

Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.



SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

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The next Council meeting will be held on Thursday 17 December 2009, at the Tambellup Chambers. Members of the public are welcome.

COMMUNITY FACILITIES

In 2009 Council received \$100,000 from the Federal Government's Economic Stimulus Plan, in response to the global financial crisis. Council determined the funds should be spent in the following areas:

- Holland Park Broomehill provision of playground equipment
- Diprose Park Tambellup construction of paths and hard court areas
- Tambellup installation of modular skate park facility.

With only the asphalting of the paths to be completed, the new equipment is in use by the younger members of our community and appears to be well received.



Holland Park playground



Tambellup Skate Park

Other projects planned, underway or recently completed in our parks are:

- the installation of shade sails over the new play equipment in Holland Park, and over the junior play equipment and fitness equipment in Diprose Park
- plumbing and electrical work in Diprose Park prior to the installation of a new BBQ
- installation of new tables and seating in Holland Park and Diprose Park
- upgrade of the basketball half court in Crawford St, Tambellup, including painting of the surface and new lines, installation of railings to define the court area, installation of a timer on the light pole, table and bench seating, and the purchase of a new backboard
- installation of a new basketball pole and ring at the skate park in Tambellup, with new line markings
- paving and landscaping in Diprose Park.
- 'Facelift' of the Tambellup Sports Pavilion, to be commenced in the near future.

These projects have been made possible through a variety of funding sources, including Community Facilities Grants
Program, Regional and Local Community Infrastructure Program, Royalties for Regions, Office of Crime Prevention, and
Local Government Insurance Services. We are still awaiting an outcome to our application for funding from Lotterywest for
the provision of play equipment suitable for young children at Diprose Park.

WORKS

The construction crew has works in progress to widen a 5km stretch of Broomehill-Kojonup Rd, with the first three kilometres to be ready for sealing by Christmas. Gravel works are complete on the widened section of Tambellup West Rd, and sealing will be undertaken in January.

The Parks and Gardens crew have recently planted out new gardens at the disabled toilets and in traffic islands on Norrish St in Tambellup, as well as maintaining newly established gardens in Broomehill. Both Ovals have been sprayed for weeds, black beetle & fertilised, and have responded well with the recent rains.

As always, the maintenance crew are working across the shire, maintaining signage, carrying out repairs to bitumen surfaces, and replacing guide posts.

The graders have completed the winter round of grading roads in the shire, and are now underway on the summer round. Maintenance grading has been carried out on the following roads: West Peringillup Rd, Brassey Rd, Greenhills South Rd, Eureka Rd, Peringillup East Rd, Jam Creek Rd, Clinic Rd, Holly Siding Rd, Pindellup Rd, Stock Route Rd, Green Rd, Collins Rd, Des Wray Rd, Mindora Rd, Toolbrunup Rd, Pallinup South Rd, Johnston Rd, Watergarrup Rd, Anderson Rd, Carr Rd, Hankinson Rd, Newton Rd, Saggers St, Lovegrove St, Tallents Rd, Hodgson Rd.

TAMBELLUP TENNIS COURTS

Tennis club members are advised repairs to the tennis court fence will be carried out in the next two weeks. The contractor has experienced delays, but will soon be on the job.

HARVEST AND VEHICLE MOVEMENT BANS

Now we are into the busy harvest period, residents are reminded the Harvest Ban Hotline number for the whole Shire is **98251042.** The service provides up-to-date information seven days a week.

Harvest and Vehicle Movement bans are broadcast over ABC radio at 10.05am, 12.35pm and 2.05pm, and Radiowest 1071 as they are implemented.

Residents are also able to register their mobile number for the **Harvest Ban SMS notification service**. If you would like to receive notification of harvest and vehicle movement bans by SMS please contact Pam at the Shire on 98253555.

Please be aware text messages are not sent when a ban is lifted. Residents are encouraged to use the Harvest Ban Hotline for updates.

RESTRICTED AND PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD

All residents of the Broomehill-Tambellup Shire are reminded that the **PROHIBITED** burning period commenced on **1 NOVEMBER 2009** and continues through until the **14 FEBRUARY 2010** inclusive. The lighting of fires during this period is prohibited. All residents are asked to take every precaution in this regard.

For further information contact the Shire Office or your nearest Fire Control Officer.

DOG OWNERS - HAVE YOU REGISTERED YOUR DOGS?????

All dog registrations are due for renewal at 31st October each year. It has come to our attention that a number of dog registrations have not been renewed. If you own a dog then your dog MUST be registered. If you no longer own a dog that was registered within the Shire please let us know so we can take it off our records.

FIRE BRIGADE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING

The order for protective clothing has been submitted, and we expect delivery of the goods prior to Christmas. Those people who have placed an order will be advised when it is available for collection.

CHRISTMAS ARRANGEMENTS

Rubbish and Recycling

Rubbish and recycling collections will be carried out as normal over the Christmas/New Year period:

The weekly Rubbish collection will be carried out on **Thursday 24th December** and **Thursday 31st December**.

The fortnightly Recycling collection will be carried out on **Thursday 31 December**.

Shire Office Hours

The Shire Offices will close at 12 noon on Thursday 24 December 2009 and reopen again on Monday January 4 2010.

There will be no Vehicle or Drivers Licensing services available at the Shire during that period.

Councils outside staff will commence their Christmas stand down on Friday 18 December 2009. A "skeleton" crew will remain on duty to attend to any matters over the Christmas period.

Any urgent matters can be referred to the CEO - Joanne Trezona on 9825 1114

COUNCIL AGENDAS AND MINUTES

Agendas and Minutes from every Council and Council committee meeting are available at the Shire Administration Offices and Tambellup Telecentre for perusal. These documents are available in alternative formats on request for people with a disability.

Agendas and Minutes for meetings of the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup can be accessed online by browsing to www.shirebt.wa.gov.au, and clicking on the 'Our Shire' tab.

THUMBS DOWN

To those people who continue to drop litter in our towns. Please put your rubbish in a bin!

Peter Bentley

ACTING CEO



Councillors and Staff of the

Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup wish all residents a very Merry Christmas, and a safe and prosperous New Year.





Broomehill Anglican Church

Christmas Carol Service Sunday 13 December 7 7pm

Everyone Welcome



Threads On Line

P O Box 102 TAMBELLUP WA 6320
Phone 9825 1542 Email:coralgreen@bigpond.com
Website: www.threadsonlinewa.com

Next Patchwork/craft day

Our last get together for 2009 will be on Saturday 12 December at the Agribusiness Centre starting at about 9am. Everyone welcome to bin in or come and have a look and a chat. Bring your own lunch—tea and coffee provided.

2010 will see the start of a Mystery Quilt for anyone interested.

Details of the fabric requirements are available from us and we will be tarting at our first get together some time in February.

Messages and seasons greetings from Tambellup Post Café

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The café will be closed for food from 21/12/09 then reopen again on the 11/01/10. Coffee and drinks will still be available.

The opening hours for the post office over the xmas period will be displayed on the counter and on the front door so don't forget to look as there will be some changes.

People who have roadside mail delivery will have a leaflet dropped into their mail box with the dates of mail run over the xmas and new year period.

A reminder to those people going on holidays you are required to put a hold on you mail and pay a small fee or get someone else to collect your mail. You will need to get a mail holding form from us and complete and then return.

We would like to thank you once again for by your continued support and wish you all the by very best for the Christmas season and New Year.

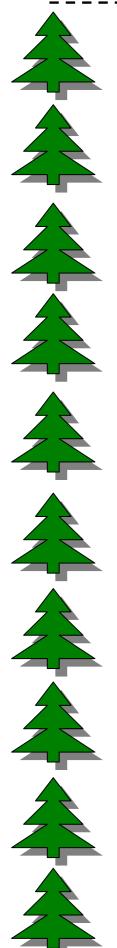
Best Wishes Peter and Janene

# **Broomehill Playgroup**

Broomehill playgroup is held on Friday mornings from 9.30am – 11.30am, excluding school holidays, at the RSL Building. We cater for ages from 0-4. We welcome all new members.

On the 11th December we will be having our Christmas party. We will have a Christmas themed morning tea with all members invited to come along and celebrate the festive season and another great year at playgroup. This will be our last playgroup for the year.

Fees for the year are \$28 to cover the Playgroup WA insurance and \$10 per term to cover BH playgroup expenses. If you would like any further information contact Steph on 9825 3165 or Cindy on 9824 1316.



# Broomehill Community Christmas Party

Sunday 20th December 2009 At the Broomehill Rec. Complex

From 5pm
Father Christmas due at 6pm
please bring a salad or sweet to share

5-12 years \$ 5 13+ years \$10

Leave your name & number of people at the Post Office or with Mel Haynes 9824 1626 Or nmhaynes@hotmail.com

Presents can be left at the Shire Office in office hours, limit of \$10 per gift, make sure they are named.

# HARVEST BANS

ABC Radio has advised it is changing its handling of harvest ban information this season.

Harvest bans will be broadcast at three set times daily – 10.05am, 12.35am and 2.05pm. These announcements will relate to the placing of bans only, and will not advise any information relating to reviews or lifting of bans.

RadioWest have advised they will make every effort to advise listeners of harvest bans as often as possible through the day.

Residents are reminded the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup has a dedicated Harvest Ban Hotline – **98251042** — which is updated as often as required with details of bans imposed, review times and when bans are to be lifted. If unsure whether a ban has been imposed or lifted, this is the number you should call.

You may also register to receive notification of harvest bans by SMS message to your mobile phone. Please note a message will not be sent advising when a ban is lifted. You are encouraged to use the Harvest Ban Hotline for updates.

All details of residents who have registered in previous years are still held - has your mobile number changed recently? If you wish to register your mobile number for SMS notification, please contact Pam at the Shire on 98253555.



# FAMILY REMEMBRANCE DAY



Kerry and Donald together with the Rotary Clubs of Katanning and Gnowangerup invite you, your family & friends to the 2009 non denominational Memorial Services.

GNOWANGERUP FOOTBALL OVAL Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> December, 2009- 6.30 pm

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PROSSER PARK, KATANNING Monday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2009 – 6.30 p.m.

Please bring along any poems, letters or music that you may wish to recite, read or play.

BYO Chair/rug - Balloons will be supplied

If you require any further details please contact: B. D. Coventry & Sons – 98 211079

Maureen Heberle – 98 271261 – 98 272232

Nigel Aitken – 98 211690



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# Hidden Treasures of the Great Southern

**NEXT MEETING;** 

7 December 09

Kojonup

10AM

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A selection of Lynne Wilding's photography is on display at the Shire office in Tambellup. Lynne's photographs depict mainly local scenes, and are available for purchase. Please enquire at the Shire for more information.

# DID YOU KNOW ...

Young children will become what you are; so be what you want them to be!

# David Bly



On November 9<sup>th</sup> a Workshop was held on Resiliency. This workshop was attended by 15 parents, who received information on the importance of developing the skill of Resiliency in children. Thanks must go to Shirley Reynolds from the Department of Education for her presentation, Deb Cristinelli, Sophie Lane and Erin Savage for running the crèche.

On November 30<sup>th</sup> a fun and interactive "Messy Play" session was held. Parents and grandparents had the opportunity to get down and dirty with their little ones as they played with slime, paint, dough, glue and other messy things! Thank you to Bronny Bradshaw for facilitating the session.

**SLIME**: cornflour, water, food colouring

- 1 Put 1 2 cups cornflour in a small bowl.
- 2 Slowly stir in water until a thick paste forms.
- 3 Add a few drops of food colouring and stir in.
- 4 Stir the slime slowly (it should be runny).
- 5 Hold the slime in your hand and squeeze it (it should be hard).
- 6 Open up your hand and it will run through your fingers.

Can be kept covered in the fridge for a few days.

A Smart Start - Tambellup (Inc) would like to thank the Broomehill-Tambellup Shire, the Tambellup-Cranbrook Bendigo Bank, local Community groups and the A Smart Start families in Broomehill and Tambellup for their support throughout 2009.

Please have a wonderful fun filled and safe holiday!

# "TAMBELLUP PRIMARY SCHOOL - ART AUCTION"

The Tambellup P & C Committee in conjunction with the Tambellup Primary School held their inaugural Art Auction on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2009.

The Art pieces auctioned were from each classroom group, constructed and arranged within their art classes under the direction of their art teacher Mrs Kate Oliver. Each class produced an individual and unique piece with a stated theme, and when completed and arranged were framed. The Art was exhibited at the Tambellup Show, allowing the community to view and consider the possibility of purchasing a piece.

The evening of the Art Auction saw a large gathering of parents and community members enjoying not only the Art pieces, but local wines from the Frankland area product stalls by local residents giving the audience an array of options for viewing and purchasing. A light finger food supper was served by the Tambellup Primary School staff.

As the evening progressed, the auction began, with the Pre-Primary/Year 1 piece called the "Golden Harvest". The bidding began just above the reserve price, but it didn't take long for interested parties to increase the price, with two families firmly bidding. The hammer fell and the piece was purchased for \$650.00, being what was called a bargain by the end of the evening.



Next in line was the Year 6/7 art piece-"Insect Collection". This was one of the largest pieces offered on the night. It provoked great interest from not only parents but community members. Many parents were thinking that this may be their one and only chance of gaining a memorable piece of work, as this was their child's last year attending the Primary School. Bidding ceased well and truly above the \$1000 mark.

"Gordon River" produced by the Kindy kids was next to be auctioned, which saw the purchaser now in possession of two lovely pieces of art work. The Gordon River piece was produced by the children's hand and foot prints, cut out in beautiful colours and placed together to form the flowing effect of the river, and showing the flora surrounds of the river bank which was placed on a beautifully coloured backing.



The Year 2/3 work of art titled "The Sheep Paddock" generated great interest. The children handmade individual sheep. They traced their hands to make the legs of the sheep, added a face and covered it in wool to create a fabulous 3D effect. The back drop of the piece was that the sheep were placed within a paddock with one ram looking over the fence at the eighteen ewes. The bidding was fast and furious reaching the \$1000 mark with a mixture of community members and parents putting up their hands, and it didn't stop there, once bidding reach \$1500, it was down to two bidders. The winning bidder was pleased to be taking home this well sort after piece.



Last but definitely not the least saw the Year 4/5 art piece "Magical Marine Life" put up for auction. Beautifully coloured marine creatures were set amongst the sea bed. Being the last piece of the evening, and knowing what the previous pieces of work had been auctioned for, saw extremely determined buyers and when the price soared above \$1500, it was down again to two families, battling it out, both extremely determined to be the one to take home this magnificent piece

of art. The winning bid for this art work was to be the highest for the night.

An amazing amount of money was raised for the Tambellup P & C, not only from the Art, but also from door sales and raffle draws, along with our great sponsors of the night being: - Great Southern Fuel Supplies - Katanning, C.B.H. - Albany, C.S.B.P - Katanning, Tambellup Bulk Spreading, Ryan Trott & Chloe Cox, Landmark - Tambellup, Coopers and Tom Bowen Agencies. The sponsors provided financial assistance to frame the art pieces. This gave the Tambellup P & C an incredible profit margin, with all monies raised going towards providing water and water retention and ongoing maintenance to the school oval, allowing the students of now and into the future a usable educational facility.



Thanks must go to Kate Oliver who was the mastermind behind this project, the staff of the Tambellup Primary School, the Tambellup P & C Committee and the parents and community members for their support and donations which contributed to the success of the evening. Thank you.

# **PHOTOS**

TOP LEFT—Insect Art
MIDDLE LEFT—Michael and Marie White
BOTTOM LEFT—Alan and Tania Willmott
THIS PAGE—LEFT—Yvonne Herbert
RIGHT—Cheryl Drage & Danika Kowald



# Broomehill Recreational Complex Invites you to our annual Ross Thompson Sports Person Award Night

Come along and enjoy a night of Fine Wine, Fine Food and Great Company. It will be a Semi Formal Event & include a Guest Speaker



To be held at the Broomehill Recreational Complex. On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April 2010

Limited tickets will be available so please be watching for more details and start nominating. Nominations close April 1, 2010 for achievements between October 30, 2008 and April 1, 2010

For a Nomination form contact Mellissa Haynes on 9824 1626 or nmhaynes@hotmail.com



# of the GREAT SOUTHERN

The Cranbrook Golf Club thru the Hidden Treasures group ran a Hidden Treasures Golf Tour in October.

The tourists were in the region for 6 days and played golf in Tambellup, Broomehill and Cranbrook while also spending there days touring the sights and tasting the wonderful wine we have on offer.

# Tambellup Agriculture Society

Thank you to the community for your vote of confidence in the Ag Society Committee. We have assumed that you are all delighted with the way we ran this year's Tambellup Show, as at our post mortem meeting there weren't any suggestions forthcoming for future shows. We will advertise the date of the AGM and next Show Planning committee meeting in next years editions. Probably not until April. So you do have ample planning time to do some thinking and come up with some new ideas for us!

Once again a big thanks to our major sponsors Healthways—Act Belong Commit and the Tambellup Cranbrook branch of the Bendigo Bank.

Also, Found at the Chocolate Wheel - a multicoloured two piece animal pram toy/ baby's rattle. If anyone is missing it, please ring Rhonda Carnegie on 9825 8228.

See you next year!!!

# 2009 Members Draw—Prize winners

# **FAMILY (ADULTS)**

|   | SPONSOR                         | PRIZE                                                                                            |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|   | Albany Emu Beach Holiday Park** | "Fully Self Contained Chalet" - 2 night's accommodation for two persons  Kristy Boyle            |
|   | Albany Holiday Park**           | "Accommodation Voucher"  Barb Groves                                                             |
| - | Albany Whale Tours**            | "Whale Tour" - Family Voucher (2 adults 2 children) Valued at \$200.00 Dawson Patterson          |
|   | Middleton Beach Holiday Park**  | "Fully Self Contained Deluxe Chalet" – 1 night's accommodation (2 Adults 2 Children) Fiona Thorn |
|   | Dolphin Lodge Albany**          | "Accommodation Voucher" –  Katherine Collins                                                     |
|   | Doralane Pastries**             | <b>"Gift Voucher"</b> -<br>Amelia Bishop                                                         |
|   | Spendless Shoes**               | <b>"Gift Voucher</b> " –<br>Karl Weihmeyer                                                       |
|   | Coles – Albany**                | <b>"Gift Voucher"</b><br>Ken Olden                                                               |
|   | Target – Albany**               | <b>"Gift Voucher"</b><br>Pam Hull                                                                |
|   | York Street Café**              | <b>"Gift Voucher"</b> -<br>Tim Olden                                                             |
|   | Bunnings                        | "Gift Voucher" Rose Corey                                                                        |
| - | Vibes                           | "Gift Voucher"<br>Julian Letter                                                                  |
|   | Cyprians Jewellers              | "Bracelet"<br>Mr Reinke                                                                          |

# CHILDREN'S

|     | SPONSOR                                                                  | PRIZE                                                                                                                               |  |  |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|--|
|     | Mt Barker Animal Park & Craft Shop**                                     | "Entry Vouchers" – 5 x Family Pass's<br>Emma Anderson, Mark Farmer-Harmer, Nui Andrews, Zack Baker, Ruben                           |  |  |
| in- | Prize 1 - 5                                                              | Plant                                                                                                                               |  |  |
|     | Singing Tree & ABC Centre – Albany** <i>Prize 6</i>                      | <b>"Child's Book"</b><br>Summer Thorn                                                                                               |  |  |
|     | Whale World***                                                           | "Entry Voucher" – 6 Child Pass's to Wale World and Walk on the Wilde Side<br>Devon Cristinelli, Verity Herbert, Anabelle Cunningham |  |  |
| -   | Prize 7 - 9                                                              |                                                                                                                                     |  |  |
|     | Valley of the Giants**  Prize 10 - 13                                    | "Entry Voucher" – 4 x Family Pass's to the Tree Top Walk<br>Jessica Hankinson, Ben Taylor, Adam Kondakov, Larissa Oliver            |  |  |
|     | Woody Archery Park**  Prize I4 - I8                                      |                                                                                                                                     |  |  |
|     | Pentland Alpaca Stud Animal Farm & Wild-<br>life Park**<br>Prize 19 - 21 | "Entry Vouchers" – 3 x Family Pass's (2 adults 2 children) Alana Cristinelli, Blake Taylor, Charlie Letter                          |  |  |
|     | Tumble Jam – Albany** <b>Prize 22</b>                                    | " <b>Entry Voucher</b> " – 5 x Child Voucher (5ys & Over)<br>Isabella Webster                                                       |  |  |
|     | lcky Finks Warehouse Sales – Albany** <b>Prize 23</b>                    | " <b>Gift Voucher</b> " -<br>Tessa Olden                                                                                            |  |  |
|     | Shire of Gnowangerup                                                     | "Entry Voucher" – 2 Family Membership's to the Gnowangerup Swimming Pool.                                                           |  |  |
|     | Prize 24-25                                                              | Brett Pickett, Luke Oliver                                                                                                          |  |  |





# media release

Thursday 5 November 2009

# Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo in finalist's flutter

It loves only one partner throughout its lifetime and prefers 150-year-old trees to nest in - there's no doubt that the Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo is one quirky bird

Now that quirkiness, and threatened status, is gaining attention with a Birds Australia WA project being named a finalist in the Department of Environment and Conservation's 2009 Environment Awards.

Birds Australia WA's Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo Recovery Project has been nominated in the Biodiversity Conservation Category for its work in identifying and monitoring breeding sites across the South Coast and Great Southern regions, and the protection of the iconic bird's habitat.

Birds Australia WA project manager for the South Coast, Raana Scott, said the project began in 2006 and has since become a major success with 35 landholders around the South Coast and South Eastern Avon Basin now involved with the bird's recovery and 23 new nesting sites being discovered

Ms Scott said it was essential to the species' survival that all old trees were retained because the hollow nesting birds were loyal to their breeding grounds and needed trees of a minimum age of 150 years to

"We know that the population has decreased by at least 50 per cent in the last half century and a number of breeding populations have already become extinct. It is thought that many of the birds we see today are ageing birds and once they die out the population will further plummet, "she said.

Birds Australia WA, with help from almost \$300,000 in South Coast NRM funding, has been working on protecting the Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo habitat through fencing, weed control and revegetation efforts The organisations have also brokered voluntary management agreements and conservation covenants.

Collectively, private landholders have protected over 1,000 hectares in the last three years, including significant stands of remnant vegetation such as salmon gum, wandoo woodland and proteaceous heath to ensure the cockatoo breeds successfully.

The winners of the 2009 Environment Awards will be announced on Friday, November 27, at the Hyatt

For more information about the awards, visit http://www.dec.wa.gov.au/community-and-education/wa

Birds Australia Western Australia (BAWA) is a regional group of Birds Australia, a national organisation committed since its formation in 1901 to the conservation, study and enjoyment of Australia's native birds and their habitats

The South Coast stage of the Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo Recovery Project began in 2006. The project in its entirety has been running since 2000.

Carnaby's Black-Cockatoo are a highly visible semi-migratory species that rely on various vegetation types across geographically distinct areas throughout their annual cycle. Because of these habits, they rely on vegetation occurring on various land tenure across large tracts of land. To effectively monitor and instigate recovery actions for the species across their distribution, many individuals, groups and professionals need to be engaged and informed

Major successes to date include the protection of 323ha of critical nesting and feeding vegetation at the most significant nesting sites identified on the South Coast. This site supports at least 20 nesting pairs directly and another 20 pairs are suspected to be nesting in surrounding vegetation spread across four properties. A management plan is currently being developed to ensure the sites are maintained and hollow repairs have been carried out to prolong the life of natural hollows.

Other successes include securing a conservation covenant of approximately 90ha of priority Salmon Gum nesting habitat, containing a minimum of 10 nesting pairs and associated feeding and navigation habitat. Birds Australia WA is developing a management plan for the site to ensure its protection into the future.

During the 2008 nesting season 28 individuals contributed nearly 500 hours to nest searching across the South Coast region. Sightings are regularly received from community members and in 2009 Birds Australia WA conducted a week long Community Cocky Count which attracted over 50 participants

Communications and Public Relations Coordinator South Coast NRM

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Email jenel

South Coast Natural Resource Management Inc. is the leading regional group for natural resource management on the South Coast of Western Australia. As an independent non-profit organisation, we work with the community to improve the environment by preserving and protecting unique plants and animals, managing land and waterways, and sharing knowledge and skills in natural





# Katanning Runaway Bus 2010

# School Holiday Fun



IThe Great Southern Development Commission will again be funding the Katanning Runaway Bus in January 2010. The service to Middleton Beach Ifrom Katanning via the Great Southern Highway provides teenagers with the opportunity to go to the beach, or spend time in Albany, particularly if their families are not able to go away on a holiday.

The service will run on Tuesdays 5, 12, 19, 26 and Thursdays 7, 14, 21, 28 January 2010 for the very reasonable price of \$5 per trip. The coach will collect participants from Wagin, Woodanilling, Katanning, Broomehill, Tambellup, Cranbrook, Kendenup and Mt Barker at designated times.

The coach has four drop off points, the cinema, town centre, indoor pool at the Albany Leisure and Aquatic Centre and Middleton Beach. The coach Ithen collects participants at an arranged time to be taken to an alternative location if desired. For example, participants may want to go to the beach In the morning then to town in the afternoon.

The coach is capable of seating 46 teenagers and the luggage compartment can accommodate boogie boards, skate boards and bicycle.

| i TOWN       | LOCATION                        | PICKUP TIME | DROP OFF | Parents should be aware that the service is provided for 14-18 year olds and that no supervision will be provided. The teenagers        |  |
|--------------|---------------------------------|-------------|----------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| I Wagin      | Westrail Bus Stop               | 7:00am      | 7:00pm   | will be responsible for themselves. We welcome younger                                                                                  |  |
| Woodanilling | g Caravan Park                  | 7:30am      | 6:20pm   | children in the program but a parent or guardian MUST accompany them for the day. Youth groups (eg. church groups,                      |  |
| I Katanning  | Westrail Bus Stop               | 8:00am      | 6:00pm   | sporting clubs, multicultural or disadvantaged youth) are invited to participate with appropriate supervision. All participants will be |  |
| Broomehill   | Westrail Bus Stop               | 8:15am      | 5:45pm   | required to have their parents/guardians sign a consent form to                                                                         |  |
| I Tambellup  | Westrail Bus Stop               | 8:40am      | 5:25pm   | cover them for all trips and therefore should see the bus driver prior to departure.                                                    |  |
| Cranbrook    | Back of Shire Office            | 9:10am      | 5:00pm   | All participants must ensure they are waiting at the departure                                                                          |  |
| I Kendenup   | Westrail Bus Stop               | On request  |          | points on time as no responsibility will be taken for those who miss the bus.                                                           |  |
| Mt Barker    | Westrail Bus Stop               | 9:40am      | 4:30pm   | Francisco abasel ha dissated to Various Taylor on 2044 2540 as                                                                          |  |
| l Albany     | CBD (bus stop at<br>Emelie Way) | 10:15am     | 4:00pm   | Enquiries should be directed to Karina Taylor on 9844 9540 0447 111 230.                                                                |  |
| I            |                                 |             |          | Sponsored by the Great Southern Development Commission,                                                                                 |  |
| Albany       | Middleton Beach                 | 10:25am     | 3:45pm   | participating Local Shires and Radio West.                                                                                              |  |

# **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.

**Mackey** (thought to be) **Francis** – 19<sup>th</sup> January 1882, engaged by TN for 12 months and given the flock that had been William Peter's at Boylup. On 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1882 TN went to the Flat Rock, built a hut for Mackey and shifted him from Boylup. However on 18<sup>th</sup> July, TN discharged Mackey, settled with him and gave the flock to O'Brien.

Maher, John – According to an earlier diary, Jack Maher had settled the in area before W.H. Graham. On 15<sup>th</sup> November 1862 he was engaged by WHG for three months – reaping and threshing rye at Eticup and shepherding at Woorgabup. On 5<sup>th</sup> April 1863 he accompanied WHG and

Woorgabup. On 5<sup>th</sup> April 1863 he accompanied WHG and Harry Adams to Kojonup to be ready for the races the next day. On 16<sup>th</sup> September 1863 he was Nannamillup to sign his agreement (to work for WHG?). He helped George Bruce and WHG working on the shed, and WHG dipping 700 sheep. On 11<sup>th</sup> November 1863, started for Albany with 60 wethers, apparently not returning from the Sound until

January 1864. From then he appears to have been at his own place as, in March 1864, WHG went to Ewlymartup, then from Maher's to Martinup, although he helped with the ploughing at Nannamillup in July. He also went to help with the shearing on 19<sup>th</sup> October but left again the next day as WHG could not get a native to mind Maher's place.

In August 1879, Jack Maher and his son and daughter were at Goblup on their way to Kojonup. Maher, Mrs Maher and Mrs McGuire called again on 21<sup>st</sup> September. In 1881, Mrs Maher and Mrs Whitton called at Goblup on two occasions, the first time to return the repaired spring- trap from

Whitton's. On 21<sup>st</sup> January 1882, Mrs Maher brought her children to Goblup to be vaccinated but the doctor did not come. On 21<sup>st</sup> April 1884, TN went to McGuire's and then Maher's to ask Mrs Maher to wait on Mrs Norrish in May. He took the carriage and picked up Mrs Maher on the 10<sup>th</sup> May. May Eunice was born on 13<sup>th</sup> May and Mrs Maher was taken home on 28<sup>th</sup> May. Also in May 1884 Jack Maher and

William Peate helped to put the 4 horse power together. In July Mrs Maher came for a bag of flour and Jack came for tea and sugar. In 1892 TN leased Maher's paddock and there are references to ploughing, rolling and stripping the wheat. In May 1907, Southwell was ploughing Maher's paddock.

Mallet Bark – The recognition in the early 1900s of the tanning qualities of mallet trees (mainly eucalyptus astringes) resulted in a thriving mallet bark industry which provided an excellent sideline for farmers and others. In his 1907 diary, TN makes several references to mallet. He paid J Rogers £5 for getting bark and later in January his son Richard and Rogers carted two loads to Broomehill from the Wagerup paddock. In February his son Willie and Rogers went for more bark on two occasions, but the bark carted on the second trip proved to be too wet to pass so they went to the paddock near Annice's for more. A few days later Richie and Rogers again took bark to Broomehill.

Mangan, Edward – Appears to have had the contract for running and erecting wire netting on fences at Goblup. On 3<sup>rd</sup> January 1892 he helped with fire-fighting. TN made

interim payments to Mangan: £10 on 13<sup>th</sup> February, £4 on 4<sup>th</sup> June by which date he had finished the paddock west of Boylup and £10 on 20<sup>th</sup> June. On 5<sup>th</sup> July TN's son George took wire out to Mangan to put around the paddock the other side of Boylup and on 6<sup>th</sup> September TN drove with Mangan around the NE paddock and Grover's to inspect the fencing – "He has done his work very well." On 8<sup>th</sup> September TN settled with Mangan for Lord Brassey's fencing (wire netting) - £63.10.9 for over 37 miles (59.5km).



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# **BOWLS 2009/10**

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The following day was what we've come to think of as the Derby against Tambellup and Broomehill were well and truly outplayed by our southern suburb neighbours on their home patch going down 5/1.

The next two weeks against Gnowangerup White and Borden saw a loss and a win to Broomehill 1/5 and 5/1 respectively. The home game against Gnowangerup showed that we were still not playing at our best and the Borden game was a welcome return to some form. The following game was against Nyabing at home and again we had trouble overcoming a good side at home. We did lose John Dye prior to the start of the game with a virus or flu which made life a bit difficult but unfortunately we just didn't play the bowls required to win the tough games.

The next two rounds see us playing Jerramungup and Ongerup at home and we will all be hoping for greatly improved results from those two games prior to the Christmas break.

# Rd 7 28 NOV

| Tambellup  | V | <b>Gnow White</b> |
|------------|---|-------------------|
| Borden     | V | Nyabing           |
| Broomehill | V | Jerramungup       |
| Ongerup    | V | Gnow Red          |

# Rd 8 05 DEC

| Borden      | V | Gnow White      |
|-------------|---|-----------------|
| Nyabing     | V | Tambellup       |
| Jerramungup | V | <b>Gnow Red</b> |
| Broomehill  | V | Ongerup         |



On a lighter note the Mens open 4's event was won by Arthur Crabbe, Michael Johnson, Terry Lamont and Bill Seeward with 3 wins + 20, runners up were Steve O'Neill, Warren Holt, Mick Sim and Steve Trowl with 2 wins + 26. A successful day was had all round and the club thanks all sponsors and members for their help on the day.

The League Mens 4's and Pairs were held at Tambellup last Sunday and the final of the 4's was once again a Derby with Jim Paganoni, Greg Blake, Brian Sanger and Peter Bentley taking on the Tambellup side of Smiley Williams, Don King, Peter Sheridan and Stan Aylmore and defeating them comfortably in the end.

The Broomehill side started the day slowly just getting through the first round but finishing the day strongly, with Jim Paganoni saving some of his best form for the last two games. Congratulations to the boys on a strong performance. Ross Thomas and Bob Vesey were knocked out in the first round of the pairs.

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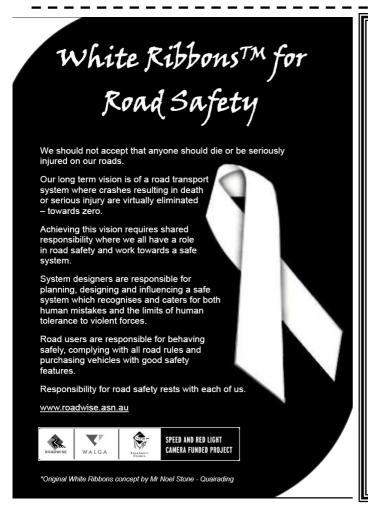
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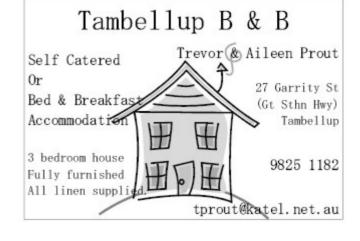
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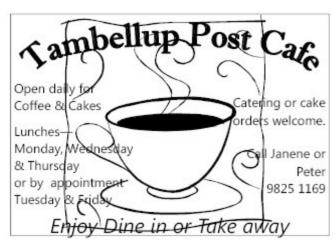
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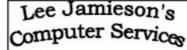
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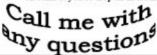
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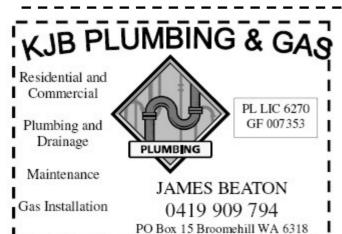
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- 19 Remembrance Day—Gnowangerup
  - 11 BH Playgroup Christmas Party
- 12 Patchwork / Craft day
- 13 BH Anglican Church Carol Service
  - 17 Council Meeting
- 20 BH Community Christmas Party
- 25 Christmas Day



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