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Serving mugs of coffee, is Shaun Beattie of Murray Bridge, son of Tom and Megan Beattie - owner's of newly opened Poppy's Cafe, Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend - Story page three.



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# New in Town - Poppy's Cafe

With over 45 years of experience, retired Executive Chef, Tom Beattie and his wife Megan, call Tailem Bend home as they opened 'Poppy's Cafe' Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend, on Wednesday, August 9, 2017.

Working with countless staff in too many establishments to recall, Tom found the most challenging kitchen to manage was at The Marina Resort, Port Stephens in NSW.

"The Marina Resort had a 250 patron restaurant and two 200 plus function rooms, so the resort definitely kept me on my toes - looking back, I don't know how we did it," Tom said. "I was also Head Chef at the Anchorage Port Stephens in Nelson Bay, they were hectic days, but we loved working and living in the Hunter Valley Wine Region."

Retiring to Tailem Bend, primarily to be closer to their children and grandchildren who reside in Murray Bridge, Tom and his wife Megan couldn't be happier.

"We chose Tailem because its such a friendly little town and housing is so affordable - and we can't wait to see what The Bend Motorsport Park will bring to the town," Tom said. "We were looking forward to retiring, but after settling into the rhythm of Tailem we couldn't help ourselves - we had to open Poppy's, we hope to build the cafe into a nice little workable place that our children can take over, as we finally retire gracefully."

Poppy's Cafe offers a quaint, hassle-free space to meet with friends, or enjoy all by yourself, for a light meal and a refreshment, while being crooned by classic dulcet tunes of old 70's vinyl.

No need to book, but feel free to give Tom or Megan a call on 0455 741 732 if you have any special requirements.

Story and Images - Glenn Power

**ABOVE RIGHT:** Megan Beattie of Tailem Bend welcoming patrons at her family's cafe, 'Poppy's Cafe' Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend.

**BELOW:** Retired Executive Chef, Tom Beattie of Tailem Bend, making a few adjustments in the kitchen, prior to the opening of Poppy's Cafe on Railway Terrace, August 9.



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# The Changing Face of Taillem Bend #68

This month we look at the adventurous life and times of the owner of Old Taillem Town, Peter Squires. Peter is around about the same age as me, so I can identify with a lot of his stories, as I am sure many others will as well. He has given me a lot more information than I can handle in one edition, so I will present it one section at a time. I'll call the first one "Growing Up".

I'll present in Peter's own words.

My name is Peter George Squires, born 1939 in the Park Terrace Hospital that was on the left hand corner of Glen Osmond and Greenhill Road, heading into Adelaide.

I went to school at Rose Park until grade four. On holidays, Don Moyes and myself would go to my Grandparents farm where now, Old Taillem Town is. Time was spent going down the cliff in soap boxes curled up in truck tyres. We had a draught horse named Rocket and Micky, a Shetland pony. We rode everywhere, we would spend hours walking around the swamp, making rafts and looking for duck nests and coming out covered in leaches that had no effect on us.

When Grandma ordered Papa to get a fish for tea, he would take us out into the river and in no time we would always have a 20 litre bucket half filled with fish. Callop, Brim, Catfish, Congolies, Tench and Cod. As he rowed across the swamp, we could see four to five feet down to the bottom of the river and see the occasional fish swim by.

Often he would rake up leaves for a bon fire and tell us

about the Northern Territory where he worked, on the Overland Telegraph in 1895. He was one of the people in Mrs Gun's book, "We of the Never-Never".

My first job was weighing up at Eudunda Farmers, now Foodland. Ted Douglas was the boss in 1953, Bill Pill, Bill Bristow and Bruce Packer, are just a few I remember who worked there. My weekly job was mopping the floor with lighting kerosene, also weighing up dates, sugar, flour and bacon. I was paid two pound, five shillings. I ended up buying the old scales I used and they are now in Old Taillem Town general store.

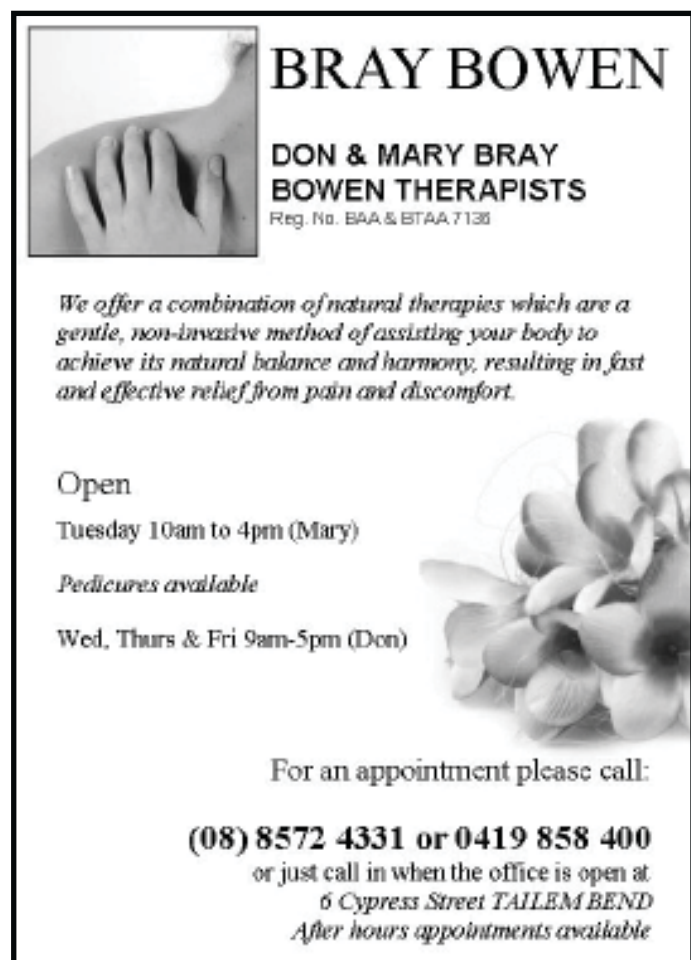
After six months, I went to work with my father who had a panel beating business in Waymouth Street, Adelaide. In the back corner of the workshop stood a 1920 Fiat Tourer, which had had a rear end hit - I spent six months trying to straighten its Chassis.

The day I turned 16, I had my drivers licence by 10.30am and was off in the Tourer; on the way back to Rose Park with only one rear brake, I rear ended a 1951 Vauxhall at Gawler Place crossing Pirie Street. I was let off when the policeman saw the wet patch on my shorts!

I now had my freedom, Taillem Bend was a four hours drive away and off I went when I had enough money for fuel. The old Tourer lasted me six months and now would be worth a fortune.

More from Peter later which will include Heynen Motors and of course Old Taillem Town.

**BELOW L-R:** Peter Squires on 'Rocket', the draught horse and Donald Moyes riding 'Micky', the Shetland pony.



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# The Changing Face of Tailem Bend #68

In the meantime we look at some clippings from the year 1954 which tells us of the growth of Tailem Bend from the previous 40 years. Some of the old identities still going at that time comprised, Fred and John Bolton and their families, Ben Jaensch (who cut part of his property into the township blocks known as Tailem Bend North), Lou Pont, Billy Miller (The man who catches the big fish), Jim Trevena, George Edwards, Hurtle Tilbrook, OJ Walheim and Henry Tiller.

Keep in mind, we are back to 1954; Tailem made some small progress in 1912 when the Murray Lands Line went through (Smith & Tims were the contractors). It then stood still until Mr WA Webb the Railways Commissioner, shifted the railway running sheds from Murray Bridge to Tailem Bend. Before long, concrete and cement homes were built and 85 prefab homes followed soon after.

Rene Lynch would be, by far, the longest occupant of one of the prefabs. Rene moved in with her husband Les and their two year old daughter in 1952, shortly after the house was built and has been there ever since. The yard was bare, there was no fencing and no clothes line, so they strung up a line from the front verandah to the telegraph pole on the footpath. The street was nothing - Rene remembers an intoxicated man walking into their home, thinking it was his. Photo shows Rene at home in Manning Street.

The Tailem Bend Agriculture and Horticultural Society was formed in 1925 and held their shows on the racecourse. Mr Ben Jaensch gave the society 10 acres of ground for a show, this land was handed over to the recreation committee, but with a debt it was handed back to the show committee. By voluntary labour, the committee built a pavilion 60ft x 54ft, this proved to be too small so the committee bought the roof off the Institute and also built a cement brick addition of 30ft x 54ft (I can only guess that the Institute was being renovated). The entries grew each year and pretty soon, it was not big enough!

The Institute (now Town Hall) was built in 1908 and the foundation stone was laid by the late Archie Peake, it was enlarged a couple of times and went from seating 250 people to 700. The Pont family carted the stone and sand for the first building. Then the committee faced a problem - the Hall again was too small and there was a debt on it, so the Meningie Council was asked to take it over and enlarge it.

**BELOW L-R:** Bryce Jaensch, Peter Squires and Peter Long, standing in front of Peter's 1920 Fiat Tourer.



**ABOVE:** Rene Lynch in front of her home in Manning Street, where she has lived since 1952.

This was agreed, but the war temporarily stopped the addition until Mr Tom Francis of Murray Bridge completed the job at a cost seven thousand pounds. An advisory committee was formed with Councillor WJ Trevena as chairman (Local Baker).

I'm not so sure about the Hall seating 700 people back then, probably no stage, which would fit a few more in.

Next month we look at the Gardiner Farm racecourse and the reason for the move from there, plus the Progress Association in 1954 and a few more stories in the pipeline.

See you then.

Submitted by Peter Connolly.



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# Probuss Report

## AUGUST 2017

President Neville Medlow welcomed 18 members to the meeting on August 21 and stand-in Treasurer Jim Tobiasen presented the Financial Statement for July 2017 which was accepted by members. President Medlow inducted and welcomed new member Kathy Kleinig into the club and indicated that two more new members will be welcomed into the club at the September meeting.

Members were advised that an invitation had been received from the Strathalbyn club who are hosting this year's Probuss Friendship Day on October 17.

Sheriff Tobiasen was able only to impose one fine. He must have been in a good mood. Don Moyes came up with his usual collection of hilarious jokes.

### Guest Speakers

Guest Speaker Organiser Peter Connolly, introduced well-known identity and creator of Old Taillem Town - Peter Squires, as Guest Speaker.

Born in Adelaide, but having spent much of his life in Taillem Bend, Peter delivered an interesting summary of his early life. This included repairing and later selling motor vehicles until he decided to travel around the world, starting off with visiting and working in New Zealand.

Later he worked in Africa and travelled extensively to many other countries captaining his own yacht, at times experiencing hair-raising, mountainous seas in places such as the notoriously rough Bay of Biscay. Wherever he travelled, Peter always seemed to be able to get work and proved himself to be a multi-talented person.

When he eventually returned home he hatched an idea to create a "Pioneer Town" at Taillem Bend. This was not going to be just an ordinary pioneer town, but the largest of its kind in Australia. Of course, we all know it as "Old Taillem Town". When Peter submitted details of his proposal to 'the authorities' they were, to say the least, lacking in enthusiasm.

They thought that Peter had, in his own words, "rocks in his head!" How on earth could anyone even contemplate that such a venture could be created on the doorstep of such a little, insignificant country town like Taillem Bend?

But the 'authorities' eventually caved in under Peter's relentless pressure and single-minded ambition, plus strong support from the local council.

Old Taillem Town has now been operating for four decades. Apart from 'passing trade' (interstate and overseas visitors) Old Taillem Town is regularly visited by many public and private South Australian schools, educating our children as to what life was like in the 'old days'.

Peter also mentioned his recent 'Wave for Wellbeing' campaign, intended to demonstrate that we Taillem Benders are a very friendly bunch. This campaign has featured locally and nationally on television and in the media - great publicity for the town.

Do you have an interesting story to tell? Probuss would welcome you as Guest Speaker at one of our meetings, so please contact Peter Connolly on 8572 3241.

Probuss Taillem Bend is an organisation dedicated in fostering friendship and goodwill within our community. Why not join us?

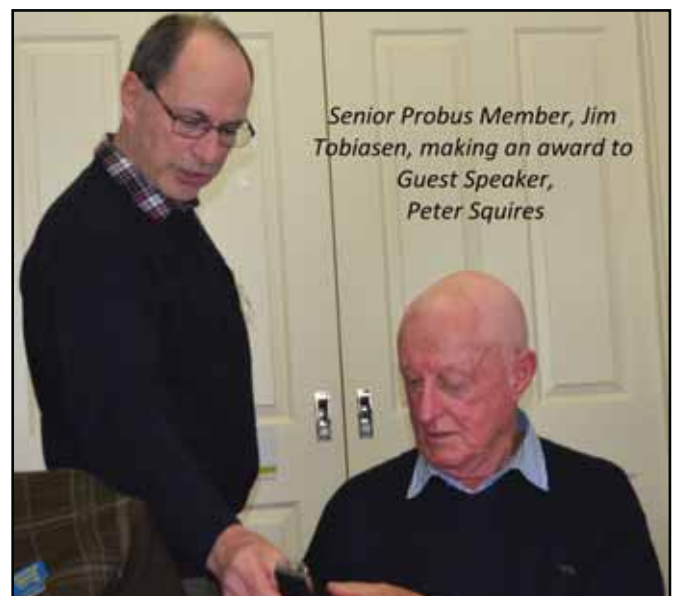
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# A Win for Peake

## FIRST FEMALE CHANGE ROOMS FOR PEAKE THANKS TO \$168K FEMALE FACILITIES GRANT

Peake and District Sporting Club is set to build its first dedicated women's multi-purpose change room facilities after securing a \$168,000 Female Facilities Program grant with the support of Coorong District Council. The club will also upgrade its existing change rooms to make them female friendly.

Peake and District Sporting Club president Haydn Weckert was overjoyed to learn the club had been successful in its grant bid, which he said had taken two years to pursue.

"We are thrilled to have been successful," Mr Weckert said. "Our sporting club is the hub of this district and this isn't just fantastic for the female members of our clubs, it's going to lift the morale of the whole community."

Mr Weckert said the club had recognised several years ago that it would take a significant financial commitment to develop its modest change room facilities for the next generation of male and female players, as well as providing its netballers with facilities closer to their netball courts.

"This grant is really going to kick some goals for us and help us keep people around."

Mayor Jaensch said, "In a Council region as broad as ours, entire communities are built around their football ovals and netball courts."



**ABOVE:** Flowers for Peake and District Sporting Club grants officer, Kelli Harvey from President Haydn Weckert, show just how much her efforts mean to the club.

He added, "The Peake community is to be commended for the many long hours they spend raising funds for its club and maintaining it, and for the enormous effort they've put into this grant application."

"This is a great example of a sector of our community that is creating its own opportunities, working together and fostering a new generation of socially conscious community members," he said

Submitted by Nat Traeger - Coorong District Council

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# Rotary Club of Tailem Bend

**ROTARY RAMBLINGS - Music Hall 2017**  
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## **Community Grants**

These grants are now open for clubs/organisations to apply for – applications are available on our website – closing date 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2017.

## **Membership**

We would love to see new faces at our meetings this year. You are welcome to come any Monday night to meetings, which are held at Riverside Hotel from 6.30pm. Rotary has changed a lot recently in the way meetings are run, making them less formal and more user friendly! **We will be holding an informal information night on Monday, September 11, 2017 at Tailem Bend RSL at 7pm. All Welcome.** If you would like more information, email Leeann Jones at [leeann\\_jones@hotmail.com](mailto:leeann_jones@hotmail.com) or visit our web page.

Thank to everyone involved in Music Hall this year. Once again, all the hard work and commitment produced a fantastic show. The cast and crew contributed at least 150 hours community service each, many put in a lot more. It was very pleasing to see this large group of people with many different roles, come together to make this event successful.

## **International Projects**

Our 'Hands on Project' team are finalising another trip to Cambodia in November, hoping to fit 150 hands to amputees in several locations. We wish them well. We are also taking a group of youths to Cambodia for a second stint at New Hope School in November. They will be assisting in classrooms, helping with speaking English. Good luck, we hope you find it very rewarding.

Submitted by Leeann Jones



**ABOVE: THE MAGICAL ADULT CAST OF MUSIC HALL 2017 - THEME 'MAGIC', HELD DURING AUGUST IN THE TAILEM BEND TOWN HALL.**



## **RATEPAYERS UP IN ARMS**

With over 250 residents, representing nearly every town in the district, attending the Coorong Ratepayers Action Group meeting at the Taillem Bend Town Hall on Wednesday August 23, it was hard to find a park!



(Image courtesy of Adrian Pederick)

Documenting council charges and rate payer's concerns from across the district, a small working group was formed to meet on Tuesday, August 29, to collate the data in preparation for the group's questions to be asked of the Coorong District Council.

It quickly became obvious that all present were looking for improved transparency and accountability from their council. With some voicing their concerns from the floor about road conditions, septic tank services, current council staffing levels and executive wages, to name just a few, all at the meeting are now looking forward to seeing the facts, once gathered by their working group.

Understanding that some residents were unable to attend the meeting, the Coorong Ratepayers Action Group is intending to visit major towns in the district in the near future.

If you would like to get involved, please email [coorongratepayers@gmail.com](mailto:coorongratepayers@gmail.com)



**ABOVE: THE MAGIC OF THE CHILDREN'S CAST OF MUSIC HALL 2017 SHONE THROUGH AT IT'S RECENT PRODUCTION OF 'MAGIC'.**

# Club Reports

## GOLF CLUB

We know Winter Season is ending fast as the greens have now been cored. Thank you to all those who came out to help. Closing day is Sunday, September 25.

### CLUB RESULTS

#### Men's Foursomes Championship

Gross	Paul Baxter	Shorty
Humphries		
Runner Up	Peter Phillips	Ray
Morris		
Nett Winners	Paul Baxter	Shorty
Humphries		
Runner Up	Tony Ross	Moose
Morawski		

The Club Championship was played in a different format for the first time, A and B Grade – 27 Holes and C Grade was 18 Holes. A field of 29 players competed.

A Grade Winner Paul Baxter 112  
 Runner Up Glenmore Hattam 120

B Grade Winner Graham Lipp 130  
 Runner Up Frank Arthur 134

C Grade Winner Moose Morawski 98  
 Runner Up on Count Back Greg Gibson 99 with playoff .  
 Wayne Batson

House of Golf 3 Ball Ambrose was held in bad weather however we still had 11 teams of stalwart golfers competing.

Winners Con Jones, Wayne Tanner and Simon Gaile  
Runners Up Steve Smith, Johnny Kay and Chad Harrop

Sunday, August 13, was the **23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Smedley's Day** with beautiful weather and 66 winners on the day. This is indeed a long running sponsorship and a wonderful day. A big thanks goes to Brad Smedley for his support and hard work during the day.

Captain's Trophy is now on **September 3**, due to the coring of the greens.

Congratulations to one of our members, Ray Morris who was runner up in the A Grade Nett at the Port Augusta Open.

Captain, Terry Haydon  
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## BOWLING CLUB - MEN'S BOWLS

Our Christmas Tea will be held on 10th December in the Clubrooms. Members, please put your name on the list inside the Club.

The season has started to settle with all Trams having recorded a win. The Men's first open Tournament will be Open 3 Bowl Triples, to be held December 4, 2017. The list for nominations is in the Clubrooms.

The new BBQ area is starting to take shape and two windows have been boarded up with painting to commence shortly. Quotes are being obtained to remove the grass and replace the pavers in the walkway from the front gate to the Clubrooms.

After discussion with the Administration Committee, Matthew Hogan will assume the role of Support Person/ Sports Chaplain. If any member wishes to discuss any topic with Matthew, they can do so in the strictest confidence and with no pressure.

Submitted by Trevor Koop.  
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## RIVERSIDE SOCIAL CLUB

Our Members Jackpot Draw and Raffles are drawn on Fridays at approximately 7.15pm. Our Adult Christmas show is on Saturday, December 10, in the Riverside Hotel Beer Garden with Band, BBQ dinner and drinks for all Social Club Members.

Our Christmas Raffle is on again; 1st Prize - WebberQ, valued at \$445, 2nd Prize - Coffee Machine valued at \$200, 3rd & 4th Prizes - \$50 Vouchers from the Riverside Hotel.

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Please note our AGM is now on Sunday, 26 February, 2017.

Submitted by Kylie Green.

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# This Month in the Garden

September is a fantastic time to be alive and for me, the Blackbird song in the early morning chill and late afternoon, signals Spring! I just love that sound. The days are getting longer and the bees are humming in our 'Flow' hive. Bud burst is appearing and you can smell spring in the air wherever you go. Pick a bunch of daisies and bring them inside your home – the fragrance will lift your spirits!

Improve your soil by lightly digging over and mixing in plenty of organic matter including some delicious compost and well rotted manure. Don't forget to mulch the beds with straw mulch. Your plants will be so grateful.

For some lovely colour, try nasturtium, snapdragons, phlox, petunias, marigolds (French) and celosia. They are great at attracting pollinators and beneficial insects to your garden and they look fantastic as well. Now is the time to plant sunflower seeds. Find a sunny sheltered spot where you would like to see some happy sunflowers later in the year and plant the seeds to double the depth of the seed. Cover lightly with soil and wait... they'll be popping their heads up in no time!

Check your citrus trees for gall wasp and remove affected sections by pruning well below the gall. Don't compost this or put it in the green waste bin. It's a good idea to cut through the gall to expose the larvae to air – which they hate – before putting in a bag and disposing of in the rubbish bin. You could soak the galls in water for a week or two – or burn them (if your local Council permits).

Vegie planting - try celery, silverbeet, lettuce, leeks, spring onions, climbing beans, cucumber, sweet corn, tomato, carrot, Jerusalem artichokes and radishes. Wait until the frosts have finished, though.

Some herbs to plant now, are parsley, chives, catnip, sage, oregano, rosemary, thyme and marjoram.

Green manure crops like chick pea and barley, are great to plant now for improving that dormant soil.

As always, remember to visit your local nursery or garden centre for all your gardening needs, tips and advice.

Submitted by Barb Power

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# I Bid You Farewell

For just over 17 years I have called Tailem Bend home. Now it is with a heavy (and somewhat damaged) heart, that I bid this lovely town farewell. My recent (heart) health problems have forced my decision to leave so I will be closer to Flinders Medical Centre, where I will be having surgery and future medical appointments. My Daughter and Son-In-law, are also only a few minutes drive away.

I am looking forward to my new surroundings as another chapter in my life, as the move to Tailem Bend was, even though this may be a shorter and perhaps final move.

I take with me wonderful memories of dear friends past and present. Stand out memories include my time at the Craft shop, Senior Citizens Club and the Anglican card days. I hold a special place in my heart for all of the friends I made in each of these places.

I would like to acknowledge Jeff & Kath, Frank & Lois, Ivy Thompson, Sal Hann, Jean Darwin and Doris Cowley - all gone but never forgotten. Thank you all for such lovely memories. I also leave behind my beloved wife Barbara, in the loving care of the Anglican Church...until we meet again.

Also thank you to my good neighbour Victor, I can only hope he thought I was as good a neighbour.

I am sure there are many I have not named here, but you all know who you are.....The people who have touched my heart here in tailem Bend.

So for now, I bid you all a fond farewell and thank you for the wonderful memories.  
Yours Sincerely, Ted Kirk

## Tailem Bend Kindergarten

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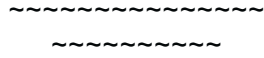
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Week 6 - 28th Aug	Fruit Kebabs and Watermelon Crafts
Week 7 - 4th Sep	Planting Seedlings in our Veggie Garden
Week 8 - 11th Sep	Animal Masks
Week 9 - 18th Sep	Baking Jam Drops
Week 10 - 25th Sep	Threading Chains - End of term Celebration Bring a plate of morning tea to share



# Tailem Bend RSL - Sub Branch

**RSL LOCATION**  
2 Seymour Street, Tailem Bend



## FUNCTIONS

Did you know the RSL Hall is available to Hire?  
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**BOOKINGS:** 8572 4550 or Cathie: 0417 899 285 - or our new Facebook Page.

[www.facebook.com/TailemBendRSL](http://www.facebook.com/TailemBendRSL)



## OUR PHONE

As the Club is not always manned, please leave a message on 8572 4550 and we will return your call, or you can phone the President: 0417 869 096.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

Karaoke is coming to the RSL - Friday September 8, 2017.

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Chips, gravy and Salad  
Sarah Lee Cake (Various)

Friday 8.09.2017: Lasagne with chips  
Various salads  
Cream puffs

**Sunday 10.09.2017:** Roast Pork, roast potato,  
Pumpkin & vegies  
Peaches & custard

Friday 15.09.2017: Grilled Fish 'n' Chips  
Various salads  
Bread & butter pudding

Friday 22.09.2017: Homemade steak & vegie  
pie, Mashed potato, gravy  
Golden syrup dumplings  
& ice cream

Friday 29.09.2017: Hamburgers (homemade)  
"your choice of fillings"  
Ice cream Sundae

**NOTE: We have vegetarian options available (bookings preferred)**

**Friday Night Meals from 6.30pm**  
**Sunday Lunch from 12.30pm**

**BELOW:** New RSL member, Kathy Weidenback, displaying her New Member Card, with President, Keith Wood.



# Community Happenings

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AREA 484 PRESENTATION

New Officer in Charge at Tailem Bend Police Station, Sergeant Kirsty Loader and Murray Bridge LSA Operations Manager, Senior Sergeant Annie Yoemans, presenting David and Kathy Kleinig of Tailem Bend, their 10 year Neighbourhood Watch Area 484 Service Badge and Certificate.



Image by Margie Jaensch.

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## MEDICAL CENTRE UPDATE

Encouraging news from Acting Regional Director, Riverland Mallee Coorong, Tanya Lehmann, as local aged residents voice their concerns about not being able to build lasting strong Doctor relationships at the Tailem Bend Medical Practice.



“As we’ve said previously, the HAC-owned Tailem Bend Medical Practice building will not be sold - Country Health SA is in the final stages of negotiations with a prospective future operator of the medical practice and we look forward to making an announcement about the new operators of the Tailem Bend Medical Practice in the near future.”

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# Farewells and Retirements

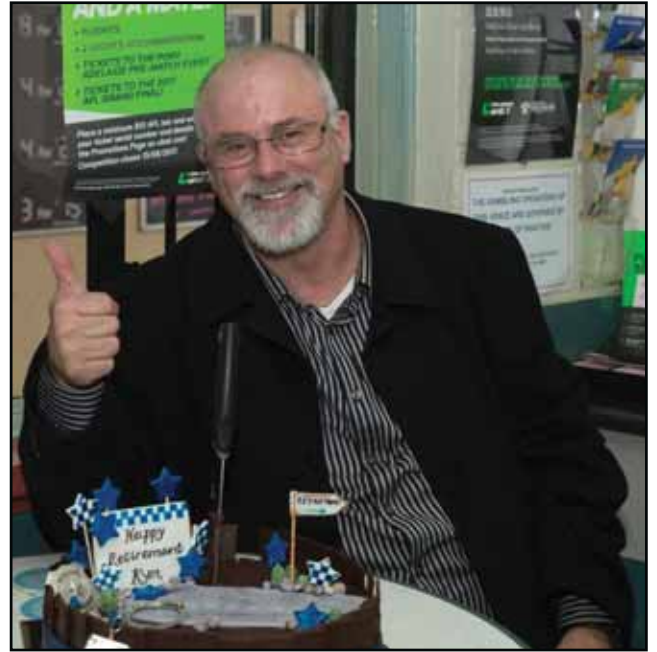
## Sergeant Kym Cocks Retires

Family, friends and colleagues paid tribute to Sergeant Kym Cocks on his retirement at a luncheon held at the Riverside Hotel, Sunday, August 6, 2017.

Images by Margie Jaensch.

**RIGHT:** Sergeant Kym Cocks gives a thumbs up, after cutting the cake at his retirement lunch, at the Riverside Hotel, Sunday, August 6.

**BELOW L-R:** Deb Ryan, Kym Cocks, Glenys Cocks, Kyran and Danielle Cocks, at the Riverside Hotel, Tailm Bend.



## Farewell to Pastor Matt Buse and Family



**LEFT:** Pastor Matt Buse and his Family - Rachel, Mira and Thea, pictured after the Parish Farewell Service on Sunday, July 23, 2017.

Members of the Tailm Bend Trinity Lutheran Congregation and Karoonda St Johns Lutheran Congregation, farewelled the Buse family.

Pastor Matt and his family have been part of our communities since 2013 and are now heading back to America where Matt has taken a Graduate Assistant position along with studying for a PhD.

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# The Deadly Magpie

Who would have thought that I would stumble across a one in a million story about a Cooke's Plains Overseer and his deadly pet Magpie, while photographing the historic proposed town of Bedford - near what we now know as Cooke's Plains, in late May, 2017.

Uncovering the forgotten broken headstone of Robert Anderson of Bedford, lying partly buried under soil, Onion Weed and old Veldt Grass, the image was added to my weekend Blog - not knowing that it would be seen by the Great Grand Daughter, Rosemary Baxter of Adelaide, holidaying in Murray Bridge.

Sitting by chance opposite Kathleen and Harry Kromwyk of Taillem Bend on Murray Bridge's Captain Proud Paddle Boat chatting about, of course, Taillem Bend rail history - Kathleen shared my post with her new companion, Rosemary. Rosemary couldn't contain her excitement, explaining to Kathleen, that she had finally found the resting place of her late Great Grandfather, Robert Anderson.

What emerged was a fascinating story of a McFarlane Overseer, Great Grandpa Robert Anderson and his friendly, yet deadly, pet Magpie that unintentionally caused his death.

Rosemary explained that her late Great Grandpa Anderson had been working for the McFarlane family as an Overseer for some time before he came across an abandoned baby Magpie.

Taking the little fella under his 'wing', he reared his captivating tiny mate for many years until this Australian iconic bird grew to be full sized.

Spending most of his waking days with his magpie on his shoulder, Great Grandpa's Magpie began to talk - mimicking nearly everything that was muttered - especially the commands given to the Station horses.

"Whoa Bessie, back up Bessie, wait Bessie" - Great Grandpa Anderson's little mate could say it all - and more, much more.

One freezing mallee morning, after hooking up Bessie, Great Grandpa Anderson took off for a long round trip to the local store to collect stores for the Homestead, it was a long tiring routine trip and on his return he was regularly forced to unload in the dark.



Backing the heavily laden horse and cart up to the entrance of the Homestead's cellar, exhausted and cold, he commanded "Whoa Bessie, Back up Bessie", and without any warning his feathered mate decided to repeat the instructions "Whoa Bessie, Back up Bessie."

Well, Great Grandpa's little mate could not have picked a worse time to mimic his long time friend, because a confused Bessie abruptly stopped and then quickly began to continue backing up, eventually tipping the load, the cart and all aboard into the cellar.

Hitting his head hard, Great Grandpa woke with most of the load spread about him, so without any more time to waste, he quickly unhooked Bessie and left the mess for the morning.

That night Great Grandpa Anderson slept like a log before waking suddenly, complaining to his wife of a thumping headache and without any other warning, he dropped dead from a massive bleed on the brain.

Lost, then found, but never forgotten - Great Grandpa Robert Anderson's resting place can be found at the old Bedford Cemetery near what we now know as Cooke's Plains.

Story and Images - Glenn Power

**BELOW LEFT:** The actual headstone of Great Grandpa Anderson's grave, which I discovered under the weeds.



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Beginners; Rec-year 2, Juniors; year3-5, Seniors; year 6-8. We require umpires and coaches to keep this basketball program running so if you are able to help or know someone who can please fill out the form below.

**Open Mixed Basketball:** We are also hoping to run an open mixed basketball competition on Wed nights, starting in October. Teams must consist of at least 2 girls but can be more and 3 boys. Each team that nominates is required to nominate an umpire. Please send details to the address below. All nominations to be in by 30/9/17.

NAME: -----

DATE OF BIRTH: -----YEAR LEVEL-----

ADDRESS: -----

PARENTS SIGNATURE: -----PHONE NO-----

*I would like to coach/umpire for the 2017/18 summer season.*

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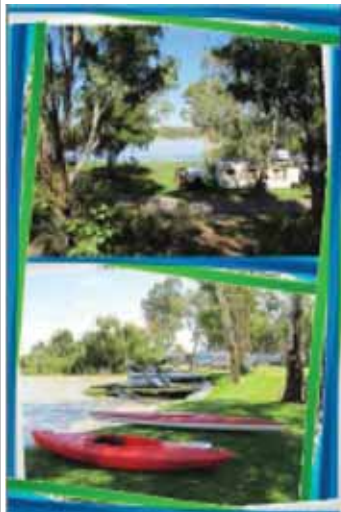
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# Community Pet Page



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## Thursday's Canine Column

Hello it is Ally again and aren't we all glad that the warmer weather is getting here! Instead of complaining about the cold weather we will be complaining about another one of those pesky bills, which is our registration. Having said that did you know that our owners can be eligible for rebates if we have been desexed (how rude, but honestly I did not feel a thing).

Microchips are considered in our rebates, but the ever faithful collars with our names, addresses or just a phone number are invaluable in getting us back to you safely. Dogs such as guide, working, therapy and assistance dogs are eligible for concessions at the consideration of the Council (honestly PA I think some days I may need therapy because you peeps can be so weird sometimes.... have you listened to yourself talking to the computer, I am just SOOOO glad that it cant answer back !!!!!).

Similarly, while there is no mandated pension discount most councils provide a rebate to old age pensioners (no way did I look at you then PA, mum, mummy, luvy luv, person who lets me take up all the bed I want at night!!). Like me, you peepels are probably still in quarry (oops, quandary) as to what our rego fees actually provide and so here are some of the answers to those questions. Registration (rego for short) discs show "proof of ownership" which allows the council officer to re-unite us with our registered owners as soon as possible. Without this information the alternative is that we will be housed in an unfamiliar environment (called the pound) until we can be safely returned to our owners.



Our rego disc contains all relevant information such as phone numbers, addresses so this experience can hopefully be avoided. Rego fees help provide the maintenance of the council pound, equipment, fencing and the all important POO bags (oops sorry PA... 'bag dispensers') although I think we dispense and you collect!

Registration fees also help to fund the Dog & Cat Management Board (cats should be registered also, remember). The board provide free education material and media communications to raise awareness of responsible pet ownership. Some of the material helps peepels understand feral cat programmes, adoption availabilities, safety and welfare of the public and animals.

Remember people...got it right that time...let Michael know if you have anything specific you want us to talk about.

Seeya later, Ally xxxx

For any pet questions or story submissions: Please email Michael Vivian at [mvivian@coorong.sa.gov.au](mailto:mvivian@coorong.sa.gov.au)

## MICRO CHIPPING

Due to legislation changes surrounding the compulsory microchipping of dogs and cats (commencing July 1<sup>st</sup> 2018), The Coorong District Council will be holding a micro chipping day for dogs and cats!

**When:** Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup> of October 2017

**Where:** Tailem Bend Town Hall & Meningie Vet

**Cost:** \$10 per animal

Bookings are essential

For bookings at the Tailem Bend please visit ChipBlitz - <http://chipblitz.simplybook.me/sheduler/manage>

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# Locals Keep Waving




**ABOVE:** A group wave from the Tailem Bend Historians, while visiting Old Tailem Town recently.

Beginning as a humble, simple mental health initiative, after an address by a community member at a local Lions meeting late last year, Tailem Bend's infectious "Giddy - Wave for Wellbeing" campaign has touched the hearts of millions around Australia.

With the support of the town's local magazine 'Tailem Topics', Fairfax Media's 'Murray Valley Standard' newspaper, ABC Radio Adelaide, the Seven Network's local Adelaide 'Today Tonight' and the national 'Sunrise' morning program, the campaign committee is planning on holding a community meeting to see how they can defend their reported "Australia's Friendliest Town" title.

**BELOW:** Waving - Bob Shurville of Tailem Bend, wearing his personally made "Giddy - Wave for Wellbeing" t-shirt with his 'photo bobbing' mate, Don Green of Tailem Bend, as their Tailem Bend Historian group begins to ride the town's nationally recognised "Giddy - Wave for Wellbeing" tidal wave, Old Tailem Town, Wednesday June 28, 2017.





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**BELOW & ABOVE RIGHT:** A drone's-eye view of Ingham's Egg Farm at Yumali, now over 50% completed.



**BELOW:** At the Farm, fertile eggs will be sent to the hatchery.



Images by Glenn Power, sponsored by the Coorong District Council.



## Murray Mallee Community Transport Scheme Annual General Meeting

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2017

Community Centre, 141 Railway Terrace,  
Taillem Bend at 1.30 pm.

*Guest Speaker*

Nomination forms are available from MMCTS office and must be received in writing prior to the meeting and addressed to -

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PO Box 266

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Office phone – 8572 4288 or email – [mmcts@internode.on.net](mailto:mmcts@internode.on.net)



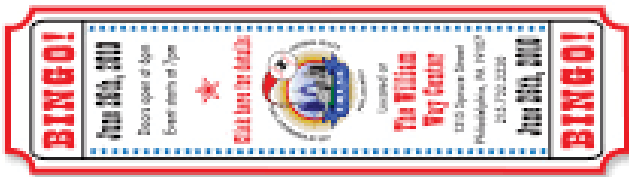


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## BUSY VOLUNTEERS

**BELOW:** Kay Hughes and Kay Matulick both of Tailem Bend, busy selling Tailem Bend Progress Association BINGO tickets, inside The Green Shopping Centre,



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## September



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## Golden Oldies

*Day on the SteamRanger!*

*Join us for a scenic steam train trip from Mt. Barker to Strathalbyn, with lunch at the Victoria Hotel. Feed the ducks at the lake, or take a stroll through the historic streets. Then back on to the steam train for the trip back to Mt. Barker. This would be an ideal gift for Dad for Father's Day.*

The price includes: Bus trip from Tailem Bend Mt. Barker, train ride, lunch at the Historic Victoria Hotel, and return train and bus rides.



Menu choice of:

- Beer battered fish & chips
- Roast of the day
- Chicken or Beef Schnitzel

**Bookings are essential.**

**Please contact the Centre on 8572 3513.**  
**Payment by Friday Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 2017.**

# September 2017

## Newsletter

Phone: 8572 3513 [www.tbcc.org.au](http://www.tbcc.org.au) [info@tbcc.org.au](mailto:info@tbcc.org.au)



**Friday December 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**Golden Oldies**  
**Christmas Lunch**  
**More details to come**  
**in November...**

## October

7<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> October

**Water Art Display Source To Sea**  
**Artists from their various communities**  
**across the Murray Darling Basin are**  
**holding exhibitions titled "Source to**  
**Sea", with the aim of celebrating Water**  
**Week and to promote healthy rivers.**  
**Tailem Bend's exhibition will be held in**  
**the Tailem Bend Community Centre**  
**beginning with a morning tea on**  
**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2017.**  
**If you would like to exhibit and or**  
**would like more information please**  
**contact:**

**Valerie Sparrow ph.0419 108451 or**  
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## November



**Tuesday November 7<sup>th</sup>**

**Tailem Bend Town Hall**  
**Golden Oldies**  
**Melbourne Cup Lunch!**  
**2 Course Smorgasbord**  
**Lunch**

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## 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – 15<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER

| MONDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | TUESDAY                                                                                                                                                               | WEDNESDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | THURSDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | FRIDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| <br><b>Tuesday—Friday</b><br><b>9am—4:30pm</b><br><b>Tel: 8572 3513</b><br><b>Email:</b><br><b>info@tbcc.org.au</b>                                    | <b>iPad Assistance</b><br><br>Need help with an iPad call TBCC to make a free one on one appointment                                                                  | <b>Sewing Class</b><br><br>Join this group to work on individual sewing projects<br><br><b>9am to 12 noon</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50</b>                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>Our Time</b><br><br>Interaction with children under 5 years* Parent, Child, Mother Goose<br><br><b>9.30am to 11.30am</b><br><b>Cost: FREE</b>                                                                                                 | <b>Woodturning</b><br><br>Tailored tutoring in the art of woodturning<br><b>Fridays Men's Group</b><br><b>9am to 3pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50</b>                                                         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Neighbourhood Watch</b><br><br>Meets on the second Monday of each month at TBCC. Info sessions, raffles, social support.<br><b>Contact:</b><br><b>0417 840 473</b> | <b>Woodturning</b><br><br>Woodturning. Choose your own project create with support.<br><b>9am to 3pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50</b>                                                                                                                                                                         | <b>Computer Class</b><br><br>Need assistance with all things Computing? Bring your own laptop, or use a Centre PC.<br><b>10am – 12noon</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50</b>                                                                                | <b>Woodwork</b><br><br>Join Ted to create a wood project of your choice.<br><br><b>9am – 12noon</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50</b>                                                                              |
| <b>Golden Go-Getters</b><br><br>Help strengthen your muscles in a safe and supported environment.<br>Town Hall Function Room<br><b>Monday 9:30am – 10:30am</b><br><b>Wednesday 10.30am—11.30am</b><br><b>Cost: \$5.50 per class</b>     | <b>Social Craft Circle</b><br><br>Join this friendly group. Work on your own craft and share ideas.<br><br><b>1pm – 3pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$1.10</b>                    | <b>Chef's Cooking</b><br><br>Social cooking group.<br><br><b>10am—12 noon</b><br><b>Cost: \$2 - \$5</b><br>ingredients split between participants                                                                                                                                                       | <b>Broadband for Seniors</b><br><br>One on one support for seniors using the internet<br><br><b>Appointment required.</b><br><b>Cost: Free</b>                                                                                                   | <b>Grow Free</b><br><br>Share surplus garden produce in the grow free cart at the front of TBCC.                                                                                                        |
| <b>Tailem Bend Progress Association</b><br><br>7pm Wednesday every 3rd month<br>Call Beryl 85723507<br><b>PARADE COMMITTEE</b><br>7pm third Tuesday of each month<br>Call Jules 0447 093 684                                            | <b>Training</b><br><br>TBCC offers lots of training opportunities<br><br>Please call us for details 8572 3513                                                         | <b>Golden Gamers</b><br><br>Join us for games and company Wednesday Afternoons<br><br><b>1pm — 4pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$1.10</b>                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Class 'n' Art</b><br><br>Make a mosaic, glass of leadlight project of your choice in a creative environment with like-minded people<br><b>1pm — 4pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$1.10</b>                                                                | <b>Our Goldies Lunch</b><br><br>Friday's monthly Goldies lunch.<br><br><b>12 noon</b><br><b>Cost \$10</b>                                                                                               |
| <b>Probus</b><br><br>Meet on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month.<br><br><b>10am – 12 noon</b><br><b>Cost: gold coin</b>                                                                                                           | <b>Venue Resources</b><br><br>TBCC hires our spaces, and resources to community groups such as projector screens, urns, and plastic tables.                           | <b>Folk Art</b><br><br>Folk Art is a social group sharing skills and knowledge of folk art and more.<br><br><b>1pm – 4pm</b><br><b>Cost: \$1.10</b>                                                                                                                                                     | <b>C4C Activities</b><br><br>Active Athletics<br>6 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup> October<br>See flyers<br><br>Fun Food Meningie<br>24 <sup>th</sup> & 31 <sup>st</sup> October<br>7 <sup>th</sup> , 14 <sup>th</sup> , & 21 <sup>st</sup> Nov | <b>Creative Writing</b><br><br>Learn techniques that keep your writing interesting. Work on your own projects and enjoy some fun writing activities.<br><br><b>1.30pm – 3.30pm</b><br><b>Cost: Free</b> |
| <b>Evening Yoga</b><br><br>Improve your flexibility and tranquillity with instructor Monica Martin. Please bring a blanket, water and your own mat if you have one.<br><b>Call Monica</b><br><b>0488 133 625</b><br><b>6:30pm — 8pm</b> | <b>Class Suggestions?</b><br><br>Give us a call and we will register an expression of interest once 5 people register we can arrange the class<br><b>EASY!!</b>       | <b>Karate/ Photography</b><br><br><b>Karate Adults &amp; Children</b><br>Wednesday night weekly<br><b>5.30—9.00pm</b><br><b>Contact Adam Deane</b><br><b>mobile 0435 149 814</b><br><br><b>Photography</b><br>7pm first Wednesday of each month Contact Glenn Power 0413 645 099<br><b>Cost: \$1.10</b> | <b>Mini Bus hire</b><br><br><b>Coming soon to TBCC</b>                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Archery</b><br><br>Archery for all ages. Bookings essential. Tailem Bend Primary School Oval<br><b>Sundays:</b><br><b>9.30am —12.30</b><br><b>Cost: FREE</b>                                         |

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**Commonwealth Home Support Program (CHSP)** is funded by the Australian Government Department of Health

# Fun Food

Communities for Children  
Murraylands



Participants MUST book 85723513

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|----------------------------------------------------|--------|--------------------|
| <h2>Meningie RSL</h2> <h3>Tuesday 4.00-4.45pm</h3> | 24 Oct | Monster Milkshakes |
|                                                    | 31 Oct | Crazy cupcakes     |
|                                                    | 7 Nov  | Kool Kebabs        |
|                                                    | 14 Nov | Busy Biscuits      |
|                                                    | 21 Nov | Fabulous Faces     |

All activities are FREE for

Children aged 4-12 years and their families from the Coorong District.

Parent Supervision Required

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# Active Athletics

A SOCIAL TIME WITH FUN FILLED CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES

**October 6th**

Callington Oval 9.30—11.30am

Murray Bridge Race Course 1.30pm-3.30pm

**This is a Free Activity**

For children aged 4-12 years and their families from the Rural City of Murray Bridge, including Callington

Participants MUST book 85723513

Stay Active – Our programs are evidence-based, non-competitive, with an emphasis on participation and ensuring fitness is made fun. Each program targets a range of fitness and ability levels and aligns to the Australian Health and Physical Education Curriculum and the Playing for Life Philosophy.

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## Grants SA

**Tailem Bend Community Centre Inc**  
received  
**\$50,000**  
For Community Centre Bus



*Zoe Bettison*

The Honourable Zoe Bettison MP  
Minister for Communities and Social Inclusion  
Minister for Multicultural Affairs  
Minister for Volunteers  
Minister for Youth  
July 2017

Simplifying funding for community organisations

Government of South Australia  
Department for Communities and Social Inclusion



# Coming Soon!

*We're super excited to announce we were successful in getting a grant to purchase a community 12 seat mini bus!*

*The bus will soon be available to the community. A standard C class licence is required to drive it.*

*More details coming soon*

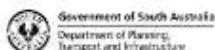
*Huge thanks to the Department for Communities and Social Inclusion for funding our project.*



**Staff:**  
Coordinator: Tammy Shepherd  
Monday - Friday  
CHSP Officer: Deb Taylor  
Tues, Wed, Friday  
C4C Officer: Denise McLoughlin  
Tuesday - Friday  
Finance Officer: Chris Hartmann  
Thursday

**2016/17 Board of Management:**  
Chairperson: Jack Hunt Vice Chairperson: Lorraine Cresp  
Treasurer: Trevor Gordon Secretary: Rhonda Shillabeer  
Committee: Bev Moyes, Donna Middleton, Rosemary Symonds, Margo Wood, Linda McDougall

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**info@tbcc.org.au**  
**141 Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend SA 5260**





# Community Library - New Book List

## Non Fiction

Calmer Easier Happier Screen Time  
HELLO BABY- Everything new mums need to know about life with baby.  
Eat Yourself Thin

## Adult Fiction

WOODHOUSE Lily- Jarulan by the River: Family Saga  
ALTSCHWAGER Wendy – Spirit of the Country: Sequel to Talk of the Town; Australian, Rural.  
ROSLUND & HELLSTROM- 3 Minutes: Crime  
HANNAY Barbara- The Country Wedding: Australian, Historical  
JONES Jennie- The House on Jindalee Lane: Australian Romance  
McGINNIS Kerry- Secrets of the Springs: Historical  
HARUF Kent- Eventide: Families, Crime  
FRAZER Emma- The Shipbuilder's Daughter: Family Saga  
JACOBS Anna- A Stranger in Honeyfield: Family Saga, Mystery  
PATTERSON James – The Black Book: Thriller  
BALDACCI David- No Man's Land: Thriller  
JAHREN Hope- Lab Girl: Science, Romance  
COBEN Harlan- Home: Mystery  
PERRY Tasmina: A House on Sunset Lake: Mystery  
MAGRO Mandy- Along Country Roads: Australian Rural  
WATT Peter- The Silent Frontier: Historical, New Zealand  
NASH Charlotte- The Paris Wedding: Romance  
BARRIE Sarah Promise of Hunters Ridge: Mystery, Romance  
OSBORN -Margareta- Lake Hill: Rural Romance  
COOPER Tea- The Currency Lass: Family Saga, Circus Life  
WELLS Christine- The Traitors Girl: Mystery

## Large Print

BECKSTRAND Jennifer: A Bee In Her Bonnet; Sisters  
JOHNS Rachel- The Art of Keeping Secrets; Family Saga  
MALONE Lily – The Vineyard in the Hills: SA, Romance  
Le SUE Tess- Bound for Eden: Historical Romance  
STRINGER Tricia- Dust on the Horizon: Australian, Flinders Ranges Series Book 2. Family Saga, Historical

## Teen Fiction

NIX Garth: Frogkisser- Fairytale.

## DVD- Adult

Fun with the Fab Four (Beatles)  
Birdsville Track and Beyond  
Discover the Flinders Ranges  
Quest of the HMS Buffalo  
The Girl on the Train - Blu-ray  
Bridget Jones's Baby  
Jasper Jones  
Arrival- Blu-ray  
Lion- Blu-ray  
The Hours



## AUDIO BOOKS

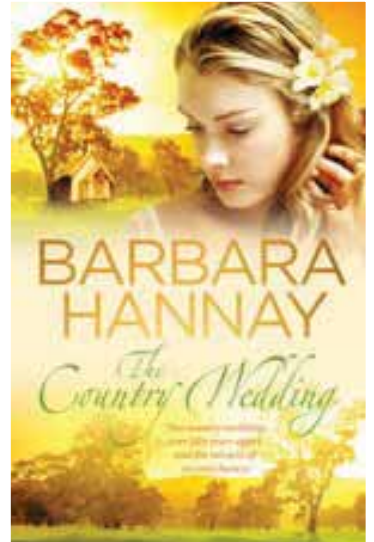
STARR Kimberley-The Kingdom Where Nobody Dies (Mystery)  
Non Fiction – On The Wallaby (Australian Bush)  
GARIMARA Doris Pilkington- (Australian, Stolen Generation)

*We are on Face book. Like our page for lots of Tailem Bend History pics, and what is happening in our Library.*

The Tailem Bend Primary School is looking for **any historical photos of Tailem Bend**. We will scan them and return them to you ASAP.

## Book Review

HANNAY BARBARA -  
A Country Wedding



Two country wedding, fifty years apart...and the miracle of second chances. In the tiny Tablelands township of Burralea, musician Flora Drummond is preparing to play at the wedding of a very close friend. If only she could forget the embarrassing crush she once had on the handsome groom.

All is as it should be on the big day. The little church is filled with flowers, the expectant guests are arriving, and Mitch is nervously waiting – but his bride has failed to appear.

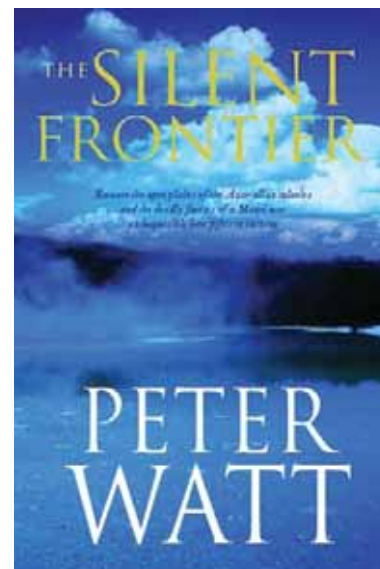
From the rolling green hills of Far North Queensland to the crowded streets of Shanghai on the eve of the Second World War, this is a beautiful romantic saga that tells of two loves lost and found and asks the questions – do we ever get over our first love, and is it ever too late to make amends?

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WATT PETER - The Silent Frontier

Lachlan, John and Phoebe MacDonald, three young children tragically separated after the massacre at the Ballarat goldfields, try to make their way in a world filled with poverty and war.

John is determined to find his lost siblings and meanwhile works hard to make a name for himself. A business partnership leads to riches and rewards that he never dreamed of.

Lachlan has always known what it is to struggle for survival. But even a life of bare knuckle fighting and destitution cannot prepare him for the war he finds himself in against the Maori of New Zealand, nor the feelings he has for his Commanding Officer's sister.



Phoebe barely remembers what it is to have a family and yearns for a love that will make her feel complete, and a home to call her own.

Three tales of courage, hope and forbidden love set against the backdrop of the New Zealand Maori wars and an emerging Australian nation.

# Thought for the Month

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Have you ever been in a place of danger, but not been aware of it. As a child on my journey to a new life, I had the run of the ship. I would go to the back of the ship with a plastic cup, tie string on it and throw it over the back, collect salt water and haul it up. I was also fascinated, by the Shute, that took the waste food out to the Ocean, imagining what a great slide it would make. As I made my way around the Ship with my brothers, I was the king of all I could see, never once thinking of any danger.

Psalm 36:7 how priceless, is your unfailing love.

Our God is a God, who protects us.

In Psalm 91 verse 4, Under His wings you may seek refuge.

God promises to be with us even when we are unaware of His presence.

Psalm 46:1 God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

He is our refuge. It doesn't matter what is happening in our lives, we can rest in the Fact that He is in control. We need to let go and let God do what he wants to do.

Trust and Obey, Bless the Lord O my soul and all that is within me,

Bless His holy name. Life is a journey. Let's live it to the full, Letting Christ lead and Guide, with knowledge that He is involved with us. Always remember to give thanks, with a grateful heart.

Pastor Harry Kromwyk - Tailem Bend Christian Centre

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## Church Services

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### **ANGLICAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA**

47-49 Station Drive

Tailem Bend

Services: Sundays at 11.15am.

All enquiries, Ray Bolt: 0407 755 574 or

Evonne Whibley: 0405 970 804.

### **APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA**

#### **(REHOBOTH CHURCH)**

181 Railway Tce, Tailem Bend

10:30am every Sunday—everyone welcome.

Pastor Gary Paynter: 0428 815 560

Joanna Paynter: 0428 855 696

Phone: 8572 3875

### **CATHOLIC**

Catholic Church mass times:

1st and 3rd Sundays 10.30 a.m. Mass

2nd and 4th Sundays 10.00 a.m. LWC

5th Sunday 10.00 a.m. LWC

Father John Herd, Murray Bridge

Phone: 8531 1699, or Catholic Office

at Tailem Bend, Fridays 10am – 4pm.

### **MURRAY BRIDGE UNITING CHURCH**

Narooma Boulevard, Murray Bridge

Sunday's: 9.30 am

Rev Darren Lovell: 0466 411 784

Rev Frances Bartlett

Church Office: 8532 5150

### **MURRAY BRIDGE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

32 Seventh Street, Murray Bridge, 5253

Sunday Service Time - 10am

Pastor Grant Spangenberg

Church Office: 8532 2883

Mobile: 0419 848 336

### **TAILEM BEND CHRISTIAN CENTRE**

Meeting at corner of Pontt and Jacob St  
(opp Bowling Club) Every Sunday 10am.

Pastor Harry Kromwyk or

Pastor Kathleen Kromwyk

Phone: 8572 4741

Mobile: 0428 233 100

### **TRINITY LUTHERAN**

10 Seymour Street, Tailem Bend

Monthly 1st & 3rd Sunday at 11am.

2nd, 4th, 5th Sunday at 9am.

Phone: 8572 3957

### **Quote of the Month**

“When someone judges you, it isn't actually about you. It's about them - their own insecurities, limitations and needs”.



# What's ON?

## **SATURDAYS**

- JERVOIS DANCE; Every 5th Saturday, 8pm till late. Phone: Russell Nuske on 8572 3568, or Wayne Cheeseman on 8572 3242.

## **SUNDAYS**

- TAILEM BEND RSL SUB BRANCH; ROAST every second Sunday of each month at 12.30pm. Cost \$15 main and dessert, kid's menu \$7. Members of the public most welcome.
- TAILEM BEND BOWLING CLUB; Sunday Lunches: 12.30pm. Last Sunday of the month. 2 Course meal, Tea/Coffee - \$15 per person, with Door Prize!!!! All Welcome. Please Book by phoning Thelma: 8572 4469.
- ARCHERY; Meets every Sunday - weather permitting, 11am - 1pm followed by a \$5 BBQ lunch @ Tailem Bend Primary School Oval. Beginners to Advanced - some equipment available. ALL WELCOME. Contact: [archery5260@gmail.com](mailto:archery5260@gmail.com) or Len: 0417 821 720.
- ROWING CLUB; \*Come and Try\* every Sunday morning from 9am - phone Anna 0400 880 578.

## **MONDAYS**

- PLAYGROUP; 9am - 11am. Cost \$2 per family. During school terms at Tailem Bend Kindergarten, Trevena Rd. Phone 8572 3348.
- NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH SA; Meets 2nd Monday of the month, 7.30pm at the Community Centre
- PROBUS CLUB; Monthly Meetings held on the 3rd Monday of each month at the Community Centre. Contact:
- ROTARY CLUB OF TAILEM BEND; Meets every Monday night (except public holidays) at the Riverside Hotel 6.30pm. Contact Sue Piggott: 0439 723 998.

## **TUESDAYS**

- KEEP FIT CLASSES; Every Tuesday at 9am. (except school holidays) Tailem Bend Community Centre. Contact Sharon: 8532 4311.
- SOCIAL TENNIS; Every Tuesday 9.30am- 12.30pm. \$2.00. All welcome. Phone Anne Howell: 8572 4023.
- JERVOIS BRANCH CWA; Meet 1st Tuesday of each month at the Jervois Hall @ 10.30am. Contact Gloria Afford: 8572 6070.
- TAILEM BEND LIONS CLUB; meets 2nd Tuesday each month at Riverside Hotel 6.30pm for a meal and on 4th Tuesday each month at Lions Den, corner Trevena Rd & Seymour St. for General meeting. Contact Doug Holmes 8532 4372 or Ian Eckermann 8572 3850.

- ACTIVITY AND LEISURE GROUP; 10am - 2pm Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, at the Day Care Community Services Building. Transport is available, Phone Betty on 8572 5861.
- TAILEM BEND AUTO CLUB; Meets 3rd Tuesday each month at Riverside Hotel, 7pm.

## **WEDNESDAYS**

- TAILEM BEND PROGRESS ASSOCIATION; Meets 2nd Wednesday of each month, 7.30pm at the Tailem Bend Community Centre.
- TAILEM BEND ST JOHN CADETS; Meeting Wednesday evenings from 6pm to 8.30pm, Murray Bridge St John Centre. All enquiries to Lyn: 0448 551 007, during school terms.
- ACTIVITY AND LEISURE GROUP; 10am - 2pm Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, at the Day Care Community Services Building. Transport is available, Phone Betty on 85725861.

## **THURSDAYS**

- TAILEM BEND SINGERS; Thursday nights, Contact Bev Piggott: 8572 3807.
- RIVERBEND LADIES INDOOR BOWLS; Thursdays until the end of October. Fun games 10.30am. Team games 2pm. Contact R. Ellis: 8572 3252 or L. Jaensch: 8572 4064.
- ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS; Every Thursday evening. "AA" meets at the Community Centre from 7pm to 8.30pm. Contact Harry: 0437 471 131.
- MUMS AND BUBS; 9.30am at the Community Centre. FREE SESSION. Phone: 8572 3513.
- ACTIVITY AND LEISURE GROUP; 10am - 2pm, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Day Care Community Services Building. Transport is available, phone Betty: 8572 5861.

## **FRIDAYS**

- GOLDEN OLDIES LUNCHEON; 4th Friday of the Month at the Tailem Bend Community Centre. \$10 per person. Phone: 8572 3531 for more details.
- TAILEM BEND RSL SUB BRANCH; Dining In - open every Friday night from 6.30pm. All meals \$15, mains, dessert, tea/coffee - \$7 children's menu. BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL - phone 0417 899 285.
- TAILEM BEND RSL SUB-BRANCH; Monthly meetings held on the first Friday of each month at 4pm. Phone the Secretary: 0417 899 285.



# Community Services

## **COORONG CIVIC CENTRE & ART GALLERY (Coorong District Council)** **Open 8.30am - 5pm Monday-Friday**

95 - 101 Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend  
PO Box 399 Tailem Bend, SA, 5260  
Phone: 1300 785 277 | Fax: 8572 3822  
Email: coorong@council.sa.gov.au

### **Post Office**

109 Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 3420  
Agents for Commonwealth Bank, Central  
Credit Union and One Spot Bill Pay.  
Mail closes at 5:00pm, Monday - Friday.

### **Community Library**

1 Murray Street, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 3266  
(On School Grounds)

### **Tailem Bend Community Centre**

141 Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend  
or PO Box 203, Tailem Bend, SA, 5260  
Phone/Fax: 8572 3513

### **Tailem Bend Kindergarten**

49 Trevena Road, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 3348

### **Tailem INFO STATION**

Railway Station, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 4277 | Open 7 Days, 9am - 4pm

### **Tailem Bend District Hospital**

Princes Highway, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 5800  
Fax: 8572 5801

### **Medical Centre & Immunisations**

70 Princes Highway, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 5897  
or A/H: 8572 5800

### **Murray Mallee Transport Scheme**

Railway Station, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 4288

### **Tailem Bend RSL Sub-Branch**

2 Seymour Street, Tailem Bend  
(corner of Seymour St & Trevena Rd)  
Phone: 8572 4550 Secretary: 0417 899 285

### **Bank SA - Tailem Bend**

Railway Terrace, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 4850

### **St Vincent De Paul**

Open: Mon, Wed, Fri: 10:00am - 4:00pm  
Saturday: 9:30am-12:00pm  
Phone: 8572 3544

### **Tailem Bend Primary School**

1 Murray Street, Tailem Bend  
Phone: 8572 3266 | Fax: 8572 3026  
Email: DL.0424.info@schools.sa.edu.au

## **LOCAL JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**

|                       |              |
|-----------------------|--------------|
| Ray Bolt.....         | 0407 755 574 |
| Trevor Gordon.....    | 8572 4415    |
| Garry Hansen.....     | 8573 3191    |
| Robert Hughes.....    | 8572 3523    |
| Leonie Hutson.....    | 8572 3730    |
| Neville Jaensch.....  | 8572 3670    |
| Marc Maddaford.....   | 8572 4169    |
| Debbie McPherson..... | 8572 4205    |
| Teresa Pickering..... | 0409 284 073 |
| Russell Nuske.....    | 8572 3568    |
| Robert Trezise.....   | 8572 3050    |
| Albert Wellman.....   | 8572 3667    |

## **EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

|                                 |              |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Police: Tailem Bend.....        | 8572 4210    |
| Ambulance.....                  | 000          |
| Fire & Rescue.....              | 000          |
| CFS: Tailem Bend.....           | 000          |
| CFS: Jervois.....               | 000          |
| Tailem Bend Medical Centre..... | 8572 5897    |
| Poison Information.....         | 13 11 26     |
| Parent Helpline.....            | 1300 364 100 |
| RAA.....                        | 8572 4044    |
| Hospital.....                   | 8572 5800    |
| Lifeline.....                   | 13 11 14     |
| Beyond Blue .....               | 1300 224 636 |

## **tailem takeaway & pizza**

HOME DELIVERIES  
AVAILABLE  
FROM 5PM



**Ph: 8572 4690**

59 Railway Tce, Tailem Bend

# Community Notice Board

## Tailem Bend Rowing Club Inc

Would like to advise all our members that the club's AGM

will be on Sunday, September 17 at 11am at the Tailem Bend Rowing Club Boat Shed followed by a BBQ lunch.

Anyone wanting further information, please contact

Juliette on 0424 230 127, or Harry on 0409 096 363

## **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:**

**ALL CONTRIBUTORS MUST INCLUDE THEIR NAME, PHONE NUMBER AND ADDRESS FOR THE LETTER TO BE PUBLISHED (your address and phone number WILL NOT be published).**

## **LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

Congratulations to the Tailem Bend Community Centre on 30 years serving our community. I applaud Tammy Shepherd Coordinator for her drive and passion in making our centre the envy of many. However I must make a correction in Tammy's statement in the Tailem Topics August edition on the establishment of the centre, and acknowledge the involvement of the railways in helping establish the centre, not the Council.

Mr Harry Richardson (dec) works foreman, at the time of the railways, couldn't do enough to help the founding members when my husband approached him in 1986 for the suitable site on the corner of Railway Tce & North Tce.

The railway home previously occupied by the Walsh family was offered to us for a peppercorn rent. Railway carpenters, plumbers, electricians & painters were made available to spruce up the house for a fresh start. The late George Burnett & Monty Cameron were two men I remember who gave of their time freely to renovate the cottage. NB: The railways also assisted with the establishment of 'Winninya Cottage' at 75 Princes Highway which was used for emergency accommodation.

Mr Bill Paterson CEO of the Council was invited to open the centre on the day of the towns Centenary in 1987 and Mrs Tiller a former resident cut the cake. The Council were asked to come on board shortly after, when paid staff and the expertise of grant submissions were needed to manage the growing needs of the centre.

Leonie Hutson

## **LETTER TO THE EDITOR - 'ON THE RUN'**

Just a short note; is the new "The Bend" Motorsport Park and the associated 'On The Run' being built next to it, a positive benefit for the town of Tailem Bend, or will it destroy it? The new OTR will have SA Lotteries BAKERY / SUPERMARKET / FAST FOOD and probably more. These will definitely take a lot of business away from the Main Street traders. I was and still am, negative of OTR / PEREGRINE nearly controlling all the fuel outlets in SA - look at Coonalpyn and JAGERS BP, probably soon to close. Thanks, Andrew Roberts.

## **LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

**"Giddy from Faye in WA"**

Good afternoon,

I just wanted to say hi after seeing the story on Sunrise this morning. It made me smile and I thought it was a great initiative. Anything that we can do to make the world a better place is worth doing, and this is so simple.

Please pass on my good wishes to everyone in Tailem Bend.

Faye Arcaro

Host of Let's Talk Gardening Curtin 100.1fm

PS: I will be passing this on to the team at Curtin Radio and hope they contact you.

Sent from iPhone June 27, 2017.

## **CHRISTMAS IN JULY**

On July 26, the Activity Centre in Tailem Bend was A-buzz with excitement. Guests were treated to a scrumptious Christmas Feast with all the colourful trimmings and a good time was had by all. A special poem was also written the occasion:

HOORAY! GOOD-DAY! HURRAH!

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"Happy Christmas Everyone".

Submitted by Pauline Coombe

(Unfortunately the images received were not suitable for reproducing in Tailem Topics).



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**Term 3 – Wednesday 27th September** – Footy Colours Theme. Tailem Bend Town Hall.

**Term 4 – Wednesday 6th December** – Christmas Theme. Tailem Bend Town Hall.

All disco's run from 5 – 7 pm and are for Primary school aged children from 5 – 13 years of age.

Blue Light Discos are organised and run for the benefit of the Primary School children in our community. Our committee want the discos to be a safe and pleasant experience for all the children and expect the children to be respectful of each other, as well as the Supervisors for the evening.

**REMINDER :** On arrival - All parents and carers are asked to please bring their child/children into the disco venue. On departure - All Parents and Carers must come into the venue and notify the volunteer on door duty of the child/children they are picking up. This is for your/their own safety and protection. "BLUE LIGHT IS A CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT".

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**NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH**

TAILEM BEND AREA 484

**Next meeting - Monday, October 14, 2017  
7.30pm Tailem Bend Community Centre**

Guest speakers attend some meetings.

**Road Safety Tip:** Alcohol and Drugs: Don't mix Driving with Alcohol and Drugs (including Medicine). To avoid the risks - Plan ahead.



# Police Topics

| <i>Date offence</i>     | <i>Location</i>              | <i>Offence</i>                                        | <i>Information</i>                                                           | <i>Result</i>                                                          |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 11/06/2017 – 12/06/2017 | Parklands Tce<br>TAILEM BEND | Theft of Motor Vehicle                                | White 2011 Hyundai sedan SA Reg S206ANA stolen from Driveway.                | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 17/06/17                | Murray St<br>TAILEM BEND     | Serious Criminal Trespass                             | Primary school broken into and items stolen.                                 | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 22/06/2017 – 23/06/2017 | Trevena Rd<br>TAILEM BEND    | Attempt Serious Criminal Trespass                     | Attempt to break into Kindy. No entry gained.                                | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 23/06/2017 – 21/07/2017 | Kulde Rd<br>TAILEM BEND      | Serious Criminal Trespass and Theft of Motor Vehicle. | Shed broken into and vehicle taken.                                          | Filed after investigation.                                             |
| 23/06/2017              | First Ave<br>TAILEM BEND     | Property Damage                                       | Rocks thrown onto house roof causing damage to solar panels.                 | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 28/06/2017              | TAILEM BEND                  | Threats and Use of phone to harass                    | Both parties known to each other.                                            | Arrest.                                                                |
| 28/06/2017 – 11/07/2017 | Railway Tce<br>TAILEM BEND   | Theft                                                 | Two bicycles stolen from rear of residential property.                       | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 30/06/2017              | TAILEM BEND                  | Use motor vehicle without consent.                    | Vehicle taken without permission by an associate.                            | No further action.                                                     |
| 04/07/2017              | TAILEM BEND                  | Breach Bail.                                          | Failed to comply with bail curfew.                                           | Arrest.                                                                |
| 17/07/2017              | Seymour St<br>TAILEM BEND    | Serious Criminal Trespass                             | Damage to building but nothing identified as having been stolen from within. | Any information to police or crime stoppers.                           |
| 27/07/2017              | Granites Rd<br>TAILEM BEND   | Theft                                                 | Money tin stolen from unlocked vehicle at football oval.                     | Ongoing investigation.<br>Any information to police or crime stoppers. |

Prepared by SC1C Allan CLAUGHTON, Tailem Bend Police Station. 03/08/2017





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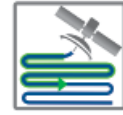
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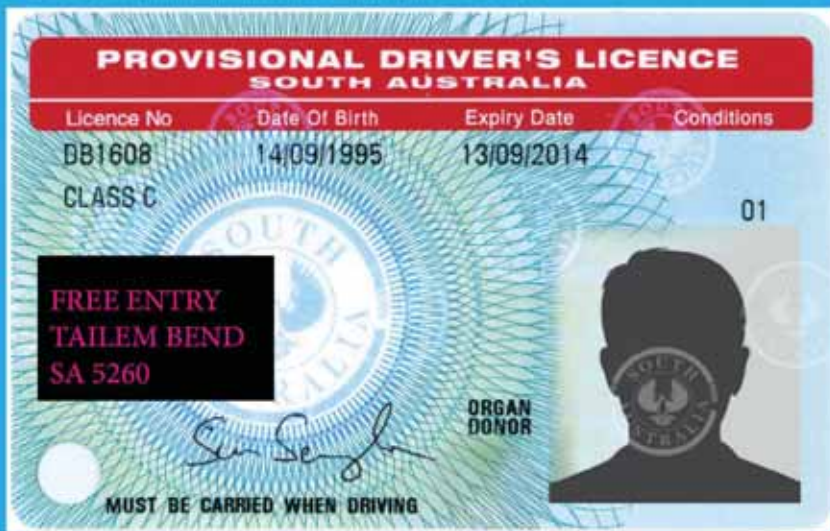
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