

TOPICS



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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.

Supported by the Shire of Broomehill—Tambellup, Tambellup CRC and members of the community.

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Proudly brought to you by the Tambellup Community Resource Centre, Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup and Generous Community Donors.



Tambellup Uniting Church

We will be holding a Christmas Eve church service at 7.30pm instead of 9.30am on Sunday 24th December.

All are welcome to join us at the Uniting Church to praise, sing carols and help us celebrate the birth of Christ.

If you are spending Christmas at home, come along and join us.

Everyone Welcome

A SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

to be held at
ST. ELIZABETH'S BROOMEHILL
ON SUNDAY
31st DECEMBER
2023

at 9.30 am ALL WELCOME

The Anglican Parish of St Andrew's Katanning

Tambellup Golf Club Inc



Tuesday 30 January 2024 7.00pm

Clubhouse

For more information, please contact Kristy 0417 986 653

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to everyone who came and helped out with the fire on Simpson and Nazzari properties on the 22 November 2023.

THANK YOU

A big thank you to Dr Wole, Nurse Freya, the health centre staff and the two St John Ambulance ladies, Bronny and Cathy for helping me with my bee episode last month - Mick

SAVE THE DATE

Tambellup Lions Club Car Rally Sunday March 10th | more details to come in the new year

Jigsaws for sale

From \$5.00 each

I HAVE TOO MANY JIGSAWS, SO I AM SELLING ½ MY COLLECTION

MOST ARE 1000 PIECES

MANY HAVE ONLY BEEN ASSEMBLED ONCE, OR TWICE

MOST ARE ONLY \$5.00 EACH.

JIGSAWS CHANGE REGULARLY, AS I COMPLETE MORE, AND MORE.

Contact Steve 0439 107 777

Pick up from Crowden St, Tambellup

PEA HAY FOR SALE

(small square bales).

\$12ea with in 55kms of TAMBELLUP (local area), arrangements can be made for further kms at an extra cost depending on distance & order size.

Phone: Vicki - 0428 546 831 Jay - 0427 215 805

Broomehill-Tambellup Phone Directory

The Tambellup Community Resource Centre (CRC) strives to maintain an accurate and current phone directory for the benefit of our community.

We greatly appreciate the involvement of community members and local clubs in ensuring that we have the correct information. If you come across any outdated residential, club, or business entries, we kindly request that you inform us.

To update any information, please reach out to the Tambellup CRC via:

Phone: 9825 1177

Email: topics@tambellupcrc.net.au

In-person: Visit us directly and provide the necessary

updates

Online: https://www.cognitoforms.com/TambellupCRC/LocalPhonebookEntry

Your contributions are invaluable in maintaining an up-to-date and reliable phone directory. Thank you for your cooperation.

INTERAGENCY MEETING

The next Interagency meeting will be held on the Monday 11th December from 1.30pm at the TA CRC

A video link is available if you are unable to attend in person, email tambellup@crc.net.au for more information

Can anyone identify this happy bunch of individuals and what the event was.

Taken in Tambellup but now no known facts!

What a lovely group of "ladies"!

Contact A Prout with any information. | aprout@westnet.com.au

We need names of the 'fellas' and the event





Heritage Hounds See

The draft plan for the revitalisation of Norrish St. Plans are up in the 124 Store. What do you think?

Broomehill Op Shop

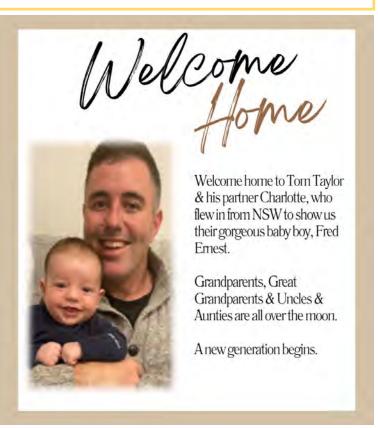
The Shop will be closing for its annual break on Thursday the 14th December.

Thankyou to all the people who have donated during the year.

Signs will be put out when we reopen in January 2024.

Wishing you all a blessed Christmas and safe new year.

Joyleen, Rena, Nick and Natalie



SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

46 – 48 Norrish St, Tambellup WA 6320 Phone: 9825 3555 Fax: 9825 1152

Email: mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au



The next meeting of the Council will be held on Friday 15th December 2023 commencing at 4.30pm, in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

HOLLOW LOG GOLF TOURNAMENT 2023

The Shire was pleased to attend the annual Great Southern local government Hollow Log Golf Tournament again this year hosted by the Shire of Denmark. Players took to the course for an 18 hole two person Ambrose competition, playing for the prestigious "Hollow Log" trophy. The day was won by.... Drum roll..... Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup! The day was enjoyed by all who participated. Many thanks to the Shire of Denmark for running the competition and keeping everyone fed and hydrated. As a result of winning the competition our Shire will now host the 2024 event.



Pictured: a Shire of Denmark representative, with John Farmer, Peter Vlahov & Gifford Eades.

FROM THE NOVEMBER 2023 COUNCIL MEETING

The Council adopted a Policy regarding the use of banners (new banner poles for both townsites will be installed very soon);

A request for comment on the proposed transfer of Unallocated Crown Land PIN 618669 Dartnall under the South West Native Title Settlement was considered. The council was not supportive of the proposal due to a lack of information and requested the CEO seek further information from Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage;

The Council approved a request for a \$25,000 financial contribution towards the resurfacing of the Broomehill lawn bowling green and agreed to utilise up-to \$110,000 from the Broomehill Bowling Green Replacement Reserve for the project;

A request to modify the conditions of an existing development application from CBH to allow construction on Sundays for the remainder of the project construction was approved;

Following community consultation, the Council adopted the Gordon River Walk Trail & Facilities 5-year plan;

Ordinary Council Meeting dates were set by the Council for 2024 as follows:

 15 February 2024
 21 March 2024

 18 April 2024
 16 May 2024

 20 June 2024
 25 July 2024

15 August 2024 19 September 2024 17 October 2024 21 November 2024

12 December 2024

The Council adopted the Shire's 2023/2024 Information Statement which will be published in accordance with the requirements of the *Freedom of Information Act 1992*.

HARVESTING OVER CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

Harvesting and the carting of grain is prohibited on Christmas Day. This does not restrict the movement of vehicles across paddocks, however, if it is determined that weather conditions on Christmas Day will be hazardous, a Harvest and Movement of Vehicles Ban may be imposed. This will be communicated through usual channels — via text message, and the Shires Harvest Ban Hotline (phone 9825 1042). There is also an automatic harvest ban on Boxing Day. Please check the harvest ban hotline for updated information. Don't forget the Shire provides a SMS service for notifications of Harvest and Vehicle Movement Bans. If you would like to register for the service please contact the Shire on 9825 3555.

GETTING YOUR HOME OR PROPERTY READY FOR A BUSHFIRE

Now is the time to preparing for the bushfire season. There are lots of small actions you can take to implement which will assist to keep your home safe, should there be a bushfire. To give your home and property the best chance make sure you have a Property Preparation Checklist available from the DFES website: https://publications.dfes.wa.gov.au/publications/preparing-your-property. And don't forget about your pets and livestock. Having a plan means you can act quickly to give them the best chance of surviving.

2023 CHRISTMAS LIGHTS COMPETITION

Residents of all ages are invited to showcase their festive spirit by decorating their homes with Christmas lights. Loud and flashy, or subtle and stylish, it's up to you!

Prizes for each town up for grabs!

Best residential - \$150 voucher from 124 Tambellup Store or Regional Retailers Katanning Worthy mention residential - \$50 voucher from 124 Tambellup Store or Regional Retailers Katanning Best Business / Main Street / Commercial - \$150 voucher from 124 Tambellup Store or Regional Retailers Katanning

AND

Farm Gate Competition (across the Shire) – Three prizes of \$150 vouchers from Katanning H Hardware

No registration required for townsite entries, but to make sure we don't miss your farm gate, please register with the Shire by email to mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au by 4 December 2023.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS ARRANGEMENTS

The Shire offices will close at 12 noon on Friday 22 December 2023 and reopen at 9.00am on Tuesday 2 January 2024. There will be no Vehicle or Drivers Licensing services available at either office during that period. Patrons of Broomehill Library are encouraged to consider your holiday reading needs and call in early! The Shire's Works staff will commence their stand down on Friday 22 December 2023. A "skeleton" crew will remain on duty to attend to any matters over the Christmas/New Year period.

RUBBISH COLLECTION

There will be **no change** to the kerbside rubbish and recycling collection schedule. Please note the Waste Transfer Stations in Broomehill and Tambellup will be closed on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS:

Any urgent matters during the Christmas and New Year period can be referred to the Manager of Works, Peter Vlahov on 0418 955642.

FEEDBACK

We welcome feedback from our residents and customers. If you would like to provide feedback on Shire related matters, there are a number of ways you can do this:

Attend in person at either of our Administration Offices – 9.00am – 4.00pm Monday to Friday Write to us at 46 – 48 Norrish St, Tambellup 6320. Phone us on 08 9825 3555

Email us at mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au

Unfortunately, we are unable to act on anonymous complaints. For all methods, please include your name and contact details so we are able to respond to you.

MOSQUITO CONTROL

Representatives from the Shires of Broomehill-Tambellup, Gnowangerup, Katanning and the Water Corporation attended a training seminar for Mosquito Control on 23 November. The Shires are working together to learn new strategies to eradicate the mosquito population.

During the course participants discussed various methods for mosquito control. Darrell Gale presented the problems experienced in the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup, and outlined work he has done identifying breeding hotspots, set traps and baiting in the last 3 months.



Councillors and Staff wish all residents and visitors to the Shire a very Merry Christmas, and a safe and prosperous





The Tambellup CRC will be closed from

Thursday the 21st of December 2023

to

Monday the 15th of January 2024

The Tambellup CRC would like to wish the Broomehill-Tambellup Community a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year



To all Tambellup Community Resource Centre Members,

Our memberships are shifting from January-December to July-June.

As a token of our appreciation for your continued support, we're thrilled to share that current members will receive the next 6 months of membership entirely free!

This generous offer extends your membership until the

This generous offer extends your membership until the end of June 2024.

Thank you for being an essential part of our community. If you have any questions or thoughts, feel free to reach out. We look forward to your continued involvement and participation.

Like and follow us on Facebook and Instagram to stay up to date with events and workshops coming up.

Sign up to our mid-month reminder email, don't miss another RSVP date, email - topics@tambellupcrc.net.au.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Mr Trevor Prout on becoming the Tambellup Community Resource Centre's inaugural Life Member.

Trevor has been involved in every aspect of the various incarnations of the centre for more than 28 years. He has often been the voice of reason & would be the first to offer his time in service to the centre. His technical knowledge has often saved the day & his friendly face has been a pleasure to see at the CRC over many years.

Thank you Trevor & Congratulations. The Tambellup CRC Committee





Melbourne Cup Tambellup

Thank you to the lovely Ladies and Gentlemen who attended our Melbourne Cup Luncheon.

We hope you all had a great afternoon and hope to see you next year!



FAREWELL & THANK YOU REBEKKA

Rebekka Polack & her family are leaving the Broomehill/Tambellup Communities for an exciting new adventure in Geraldton.

Rebekka has been our CRC Coordinator for 5 years & has brought immeasurable dedication & thoughtful management to our centre. She has worked tirelessly to improve our community through TAFE training opportunities, farming compliance courses, personal development & artistic workshops, activities for our elderly members, toddlers & school children, effective management of the CRC staff, library & premises, innovation of community activities such as the Family Fun Day in February, Staying in Place home care support, the ever popular monthly Seniors Soup & Sweets lunches & the monthly bringing together of all State & Government agencies who work in Tambellup, to share ideas as to how better support our community members with issues they are facing.



Her kind, calm & self assured manner has lead the way forward for many who needed assistance & support.

On a State level, Rebekka has developed relationships within the business community, the CRC network & worked with our peak body, Linkwest, to run the centre effectively as a business. She has worked within our sometimes fluctuating funding allocations from the WA Department of Primary Industry and Development, with care & efficiency to ensure the service of the CRC to our community is not lessened.

We are going to miss you Rebekka & thank you, Gil, Juannita & Jeremy for all you have contributed to our communities. As sad as we are to see you go, we know a new adventure awaits & that you will grab it with both hands & make a new chapter of family memories. Don't forget to let us know when you are back this way & call in for a cuppa at the CRC. We'll have the kettle on.

Jennifer Miller | CRC Chairperson | on behalf of the TA CRC Committee & Staff

EXCITING ANNOUNCEMENT



The Tambellup-Broomehill communities welcome Grace Jones as the new Coordinator of our CRC.

Grace grew up in Denmark/Albany & has recently completed studies at Curtin University. She is welcoming, enthusiastic & very excited to be beginning a new working role in Tambellup.

Grace has previous experience in event management & working within a team. She enjoys community activities, particularly sport & has played AFLW for the Albany Sharks & in Perth while studying.

You will see Grace at the CRC from Monday 4th Dec until we break for the Christmas period on 20th Dec, then again on 15th January 2024 onwards. Drop in, say hello & share what you'd like to do at the CRC in 2024.

Remember the CRC belongs to our community & all you need to do is have an idea of something you'd like to learn, make or do, & we'll make it happen!



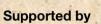


Puppet Playtime

Featuring Wilfrid Gordon McDonald Partridge

8th December | 10.30am to noon At the Tambellup CRC

Limited spaces please RSVP to the Tambellup CRC on 9825 1177 | tambellup@crc.net.au | message us on social media











GIVING PROGRAM











V L GREEN (Hairdressing)

With Christmas around the corner, it's time to sort some presents out for your loved ones! If your stuck for ideas, I have in stock some Hairjamm salon products including the beautiful PURE haircare range, also a small range Sandalwood products from THE SANDALWOOD SHOP.

These can be put together to make a beautiful DIY Christmas hamper or on their own for a beautiful gift. I also do GIFT VOUCHERS if your not sure what would suit. It could be used for in salon services such as a RELAXING SCALP MASSAGE & TREATMENT or spent on top quality products from the salon stock.

I would also like to inform all passed/present & future clients that the 10% for any appointments made has now been lifted, however I ask that where possible a 24hr notice be given if needing to cancel or reschedule your already made appointment/s. This allows me to organise other appointments or simply get other jobs that are needing to be done sorted, especially if you have a long appointment such as a colour, treatment, perming etc.

Cancelation with in 24hrs may mean you will have to pay a deposit up front for future appointments. Failure to show up for your appointment will require a deposit on the following one made.

On a lighter note- ALL clients that show for their appointments in Nov/ Dec will go into a draw to win \$150 worth of products consisting of Hairjamm & The Sandalwood shop products.

The Hairjamm Juice & Pure products used in the salon are Vegan friendly and use ingredients that are 100% organic certified. It is owned by an Australian Company, uses 100% recycled plastic, recycled packaging and is sulphate & paraben free.

Please note that days & times will vary from week to week so please contact me to find out operating hours. New services now include facial waxing (eyebrows, lip, chin, cheeks, sides or full face!), eyebrow & eyelash tinting & hybrid dye as well.

Card (facilities in salon) | Direct deposit & Cash all welcomed for payment. WISHING YOU ALL A MERRY CHRISTMAS & A HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

Broomehill Central Brigade

fires.

On the 22 October we had a great day.

We invited the Katanning Volunteer Crew to come and check out our building.

During the morning, the members from both crews shared stories and how to cope with issues and items they had on their trucks.

Our crew: Andrew Webster, Jonothan Webster, David Dilley and Lynn Dilley doing the office work and preparing luncheon for everyone.

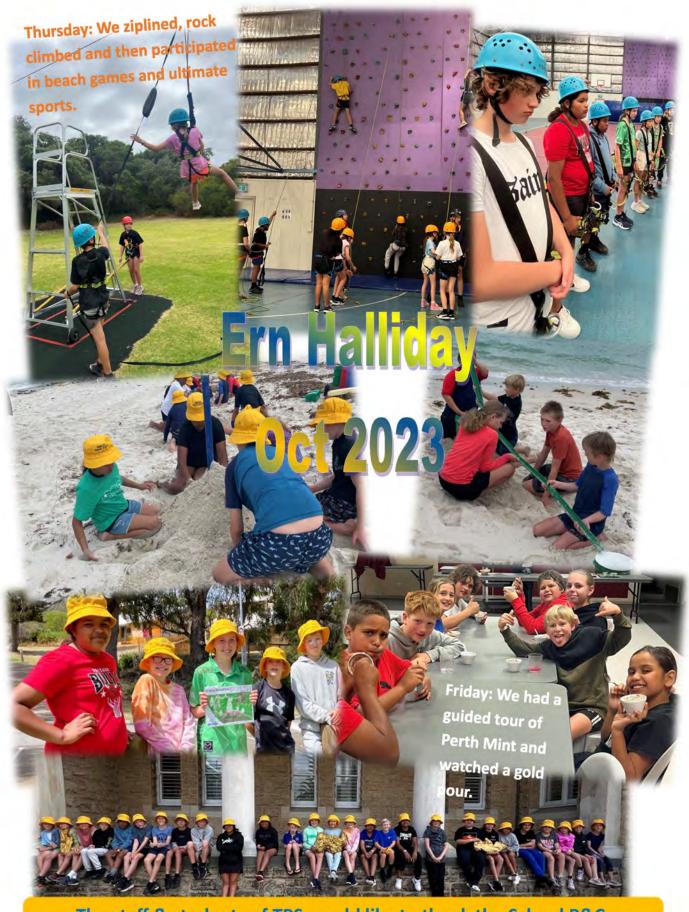
BCB crew kept busy cleaning the fire truck and building, while the Katanning crew checked out the building.

The crew from Katanning were Rob Nicholson, Adrian Morrow, Alam McFarland and Aly Dusting. They were all impressed with the building as the building is also used as the Control Centre for major

During the day we were visited by the Webster Family were the children enjoyed playing on the fire truck and they enjoyed having lunch with both crews.







The staff & students of TPS would like to thank the School P&C, Tammar Farms, Miss McPartland & the CPS Staff for a wonderful camp.

Sewing at TPS







Over second semester
Tambellup Primary School
students have been learning
about natural and synthetic
fibres. They were set a task
to reuse unwanted synthetic fibres to create a new
product.



Many thanks to our sewing volunteers; Kylie Lockyer, Kaye Killin, Jan Sadler, Heather Norris and Cathy Van Vliet.

The Year 5/6 students designed and made safety vests to wear while riding the school bikes.

The Year 2/3/4 children upcycled an old t-shirt into a tote bag.



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SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

Form 5

[reg.75]

Local Government Act 1995 Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations 1996

Notice pursuant to Schedule 6.3 of the *Local Government Act 1995* of sale of land for non-payment of outstanding rates or service charges.

Notice is hereby given that, under section 6.64 of the *Local Government Act 1995*, as rates charges have been owing for a period of at least 3 years, the SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP is to offer for sale by public auction at 46-48 Norrish St, Tambellup 6320, on the Friday, January 12th, 2024, at 12.30 the land described below.

Signed for and on behalf of the SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP this 17th day of October 2023

Anthony Middleton

CEO

Description of Land etc.

Description of land and lot or location number:

45

Plan or Diagram Number: Plan 2462 **Title Reference:** Volume 2105 Folio 213

Area:

Street: 30344 Great Southern Hwy, Broomehill

Village

Description of Improvements if any: Nil

Name of Owner: Vladimir Hardi

Name of other persons appearing to have an estate or interest:

- 1. *K969988 Memorial. Contaminated Sites Act 2003 Registered 11/06/2009.
- 2. L860060 Mortgage to Viewbay Pty Ltd Registered 17/02/2012.
- 3. *M274668Caveat by Maxwell William Prentice lodged 16/05/2013.
- 4. *M278575 Property (Seizure and Sale) Order (Court Ref No: PER/GCLM/11239/2012 Registered 21/05/2013.
- 5. *M311667 Caveat by Noble Solutions Pty Ltd Lodged 19/06/2013.
- 6. *P282952 Property (Seizure and Sale) Order (Court Ref No: PER/GCLM/11481/2021) Registered 12/09/2022. *P453165 Order extending sale period registered 16/02/2023.

Rates/Service Charges Outstanding: \$47,963.75 Other charges due on the land Lions
Traditional
Christmas Cakes

SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY

TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS
CAKE

Available here! \$20
Tambellup Post Office and Tambellup Hotel
lions australia



farmers and small business owners... book now!

Social media basics

what platforms are right for your small business? with Mark Shenton

January

Wednesday 10am to 12pm

Bremer Bay | Denmark | Frankland River | Gnowangerup | Jerramungup Katanning | Mount Barker | Ongerup | Pingrup | Tambellup | Wellstead







live and FREE at your local CRC



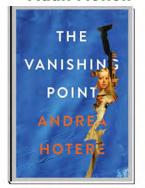


Tambellup Public Library

34 Norrish Street, Tambellup 6320 library@tambellupcrc.net.au

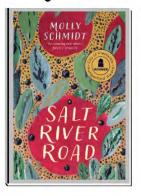
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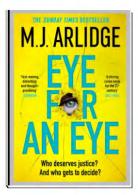
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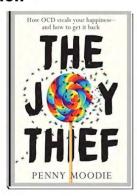


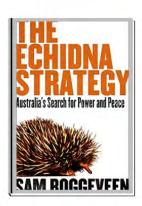




Adult Non-Fiction











DVD's



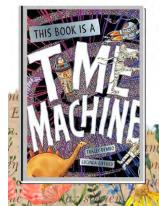




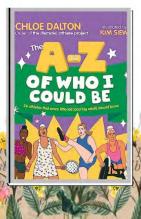




Junior













TAKE THE CHALLENGE AND GROW THE BIGGEST PUMPKIN FOR THE 2024 CRANBROOK SHOW!

Drop off & judging to happen at the Gillamii Stall on the day of the show

Prize	ADULTS (16+)	CHILDREN (0-16)	
1st Prize	Largest Pumpkin (circumference)	Largest Pumpkin (circumference)	Prizes Include Child (1st) - \$100 Voucher to Albany Indoor Adventures Adult (1st) - \$100 Voucher to Monty's Leap Restaurant
2nd Prize	Heaviest Pumpkin	Heaviest Pumpkin	Child (2nd) - Yeti Drink Bottle Adult (2nd) - Yeti Drink Mug

Giant pumpkin seeds will be provided to the schools, if you don't have your own seeds pop into our office to grab one before summer!

(1 seed per person)

Contact Freya at Gillamii for any further information 0427500374

Flat Rocks Wind Farm



Stage 1.

Project Update - November 2023.

Construction Activities

Flat Rocks Wind Farm Stage 1 (FRWF1) has been connected to the 132kV line part of Western Power and the main power transformer has been successfully energised. This milestone marks the beginning of the commissioning phase. You might see wind turbine generators start spinning one after the other and then collectively in groups or stages, to perform the required commissioning tests, as defined by Australian Energy Market Operator (AEMO) and Western Power, to verify the compliance with the grid requirements.



The FRWF1 substation is fully energised, commencing the turbine commissioning phase.

Employment opportunities

There's never been a better time to consider growing your career in the renewable energy industry! Our project operator, Vestas, is looking for electrical and mechanical technicians to work in our service team based on site near Kojonup.

Please contact Ruth Oldert on 0467 865 037 for more information.

Community Activities

Congratulations to the successful applicants of Round 2 of the FRWF1 Community Fund. We are pleased to support the following community groups and initiatives:

- Kojonup Golf Club (flag and hazard area update)
- Kojonup Cricket Club (upgrade of cricket nets)
- Tambellup CRC (Family Fun Day event 2024)
- Tambellup Community Cropping Group (community bus)
- Binalup Aboriginal Corporation (Tambellup fauna sanctuary)

The next round of funding will be available in early-mid 2024.

Contact Us

- Community Information Centre
 - 105 Albany Highway, Kojonup
 - Open 10am 2pm Tuesdays or by appointment
- Phone: Olivia Thorn 0459 359 399
- Email: flatrockswindfarm@enel.com

BROOMEHILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

30360 Great Southern Highway,

Broomehill Village 6318

Email: BHVcounter@shirebt.wa.gov.au

Phone: 98253 555







HALLOWEEN ACTIVITY

Halloween Mask Competition has come to an end, and we're thrilled to announce the winner!

Congratulations to Sophie Carter for her incredibly unique and spooky mask! Those additional horns definitely added an extra element of fright to it!







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Affordable and Practical Farm Safety

Are you aware there is another very affordable and practical farm safety option on the market? We are visiting a few other farmers in your region and wanted to let you know about the services we offer; in case you haven't heard about us. We are the fastest-growing safety business for many great reasons. Affordability, practicality and a 'friend in the know' to call if an incident occurs are just a few.

We were recently announced State Finalists in the 2023 Telstra Best of Business Awards, beating over 20,000 businesses Australia-wide, so we know we are on the right track. We honestly believe that if safety is not affordable, practical, and quick to implement, it just won't happen. The feedback we are receiving is that our approach is very practical and supportive. We won't ask you to throw away any old equipment, just consider it comes with a separate set of instructions for those that use it.

After a 25-year policing career (but starting off as a farm hand when I first left school) I am committed to keeping people safe in my business called Regional Safety Services. As you can appreciate, I have seen all aspects of farming tragedies, and the new Industrial Manslaughter Legislation is not something to be taken for granted. Even if you do not hire staff, you can still find yourself subject to this legislation if something happens and you do not have the required safety systems or records in place.

Most farmers are doing the right thing to keep their team safe but lack the evidence to prove it. This is where we can help you! Unlike our competitors, we come to you and conduct a two-hour on-site safety appraisal for only \$880.00. We will arm you with lots of tips and knowledge, prepare the documentation for you with a clear overview of your position and actions to take. You will not be left guessing what you need to do.

To make life easier we have introduced our own online safety forms to help capture your current effort in this area. We have spent over two years developing our Plant and Machinery Risk Assessment forms, which include Harvester, Seeding, and other farm machines. These forms are only \$99.00 to access them for 12 months. These forms have been recommended by farmers like you and most can be done in 1-2 minutes. They can be done on your mobile device, and we provide QR codes for quick and direct access.

If you undertake a service like ours, it would be virtually impossible for someone to say you were grossly negligent, as you are doing something proactive and demonstrating an open commitment to safety. Too many farmers are saying they will plead ignorant if something happens. In light of the recent WorkSafe review of the agricultural industry, there is a massive target on the back of farmers and as such I urge you to help raise the bar of safety in your industry. The WorkSafe review into the agriculture industry is now complete and I look forward to helping my clients get on the front foot with the changes soon to be implemented.

If you have any further questions, I am available on my mobile or feel free to make contact via email and I can send you more details about what we will do when we attend your farm to conduct an appraisal. We also service many other businesses, not just farms.

Darren Slyns

Mobile: 0407 420 126 Email: admin@regionalsafetyservices.com.au

Website: www.regionalsafetyservices.com.au

Regional Safety Services

Helping Make Regional Businesses Safer





Join us for a community Christmas lunch!

Don't celebrate Christmas alone this year, if you are staying in Tambellup this festive season, we invite you to celebrate with others in the community.

Express your interest and let's make this Christmas special together







Supporting Your Community Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook

OPENING HOURS

View our Websites & Facebook page

Cranbrook Ph 9826 1777 Mon & Wed 9.30am-12pm 12.30pm-4pm **Tambellup** Ph 9825 1333 Tues & Thurs 9.30am-12pm 12.30pm-4pm

Friday - Book an appointment & we can come see you. Call the Branch direct on the above phone numbers

We Wish Everyone a Very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Our Branches will be closed the Public Holidays Sun 24th, Mon 25th, Tues 26th December 2023 and Monday 1st January & Friday 26th Jan 2024

Our next Sponsorship Round

Opens on 1st February 2024 & closes 15th March 2024 —

If you have an idea for an event or project, visit our branch to discuss with our staff.

Congratulations to our September round sponsorship recipients totalling \$22,843.00

Lines you have party

Congratulations to our Shire Rates Incentive Prize Winners who receive \$200 each

Broomehill Tambellup - Steven Ellul Cranbrook - Clare Webster

WELCOME JOANNE PAYNE TO OUR BRANCH. DROP BY AND SAY HI!

We are really excited to have Joanne join our team who is local & enjoying the country life.

Joanne's past career was working in the retail sector, mainly because she loves meeting new people. So when she saw the opportunity to work locally at the bank, she jumped at it. Joanne is looking forward to meeting everybody and getting to know you all.



Our Sad Farewells to Chloe Lambert and wish her all the best on her next endeavour. Chloe enjoyed her morning tea farewells in Tambellup & Cranbrook. Thank you for popping by.

Congratulation to Julieann Climie. At the 24th AGM of the Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook on Wednesday 22nd November 2023, our Chairman Daniel Barbour presented the Board Administration Assistant, Julieann Climie with a Certificate and gift to mark 10 years of exceptional service to the Board of Great Southern Community Financial Services Ltd. Julieann is deemed to be a quiet achiever whose speciality is "nagging" in a positive way to achieve the best results for all concerned. Thank you Jools for all that you do for us volunteer Directors and Staff to keep us

all concerned. Thank you Jools for all that you do for us volunteer Directors and Staff to keep us functioning at our best.

DID YOU KNOW..... Over the past 24 years we have proudly invested a total of \$777,158.44 back in to your community. Sponsorship totaling \$597,849.00 and Dividends totaling \$179,309.44.

..... We have announced another 10% dividend payment to our Shareholders for the 2022/2023 financial year and SHARES ARE AVAILABLE in Great Southern Community Financial Services Limited, the company which operates our locally owned Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook. Contact our Company Secretary to register your interest.

Anne-Marie Lockyer Ph: 0417 175 998 email: companysec@gscfsl.com





Supporting Your Community Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook

Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook will be 25 years in 2024, A little history on your local Community Bank

History: Community Banking was first established in June 1998 in the Victorian towns of Minyip & Rupanyup. Small country towns were losing their banking services and an enterprising businessman, David Matthews, contacted Bendigo Bank to see if they would fill the void. Robert (Rob) Hunt, General Manager of Bendigo Bank viewed the establishment of a Bendigo Bank Branch as being too difficult however, negotiations were started to partner with the community in providing banking services. The rest is history, as Community Banking was established.

In 1998, the Tambellup Shire co-ordinated public district meetings to try and establish some form of Banking at Tambellup. Vicki Brown of Tambellup approached Jan Pope of the Cranbrook Shire to see if Cranbrook was interested in a joint venture of Banking which would be in Partnership with Bendigo Bank. They co-opted Mr Max Trenorden, MLA in the WA Court Government and he went East to approach Bendigo Bank regarding them coming to WA. The response was positive and in March, 1999, Mr Russell Jenkins, Mr Simon Cornwell and Mr David Matthews came to WA and along with Mr Trenorden visited some 20 communities who were interested in establishing Community-owned branches of Bendigo Banks in Western Australia.

Four Communities were prepared to establish a Community Bank, with Tambellup Cranbrook being a mirror of the original Community Bank in Victoria with, in fact, similar populations and farming activities.

Tambellup Cranbrook Community Bank of Bendigo Bank was now a reality.

The Steering Committee was Chaired by Mr Greg Mengler, Secretary Mrs Jan Pope, Treasurer Mrs Vicki Brown. The committee was made up of Mr Peter Jefferies, Mr Brian Taylor, Mr Campbell Taylor, Mrs Marvina Hull, Mr Adrian Bridge with attendance by Mr Simon Cornwell and Mr Russell Jenkins of Bendigo Bank. Mr Jenkins was a Director of our Board in the early stages of our Company being established before resigning and his position being filled by Mr Simon Cornwell. The Steering Committee saw the Community Banking process as an opportunity to harvest funds for our community that would have, under existing banking practices, been lost to our community.

Operating Principals of Tambellup & Cranbrook Community Bank Branch of Bendigo Bank:

The core Principal of the establishment of the Community Bank was three-fold.

- * To provide the Communities of Tambellup and Cranbrook with a viable and secure Banking service.
- * To return a Dividend to Shareholders who invested their funds in the business
- . To return funds back to our Communities, in keeping with the ethos of Community Banking

The Community Company is managed by a Board of Directors, elected by nomination from the community on a voluntary basis, that is: Directors do not receive remuneration. (as voted at the AGM by Shareholders). The Community Company provides the premises, pays the staff and all the operating expenses of the business. Other long -established Board practices include:

- · Funding provisions made for future Franchise Agreement fees.
- · Repair & replacement funds being set aside each month.
- The Board votes on the Dividend payment each year in accordance with our financial situation at the time.
- Policy of supporting organisations within our Shires and supporting major projects in partnership with our Shires.
- A working relationship with the Mt Barker & Albany Community Banks to support events that covers all the regions.
- New Directors are encouraged to attend meetings before the AGM and their election to get a feel for the position.

In 2024 we Celebrate 25 years in your communities of Tambellup & Cranbrook.

Your Community Bank Tambellup Cranbrook have proudly contributed \$777,158.44

by way of Sponsorship & Dividends returned to your Communities...... So, Where Do You Bank?



Supporting Your Community
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Every Friday in February STARTING FRIDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2024

Have you got your team in? Don't miss out!

Teams of 4, \$40 entry fee. Play Friday evenings 2/02/2024 to 23/02/2024. Play commences ASAP after 5pm.

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16TH JANUARY 2024 STARTING 1.30PM AT THE TAMBELLUP CRC

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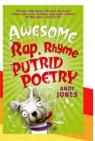
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Tambellup Health Centre

December 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
				1 Nurse Telehealth
4 Nurse Telehealth	5	6 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	7	8 Nurse Telehealth
11 Nurse Telehealth	12	13 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	14	15 Nurse Telehealth
18 Nurse Telehealth Child Health Nurse	19	20 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	21	22 Nurse Telehealth
25 CLINIC CLOSED PUBLIC HOLIDAY	26	27 CLINIC CLOSED	28	29 CLINIC CLOSED

Tambellup Health Centre 2 9821 6890

HealthDirect 2 1800 022 222

Katanning Hospital 2 9821 6222

Call 9821 6890 to book your appointment for the GP clinic.

Tambellup Health Clinic will be closed from 1pm Friday 22nd December and will re-open 9am Wednesday 3rd January 2024.



January 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 CLINIC CLOSED PUBLIC HOLIDAY	2	3 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	4	5 Nurse Telehealth
8 Nurse Telehealth	9	10 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	11	12 Nurse Telehealth
15 Nurse Telehealth	16	17 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	18	19 Nurse Telehealth
22 Nurse Telehealth	23	24 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic	25	26 CLINIC CLOSED PUBLIC HOLIDAY
29 Nurse Telehealth	30	31 Nurse Telehealth GP clinic		

COMMUNITY COMPASSION QUALITY INTEGRITY JUSTICE







On the 9th November 2023 over a hot cuppa and scrumptious morning tea we all had a very industrious meeting.

We had the opportunity to cater for the Bendigo Bank Committee, this went well and

thank members who partook to orchestrate this. We wished Anne-Marie a very Happy Birthday at the end of our meeting with a delicious sponge cake topped with cream and enormous

strawberries. Thank you Aileen the cake was magic.

Our December meeting will be on the 14th December and will be held at the Black Cockatoo Cafe, Kojonup for our end of year celebrations. Look forward to seeing all members on the day to celebrate the past year and look forward to the festivities of the coming month.





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• Travel Assistance: Need to run errands, attend appointments, or just want to enjoy a day out? We've got you covered

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with transport to the shops, appointments, or even a relaxing day trip to the beach.

Aged Care and Community Service

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Advertise your local community groups meetings or get together in Topics

Email thtopics@gmail.com Or drop the details into the Tambellup CRC

Shire of Broomehill – Tambellup. Its free and easy! Submissions due by 25th of the month.



To all clubs and organisations

The Tambellup CRC would like

to offer staff time for a service fee to assist with administration work and

clerical services to help relieve the pressure on your club or organisation. For example, writing up minutes from original copy, annual auditing of finances, making flyers and pamphlets, organising an event etc.

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TOPICS ADVERTISING RATES

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Full Page (A4) - \$75.00

1/2 Page - \$40.00 1/4 Page - \$20.00

(Colour is full page only)

Business card size - \$12.00

Local (Businesses within the Broomehill-Tambellup Shire: Business card size is \$50/year

Community Notices are FREE however donations are greatly appreciated,

Community notices include (but are not limited to) all local (Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup) announcements

(births/deaths/marriages/engagements; local sporting club articles/results/fixtures)

**Free community news submissions may be reduced in size. **Free community news submissions will be Black and White only

Please message the CRC with any questions

Submissions close on the 25th of each month.

Please email tbtopics@gmail.com | topics@tambellupcrc.net.au

or leave your submissions with the Tambellup CRC, Broomehill or Tambellup Shire Office.



TOPICS

Broomehill Arts and Craft Group

Every Wednesday | 9am to 12pm *Temporarily at -* the Broomehill Fire Shed Community Room

Contact Broomehill Library for more information

Tambellup Craft Mornings

2nd and 4th Monday of the Month 9.30am to 1pm | \$2.00 At the Tambellup CRC | please bring a plate to share

Contact Lillian for more information 0422 917 913

Tambellup Lions Club

2nd Wednesday of the Month | 7.30pm Tambellup Hotel

Tambellup Uniting Church

2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 9.30am A cuppa will be served after each service. All Welcome

Tambellup CWA

Meet every 2nd Thursday of the Month at the CWA Rooms.

Tambellup Bowling Club Meeting

3rd Monday of each month, 7.30pm

Broomehill Playgroup

Thursdays from 9 – 11am Corner of India and Journal St Broomehill Contact Rachael for further information 0408 938 184

Tambellup Family Playgroup

Tuesdays | 9am to 11am (a) the Old kindy Building (Cnr Howard St. and East Tc) Kirsty King - 0459 787 247

Katanning and Districts Garden Club

Meets every 2nd Tuesday of each month - commencing at 1.30p.m. Meetings are held at members' homes. New Members Welcome.

For information ring Shona Webster 0458 241 589

Red Hatters

Meetings on the first Tuesday of the month. Contact Helen Bignell 9824 1270 Friendship—Fun—Fellowship

Please contact the Tambellup CRC if your details need to be updated, thank you

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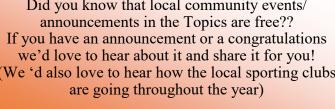
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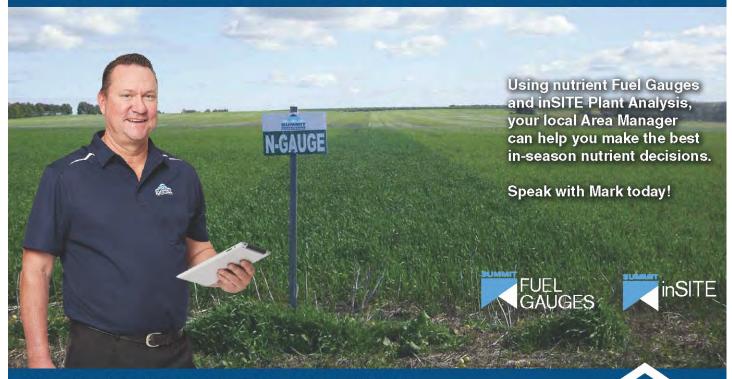
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For further information contact the CRC on 9825 1177

STRICT DEADLINE - 25TH OF THE MONTH NO JANUARY EDITION

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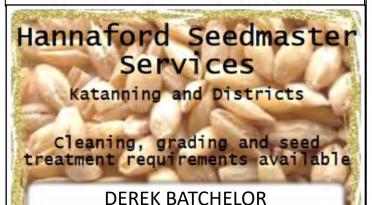
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December Calendar 2023							
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	
31 New Years Eve					1	2	
3	4	5	6 BH Craft Group	7	8 Lions Seniors Lunch Puppet Playtime	9	
10	11 TA Craft Group Interagency Meeting	12	13 BH Craft Group Xmas Lunch	14 RECYCLING CWA Xmas Lunch CRC Seniors Lunch	15	16	
17 BH Christmas Party	18	19	20 BH Craft Group	21 TA CRC Closed	22	23	
24 Christmas Eve	25 CHRISTMAS DAY Community Lunch	26 Boxing Day	27	28 Recycling	29	30	

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7	8	9	10 BH Craft Group	11 Recycling	12	13	
14	15 TA CRC Open	16 Andy Jones	17 BH Craft Group	18	19 Movie and Popcorn	20	
21	22 TA Craft Group	23	24 BH Craft Group Social Media Basics @ the CRC	25 RECYCLING Aus Day Craft	26 Australia Day	27	
28	29	30 Movie and Popcorn	31 BH Craft Group			<u>February -</u> Family Fun Day	

SUBMISSIONS DUE 25th of the month for next issue **EMAIL ADDRESS:** topics@tambellupcrc.net.au

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