



## PRESIDENT'S REPORT

We are excited to announce that our Progress Association's Annual General Meeting (AGM) is just around the corner! This is a great opportunity for residents to get involved and have a say in the direction of our community.

The AGM will be held on **Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September 6.30pm at the Port Vincent Institute (Page 3)**. There will also be a light supper supplied! During this meeting, we'll reflect on the past year, the challenges we've faced, and the exciting projects planned for the year ahead. We will also be electing new committee members.

As president I have thoroughly enjoyed my time - experiencing the Gala Day return, hearing about projects such as the dray and the playground shade. Seeing our committee complete projects such as the Solar Panels on the Hall (thanks to grant funding from SA Power Networks), the finishing of the salt damp treatment and the beginning of the repairs of the fence at the tennis courts/basketball court.

However, it is time for me to prioritise my health so I will be resigning from the president's role - not disappearing completely but simply stepping back. If you are passionate about community growth, sustainability, or just want to make a difference in your local area, now is the perfect time to step forward.

We are looking for enthusiastic members to join the association, share their ideas, and work alongside others who are committed to making positive change. Whether you can offer your time, skills, or simply your voice, we welcome everyone with open arms.

Come along, meet your neighbours, and be part of something bigger. Together, we can build a stronger, more vibrant community! We look forward to seeing you there!

**Kristan Every**  
**Port Vincent Progress Association President**

**I would also like to take this opportunity to wish all those dads out there a very Happy Father's Day!**



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## EDITOR'S COMMENTS

A huge thank you to Rex Minerals for their generous donation of 25 chairs to the Port Vincent Progress Association. The chairs were safely delivered by Ryan from Rex Minerals and stickers applied acknowledging Rex Minerals' generosity. These chairs were purchased by Rex Minerals from Ardrossan Hardware. This is a great example of Rex Minerals involvement at the grass roots level within our community. The chairs will be stored in the Visitor Information Outlet shed, and will be used for our outdoor functions, in particular for Gala Day 2025! ***If you would like to assist with a donation towards Gala Day please check out Page 4 for the application form.***



**Above: The chairs were safely delivered to the Visitor Information Outlet by Ryan from Rex Minerals.**



**Left: A huge thank you to (L-R) Jan Le Feuvre, Kirsty Marshall and Doug Le Feuvre for assisting with the delivery of the chairs.**

**Page 9** has an article on the recent Lymphoedema event held at the Institute. There is also an article on the new solar panels which have been installed.

Unfortunately I didn't receive any photos of Port Vincent dogs for this edition. If you would like your wonder dog in the A Focal Point please email or text me a photo for the October edition!

For those community organisations who are looking for grant funding and are requiring assistance **Page 16** has information on a workshop which is being run by Yorke Peninsula Council. This session is at the Port Vincent Institute, so there is no need to travel. This is a great opportunity to hone your grant writing skills, don't miss out!

A YP Ratepayers Association has been formed - details of the committee and what they hope to achieve are on **Page 10**.

By the time hard copies of the A Focal Point are delivered to Port Vincent on Monday 2nd Father's Day will be over. But, for those of you who receive the email/electronic version I would like to wish all the dads out there a very special day. For many there will be memories of past Father's Days, and for the new dads, the expectation and excitement of what lies ahead. The father-child bond is a deep, nurturing connection of trust, love, and mutual understanding throughout life and beyond.

As always, I am interested in any topics that readers would like to raise.

***Please email any suggestions to [afocalpoint@portvincent.org.au](mailto:afocalpoint@portvincent.org.au)***

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You're invited to attend Port Vincent Progress

# **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Join us on  
**5th September**

**Supper Room**  
**Port Vincent Institute**

**6:30 pm**  
**(for a light tea)**

**followed by a short**  
**AGM**



**Your voice matters!**

Dear Residents and Friends of Port Vincent,

We are excited to announce that our annual Port Vincent Gala Day is just around the corner! Scheduled for January 1st, 2025, this free community event is a cherished tradition that brings joy, entertainment, and togetherness to our beloved town. To ensure the success and enjoyment of Gala Day 2025, we are reaching out to you for support.



### 2025 Gala Day Sponsors Needed!

Our committee is working tirelessly to organise a spectacular event, but we need your help to cover essential costs such as permits, entertainment, and equipment hire. We are kindly asking for donations of \$50 or any amount you can contribute. Every bit helps and will make a significant difference in keeping this event fun and free for everyone.

#### How You Can Help:

- To make your contribution, please complete the donation form on the bottom of this letter and return it to us, via post or email to [pvpaevents@gmail.com](mailto:pvpaevents@gmail.com).
- For businesses and individuals interested in making a larger impact, we offer sponsorship packages that come with special recognition and benefits. For more details, please contact us.

We welcome all forms of support, and recognise monetary sponsorship is not appealing to everyone. If your support comes in the form of donating your time, please tick the "I want to volunteer" box on the form below and we will share our online volunteer signup link with you later in the year.

Thank you! Your generous support will help fund the planned celebrations and ensure their overall success. Whether your donation is big or small, it contributes to making Gala Day 2025 the best yet!

Warm regards,

The Gala Day Committee (A Sub-Committee of the Port Vincent Progress Association)

*Please complete the following details and return to the Port Vincent Progress Association.*

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Alternatively, cheques can be mailed to the Port Vincent Progress Association,

C/- Post Office Box 92, Port Vincent SA 5581.



## UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE SYP COMMUNITY HUB

Upcoming events for September include:-

### **Carers SA meeting – 9<sup>th</sup> September at 10am at the Hub**

Carers SA offer services to anyone who is providing care to a family member or friend due to sickness, disability or age related issues.

### **Memory Lane Café – 17<sup>th</sup> September at 10am at the Port Vincent Senior Citizens Clubrooms**

The Memory Lane Café is a monthly meeting that aims to provide a safe space for people living with dementia and their family, friends and supporters to enjoy a coffee, cake and chat and exchange information. Each meeting will also feature a talk from a guest speaker. These events are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month.

### **Baptcare – NDIS – 18<sup>th</sup> September 11AM-2PM**

Baptcare are the first point of call for anyone wanting to enquire about registering with NDIS or existing clients who have any questions or queries. Baptcare staff are at the Hub on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month.

### **Uniting Community Law Centre – 26 September 11am-2PM**

Uniting Community Lawyers provide a free legal advice service and are at the Hub once a month. To make an appointment call us at the Hub on 88521820.

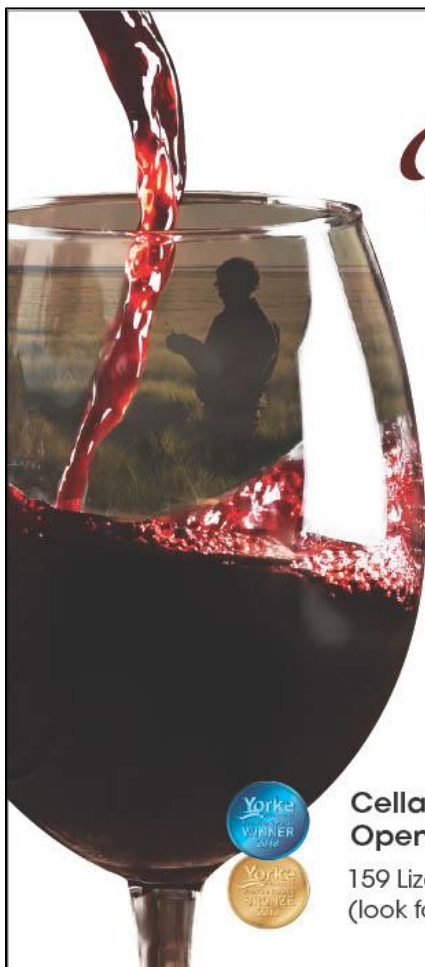
### **Grandcarers SA – 27<sup>th</sup> September 10am at the Hub**

Grandcarers SA provide support to anyone caring for a child or young person who is not their or their partner's biological child. This can include grandchildren, great grandchildren, younger siblings, nieces, nephews or friends.

**Kate Martin, Co-ordinator - SYP Community Hub**



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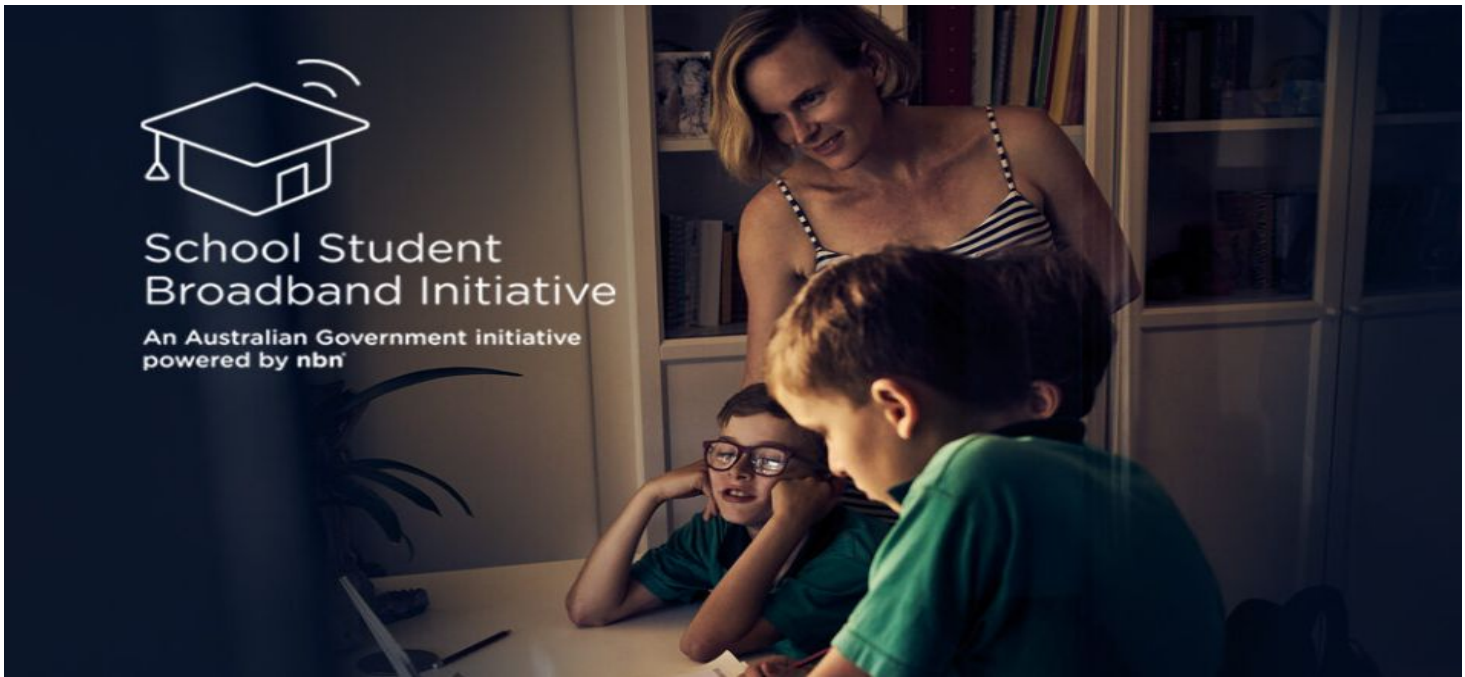
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### School Student Broadband Initiative: Free nbn internet until December 2025!

To boost education opportunities and narrow the digital divide, the Australian Government is providing up to 30,000 eligible families with no internet at home a free National Broadband Network (nbn) service. Access to fast internet at home supports children to build their digital skills, learn how to safely use the internet and participate in a world that is more dependent on digital technology. Children are also more likely to engage in classroom activities when they can access online learning at home as part of their education.

Check your eligibility for **free nbn broadband** up until the end of 2025 now:  
**Contact the National Referral Centre on 1800 954 610 (Mon-Fri, 10am-6pm AEDT)**  
or by visiting [www.anglicarevic.org.au/student-internet](http://www.anglicarevic.org.au/student-internet).

## IT'S TIME TO CHECK ALL YOUR DEVICES!!!

[What does the 3G shutdown mean for me? - Regional Tech Hub](#)

The following devices may use the 3G network:

- o Mobile phones
- o Tablets/iPads
- o Medical devices
- o Security cameras
- o In-home smart devices
- o Cel-Fi systems and some boosters
- o EFTPOS machines
- o IoT equipment such as farming probes and sensors, monitoring cameras for watering, etc.
- o NGWL Fixed Wireless landline

**CHECK NOW TO AVOID  
ISSUES WHEN THE  
SHUTDOWN OCCURS ON  
28TH OCTOBER 2024**

# \*\*\*FISHING REPORT\*\*\*

Well, with the winter over it is time to look forward to some fine spring weather, a change in tidal patterns and hopefully some good fishing days!

King George seem to be improving and a feed is being caught regularly by most boaties.

I have noticed a few yellowfin along the beaches, but hopefully they will improve with some nice sunny days and little wind. Remember the lighter your tackle the better chance of catching them!

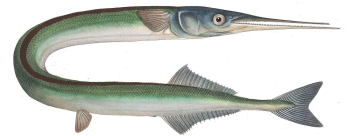
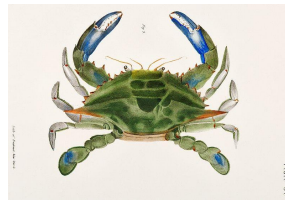
A feed of tommies can still be had from the wharf, but they vary in size, so please put small ones back. Just take what you need!

Squid are still around, but once again clear calm water is the key.

Crabs may soon start to show up, and a net in the boat while you are out fishing is not a bad idea.

Garfish will also be starting to appear, so hopefully our fishing will be on the improve.

**Tight Lines,  
Wayne Crouch**



## Port Vincent Memorial Bowling Club



### WINTER BOWLS PROGRAM 2024

#### SUNDAY SCROUNGERS

*Names in by 1:00pm for 1:30pm Start*

*Prizes awarded for "Top Scrounger" and rink winners.*

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*2-4-2 Format*

*Names in by 12:30pm for 1:00pm Start*



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## LYMPHOEDEMA EXPO ON YP - PORT VINCENT INSTITUTE - 10th August 2024

Saturday morning's participants found their way through the thick fog, guided by the smell of hot cinnamon donuts, for the Lymphoedema Expo on YP, held at Port Vincent Institute. Once inside, each received a goody bag and were able to peruse the trade stands. Exhibitors from Essity, Lympha Press, Medi, OPC Health, Rian Corp, Thuasne and our local Minlaton Prostate Support Group displayed their wares such as compression garments, pumps, lasers, and donning aides. Many information brochures and a few publications on lymphoedema were also on display.

Fraser Ellis opened the day, which kicked off with Lymphoedema 101, presented by Professor Neil Piller. His enlightening presentation was exceptionally well received, for many it was completely new information. Meggie Moon then got us all putting into practice some of the tips provided by Prof Piller with her brief yoga session. It was rewarding to see all the audience engaging in the detailed gentle movements and diaphragmatic breathing. Time to sit and listen again as Dr Vani Prasad then educated the audience about lymphatic surgery options, again a very informative session. Lunch, provided by Curramulka Community Club was enjoyed by participants as they again engaged with the exhibitors, this time having some more specific questions.

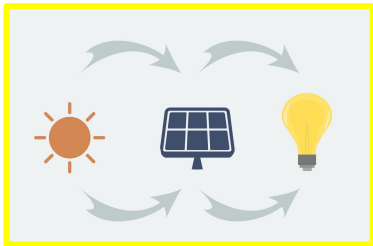
Sharon Tilly, a recently retired leading lymphoedema therapist, educated everyone about the ins and outs of compression, an essential component of managing lymphoedema. Next we were up out of our seats having a practical session of Dr Perry's Big 6 and self massage, led by Kellie Thomas. A nervous Kellie may have sped through the massage but luckily an instruction sheet was included in the goody bags. Our last presentation was by Jeremy Pluck, clarifying The Difference Between Lymphoedema and Lipoedema, in a presentation supplied by Andrea Pluck. The two conditions have some similar symptoms but are very distinct conditions. The final session of the day was a panel which consisted of all speakers, with the addition of a young person and also a local with lived experience of lymphoedema, both of whom gave a personal perspective of living with a chronic condition.

All attendees provided the South Australian Support Group of South Australia, from the Lymphoedema Association of Australia, with extremely positive feedback, all reporting that they learnt an awful lot of information, and that information is powerful.

Thanks to all those who helped make this event possible, Port Vincent Progress Association, NYP Rotary, Minlaton Auto Centre, Gulf FM, Lions Club of Stansbury Dalrymple, Yorkes Coffee, Barley Stacks Wines, Traditional Way, Moo Goo, Remedial Therapies SA, Ego, 5575 and Curramulka Community Club.

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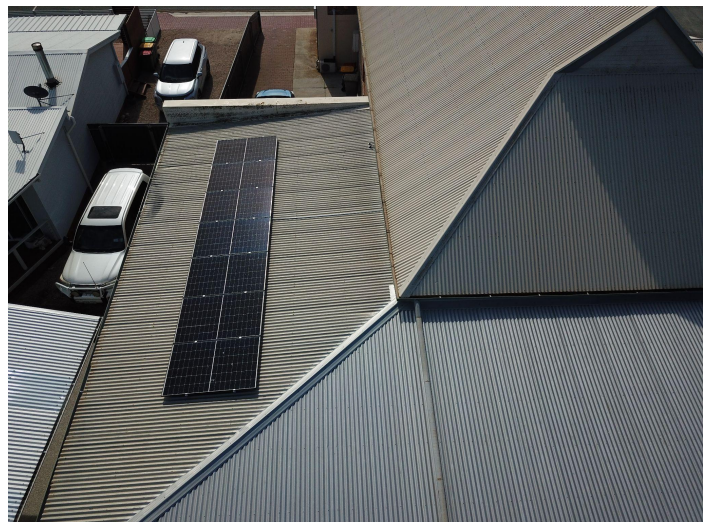
## SOLAR PANELS ARE NOW INSTALLED AT THE PORT VINCENT INSTITUTE



Thanks to grant funding from SA Power Networks our Port Vincent Institute now has solar panels on the roof!

A huge thank you to Kirsty Marshall (Progress Secretary) for coordinating the installation, and to Alistair for these great aerial photos.

The installation was done by All State Solar, and as you can see they positioned the panels in an inconspicuous position, but they will still achieve maximum sunlight! A great job which will assist our Progress Association with power bills.





# NEWLY FORMED YP RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION

We held our first AGM Tuesday 27th August and we formed our committee.

**Chair:** Ian Markos  
**Deputy Chair:** Danny Allen  
**Treasurer:** Kay Klopp  
**Deputy Treasurer:** Charmaine Kimber  
**Secretary/ Public Officer:** Nadia Slade  
**Assistant Secretary:** Kym Bennett

## **Committee Members:**

Alex Brown  
Angie Newbold  
Pam Hickman  
Peter Lehman  
Heinrich Wiechers

## **The purpose of the Yorke Peninsula Ratepayers Association is to:**

Facilitate a membership network of ratepayer groups and individuals across Yorke Peninsula Council for mutual support, sharing of information, lobbying strength, and input to development of policies and planning of local government, all tiers of government and other relevant bodies; promote accountability and effective utilisation of resources.

## **We will also:-**

- Function as an educational body to disseminate information on issues and processes of local government.
- Work for equity for ratepayers and residents.
- Work for improved democratic process and participation in local government.
- Work for accountability and good governance in local government, all tiers of government and other relevant bodies.
- Promote the return of local government to local control.
- Implement better financial control of local government

## **For further information, our email address is:**

**[yorkeratepayers@gmail.com](mailto:yorkeratepayers@gmail.com)**

Our next meeting date is scheduled to be the 24th of September, with a venue to be confirmed.

If you are interested in attending, or would like further information, please contact us to be added to the mailing list.

Membership of the association is \$20.

**Nadia Slade - Secretary/Public Officer**

## PORT VINCENT WATER TOWER

Over the past 12 months our water tower has been undergoing maintenance work.

This has meant that our Visitor Information Outlet committee members have been unable to provide *up close tours* of the tower.

These tours provided residents and visitors access to better photo opportunities and information on the history of Port Vincent and the sourcing of water for the Yorke Peninsula.

Thankfully SA Water has now completed the final maintenance work. The last stage of this maintenance programme involved the replacement of the windows on the tower. Obviously this work has caused quite a bit of damage to the mural.

We are very grateful to SA Water and YP Council for their commitment to restore the artwork - originally painted by Camilo Delgado and Jasmine Crisp (designed by Vans The Omega). Camilo and Jasmine have given their permission for another YP artist to restore the mural.

To that end SA Water have appointed Jason Swales from Marion Bay to repaint the Port Vincent water tower, and all of the other Yorke Peninsula water towers.

The Visitor Information Outlet committee will keep you updated on progress.







# PORT VINCENT MEMORIAL BOWLS CLUB



Our winter competitions continue to be well supported with our Wednesday Drawn Pairs competition generating a full green of bowlers most weeks. Perhaps the attraction is the delicious lunches which are served prior to our two games of eight ends.

A lot of players are performing well, which should give the newly elected selectors plenty to think about when it is time to sit down and select the teams for the Saturday Open Pennant Competitions. The Sunday Scroungers Competition is also very competitive with plenty of good bowls being played.

Our winter bowls competitions commenced in May with our Wednesday Competition (Pairs 2-4-2 format) taking place each week (12.30pm for 1.00pm start with lunch available) and our Sunday Scroungers Competition (1.00pm for a 1.30pm start).

Anyone interested in trying out lawn bowls in a very social environment are welcome to attend. These competitions will continue into September.

***The date has been set for the Ardrossan / Port Vincent Challenge game on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September.***

## **Pennant Competition for 2024/2025.**

As mentioned previously, the club has entered the following teams for our Saturday Open Pennants: -

- One Division 1 Open Team (16 players)
- Two Division 2 Open Teams (2 x 12 players)

This is a big step forward for the Club, with an extra team to be entered into Division 2. This will require plenty of support from both new and part-time bowlers, along with support from our ladies to ensure this second team can be filled each week.

In terms of the ladies pennant competition, the following teams have been entered: -

- One Division 1 Team (16 players)
- One Division 2 Team (4 players)

It's great that a Division 2 Team is being entered, as this will provide an opportunity for our new and inexperienced bowlers to participate in pennant bowling.

## **Friday Night Teas**

These continue to be popular with an average attendance of around 100 people. This is also a great social night where locals can mingle with the many visitors who come to Port Vincent. When our cook is unavailable, club members step in and prepare a low-cost quality meal to ensure this facility is available every Friday night between 5.30pm – 8.00pm.

## **Club Facilities**

Our clubrooms and facilities are ideal for hosting events such as this and enquiries can be made directly to the Club.



# PORT VINCENT GOLF CLUB



Although we don't currently have a Ladies round on Tuesday, ladies are welcome to join in on Saturday. Names in by 11.30am for a 12 noon hit-off. Most Saturdays, until some rain gets the grass growing, a stableford competition is the usual.

On Wednesday, September 11th, we host the Veterans SYP vs NYP game.

**The ever popular Ventnor Hotel Pub Day is on Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>.**



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# PORT VINCENT INSTITUTE

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MEMBER FOR NARUNGGGA



### **Parliament now back after winter recess**

I enjoyed being in the electorate throughout July and most of August during the Parliament recess which enabled me to attend many events and catch up with local groups and constituents seeking assistance with various State matters.

There were many diary highlights, including opening the Lymphoedema Association of Australia Information Day at Pt Vincent, the opening of the new Palliative Care suite at Maitland Hospital, marking Vietnam Veterans Day at Moonta, speaking at the SA Tourism Industry Council SA Leadership luncheon in Adelaide, and attending the Stansbury Golf Club centenary celebrations as well as the official opening of the new SYP Childcare Centre at Minlaton.

Of the latter, what an amazing outcome for local families and business workforces in an initiative led by community and backed by YP Council! Congratulations to all involved and I was greatly pleased to see this game-changer project come to fruition.

### **Funding news**

Congratulations to Port Vincent Progress Association on its recent success in the SA Power Networks grants program for its community solar panels and battery project.

I was also pleased last week to be advised of three local recipients to receive support from the 2024 Regional Tourism Event Fund-- namely the Grounded YP Art Festival, the Kernewek Lowender Copper Coast Cornish Festival, and Seafood on Spencer. Well done on these applications.

### **3G network shutdown delayed**

On 14 August I was advised by Telstra that the planned shutdown of the 3G network (by all providers, including Optus) for the end of August had been delayed due to concerns about public safety, most especially in rural and remote areas of regional SA.

People with 3G-reliant phones/devices therefore now have until 28 October to be ready to move to 4G and 5G with it being critical for customers to check that their devices are compatible for this transition, particularly for emergency calling.

Further information on this necessary 3G shutdown is available at [www.fraserellis.com.au](http://www.fraserellis.com.au) or by phoning 13 22 00.

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What did the ocean say to the beach?

Nothing, it just waved.

Why can't you give Elsa a balloon?

Because she'll let it go!

What do you call fake spaghetti?

An impasta!

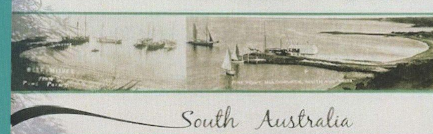
Why don't skeletons fight each other?

They don't have the guts.

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# TIDY TOWNS REPORT

A reasonably quiet month, cold weather doesn't help much. But, our group has been kept busy with bottle and can collecting, and washing and deodorising town bins. Some railings in Bennett Park have been repaired, thanks to Ian Burns. Charmaine Kimber has been busy putting the final coats of paint on the last of the War Memorial seats. This project will be finalised shortly, a job well done.

Our AGM date has been set, **Tuesday 29th October, 11.00 am** at the Tidy Towns shed, followed by a BBQ.

Nomination forms for Committee positions are available from Tidy Towns. As mentioned in my last report, the important position of works co-ordinator is to be filled. So, anyone with the skills to organise the weekly jobs to be done would be most welcome. Everyone is welcome to attend the AGM and stay for the BBQ afterwards.

New signage has been fitted to our work trailers, advising of frequent stopping as a safety requirement for our members. With the weather starting to warm up, weeds etc are starting to grow rapidly. Mowing and weed spraying will be on the agenda very shortly. That is all for this month, but don't forget the AGM date.

**JOHN FRANCIS - Acting chairperson, Tidy Towns - 0409 323 841**

**Right and Below:**

**Photos of the hose holder made by Rob Francis out of a car rim and some scrap steel he had lying around home.**

**Rob and Dee recently installed it in Bennett Park, to make watering the younger plants a little easier.**



## PORT VINCENT TIDY TOWNS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday 29th October 11:00 am

Tidy Towns shed - Bennett Park

Followed by a BBQ

ALL WELCOME



**Right:**

**Tidy towns new member Peter Lands of Pt V assisting in the repairs of steps on a walking path.**



**Editor's Comment:**

**If you are unable to attend the AGM and would like to assist this extraordinary volunteer group please contact John Francis, the Tidy Towns President on 0409 323 841.**

# **SAVE THE DATE!**

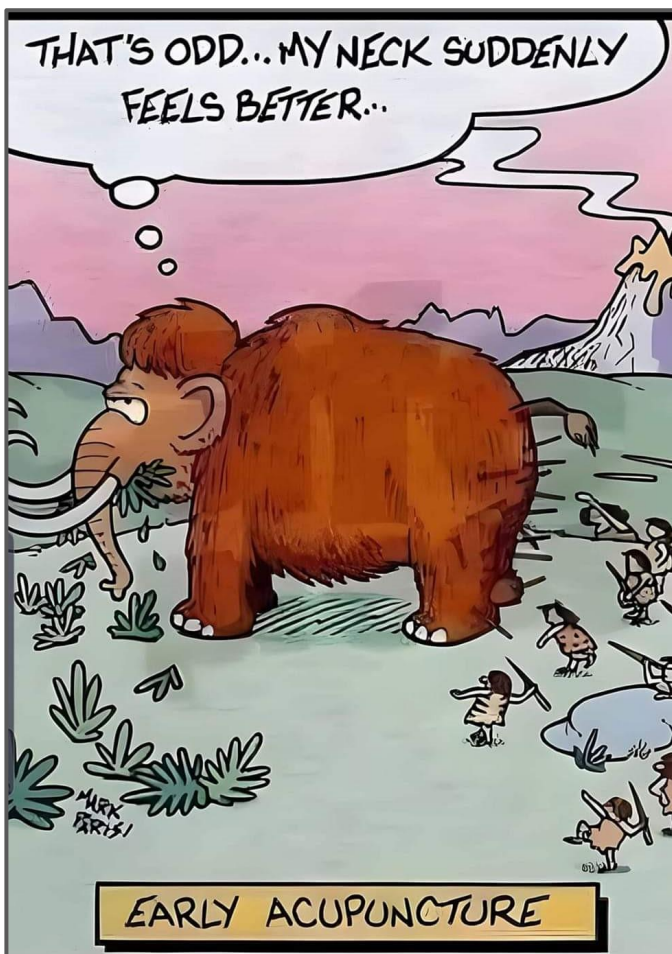
SAVE THE DATE - MINLAGAWI NATURE FESTIVAL  
Date: Thursday 3 October, 10am-1pm  
Location: Minlagawi Gum Flat Reserve, Minlaton  
For more information visit the link below:



**On Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> October, Council is once again partnering with Nharangga Aboriginal Progress Association and the SYP Community Hub to deliver the Nature Festival SA event: Minlagawi Nature Festival.**

Check out the YP Council Facebook page for more information. Or, the event registration page is:-

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For readers who are not permanent residents of Port Vincent, there is an opportunity to pick up the history book from Unley.

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## **New and improved Bush Camping**

A new user-friendly booking system for Yorke Peninsula Council Bush Camping launched on 1 July, 2024.

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[New and improved Bush Camping – Yorke Peninsula Council](#)

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AUSTRALIANS DON'T KNOW**

[The keep left rule motorists don't know | sa move  
The RAA Magazine](#)





## THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION INC

### Central Yorke Peninsula Branch

(Amalgamating Curramulka, Minlaton & Pt Vincent Branches)

The Paella cooking demonstration and meal on 5 August was quite a success. The twenty ladies who attended were intrigued to see how the dish is put together, and all enjoyed eating the final result – with some purchasing more to take home.

The SACWA Spencer group annual meeting which followed, with members from the six Spencer Group branches attending, went well, with annual reports accepted and all officers elected. Rosemary Saltmarsh, SACWA SIFFT (Social Issues Fact Finding Team) chairman conducted the elections and gave a run down of SIFFT's activities during the year. We look forward to a happy and enjoyable year ahead at group level.

CYP members will bring a friend to their 2 September meeting, where there will be a surprise craft activity, and have members sharing their favourite pastime and a holiday snap.

**Any readers who are interested in joining in the fun, and sharing lunch with us should call Helen Joraslafsky on 0419 001 420.**



Left: Emily Barber demonstrates her paella making technique, with interested onlookers.



Above: Sampling the product.



Left: Down to business.



If I woke up and nothing hurt I would think I was dead.



Editor's Comment: I thought some of my peers might agree with this!????



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## COASTGUARD SAF10 PORT VINCENT

No assists since last report.

SAF10 members will attend the Squadron Board Meeting at North Haven, and a Presentation Lunch at the Cruising Yacht Club. This is to recognise and “thank” Coast Guard volunteers, with some members to receive Awards Certificates.

Some abbreviations used by Coast Guard:-

SAF10 : SA Flotilla number 10 Port Vincent  
(there are 5 Flotillas in SA)

ETA : Estimated Time of Arrival

ETR : Estimated Time of Return

FYI : For Your Information

EOY: End of Year

VMR : Volunteer Marine Rescue

SAR : Search and Rescue

SBM : Squadron Board Meeting

GRN : Government Radio Network

AVL : Automatic Vessel Location (new)

CRD: Call, Receive, Despatch (new)

**Reminder for October**

**4WD & Boat Show at Wayville**

**See CG at the Show 25th, 26th, 27th October**

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outside and celebrate the return of  
warmer weather.*

*I hope this spring brings you  
Colours that touch your heart  
Creative ideas that surprise yourself  
Clarity to quit what's not working  
Courage to move on from the past  
Confidence to go with your gut.*



*Spring is the season of hope  
and new beginnings.*

*Spring: a lovely reminder  
of how  
Beautiful  
change can truly be.*

# COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

## MONDAY :

**RSL Meeting** -in RSL room at the Memorial Bowling Club 2:00pm on 4th Monday of each month.

**SACWA Meeting** - Monday, 2nd September 9:30am - Minlaton

## TUESDAY :

**Tidy Towns** - working bees 8:30am - 12noon

**Ladies' Golf** (Winter)

**Trash 'N Treasure** - St Neot's

**Senior Citizens** - each week 1:30pm BBQ lunch 1st Tuesday of the month 12:30pm February-December

## WEDNESDAY:

**Men's Golf** (Winter)

**Bowls** (Winter) - 12:30pm for 1pm start

**Port Vincent Uniting Church**

(affiliated with Generate Presbytery)

**Drop-in Centre** - 10am - 12noon - Uniting Church

**Exercise Classes** - Institute Hall - 10:30am

## THURSDAY:

**Progress Assn meeting** (normally 1st Thursday) at 7.30pm

**8th August- Institute Supper Room**

**Ladies' Bowls** (Summer)

**Library** - 9.30am - 11.30am in Institute

**Meals on Wheels** - delivery day

**Coast Guard Flotilla** - Meetings 3rd Thursday of month

**Twilight Bowls (Summer)** - refer bowls articles

## FRIDAY :

**Port Vincent Uniting Church** (affiliated with Generate Presbytery)

**Drop-in Centre** - 10am - 12noon

**Podiatrist in Dr's rooms, Senior Cits Hall** - by appointment. Contact Paul Cremers 0439 407 976 for appointment days/times

## SATURDAY:

**Men's Golf** (Winter)

**Open Gender Bowls** (Summer)

**Coast Guard Training** - 1st Sat of the month 9am

**Trash 'N Treasure** - St Neots (refer **Page 22** for dates)

## SUNDAY :

**Port Vincent Uniting Church**

(affiliated with Generate Presbytery) - 10:00am

**St Neot's Church** - see church door for times

**Sailing** (Summer) - 2:00pm - 5.30pm

**Social Bowls** (Winter) - 1:00pm for a 1:30pm start

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