

PORT VINCENT — South Australia**PROGRESS ASSOCIATION REPORT—DECEMBER 2020**

Well, we made it too December!!!! What a Year 2020 has been.

I guess we can say that this year has been a bit of a write off... Especially when it comes to some of the activities that we would normally participate in, such as Fundraising events, working bees and community gatherings.

We are thankful at this time for the access to technology, as this has also allowed us to continue to communicate within our committee and sub-committees. This has allowed project & logistics planning, grant applications, along with current project management to continue, *with only minimal interruption.*

We have seen active projects and events experience delays, postponement and cancellation this year due to COVID-19 related issues.

The Kitchen upgrade at the institute is a project that has experienced a few delays, but it is coming along nicely now; with only the appliances still requiring installation.

In collaboration with Port Vincent Tidy Towns, the Correll Park upgrade is underway, and we very much appreciate the wonderful work that this group do for our community, they keep our town sparkling!

Also, a shout out to the Port Vincent CFS who have cleaned up the shade sails on the foreshore. The cormorants are making quite a smelly mess. Unfortunately this is a bit of a losing battle at the moment. The Yorke Peninsula Council are assessing the situation.

Most would be aware that the Annual Gala Day event has been cancelled, along with all fireworks displays on the Southern Yorke Peninsula. The Yorke Peninsula Council made this decision based on Govt/Health advice for large gatherings, and deemed that the YP Council is not equipped/resourced to monitor all public areas, specifically over the Christmas and New Years period. The Council then determined that they would not support fireworks applications over this period for 2020/2021. Volunteer celebrations, fundraisers and the water tower mural painting have been postponed, but, we have high hopes that we will see restrictions and regulations ease in the new year, allowing us to get back to a what we would declare as a 'new normal' way of doing things.

We would like to take a moment to say thank you to Charmaine & David from Port Vincent Hardware for their many years of servicing our community's hardware requirements. We wish you all the very best for your future.

On behalf of the PVPA I would also like to say a huge thank you to our fabulous community for being understanding and supportive of the Port Vincent Progress Association throughout a year which has had many challenges and tough decision making.

We are all very lucky to be a part of such a close-knit community.

With the silly season looming.....

This Christmas, shopping local, and supporting small business, is one of the best Christmas presents you can give – Yorke Peninsula & South Australia has a lot to offer, and businesses will thank you for it.

We wish you all a fabulous Christmas, and hope that you all get the opportunity to celebrate with your families and enjoy some time away.

Regards - PVPA President - Michelle Twelftree

Port Vincent Progress Association

Web Address: www.portvincent.org.au

Secretary : portvincentprogress@gmail.com

Treasurer: pvpatownoffice@gmail.com

President / Vice: pvpapresident@gmail.com

Community Events: pvpaevents@gmail.com

A FREE publication kindly printed by the Narungga Electoral Office for the Port Vincent Progress Association

Editor: Sue Hall - Email: afocalpoint2@gmail.com— Ph 0413 057 992 - Web Address: www.portvincent.org.au

Editor's Comments

Find Santa Competition:

We are running our Santa Search competition once again. Details and an entry form are available on Page 23. Good luck kids! I hope you have some fun. The winning entry will be drawn at noon, on Friday 18th December. Make sure that you get your entry in the box!

Marine Safety Officers have been patrolling the boat ramp recently, issuing fines for boats without the proper safety equipment.

For your own safety please ensure all your safety equipment is legal before heading out on the water.

Information can be found on the following site:-

www.pir.sa.gov.au/recfishingapp

You can also download the App for iPhone, Windows and Android



Results of the Gala Day Survey—the Progress Committee has reviewed the responses to the Gala Day 2019 survey.

The majority of feedback received was positive. The committee will take all suggestions into consideration when planning the 2022 Gala Day, and plans will be underway early in 2021. If you would like to assist the committee with this very important fundraising event, please contact the Progress Association Secretary, Pam Hickman on 0409 537 252.

Pam has recently been contacted by some of our residents' families who live interstate, or too far away from Port Vincent to regularly visit their loved ones. Pam has asked me to reach out to the community to see whether anyone would be interested in making contact with some of our "oldies" on behalf of their families. If you can spare some time to assist, please contact Pam to discuss. In my role as editor I have found our town to have the most amazing group of volunteers. I wouldn't be surprised if Pam isn't inundated with responses to this callout!

One of our readers has suggested a visit to the **SA Red Cross FaceBook page** which can be found at:

www.facebook.com/SARedCross

This service is extremely successful, and is conducted by Australian Red Cross Psychological First Aid trained volunteers who frequently identify those who need more help and refer to support agencies (not just heat related illness, but also mental, physical and financial health). It is wonderful to have this service available to our community.

Carolyn Ramsay, Project Officer Yorke Peninsula Council, has been in touch regarding the **2021 Yorke Peninsula Art Exhibition.**

Yes, plans are underway to hold the event (which was cancelled in 2020 due to COVID restrictions) on the Easter Long Weekend—Friday 2nd to Monday, 5th April 2021. I am sure that Port Vincent has some budding artists out there who will relish the opportunity to display their works! Registrations are online at <https://www.yorkepeninsulaartexhibition.com.au/>

If you would like to contact Carolyn directly, she is available on carolyn.ramsey@yorke.sa.gov.au or if you would prefer to call, please ring her on 08 8832 0000.

LATEST COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS—RELEASED 1st DECEMBER 2020

As this publication goes to print the SA Govt has eased some restrictions. Community sport has recommenced (and our bowls club members are very happy about that!). An updated list of restrictions can be found at:-

<https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/restrictions-and-responsibilities/activities-and-gatherings>

Please note that only 10 people are currently allowed at a private residence, but hopefully this will be relaxed before Christmas!

2020 has been an extremely difficult year, with many changes and challenges in our daily lives, and sometimes a sense of dread of what the future will hold. But, on reflection, it has also highlighted the things we value the most, our family and our friends.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our readers a wonderful Christmas, but, more importantly a safe and healthy one!

Sue Hall— Editor—afocalpoint2@gmail.com—0413 057 992

DIARY DATES

Please refer to the Calendar on Page 28 for regular meetings and church services

(subject to COVID-19 restrictions)

6th Dec - Sailing—Series 2—Race 2
10th Dec - Night Owls resume at the Bowling Club
13th Dec - Sailing—Cup Race 3
14th Dec - SACWA Christmas Lunch
20th Dec - Sailing—Series 2 Race 3
27th Dec - Sailing—Series 2 Race 4
31st Dec - Stansbury Markets 9am-1pm
2nd Jan - St Neot's Fundraising BBQ (refer Page 5)
9th Jan - Stansbury Markets 9am-1pm
26th Jan - VIO Breakfast—more details in next edition

ARTICLES TO LOOK FOR IN THIS EDITION:

Page 3 — Commissioning of Vincent Star
Page 5 — Visitor Information Office opening hours
Page 6 — Historic Celebrations
Page 8 — Port Vincent is a fisherman's heaven!
Page 10 — Curramulka Primary is excelling!
Page 14 — Makeover of the shelter shed near the Kiosk
Page 16 — 'A Viral Reflection' by Bob Walter
Page 18 — Sailing Club Celebrations!
Page 19 — Lest We Forget—We will Remember Them
Page 21 — A Pom Pom Christmas Tree
Page 22 — Narungga News
Page 23 — Search for Santa Entry Form



SAF10 REPORT—DECEMBER 2020

At the time of writing this report no assists have been requested, however three were made towards the end of last month.

- An assist from a boat with two persons on board was received for Ardrossan. This was stood down when another fisherman towed the skipper and his boat back to port.
- The second assist involved a boat with four persons on board at Black Point. Seahound went to their assistance and towed them to Ardrossan.
- Finally, the evening of the commissioning of Vincent Star a crew was requested to stand by while the police investigated a call for help. The crew was eventually stood down.

The commissioning of Vincent Star was a great success. Thankfully, the weather had blown itself out, and was kind to us on the day. We all dreaded the possibility of another downpour, or worse, windy conditions.

Some of the guests included the Minister of Emergency Services Vincent Tarzia, the Mayor of Yorke Peninsula Darren Braund, VMR Manager Darryl Wright, Fraser Ellis MP, Member for Narungga, AVCGA National Commodore Terry Langford, and Father David Amery from Port Victoria. Christine Robinson who had the honour of pouring the champagne over the bow received a bunch of flowers in recognition of her gaining life membership.

The day could not have gone so smoothly without the help received from many people within this community.
We thank you all for making this such a memorable day, for all the right reasons.

Our water activities have again been disrupted however some of our newer members have attended a two-day radio course run by our Commander, Ross Evans. This is one more achievement towards attaining their General Boat Hand status.

Just a reminder, if you do have a VHF radio on your boat, the skipper needs to have a certificate to operate this type of marine radio.

I wish you all a Joyous Christmas and the best for 2021.

Keep Safe
DFC Geraldine McAskil

COMMISSIONING DAY CELEBRATIONS



FOR SALE

For Sale (photos below):

2 Grey soft Recliner Chairs in reasonable condition, fully functional. One larger & one smaller, used by my late parents. Pick up by arrangement at Port Vincent. Price \$500 each or \$850 for both.

Please contact Heather Miller on 0427 641 867 or hpmiller1@bigpond.com for more information.



For sale (photos below):

2 Single Niagara Beds, fully working condition. Sale Price \$2,000 includes bed head and bedside drawers. Pick up by arrangement at Port Vincent. Please contact Heather Miller on 0427 641 867 or hpmiller1@bigpond.com for more information.



For sale (photos below):

Niagara Massage Chair. Bought new in 2018 for \$14k, hardly used by my late parents. Soft leather, many massage settings. Pick up by arrangement at Port Vincent. Asking price \$8,000. However, reasonable offers accepted. Please contact Heather Miller on 0427 641 867 or hpmiller1@bigpond.com for more information.



Garage Estate Sale

**10am to 4pm – 1st January 2021
at
79 Marine Parade Port Vincent**

Many various items, including craft boxes, ribbons, cottons, threads, needles, baskets, picture frames, craft books, coffee table books, novels, handbags and other bags, vases and oasis for vases, costume jewellery, portable keyboard, wicker chair, wooden rocking chair, 2 x vinyl single chairs, wooden stool, camp beds, single folding beds, antique bassinet on a stand, spoon racks with spoons or without, classical music collection, many various tools, nuts and bolts, old suitcases, golf bags and balls and many and varied bric a brac, all reasonably priced, with offers accepted.

Enquiries to Heather Miller on 0427 641 867 or hpmiller1@bigpond.com for more information.



ST NEOT'S ANGLICAN CHURCH **(Ministry District of Yorke Peninsula)**



**Bless us, Lord, this Christmas with quietness of mind - Teach us to be patient
And always be kind. Show us that in quietness. We can feel Your presence near,
Filling us with joy and peace throughout the coming year.**

**May we have safe travels to family and love ones this Christmas to share in the spirit
Of what Christmas is truly about, baby Jesus, a star that beckoned in the night;
The faithful followed their hearts with love to a lowly place of truth and light.**

CHURCH DATES FOR DECEMBER:

13th.....11am.....**HOLY COMMUNION**....with Fr Andrew Lang

25th.....8 am....**CHRISTMAS DAY**.....**HOLY COMMUNION**...with Fr Andrew Lang.

Trash/Treasure will be open December 5th, 12th and 19th and closed over the Christmas weekend. Watch the church door for a possible 'open' on 29th December. We intend to have our usual Gala Day opening on **Saturday, 2nd January 2021**, with a fundraiser Sausage Sizzle for the Community Garden. We anticipate opening for both from 9.30am until 2pm.

We have plenty of bargains, as well as a table of a variety of Christmas wares. Summer fashions are on display, so come for a browse in a Covid 19 safe store.

Update on the Community Garden: The fence is down, so you can see the garden is taking shape. Eight raised garden beds are in place, just waiting for top soil to top up and mix, and they will be ready for plantings. If you would like to donate your time, or plants, please enquire with Pam Biggs 88537340 and Sue Pike 0448 853 742.

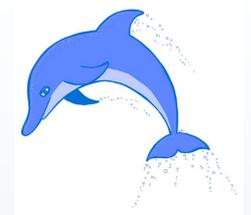
January Church Dates:- 10th and 24th as this goes to print - please watch our Church door.

Best Wishes to Everyone for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year in 2021.

Pam Biggs

Phone: 8853 7340

PORT VINCENT VISITOR INFORMATION OFFICE



VIO is now open Friday, Saturday and Monday from approx 11am—2pm. If the office is unattended please call the phone number on the door. We are less than 3 minutes away, and we are more than happy to attend to your tourist needs.

Unfortunately our 5th Anniversary celebrations and Volunteers Sausage Sizzle were cancelled due to Covid-19 restrictions. We will regroup and organise for the new year, when all is clear again.

Our Australia Day Breakfast will go ahead as usual. There will be a few changes, but we are all geared up to celebrate Australia Day with you.

We wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy & Healthy New Year. Please stay safe and well over the coming Christmas season.

Your VIO Volunteers

HISTORIC CELEBRATIONS AT YORKE PENINSULA'S INNES NATIONAL PARK

The park has been renamed Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park in acknowledgement of the Narungga traditional owners, and in recognition of its new co-management arrangements.

Minister for Environment and Water, David Speirs, said the co-management plan follows the addition of 1394 hectares of land to the national park. "This is a significant milestone for Innes National Park. The Marshall Liberal Government has entered into a co-management agreement with the Narungga people that establishes a co-management board for Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park," Minister Speirs said.

"This park is one of our state's most iconic places, known and loved by generations of park visitors for its camping and recreation, coastal habitat and protection and conservation achievements. "Innes National Park is one of the many destinations around South Australia to benefit from the Marshall Liberal Government's record investment of more than \$130 million to improve parks across the state. "\$3 million will be invested to upgrade campgrounds and heritage accommodation buildings, create an iconic lookout and improve day visitor areas, including Shell Beach".

"This project will deliver significant improvements to several popular sites to help boost visitor numbers, stimulate the regional economy, and create local jobs. The addition of extra land also presents a significant opportunity to consolidate the park and allow for ecological restoration, Aboriginal cultural activities, and tourism."

Member for Narungga Fraser Ellis said Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park is one of the iconic visitor destinations on the Yorke Peninsula. "Innes National Park is one of South Australia's most popular parks and it plays an important role in the Yorke Peninsula's regional economy," Mr Ellis said. "I welcome the new upgrades which will help attract more visitors to our region providing a boost to our local tourism industry and supporting local jobs.

"The new co-management agreement for Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park is recognition of the Narungga traditional owners."

Editor's Comment: We are hoping to bring you further updates on wildlife in the park, and on the Yorke Peninsula, in the January edition.



L-R Mr Mike Williams, Executive Director, National Parks and Wildlife Service, Mr Fraser Ellis MP, Member for Narungga, Professor Peter Buckskin, Narungga Nation Aboriginal Corporation, Mr Doug Milera, Chair of the Dhilba Guuranda-Innes National Park Co-Management Board and Narungga Nation Aboriginal Corporation, Mr David Speirs MP, Minister for Environment and Water.

Image provided by Matt Turner (Northern and Yorke Landscape Board)

Pt. Vincent Water Tower Mural—Update

The SA Water owned Water Tower and the Community focused mural is going ahead, and will be painted in April 2021

The Mural project is moving forward, to be completed in Autumn of 2021, with SA Mural Artists onsite during a 2 week period. With the combination of the mural itself reflecting the life and history in Port Vincent, 5 interactive storyboards to be displayed at the Tower Viewing area, recently created by the PV Council, focused on showcasing the history of water to this area. Interpretation of the images, as well as opportunities to link to State and National Mural Trails, websites, school groups gaining information linked to the school curriculum, as well as plans for trained PV Community walking tour guides conducting tours including the Tower in an upcoming Port Vincent Walking Tour Trail (see Progress updates if you are interested in becoming a volunteer walking tour guide).

Just confirming that funds for this project have been sourced via grants.

The project is taking longer than expected, due to the complexity of safe access to the site for the artists. This situation is unique in the state to date, but, as the old saying goes “anything worth having is worth waiting for”, and as time has marched on, new opportunities have presented themselves, such as the development of walking tours.

Meetings have been held in Adelaide with SA Water, and a Broker Liaison with the Telcos, who have infrastructure on the tower, and representatives of the PV Mural Working Group. This resulted in confirmation of a full commitment of all parties to move through extremely complex logistical challenges *to ensure a safe workspace for the artists.*

Additional meetings were held with a YP Council Community Engagement employee to share the resources for upcoming events, marketing and promotion, to ensure that the PV water tower mural is positioned as the 'Gateway' to the Southern Yorke Water Tower Mural Trail. This will ensure PV is the 'first or last stop' to the expanded water tower mural trail in the bushfire impacted areas of Southern Yorke.

We look forward to the upcoming 2 weeks of painting the mural, with a formal invitation to all to 'come and watch the paint dry'

Please keep following on our FaceBook Page and ask 5 friends to follow this link as well

<https://www.facebook.com/Port-Vincent-Water-Tower-Mural-101224901648440/>



**Residential Sales - Rural Sales - Market Appraisals
Valuations - Property Management**

**“The Grainstore” 5 Main Street
Port Vincent SA 5581**

PH: 08 8853 7018 or 88537383

Email: admin.yp@eldersrealestate.com.au

www.eldersyorkepeninsula.com.au

Carolyn & Ian

Also Specialising in:

**Lounge Suites and Other
Upholstery**

We travel anywhere

Phone 0428 858 759

or

8821 3165

www.ypcarpet.com.au



**YORKE PENINSULA
CARPET CLEANING**

FISHING REPORT— Wayne Crouch

Hopefully, by the time the A Focal Point goes to print, we are now over the worst of the dreaded virus, and we can all get back to whatever will be the “new normal”. It will be good to see visitors back in town to help all our business people recover, so please support your locals!

Crabs are starting to become more available, but there are a lot of females and undersize, so please be careful, big fines apply!

Garfish are also starting. Dabbers are having a good run on calm nights.

Snook are also quite plentiful around the oyster lease, along with some big tommies and squid.

Yellow fin are also starting to gather in larger schools. Clickers are the best bait, but only pump what you need for a day's fishing.

King George whiting are also on the job, and bag limits are common.

Please enjoy the fishing over Christmas, but abide by bag and size limits.



Remember to Slip Slop Slap, and have a great Christmas!

Tight lines!

Wayne Crouch



Unique at Vincent

1B Ramsay St Port Vincent 0409670947

- Art and Craft (local artists) including cheeseboards
 - Bric a Brac
 - Aussie Soles Footwear

And much more

Inflatable water toys all \$2 each

Personalised gifts including coasters, trays and dog name tags

OPEN Thursday - Sunday 10am - 3pm (and Public Holidays)

POST-RELEASE SURVIVAL AND MOVEMENT RESEARCH PROJECT

A local resident, Chris Coleman, contacted me about a discussion he had with some employees/contractors of PIRSA at the boat ramp (prior to the last hard shutdown in November). Apparently these fishermen were due to stay in Port Vincent for a number of days/weeks, but had to return to Adelaide on the Wednesday afternoon due to the shutdown. I became curious as to the reasons for their presence at Port Vincent. As a result, I put on my reporter's hat, and I followed up with an enquiry to PIRSA.

Thank you to Vivienne Oakley, Media Manager for the Department of Primary Industries and Regions for her prompt response to my enquiry.

Her response is below:-

“One of those projects is a post-release survival and movement research project - the State Government has partnered with the Fisheries Research and Development Corporation (FRDC) to work with the charter and commercial fishing sectors to enable a small number of fishing trips with researchers onboard to undertake scientific catch, tag and release Snapper programs during the closure, to understand the impact of barotrauma on the survival of line-caught Snapper.”

“The recent tagging of snapper at Pt Vincent was part of this research project”

Vivienne has promised to keep me updated on the results of this research. Hopefully we will see these researchers back at Port Vincent very soon to continue the tag and release programme.

If anyone would like further information on this programme, details of the overarching program can be found online here:

https://pir.sa.gov.au/fishing/snapper/replenishing_snapper_stocks



Sue Hall—Editor

**PORT VINCENT
PLUMBING AND GAS**
FOR ALL YOUR PLUMBING & GAS NEEDS

DAVID WHITE
0417 818 442

whites3@internode.on.net
License:PGE 150820
ABN:90 709 462 301

4 LADY DORIS DRIVE
PORT VINCENT

OVER 40 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN THE INDUSTRY

- POLY TANK REPAIRS
- NEW HOMES AND ADDITIONS
- KITCHEN, BATHROOM OR LAUNDRY RENOVATIONS
- MAINTENANCE
- WATER SERVICE REPLACEMENT
- GAS REPAIRS & INSTALLATION

NO JOB TOO BIG OR TOO SMALL



SALTER QUALITY KITCHENS

***Specialising in:
Modern Kitchens, Wardrobes,
Vanities, Storage Units
Sold timber work ie Bars***

***Phone Nathan
0427 405 023***

For a free quote



Curramulka Primary School

Small School, Strong Team

18 Sixth St, Curramulka
5580

Phone (08) 88542102

Fax (08) 88542018

Principal: Kristan Every

www.curryps.sa.edu.au

Kindy Transitions

Kindy transitions are in full swing. We would like to welcome Finnegan, Flynn and Reuben to our R-2 classroom. We are looking forward to having them join us in 2021. During transition, these students have been working on their beginning letter sounds and a variety of different art and maths activities.



Hot Shots Tennis

Students travelled to Yorketown to participate in the Hot Shots Tennis Carnival. Students had a fantastic but warm day out playing tennis against other schools on the SYP. Thank you to Abigail and Emily for helping with transporting students to Yorketown, it was greatly appreciated.



What'll Happen to the Wattle??!

Students have been successful with their written and film applications to participate in a program with the Giant Leap Foundation. On December the 5th our Golden Wattle seeds will be flown to the Japanese Space Station where they will stay for 5-6 months. Upon arrival back to Australia students will then collect 6 seeds that they will germinate and plant out into our parklands. Students have been very excited by this project with our literacy block on cooler days being spent drawing inspiration from our Parklands. Watch this space in 2021!



Lawn Bowls

Congratulations to our 3-7's who travelled to Adelaide to participate in the Lawns Bowls championships. Congratulations to Sophia and Ava who received second place in the doubles/triples competition and Billy and Georgina who came in 1st place. A great day was had by all.

COVID-19

Thank you to all parents for their continued support during the lockdown. With the current restrictions, we have gone back to ensuring we have minimum contact on school grounds. This contact is only for essential services. It is not a requirement for children to wear masks while at school or for school staff to wear masks in the classroom. All restrictions that have been put in place are at the advice of SA Health. Please seek advice from their hotline or website.

It is important that if your child feels sick please remember to keep them home until they are feeling better. **The current advice from the Department of Education is if you have symptoms of COVID-19, no matter how mild – please get tested. Please contact your local GP for advice on how to get tested.**

End of Year concert.

End of Year concert is going to look different this year. Due to Covid restrictions, we will be having a ticket system where each family will receive 4 tickets to use. This will still depend on the limitations we face through the Covid restrictions. We will film the concert so families will have a copy to share with relatives and friends. These tickets will be sent out next week. Please note, ALL children regardless of their age will need a ticket.

Merry Christmas

The staff and students at Curramulka Primary School would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a happy holidays and we look forward to sharing our learning with you in 2021.



Pillows

What is the best pillow?

Well.... proverbially a clear conscience! But more on that later. The ideal pillow will vary between people and their sleeping posture.

With a goal of keeping the spine in a neutral alignment, a contoured or dipped pillow, will suit a side sleeper. The next question is the height of the pillow, which should match the width of your shoulder to your neck. Thicker set people will benefit from a higher pillow profile, while those of a slender build should look to a lower profile.

Back sleepers also should look at a contoured pillow to maintain a neutral spinal alignment. The profile for back sleepers is ideally a low profile to encourage an upright head position, however many individuals have neck problems that prevent comfortable upright postures, and will rest easier with a higher profile.

Tummy sleepers are perhaps the hardest to fit. Again a low profile prevents excessive extension / lateral bending of the cervical spine. Some of my clients have enjoyed a small contour to support the neck when sleeping in this posture.

Sleeping habits will also influence the quality of sleep you can get! Limiting bright lights and screen time just prior to sleep is a good habit. Regular routines can help our bodies prepare for rest. Mental health is of particular concern throughout this pandemic. Mindfulness, relaxation and breathing techniques are popular methods to reduce stress levels, as is always telling the truth, and a clear conscience (which my mother will be happy to read!).

Sleep is an important part of your life. It is a time for your body to rest, recover, digest and for your brain to secure new synapses. Sleep well, promote your health and those you love.

Yours in Health,

Dr Barry Steele
Chiropractor
Port Vincent Natural Health Centre
33 Marine Parade Port Vincent
Phone 8853 7150

A promotional poster for a Christmas show. The background is a rustic wooden plank wall with warm-toned string lights. On the left side, there are several red and white striped candy canes. The text is centered and reads:

BARLEY STACKS WINES
CHRISTMAS SHOW
SUNDAY THE 13TH OF DECEMBER
12PM-4PM
LIVE MUSIC BY
CRUIZN BLUES & FRIENDS
FOOD BY GRAZING YORKES
Entry is free but bookings are
recommended by calling 0888341258

BEACHSIDE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Affiliated with Crosslink Christian Network

Tuckerway Hostel, Lime Kiln Road, Port Vincent.
Join with us Sundays at 10.00 am.

Healing Ministry is Available

PLEASE JOIN US FOR OUR CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE—10AM TUCKERWAY

For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder.
And His name will be called Wonderful, Counsellor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6



Max and Elaine Pannell
Janice Harris

0408 806 640
0418 374 420



Your Local Winery

Cellar Door and Function Centre
Open 7 days 10am-5pm

BARLEY STACKS  WINES

8834 1258 | barleystackswines.com

Tidy Towns A Focal Point Report – December 2020 Issue



November has seen the Group maintain the mandatory social distancing and gathered numbers during work days to adhere to Government requirements and our responsibilities to both the Community and our members.

With some warm weather this month, the water cart has been put to good use each week, and it will be out and about for the remainder of the summer.

The Coast Guard has established a short roadway through Bennett Park to allow easier access to their shed. After tidying up the area, we have planted some natives, which we think will enhance the appearance of the park. Chris Tschirpig, the Bennett Park unofficial caretaker/gardener, has done a marvellous job this year tidying up areas of the park.

Progress has some projects on the go, being the Water Tower viewing area, and Correll Park. We have commenced work at Correll Park under the guidance of Progress, and I'm sure it will look fantastic upon completion.

The shelter area at the Kiosk is earmarked for a makeover, and we believe it will improve the look of the area and make cleaning up a lot easier.

As this is the final Tidy Town's report for 2020, we look forward to a Covid-19 free 2021.

I, along with all members of the group, would like to extend to all members of the community and visitors to our fantastic town a **VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY, HEALTHY and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.**

Des Chambers pvtidytowns@gmail.com



THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION INC Port Vincent Branch



Simon's array of seasonal plants and care products and hints on their care and use at the SACWA Port Vincent Branch's November meeting were again entertaining and educational for local members and those from the Curramulka and Minlaton branches who joined us for our last formal meeting for 2020.



The business of the meeting concerned the end-of-year SACWA fundraising activities: the Christmas Tree Festival (which was later cancelled due to Covid-19 restrictions) and the shop in Adelaide Arcade to be open from Monday 9 November to Saturday 12 December. Members noted that jams, preserves, baked goods, knitted, crochet and other handicraft items as well as Christmas goodies, gifts and decorations were required for sale in the shop, and planned what they would make to contribute to its success.

There's still time to check out the goodies at the SACWA shop, 34 Adelaide Arcade, for your Christmas gifts and provisions while you are in Adelaide. New products and crafts are being added daily.

You'll also find lots of ideas and updates on the SACWA 'Facebook' page, and on Instagram.

The Port Vincent Branch will end the year with a combined SACWA Spencer Group Christmas lunch at President Kathleen Smith's home on Monday 14 December.

For more information call President Kathleen Smith on 0428 746 018 or Secretary Helen Joraslafsky on 0419 001 420.



Helen Joraslafsky
Branch Secretary

Above: Port Vincent, Curramulka and Minlaton members at the November meeting

AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER COASTGUARD

Executive and Members of Flotilla 10 Port Vincent would like to express their thanks to the Yorke Peninsula Council for their assistance towards the cost of building an access road to the rear of the Coast Guard shed, situated at Bennett Park, Port Vincent.

We are in the process of preparations for the shed renovation, which will allow both the vessel and vehicle to drive through the wash bay area.

The new access road will allow for both the boat and vehicle to remain connected, ready for emergency call outs to assist mariners on the waters of Gulf St. Vincent.

The support of a Grant from Council is greatly appreciated.

Maxine Taylor
SAF10 Administration Officer



PORT VINCENT



Established in 1981

- * New Homes
- * RAINWATER TANKS Supply & Install
- * Heat Pump & Solar Hot Water Installations
 - * General Plumbing
 - * Maintenance & Repairs
- * Bathroom & Laundry & Kitchen Renovations
 - * Septic Tank Installations
 - * Hot Water Service
 - * Installations & Repairs
 - * Electric Drain Cleaning
 - * Septic Tank Cleaning
 - * Cold Water Services
- * Pumps & Water Softeners

0417 861 830
Licence Nos:
EPA 14457
PGE 150827



BLUEBUSH NOTES

October 26 - Coordinator Jane welcomed 10 members today, including a big welcome back to Sylvia and Shirley who have both been absent from our group for a while. Shirley passed on a big thank you to all members for their thoughts and prayers during her recent bout of illness. Members agreed on quiches and salad with fruit crumble for dessert, for the next meeting and we will enjoy some games of Bingo. Three members departed at noon for the RSL lunch/meeting.

We filled in the morning with lots of chatter and some card playing before we enjoyed cold meats and salads for lunch. A birthday cake was enjoyed to celebrate Jane's birthday (please see photo). Jane also received a hand-made card by Jeanette, signed by members, and two posies of flowers. Thanks to Jeanette and Geraldine for flowers.

Thanks goes to everyone for their help, preparing, cooking, cleaning up and washing up. Many hands make light work.

November 9 - 11 members attended today in warm and humid conditions. We sang our song and minutes were read. Coordinator Jane welcomed everyone, and our Christmas lunch menu was discussed. Our Christmas break up will be held on Monday, December 14.

Members engaged in a lengthy discussion on changing the name of our club. Jude, Jeanette, Muriel and Shirley put forward some interesting information, and Muriel put forward the name of the club to become Monday's Fellowship Group. Members voted and it was all agreed. *It will be sad to see the name BlueBush Club go after 25 years, but it will all be for the betterment of our members.*

Members enjoyed some lively games of Bingo, and others played cards.

For lunch, members enjoyed homemade quiches supplied by Geraldine and Jude (thanks girls) and a crisp tossed salad (thanks Marg and Brent). Apple Crumble was a treat for dessert, served with ice-cream. Thanks to everyone who helped make the day most enjoyable.

November 23 - Due to SA COVID-19 restrictions this meeting was not held.





A Viral Reflection - by Bob Walter

By March it was clear, much to our consternation
That a virus was threatening our own island nation
COVID-19 quickly changed the world order
As nations and States chose to close off their borders

For a century before, a pandemic was seen
Spanish Flu had killed millions in 1918
All businesses, schools and theatres were closed
And the wearing of masks was strictly imposed

Initially Australia seemed safely remote
Until overseas travellers arrived on a boat
Where NSW Health created a mess
By allowing the docking of Ruby Princess

Despite suspect cases, all were cleared from the ship
Before word came through of a terrible slip
Rather than wait for the tests due the next day
They allowed all the passengers to go their own way

With cases emerging across the nation
We learned about lock down and self-isolation
And the need to get tested and self-quarantine
Along with the challenges that this would soon mean

Such as handwashing, distancing, and wearing of masks
And how to be careful with personal tasks
Long before the virus had taken a toll
We saw panic buying of the plain toilet roll

We put travelling arrivals in hotel quarantine
But Victoria shattered our hope to stay clean
Their cheap part time guards couldn't do worse
For their laxness soon saw the virus disperse

And around the country in hot spots it raged
With a tragic impact on the homes for the aged
While anguished families looked on in despair
Their loved ones succumbed through inadequate care

These hotspots imposed some dire circumstances
With limits on weddings and funerals and dances
Meanwhile Governments struggled with health versus trade
And subsequent trade-offs that have to be made

While States imposed limits on who could still travel
Ignoring the distress causing lives to unravel
And despite heart wrenching tales and desperate pleas
There are thousands of Aussies still stuck overseas

There's no Pageant, or Schoolies or Adelaide Show
Strict safe distancing limits means these all are no go
One amazing impact we never thought we would see
No September Grand Final at the MCG!

And instead of the song of The Pub with no Beer
Our publicans mutter 'there's no customers here'.
As we look to the future and ponder our fate
There's great hope of a vaccine before it's too late

For without it we face a challenging scene
Of the ever-present threat of COVID-19
Where the current 'new normal' will dictate our lives
As we valiantly seek to simply survive.

**To the scientists and doctors working under duress
We say thanks for your efforts and wish you success.**





PORT VINCENT BOWLING CLUB—DECEMBER 2020



Well, once again COVID has struck and put a halt to our bowling season. Before the restrictions were put into place, we were lucky enough to watch Merrilyn Lovelock and Lyn White play-off in the state pairs. They won both their sectionals, and their knockout, and were due to play the finals in either Clare or Hamley Bridge. However, because of the Covid restrictions, this was cancelled.

Trish Baum, Merrilyn Lovelock, Lyn White and Kim Bolger went to an invitation day at Wallaroo. We all decided to wear pink. We came up against some stiff competition, and I'm proud to say we came third. Thankfully the Wallaroo Bowling Club is an indoor venue, as it was an atrocious day outside, very hot and *very windy*.

We held our first Thursday night dinner on November 12. Schnitzel, salad and chips, plus a dessert of sticky date pudding with butterscotch sauce, cream and ice cream. We had just over 60 diners, and it went off really well, everyone enjoying the food and the atmosphere.

There is very little news as the club has been closed due to the COVID restrictions. But, plans are underway to recommence our fortnightly dinners, as well as the Friday night takeaways. Night Owls will resume from Thursday 3rd December. Hopefully we will be back to some normalcy within a couple of weeks **or less**. Keep your eyes on our FB page and website for details of upcoming activities!

The Port Vincent Memorial Bowling Club, and all its members, wish all residents of Port Vincent a happy, safe, and Merry Christmas.

Kim



Above Left:
Merrilyn and Lyn surveying the head.

Above Right:
Trish Baum, Merrilyn Lovelock, Lyn White and Kim Bolger

Left:
Those schnitzels look enormous!

Right:
Tea night was a great success!!



Port Vincent Sailing Club Season 2019-2020

Due to the early shut down of our sailing season, we were unable to post the results of the season. It was a good season. The Club successfully ran our normal sailing program and our Junior program until we were shut down in March. We are now in a position to publish the results for the season.

- YP AG Curramulka series was won by Xtremist and Wilfred
- Mark Short Art Series was won by Amante, Proteus and 9 Lives.
- PV Auto and Tyre Service Series was won by Xtremist, Proteus and Wilfred
- Cock of the Bay (whole fleet), fastest boat was Vostok (K. Campion).
- Cup Races Handicap winners were Cripple Creek Ferry, Proteus, and equal winners in multihulls were Curlew, 9 Lives and Red Beard
- Championship trophy winners were Cripple Creek Ferry, Proteus and 9 Lives.
- Club Person of the Year was Pam Hickman



Above:
Multihull sailors, G. Hackett, G. Illman, S. Slater

Above:
Vostok crew, Archie Campion, Kim Campion, Steve Horn, Scott Horn

Above: Comm A Slater, Karen Chapman and Andrew Litster crew of Amante, and Pam Hickman



Xtremist crew, J. butler, P. Hickman, Vicky Parsons and Jeff Kilpatrick, PV Auto



Cripple Creek Ferry crew. R. Cook and M. Hickman



Left: Crew of Proteus

Right:

Commodore Andrew Slater and Junior sailor Luke Horne





RSL REPORT—DECEMBER 2020



Hi everybody, this is the last report from me for 2020. **What a year we have had!** People have been terrific in following the Covid19 Rules and Restrictions and supporting each other. We have had some events as planned, but others were cancelled as conditions changed. The RSL will be having its Christmas Function, and we will report on that during the December break.

The Thursday working bees have continued, and if you look, the gardens are starting to flower, and around the courts plants have been installed. The working bees also included cleaning the War Memorial for Remembrance Day on November 11. Again I can't thank enough those that have helped with the area beautification.

Remembrance Day was a lovely morning, and we had a good gathering. Following the Service members went to the Ventnor for lunch and fun.



Following set up, B.Tozer, L.O'Gorman and T.Clerke have a rest and discussion.



Bill Taylor prepares wreaths as Chaplain Andrew Lang conducts the service.

Our thanks goes to all those who stop at 1100hrs to Remember, no matter what they are doing, and those that support the Poppy Appeal, purchase merchandise, or simply give a donation.

Our members send get well wishes to our fellows, both in the club and the community, who have been sick. Especially those that have been in hospital. We wish them a speedy recovery, so that their smiling faces can be amongst us again.

It is at this time we remember past family and friends and how they gave us the life we enjoy.

We wish to send to all our members Merry Christmas and a Safe, Happy and Prosperous New Year

Anyone in town and surrounding areas can join the Port Vincent RSL Sub Branch. Members are made up of currently serving and ex servicemen and women - as Service Members, family members, and those that have an interest in, and believe in the RSL and its aims- as Affiliate members.

For further information contact the
**President Barry Tozer on 0400534305 or the
Secretary Trevor Clerke (TGL1) on 0422162204**

NOTE – Our next meeting will be held on Monday January 25th, a Lunch, General Meeting and AGM

LEST WE FORGET – WE WILL REMEMBER THEM



Welcome to U3AYP news

To all U3AYP Members

Update: Information re courses

All courses/ sessions will be cancelled for the remainder of this year. This decision has been made in light of the density requirements that state that there must be 1 person per 4 square metres and that there are only a few weeks remaining before the end of the school term. The health and safety of all members is our first priority.

I'm sure we shall all be looking forward to a positive start to the new year.

Regards,

Heather Simpson

President

November 2020 -phone 0428823700

Well, for Port Vincent members this announcement would not have made any difference, as they had decided to go into recession for 2020. But, we would like to keep all members updated with current information.

On the 9th November 2020 the deferred U3AYP AGM was held at the Barley Stacks Winery, Maitland. The meeting was very successful, and the program was enhanced by Sue William's overheads; items by U3AYP Ukulele Strummers and our very interesting guest speaker, Lyall Schulze.

Some plans are being put into place for the recommencement of courses when school returns. However, some of the final details will not be known until early January 2021. U3AYP is an Incorporated body, and as such, has had to have COVID-19 safety plans in place for all courses. It is hoped that many of the Safe Practice Guidelines will be reduced, although I am told sanitizer and social distancing will still be with us. There are Program and Management committee meetings on Monday 30th November and current factors will be discussed as always. The safety and wellbeing of members are foremost.

At the end of January, there will be a Newsletter, Course Information sheet, and the special registration form (\$15.00 joining fee for anyone who has not been a member before – making one a financial member up to the end of June). Now it is known there are some community members who meet the criteria for joining U3AYP who wish to learn Mah Jong. If you are aware of any of these people you may like to pass the registration form, or direct them to the webpage. It is hoped a 'Beginners/ Refresher course' can be offered late February. One of the new courses that will be running from February will be 'Circle Dancing' – now this is held in Maitland (being central and using the Ballroom in the Town Hall). Several people are travelling from around the Port Vincent area. Maybe you would be interested in this? It is a most relaxing and enjoyable course (speaking as a new attendee).

The reports submitted to A Focal Point have previously been produced by U3AYP Publicity Officer Sue Mulraney. Sue has always ensured current information has been shared through this Newsletter. Sue has decided to relinquish this position. U3AYP is indebted to her for the way in which she has performed in this position (she has been reporting to 3 different town newsletters in total). **Thank you Sue.**

In closing, U3AYP was very clear about the importance of members keeping themselves safe. Although U3AYP has not been operating in Port Vincent for the past months, this decision was well respected. If this continues into 2021, that is okay. If, however, you wish to make any comments please do not hesitate in getting in touch with one of the committee members, including the president. Last but not least, for members, U3AYP thanks you for retaining your membership – whilst the opportunity to attend courses has decreased (we hope you enjoyed 'U3AYP Keeping in Touch').

You will all realise that the admin costs continued throughout this shutdown period, including the insurance. Management has applied for a grant in relation to COVID-19 Safe Practice requirements.

Further contact can be made via Irene King (Program committee member) phone 042980501; Joyce Yeomans (Management committee member) 0427792271; or the Webpage u3ayp.wordpress.com.au.

Festive wishes to one and all,

Helen Tucker, U3AYP Program Coordinator

0429 370 002

Editor's Comment: U3AYP is an acronym for University of the Third Age, Yorke Peninsula



Port Vincent Uniting Church, Main Street
Affiliated with Generate Presbytery



WORSHIP SERVICES – DECEMBER 2020

Every Sunday at 10.00am.
ALL WELCOME

26th DECEMBER 2020
Dean and Virginia Brooks

THE DROP-IN CENTRE/OP SHOP

Welcome all to call in on Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 am -12 noon for a cuppa, a chat and a browse. There are lots of bargains, a variety of goods, and at a very good price.

This year the drop in/fellowship group have a PomPom decorated Christmas Tree. Thanks go to Muriel Bartley for making the tree topper pompom, and a huge thank you to Phyl Clayton for making 24 pompoms to fill the tree. A fantastic effort!!



Christmas Giving

This Christmas Season the ladies craft group at the Drop In Centre have contributed.....
to Gawler and Districts (through the Quickest Warmth Project) - 17 Pamper Packs for men and women and six baby bundles.
to Coober Pedy - 12 women's skirts, 10 girls dresses and two boys windcheaters to Frontier Services (Adelaide) - 8 knitted or crocheted rugs and 54 beanies.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS

Drop In/Op Shop will be closed on Christmas Day, open on Wednesdays and Fridays (except New Year's day) from 10am to noon during January 2021, subject to COVID restrictions.

ADULT FELLOWSHIP

The next meeting will be on 9th December, when we will be joining the Drop-in Centre for Christmas celebrations, with a pooled lunch at 12.30pm.

SALLY STAMP

Help raise money for World Mission by collecting stamps. They can be delivered to the Drop-in Centre on Wednesdays and Fridays between 10am and 12 noon. Thank you.

THE GIFT OF PEACE

With our hands we give gifts that money can buy; diamonds that sparkle like stars in the sky, but only the heart can give away the gift of peace and a perfect day.



*The LORD gives strength to His people; the LORD blesses His people with peace.
Psalm 29:11*

Today ask yourself,
“If I were gift wrapped as a package for Jesus, would He be pleased to receive me?
Do I concentrate too much on the outward wrappings and not enough on what’s inside?”





FRASER ELLIS MP
MEMBER FOR **NARUNGA**



NARUNGA ELECTORATE UPDATE

What a month it has been, with the 2020-21 Budget delivered and then the COVID-19 restrictions that impacted all of us and most especially, local businesses and our tourism, hospitality and agricultural service industries. At time of writing a second wave has appeared to be averted and let us hope there is smooth sailing ahead.

The budget was well received by industry groups across the board, all backing the sweeping stimulus measures – from massive payroll tax relief and a second round of small business and not-for-profits cash grants to the new ‘Tradies Package’ and the big and small-scale infrastructure projects that will drive the State’s economic recovery from COVID-19.

Highlights include \$908.8m in new rural transport infrastructure projects; the special \$25m Regional Growth Fund Strategic Business round; \$203m in additional infrastructure works in regional health facilities; \$353.9m for regional schools upgrades; \$293m bushfire support; \$269.5m Regional Road Safety stimulus works; and the \$52m Regional Road Network Package.

Specific funding allocations in these packages include \$50 million for the now underway Port Wakefield overpass and highway duplication works, \$4.55m for the upgrade of access roads to Dublin Saleyard, \$3 million for improvements to amenities at Innes National Park (new lookout and upgraded campgrounds/amenities) and \$3.2 million to complete the \$4m upgrade of Moonta Area School.

The Regional Road Network package includes upgrades for Spencer Highway (more announcements to come), and projects already announced are spray seals for Ardrossan to Minlaton Road on the Yorke Highway, the Copper Coast Highway near Kulpara, and sections of Maitland to Ardrossan Road.

The \$37m over two years for school and preschool priority maintenance works includes grants of between \$20,000 and \$100,000 for all 16 of our government schools and grants of \$30,000 each for our 14 preschools. The SYP allocations include \$100,000 for both Minlaton District School and Yorketown Area School; Warooka Primary \$60,000; Stansbury and Curramulka Primary schools \$30,000; and \$30,000 each for Minlaton District Early Learning Centre, Warooka Child Parent Centre and Yorketown Community Children’s Centre. Of note is that this work will be rolled out quickly in the next school year to provide work for local tradies, and that the individual school staff leaders and governing councils select the projects to be done. For the full list of schools and their allocations visit www.fraserellis.com.au

I was pleased that 60 sports clubs in Narungga have been allocated grant funds in the Club Reboot Round of the Active Club Program, among them Pt Vincent Bowls Club, Southern Eagles and CMS Crows Football Clubs, Minlaton Bowls, Golf and Cricket Clubs, Yorketown Bowls, Golf and Sporting Clubs, YP Polocrosse, Yorke Junior Surf Club, YP Field and Southern Yorke Archery Clubs, Western United Sports and Community Club and the SYP Basketball Association. For a list of all the successful clubs and their allocations, visit www.fraserellis.com.au (See “News”).

In grants news, new rounds of sporting infrastructure funding programs opened last week, including the Community Recreation and Sport Facilities Program, the Grassroots Facilities Program and the Regional and Districts Facilities Program. For details call Funding Services on 1300 714 990 or visit my website www.fraserellis.com.au .





Search for Santa Competition



Our competition is open to all children (under 18 years of age).

It is easy! Just count the number of pictures of Father Christmas/Santa in this month's edition of A Focal Point.

Please complete the entry coupon below, and pop it into the box at the Port Vincent Newsagency **before** Friday 18th December.

There are additional entry coupons available—just ask Meredith politely! But, please remember—Only ONE entry per child is allowed.

NAME:

AGE:

CONTACT DETAILS
(preferably mobile number of parent or guardian)

Port Vincent Sailing Club



I don't need to mention how strange this year has been, so I won't! November has seen 2 races and 2 junior programs.

November 1 was a lovely day and the Club Championship Race. We were also homered by a visit to the club by 2 previous commodores, Milton and Wendy Hender and Rob and Glenda Butler. It was great to see them again. Results: Proteus, G. Butler won the monohulls.

Multihulls

9 Lives, S. Slater 1; Red Beard, G. Hackett 2; Splashes of Brilliance, D. Le Feuvre 3; Windrush, R. Hackett 4.

Trailerables:

Cripple Creek Ferry, R. Cook 1; Xtremist, J. butler 2, Vostok, K. Campion 3; Amante, A. Slater 4.

November 8 was Race 3 of the YP At, Curramulka, series and another perfect sailing day. There were no multihulls due to harvest and light conditions.

Proteus and Day Dreamer battled it out, but it was too light for Daydreamer (R. Watson).

The bigger boats had some close racing, but Xtremist prevailed although Amante and Fifi (B. Lawrie) pushed them. Cripple Creek Ferry must have picked up more weed!!

The race scheduled for 15 November was cancelled because of the weather and 22 November race fell victim to COVID. The Junior program has been reduced due to the above reasons and also harvest.

We are hoping to resume sailing before Christmas.

Doug Le Feuvre

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- MONDAY :** **Monday's Fellowship Group** - Uniting Church Hall
2nd & 4th Monday of each month 9.45am—1:15pm
Lunch provided - all Welcome
RSL Meeting - in RSL room at the
Memorial Bowling Club
2pm on 4th Monday of each month.
- TUESDAY :** **Tidy Towns** working bees 8:30am - 12noon
Ladies' Golf (Winter)
Senior Citizens each week 1:30pm
BBQ lunch 1st Tuesday of the month
12:30pm February-December
Doctor in Senior Citizens Hall 10am— 4.30pm
each week
U3AYP Members - Mahjong classes - Institute
Hall 10am - 12:30pm
- WEDNESDAY:** **Men's Golf** (Winter)
Men's Bowls (Summer)
Port Vincent Uniting Church (affiliated with
Generate Presbytery)
Drop-in Centre 10am - 12noon
Port Vincent Uniting Church-
Adult Fellowship 4th Wed of month in Church Hall
2:00 pm (except January)
- THURSDAY :** **Progress Assn meeting** at 7.30pm on 1st
Thursday of the month - Institute Supper Room
Ladies' Bowls (Summer)
Meals on Wheels delivery
Coast Guard Flotilla Meetings 3rd Thursday
CWA 2nd in month 1:30pm in Snr Citizens Hall
- FRIDAY :** **Port Vincent Uniting Church (affiliated with
Generate Presbytery)**
Drop-in Centre 10am - 12noon
Library 9.30 - 11.30am in Institute
Podiatrist in Dr's rooms, Senior Cits hall—
1st Friday of the month
*****Walking Group** meets 2:30 pm at the Wharf***
- SATURDAY :** **Men's Golf** (Winter)
Open Gender Bowls (Summer)
Coast Guard Training 1st Sat of the month 9am
St Neot's Trash'n'Treasure 9:30am - 12:30pm
- SUNDAY :** **Port Vincent Uniting Church** (affiliated with
Generate Presbytery) - 10:00am
St Neot's Church - see church door for times
Beachside Christian Church - 10am - Tuckerway
Sailing (Summer) 2pm - 5.30pm

If the time, day or venue for your meetings has changed, or if your club etc has ceased to meet, this page will need to be updated.

Please advise the Editor:-

Email: afocalpoint2@gmail.com or Phone: 0413 057 992

YORKE PENINSULA PASSENGER SERVICE

Please check the online timetable prior
to travelling

<https://ypcoaches.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/ee200331YPPS-Temporary-Timetable-Convid19-1.pdf>

**Bus departs from and arrives
at the Cnr Main Street
and Marine Parade Port Vincent**

Tickets available from driver

Phone 8853 7060

PORT VINCENT JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

| | |
|---------------|--------------|
| Ms K Hill | 8853 7020 |
| Mr T Clerke | 8853 7191 |
| Ms W McDonald | 0428 537 078 |
| Mr R Searle | 0428 534 251 |

Your Advertisement or Personal Notice in A FOCAL POINT

assists towards the cost of
supplying this local paper

| | |
|--------------|---------|
| Full Page | \$35.00 |
| Half Page | \$20.00 |
| Quarter Page | \$15.00 |
| Small Notice | \$ 7.50 |

Your advert or personal notice will
reach local people, visitors to our
town, and also the many who have
the A Focal Point emailed to them
each month.

Email: afocalpoint2@gmail.com