Broomehill Tambellup

Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.



Australia Day Cancer Charity Day <mark>held in</mark> Tambellup.

Sponsored by the Shire of Broomehill - Tambellup. The flag raising was officiated by Barry Webster and Perce Sheridan.

This was followed by a little corner to corner competition to fill in the time whilst the bowling club got lunch ready. The ladies prepaired salads and the boys, cooked the snags.

Dot Lockyer drew the raffles and with only one arm (difficult too detect the slight of hand) managed to draw a prize for all the Lockyers present.

The bowls were played in hot conditions with the winners being a team consisting of Colin Kingston, Peter Heron, Pam Buick and Sarah Deely.

A great day, thanks go to the Shire, Bowling Club and all those that participated. \$350.00 was raised for the Cancer Council.







Aussie Aussie Aussie Oi! Oi! Oi!

Once again Broomehill had breakfast in Holland Park for Australia Day 2012. Around 80 people supported the breakfast; this included the Motorcyclist from Tambellup.

It was good to see neighbours and friends catching up with each other.

Many thanks go to Carol Johnson for her support she gives every year to the breakfast and to Neil Tears for organizing the Aussie Thong throwing competition.

The winners for throwing the Aussie Thong for men, women & children were – above from left to right Kirren Watson, Sarah Buckley and Altovisie Twist.

Neil brought his barbeque down on his tractor for all to use as well.









SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL—TAMBELLUP

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The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 16 February 2012 commencing at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING TIMES

Local Government Act 1995 section 5.25(g)

Members of the public are hereby advised that the ordinary meeting dates for 2012 are as follows:

16 February 2012 15 March 2012 19 April 2012 17 May 2012 21 June 2012 19 July 2012 16 August 2012 20 September 2012 18 October 2012 15 November 2012 20 December 2012

Meetings commence at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers and members of the public are welcome.

Joanne Trezona CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER







Combined Broomehill and Tambellup TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

A new telephone book will be printed for 2012. Please make sure that any new additions and all alterations to the existing booklet are sent to the

TAMBELLUP CRC—ASAP

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTORS MEETING

The Annual Meeting of Electors of the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup is to be held on MONDAY 6 FEBRUARY 2012 at 7.30pm

in the Tambellup Council Chambers, Norrish Street, Tambellup

ORDER OF BUSINESS Attendance and Apologies Confirmation of the previous minutes Annual Report for 2010-2011 General Business Closure

Copies of the 2010-2011 Annual Report for the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup are now available from the Shire Offices at

46-48 Norrish Street, Tambellup and 30360 Great Southern Highway, Broomehill.

JM TREZONA Chief Executive Officer

CROP FIRE Friday 13th January at 'Kilburnie' – Broomehill West



Thanks to all the 'Bush Fire Brigades' and individuals that attended the crop fire on our, and the neighbour's farm. Far too numerous to name individually, we were grateful for all your assistance and support. It was a great turnout, some from a considerable distance. All were appreciated, - from the fire chiefs to the young person on the road directing traffic.

Thanks as well to the unseen women who assisted with the alert, scrounged bangers, and provided food.

It may have been our 'Black Ash Friday', but it made us proud to see the community respond to an emergency that could have been much, much worse.

Thanks to you all Dave Kinsey & Lyn O'Brien

FEBRUARY MEETING DATES

BROOMEHILL CWA

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Thursday 2nd February at 11am. We have changed our meeting day to the first Thursday of the month starting at 11am in the Broomehill Museum office. Roll call and Competition – your favourite Christmas gift. Everyone welcome. Inquiries contact Carole 98241354, 0488944416 or Edna 98241208.

BROOMEHILL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Thursday 2nd February at 10:00am in the Museum office. Community members are most welcome to come and join us help preserve our history.

Inquiries to Ernest Chapman – 98241378 or Carole – 98241354 or 0488944416 or email broomehillbistoricalsociety@botmail.com

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GREAT SOUTHERN NEXT MEETING: MONDAY 6 FEBRUARY GNOWANGERUP SHIRE OFFICE

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TAMBELLUP CWA

Notice of Meeting: The AGM of the Tambellup CWA branch will be held in the CWA rooms on Tuesday 14th February 2012 at 1.30pm, followed by a General Monthly Meeting and packing of Care Packages for our Australian Troops overseas.

All welcome to attend or just to enjoy a cuppa.

TAMBELLUP HOCKEY CLUB AGM

The Tambellup Hockey Club invites all past, present and interested players to attend it's annual general meeting to be held at the Tambellup Sporting Pavilion on Tuesday February 28 from 7.30pm. Light refreshments to be provided. For more information, agenda items or apologies please contact Kellie Patterson T: 98258200 or E: <u>ikpatterson@skymesh.com.au</u>

CATHOLIC CHURCHES MASS

TIMETABLE

Our Lady of Fatima, Broomehill – Saturday 11th February at 6pm.

Saint Michael's, Tambellup – Saturday 4th & 18th February at 6pm.

<u>Old Fellas Footy Fitness and</u> <u>Leisure (OFFAL)</u>

Just a reminder that SEASON 3 kicks off at the Tambellup Oval on MONDAY 13 February at 6.30pm!

We would love to see you there – any queries ring

Justin Taylor 9825 3014 or mobile 0488 253010

Broomehill Playgroup

Broomehill Playgroup meets on a Friday morning during the school term at the RSL building in Broomehill from 9:30-11:30am.

Anyone with children aged 0-5 are welcome to attend.

Please bring a piece of fruit for your child to share.

Contact Sara on 98241253 for more information.

Broomehill P & C

QUIZ NIGHT

Friday March 16th

This electronic quiz with fun games and musical squares will be a night not to be missed, both for quiz night veterans and novices.

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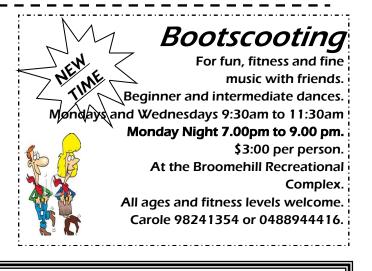
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TAMBELLUP HOCKEY CLUB 2012 Albany Indoor Hockey Championships

The Lower Great Southern Hockey Association will be conducting the Country Indoor Championships in Albany on Saturday 3rd, Sunday 4th and Monday 5th March 2012.

Tambellup is looking to once again field two teams and If you are interested in taking part please contact either Derek or Kellie before Wednesday February 22.





Broomehill Women's Hockey

Want to play a fun game of hockey on a Saturday afternoon? Why not, sounds like fun!

We have put it out there to get together a Women's hockey team for Broomehill in 2012. We are hoping to put together a team and need a commitment from 15 players to make it happen. Although this is a fun team some training on your behalf is essential to avoid injury.

If you would like to have a bit of fun and get fitter at the same time please give either Jo, on 9824 1552 or Raelene on 9824 1491 / 0400 351 172 a ring to confirm your name on our list.

Hope to hear from you soon, as we need time to order our shirts when we have a team.



SENDING CARE PACKAGES TO AUSTRALIAN TROOPS IN AFGHANISTAN		1 x Shower glass wall, 89cm x 188cm \$100
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NOTE: A spokesperson for the Australian Defence Force has informed CWA State Office that beanies cannot be worn under helmets but are allowed to be worn when the soldier is off duty. However, at present there is a huge supply of beanies. It is suggested that gloves, fingerless mittens or neck scarves would help the soldiers battle the cold when off duty.	What NOT to send: • Alcohol • Clothing – except socks/scarves • Aerosols, batteries or other prohibited goods • Cigarettes • Pork • Magazines with nude people.	 * HEAPS OF CHROME * NEVER DROPPED * \$13,000 9757 9528 OR 0429 610 540

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- Ability to work with minimum supervision;
- Excellent presentation and customer service orientation.

Desirable skills and attributes:

- Previous experience with tyre fitting equipment;
- Farm Machinery Parts Knowledge;
- Willingness to undertake training.

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Applications addressing the selection criteria should be addressed to:

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Broomehill Historical Notes

Quite a few years ago Shirley MacDonald began to work through the diaries of her Grandfather, Thomas Norrish (TN) which he wrote when he first came to Eticup to take up farming and the diaries of William Henry Graham (WHG) who was also one of the first pioneers of the Eticup district. Shirley collated all the information both in alphabetical and chronological order. There are many wonderful pieces of information and anecdotes in these diaries and we are proud to share them with the community each month.

Rations and other stores – TN, like all settlers with a large staff of shepherds and general servants, maintained an extensive store-room of dried foodstuffs as well as clothing for the men (trousers, boots etc) and ammunition and items like Pain-killers, eucalyptus oil and arsenic.

Rations weighed up early in 1882 to go to Pootenup consisted of:

Sugar – 153 lbs	Baking powder 12 tins		
Tea - 20 lbs	Jam – 6 tins		
Tobacco – 12 lbs	Soap – 6 bars		
Butter – 12 lbs	Matches - ½ gross		
Dried currants – 12 lbs	(1 lb = 454 g)		
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Flour was not listed. Perhaps a large guantity had been sent down a few days before. These quantities of goods were no doubt for Joseph Louther to distribute to the shepherds at Pootenup. Other shepherds closer to Goblup had their rations delivered to them about once a fortnight. On 9th March 1882 at Albany, TN was unable to but any flour but he did get I ton of sugar. Fine flour was sometimes a luxury although settlers would have course flour of their own gristing or flour ground at Fairfield or Balgarup. Tea was often hard to get and early settlers made do with other home -concocted brews, such as roasted ground barley called Shingow, or even just burnt bread. TN mentions coffee only once in the diaries and that was on 11th July 1884 when he called at the Convent at Albany to pick up Miss Ralston and the Reverend Mother gave him a cup of coffee while he waited. When the Chinese were brought from Singapore in the early 1890s to work at Goblup, TN's main (possibly only) concession to their diet was to provide them with rice which sometimes arrived from Albany weevil infested and had to be re-ordered. Fresh vegetables and fruit were available only if settlers grew their own or could get supplies from neighbours. Even Joseph Louther grew vegetables at Pootenup where he was supervising the shepherd's on TN's leases.

During the construction of the Great Southern Railway, the Climie brothers followed the gang northwards with their store, and the Piesse brothers had a portable store accompanying the gangs working southwards. In February 1888 when TN's nephew Willie of Tambellarup told him that he had sold all the meat he had to the railway men, TN went to Albany and bought £100 worth of goods to sell. On 27th February he went to see Mr Rowden and his party about supplying meat, then walked along the line for two or three miles to see the different gangs; most wanted something. TN went along the line for the first time on 28th February and did very well considering that Patrick Garrity's trap had been along the day before. Four days later, Patrick Carmody also went along the line. On 4th March, two of the navvies came to Sunnyside for rations. From then on TN (or more usually) his son George or general servant Ward took meat and other stores to the men, even as far as the main camp at the old Eticup Police Station at Twonkwillingup. In May 1888 on learning that the men were dissatisfied with the bread arriving from Albany, Mrs Norrish offered to bake for them. Major Young accepted her offer and she baked an additional 200 loaves a week for several weeks.

Reddin – Unidentified. In June and July 1879, was at Goblup rolling ploughed land. He called there late in July and in August and again in October that year with Robert Peck.



MEDIA RELEASE

TUESDAY 13 DECEMBER 2011 ALBANY GOES GREENSTREAM IN 2012



Moving beyond climate science to the opportunities of the green economy will be the focus of the inaugural Greenstream2Mainstream Conference in Albany on 13 March 2012.

Featuring some so the sought-after experts and entrepreneurs in renewable energy innovation, carbon farming and NRM, the one-day conference will provide delegates with a valuable insight into current green investments on a global scale, and why the Great Southern is well positioned to take advantage.

Earlybird registrations are available until 10 January 2012 and bookings can be made online at www.Greenstream2Mainstream.com.au.

THURSDAY 22 DECEMBER 2011

SOUTHERN INCENTIVES SNAPPED UP South Coast NRM has delivered festive gifts in the form of landholder grants totalling \$153 000 to protect high quality remnant vegetation and biodiversity across the South Coast region.

The Wilson Inlet Catchment Committee, landholders in the Oldfield River and Young River catchments and a property adjacent to the Munglinup River were the 12 applications approved out of 29 received.

A second round of Southern Incentives grants for landscape scale conservation is planned for early in 2012. For further information contact Penni on 9845 8540.

WEDNESDAY 11 JANUARY 2012

FERALS IN TARGET SIGHTS South Coasts NRM is offering assistance for the "Red Card for Rabbits and Foxes" control program with grants of up to \$1500.

Local coordinators are being sought to run the programs for the Stockbrands Community fox shoots during the weekends of 24-26 Feb and 23-25 March.

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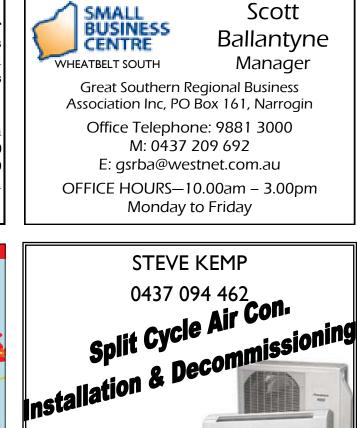






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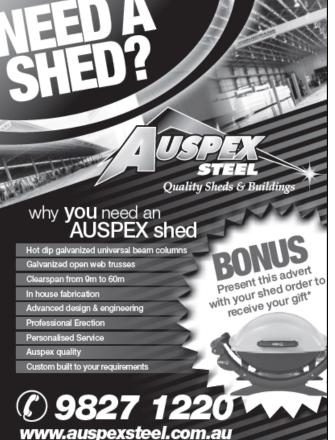


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FEBRUARY

- 2 BH CWA
- 2 BH Historical Society Meeting
- 6 Hidden Treasures
- 6 Council Electors Meeting
- 13 OFFAL begins
- 14 TA CWA
- 16 Council Meeting
- 28 TA Hockey AGM

<u>MARCH</u>

16 BH Quiz Night

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By the 25th of the Month.