac Secondary College students interested in medical careers gained inspiration from a visit to Colac Area Health.

The group of Year Nine students had a tour of Colac's hospital and listened to staff presentations.

South West Local Learning and Employment Network local community partnership facilitator Kerri Bauer organised the tour.

"My role is to bring together schools, local industry groups and employers, community organisations and other government agencies to realise the collective responsibility required that ensures our young people are informed, inspired and engaged in their transition through school and into further education, training and employment," Ms Bauer said.

"Colac Area Health is the largest employer in Colac and Julie Rippon facilitated a tour of all areas within Colac Area Health, providing Year Nine students with an insight not only into the variety of jobs and

sections within Colac Area Health, but a snapshot into people's lives," she said.

Ms Bauer said relationships between education providers and organisations such as Colac Area Health helped young people "see a future role and connection in their community".

Colac Area Health chief executive officer Geoff Iles said the session aimed to give students an insight into the career opportunities available at Colac Area Health and in the wider health sector.

"It provided an excellent opportunity to showcase the broad and diverse range of programs we have here," Mr Iles said.

"It covered our clinical services, acute services, urgent care, educational services and community services and gave them some insight into our relationship with the Deakin medical school," he said.

"We are really hopeful the students gained benefit towards them choosing a career."



HOSPITAL TOUR: Colac Area Health clinical educator Anna Reilly shows Colac Secondary College students from left, Robert Thresher, Marli Ruhl and Kathryn Hillman, hospital training equipment.

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Student will become teacher

by Loretta Wilmink

A Colac secondary student will defer university and travel to the United Kingdom next year to teach in a boarding school.

Latitude, an Australian volunteer program formerly known as GAP year, accepted Colac Secondary College Murray Street campus school captain Scott Kenyon as a boarding school teacher for its 2009 program.

Scott said he applied for the volunteer program last year and was one of 70 students to get their first preference teaching at a boarding school in the United Kingdom.

"I had to fill out an application form, have an interview and go to seminars," he said.

"I got my first preference and out of 140 applicants to apply

for the position I was one of 70 people to be accepted."

Scott said he would spend 11 months based in a boarding school in Ireland or England.

"I will be an assistant teacher, tutor and mentor," he said.

"My strongest class is English, so I might help out with the debating team and I will help organise camps and get hands-on experience."

Scott said he planned to travel around Europe on weekends and on school holidays.

"I'll travel around as much as possible, for instance going to Paris for the weekend," he said.

Scott said he would network with other volunteers on the trip, which was a "once-in-a-lifetime" experience.

"The first six weeks will be the toughest," he said.

"I'm gobsmacked that in five

months' time I'll be in another country."

Scott, who works at Subway and Encore Pizza, said he wanted to travel overseas before he started university.

"I always wanted to travel and see the world, so I plan on deferring university for two years," he said.

"It took a lot of work to get to this stage and now I'm working two jobs to save as much money as possible."

"All my accommodation and food is supplied at the boarding house, so it's reassurance for my family I have somewhere to stay."

Scott plans to stay in Europe for another year after finishing his stint at the boarding school and teach English at a school in Poland.

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OVERSEAS: Scott Kenyon will spend a year in the United Kingdom teaching at a boarding school.

Application results in TV appearance

by Cayley Robinson

A Colac Secondary College student got a little more than she bargained for when she applied for work experience.

Year 11 student Sarah De La Rue got her 15 seconds of fame after she applied to be the work experience kid on television talk show Rove Live.

Sarah, 17, missed out on the work experience role but she did turn heads when her application video aired on the show.

Different clips from applicants aired as a commercial, with Sarah declaring to Rove "I won't let you down".

Sarah said the clip was the first time she had been on television.

"I saw it and Mum sort of just caught it and we were screaming,"



Sarah De La Rue

Sarah said.

Sarah and friend Carly Tomlinson both applied for the role.

"I've always wanted to do journalism, radio, television and everything to do with the media," Sarah said.

Sarah said she also applied because she was a fan of Rove McManus and the prospect of meeting comedy duo Hamish and Andy was an opportunity too good to miss.

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Our Environment

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Weeding out our roadside problem

In the Colac Otway region alone there are over 2000 kilometres of roads.

All of these associated roadside reserves have unique values and issues.

From an environmental point of view, roadsides, although narrow, can have value as corridors for fauna movement, preservation of local landscape character and conservation of threatened and endangered species.

But the linear nature of these reserves makes their management problematic as they are susceptible to weed infestations.

There are a range of weeds that occur on road-

sides that pose threats to both environmental and agriculture values. Some common examples include blackberry and gorse.

Responsibility for control of weeds on roadsides has been a difficult issue for land managers for many years.

All parties agree that effective maintenance of roadside weeds will have economic, environmental and visual amenity benefits. However, it is clear that no one strategy by any single government agency has effectively tackled the problem of roadside weeds.

Much of the current confusion stems from the



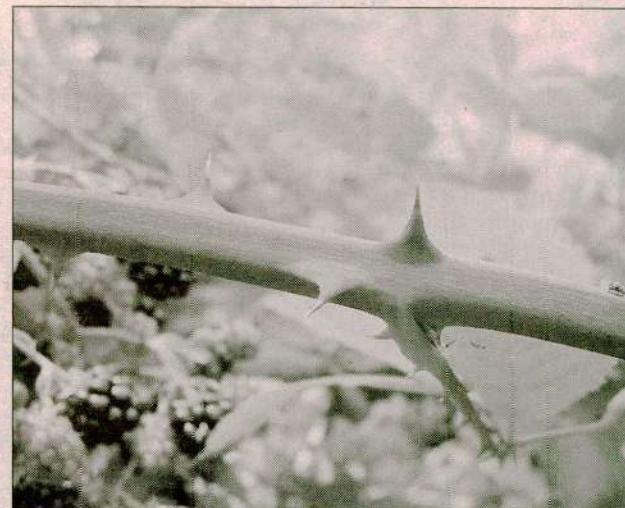
by Stewart Anderson,
Colac Otway Shire
environmental manager

wording in the Catchment and Land Protection Act (1994), which is unclear over who is ultimately responsible for weed management on roadsides.

But it is clear that the law requires a partnership between landholders and non-private land managers to tackle the problem head on.

Therefore, local, state and federal governments need to work together with landholders to carry out a co-ordinated attack on roadside weeds.

Traditionally, the Act has been interpreted to say that adjoining landowners are generally responsible for managing roadside



WEEDS: Blackberry, above, and gorse, above right, are common roadside weeds.

weeds that are listed under the Act.

Colac Otway Shire Council recommends landowners contact relevant government agencies before undertaking work to ensure there are no issues the land owner should be aware of.

It is important for landowners to understand that if there is any damage to native vegetation that a planning permit will be required from the council before undertaking the weed control works.

Adjoining landowners looking to control weeds can get assistance from many sources, including Colac Otway Shire, the

Department of Primary Industries, the Department of Sustainability and Environment and the Corangamite Catchment Management Authority.

Provided no native plants and animals are threatened and the adjoining landowners have the correct insurances and have identified risk management issues related to working on roadsides, then the council would encourage them to undertake weed control work.

It is important to highlight that this work protects environmental values of both the roadside and the adjoining property.

More recent interpreta-



WEEDS: Blackberry, above, and gorse, above right, are common roadside weeds.

tions of the Act suggest that the managers of the road are responsible for managing the roadside weeds listed under the Act.

Discussions are continuing between state and local government agencies to get a definitive answer on this interpretation.

However, it is clear that the original intent of the Act was for adjoining landholders to be responsible because they are best placed to control roadside weeds in a timely and efficient manner.

For further information contact the environment unit at Colac Otway Shire Council on 5232 9400.

Project helping to protect threatened native orchids

by Georgina Howden-Chitty

A government department is working with Colac district landholders to protect threatened native orchids.

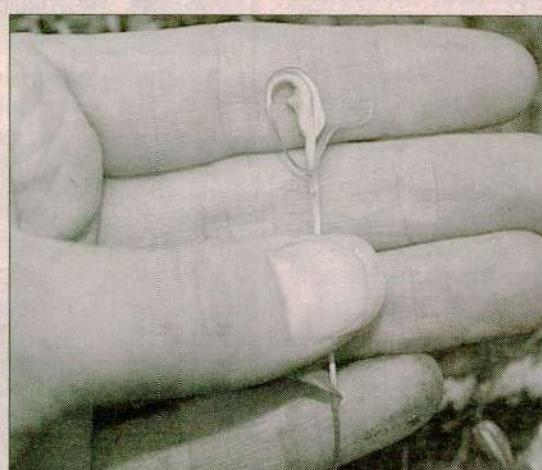
Department of Sustainability and Environment threatened species officer Laura Weedon of Warrnambool is helping people protect populations of native orchids and encourage other native plants and animals to grow on their properties.

"We also visit the populations of orchids to collect seed for long-term storage in case the wild populations suffer disease, etcetera," Ms Weedon said.

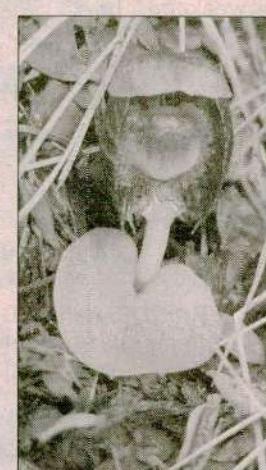
"So far we have been working with landholders in the Timboon, Curdievale area and have been working closely with the Heytesbury District Landcare Network and the Corangamite Catchment Management Authority," she said.

"The main positive is that people protecting their native vegetation love the fact that there are native birds, animals and trees on their properties."

Ms Weedon, who has been working on the project since February,



RARE FIND: Colac district landholders might find the swamp greenhood orchid, above, and the late helmet orchid, above right, on their properties.



BIRD LIFE: Donna Smithyman, left, and Leanne Rolfe with Corangamite Catchment Management Authority's Wings over Wetlands field guide.



Laura Weedon

excited to find more late helmet orchids," Ms Weedon said.

"There are only about six known populations, one of which is at Timboon," she said.

"We are looking for them at the moment because they would be emerging this time of year."

"We would be very

New guide to water birds

An environment officer has created a field guide to water birds in Colac and district.

Former Corangamite Catchment Management Authority wetlands officer Leanne Rolfe has compiled *Wings over Wetlands*, the wetland birds of the Corangamite region.

Rolfe said her book was a labour of love that stemmed from her desire to raise awareness of wetlands and the animals that relied on them.

She said that as drought dried up wetlands there was extra pressure on remaining wetlands and the birds that used them.

The book focuses on birds people can find easily in the region's wetlands but also includes endangered species.

Common species include the pelican, white-faced heron and black duck.

"Not only do we have a valuable

resource but I have a new appreciation for the extensive bird life in the catchment," Rolfe said.

The Corangamite region has more than 1500 wetlands which cover approximately 65,000 hectares and include Ramsar wetlands which provide habitat for birds migrating from the northern hemisphere.

Corangamite Catchment Management Authority wetlands co-ordinator Donna Smithyman said wetlands were one of the most threatened ecosystems in the world.

"By taking an interest and making an effort to recognise birds which inhabit our wetlands, whether they are urban stormwater wetlands or salty windswept lakes surrounded by farmland, we gain an appreciation of the links between our environment and the life it sustains," Ms Smithyman said.

TRINITY COLLEGE BALL



SUTTS: From left, Jack Day, Stuart Gannon, Alexander Potter, Mitchell Williamson and Christopher Hickey.

Rock 'n' roll and glamour

About 400 people dressed up and danced the night away at Trinity College's rock and roll themed senior ball.

Year 11 and 12 Trinity students, guests from other schools, teachers and parents celebrated together in the school's hall.

VCE co-ordinator Cheryl Pefanis said the students had dancing lessons leading up to Friday's event.

Members of Colac Rock and Roll Club generously volunteered their time to instruct students in various

dance movements," Mrs Pefanis said.

"Students appreciated their commitment and expertise," she said.

Year 12 students Joshua Trotter and Angela McMaster won prizes for king and queen of rock and Year 11 students James Francis and Gillian Prime won rocker and rockette.

Georgie Morrissey and Jesse O'Keefe were the best rock and roll couple.

Band Jibberish played for the night.



SMILE: From left, Charmaine Pickin, Stephanie Gardiner and April Angus gather for a photo at Trinity's night of nights.



GROUP: From left, Aleesha Platt, Kate Parker, Sophie Hampshire, Nicolette Ballagh, Peta-Maree Tanis and Kayla Cass enjoying the ball.



FRIENDS: Ashley Dunn, left, and Rachel Simmonds enjoy each other's company.



MATES: From left, Alexander Johnson, Nicholas Beall, Ben Egan, Bradley Cannan-Cole and Thomas Egan.



POSE: From left, Madeleine Boermans, Reanne Baulch and Roslyn Leder pose for a photo.



GLAMOUR: From left, Kathleen McMahon, Thomas Simpkin and Emily Dooley pose for a glamorous shot.



FUN: Adele Swanson and Emma Stephens having fun at the ball.



PARTNERS: Abbey DeLorenzo and Jarrod Gore partner up for the ball.