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Shire of Broomehill-
Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.

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SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

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The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 21 November 2013 commencing at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Local Government elections were conducted around the State on Saturday 19th October. In Broomehill-Tambellup, four Councillors' terms had expired. Of these, Barry Webster, David Kempin and Martin Sadler did not seek re-election.

Six candidates nominated for Council. Mark Paganoni, Trevor Prout, Michael Batchelor and Craig Dennis were elected to Council, with each serving a four year term to expire in October 2017. Melanie Turner, who has served on Council since prior to the amalgamation, and Steve Penny were unsuccessful in their bids.

The Broomehill-Tambellup election saw a voter turnout of 55.8%, which was above that of surrounding councils, and much higher than the state average of 26.32%.

A Special Meeting was held on October 24th to swear in the new Councillors, and to elect the President and Deputy President. Cr Garry Sheridan was elected Shire President, and Cr Scott Thompson was elected Deputy President, with both positions being for a two year term, until the next Local Government elections in October 2015.

At this time, we wish to acknowledge and thank Barry, David, Martin and Melanie for their commitment to Council and the community during their periods of service, and welcome the incoming Councillors, who will join Cr Kym Crosby, Cr Garry Sheridan and Cr Scott Thompson at the table.

MOSQUITOES

Mosquito numbers within our Shire are always an issue. Council baits pools of water and will undertake regular fogging of the Broomehill and Tambellup townsites in an effort to reduce the mosquito numbers.

Rainwater tanks can become breeding sites for mosquitoes that can cause severe nuisance and carry serious diseases. The Department of Health has advised that the most common mosquito found to breed in rainwater tanks is a proven carrier of Ross River virus. To prevent mosquito breeding, guttering and piping should be self draining or fitted with drainage points. Water should not be allowed to pool under the overflow outlet or tap as these can become mosquito breeding sites. The tank should be a sealed unit to prevent mosquitoes entering. The inlet and overflow should incorporate a mesh cover to prevent access by the mosquito.

To stop mosquitoes breeding add a teaspoon of food grade paraffin oil (in small tanks up to 1,000 litres) to the water. (The amount needed will vary depending upon the surface area of the water. A sufficient quantity to produce a thin film over the water surface is all that is required.)

A fact sheet 'Mosquitoes in your backyard' can be found on the Department of Health website, www.public.health.wa.gov.au, click on 'A-Z Topics and Diseases' and search for 'Mosquitoes'.

WASTE TRANSFER STATIONS

The construction of waste transfer stations at the Broomehill and Tambellup rubbish tips have been pending for two years, awaiting the issue of Department of Environmental Regulation works approvals. Finally, we can advise these have been received - the Tambellup approval was issued in July, and subsequently works have commenced. The project has been set out and concrete walls have been installed forming the walls of the transfer station. Gravel has been loaded in behind the walls to form the vehicle access to the transfer station, and the concrete floor will be laid.



The Broomehill approval was not issued until September, so the progress here so far has been minimal. The project has been pegged out, and topsoil has been carted in for the mound.

Work will be ongoing at both sites for the next few months, and will allow for better long term management of the rubbish tips.

WORKS

September has been a busy and productive month for the construction crew, with works continuing on Warrenup Rd, Tambellup West Rd and Broomehill-Kojonup Rd. Stabilising of gravel works on Tambellup West Rd and Gnowangerup-Tambellup Rd is programmed, prior to sealing which will be carried out when the weather warms up.

The contractors engaged to clear debris from the roadsides after the June 2012 storm have recommenced, and it is anticipated they will finish early in the new year.

The maintenance graders have been working in the south west part of the shire over the past month, and will be working towards the south east.

The rains we received over the past few weeks have increased the levels in all the Shire dams, which is great news for our parks, gardens and ovals for summer. Both ovals have recently been vertimowed, and this will be followed up by fertilising.

Residents may have noticed our mosquito population seems to have taken on helicopter proportions recently - the windy weather we have experienced has not allowed for regular fogging to be carried out, but now conditions have eased this will recommence.

FROM THE OCTOBER COUNCIL MEETING

Council set meeting dates for 2014, as follows:

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

Council considered all bids received for items included in the recent silent auction. All successful bidders have been notified.

The development of a new Local Planning Strategy to replace the current Shire of Broomehill Town 'Planning Scheme and Shire of Tambellup Town 'Planning Scheme continues, with Council considering the latest draft of the document following input from the Department of Planning. More work is required, however once the draft is completed, it will be 'advertised for public comment.

Approval was granted to the Tambellup Tennis Club to renew its club restricted liquor license for the 'period of 01 October 2013 to 30 April 2014.

Council agreed to make a donation to the Fairholme Disability Support Group, which is presenting a screening of 'The Ride' documentary in the 'Broomehill Hall on 9th November.

CAT ACT 2011

From 1 November 2013, the Cat Act 2011 comes into effect, and will require that all domestic cats over the age of six months are to be microchipped, sterilised and registered with the relevant local government. Cats will be required to wear a collar and registration tag to ensure that owned cats can be easily identified and returned to their owner.

The purpose of the Cat Act 2011 is to encourage responsible pet ownership and reduce the number of unwanted cats in the community, and the number that are euthanised each year.

The State Government has set the following fees in relation to cat registrations:

1 year registration	\$20.00
3 year registration	\$42.50
Lifetime registration	\$100.00
Breeders registration	\$100.00 per cat (male or female)

Registrations for cats which are not sterilised or microchipped are not able to be accepted.

Responsible cat ownership checklist

As a responsible pet owner you are encouraged to:

- Keep your cat confined to your property, especially at night.
- Ensure your cat is easily identifiable with a collar and a name tag.
- Microchip your cat.
- Sterilise your cat.
- Register your cat
- Vaccinate your cat.

For more information regarding registering your cat, please contact the Shire, or go to the Department of Local Government website - www.dlg.wa.gov.au.

BROOMEHILL ARCHIVE REPOSITORY/SHERIDAN MEMORIAL GARDEN OPENING

The community is invited to the official opening of the Broomehill Archive Repository and the newly named 'Sheridan's Memorial Garden', to be held on Wednesday 6th November at 10.30am. Hon. Terry Waldron MLA has been invited to cut the ribbons, and a light luncheon will be available after the formalities.

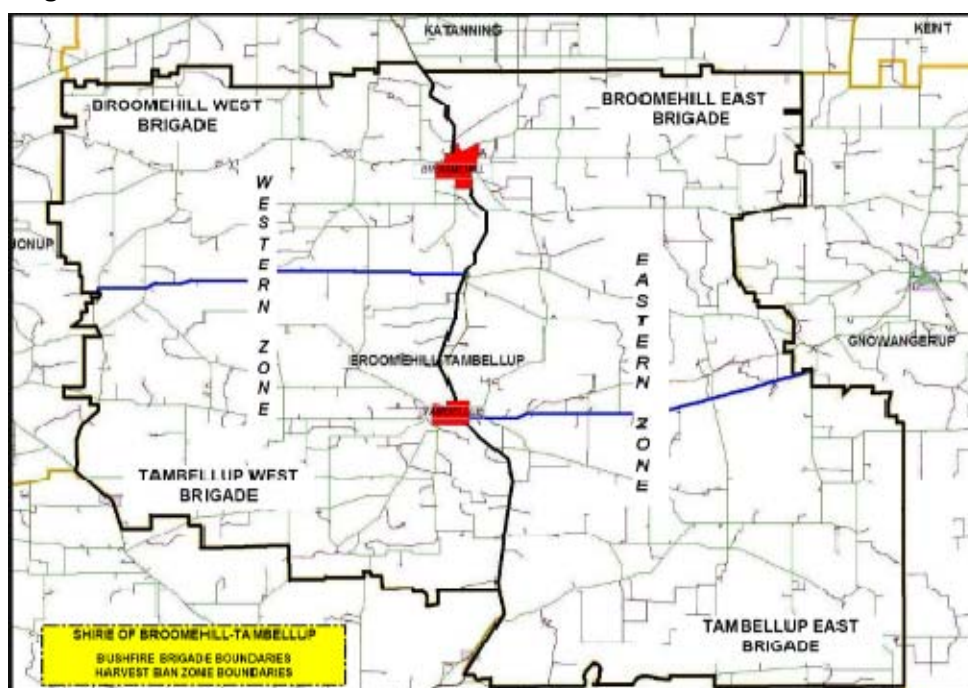
If you would like to attend, please contact Louise at the Shire on 98253555 or email exa@shirebt.wa.gov.au for catering purposes as soon as possible.

HARVEST BAN ZONES

Following a request from the Broomehill-Tambellup Fire Advisory Committee, Council has established Harvest Ban Zones in the Shire, to allow for occasions where weather conditions requiring a harvest ban may not affect the entire Shire, or where assistance is required for mopping up after a fire. The Shire has been divided into two zones - the Eastern Zone and the Western Zone - with the Great Southern Highway being the dividing line. Notification of bans only affecting part of the shire will be in accordance with our established procedures - that is, broadcast over ABC radio and Radiowest, SMS to registered contacts, and recorded message on the Harvest Ban Hotline (98251042).

All residents please note: If a ban is imposed which only applies to one zone, both townsites are included in the ban.

Any fires resulting from vehicle movement in paddocks, open fires or hot works during periods where a Harvest and Vehicle Movement Ban is in force, either in a single zone or across the entire Shire, may result in court action and significant fines.



RESTRICTED AND PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD

All residents of the Broomehill-Tambellup Shire are reminded that the **PROHIBITED** burning period commences on **1 NOVEMBER 2013** and continues through until **14 FEBRUARY 2014** inclusive. The lighting of fires during this period is **prohibited**.

Residents needing to do **PROTECTIVE BURNING** during the Prohibited Burning Period must first obtain a permit from a Fire Control Officer and then observe all the conditions of the permit.

PROTECTIVE BURNING is to be carried out between the hours of 6.00pm and midnight on the same day. No Protective burning is to be carried out after December 20 2013.

Permits can be obtained from Fire Control Officers as follows:

Chief Fire Control Officer	Craig Bignell	0408 341253
Deputy Chief Fire Control Officers	Ray Squibb	0407 984250
	Ben Hewson	0417 969975
Broomehill East	Nathan Heron	0427 212272
Broomehill West	Jerome Hardie	0427 181341
Broomehill Central	Andy Webster	0439 629209
Tambellup East	Kim Oliver	0427 258157
Tambellup West	John Cristinelli	0428 916833
Tambellup Town	Laurie Hull	0428 251177

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

HARVEST BANS

If you would like to register to receive notifications of harvest bans by SMS, or if you are registered and your existing details need updating, please contact Kim at the Shire on 98253555.

Broomehill Historical Society

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday November 28 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 – 0488944416 or email

broomehillhistoricalsociety@hotmail.com

Broomehill CWA

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday November 28 at 11:30am in the Broomehill Museum office. Everyone is welcome to join our little gathering. Bring along something relating to Christmas. Inquiries contact Carole 0488944416 or Margaret 98214861.

Tambellup Health Centre

DR WOLE CLINIC

13 & 27 November

Please note—Appointments can be booked from 9am—11am.

Drop in clinic from 11am—1.30pm.

Please phone 9825 1101 for appointments or more information

Catholic Churches Mass Timetable

Our Lady of Fatima, Broomehill – Saturday 9th November at 6pm.

Saint Michael's, Tambellup – Saturday 2nd & 16th October at 6pm.

Inquiries phone Fr Peter Njau 98241675 or 0437841173

Tambellup Uniting Church

Service Times:

November 10th—9.30am

November 24th—9.30am

Everyone Welcome

Broomehill Anglican Church

December Services:

Christmas Carols—Sunday 15th December, 7pm

Communion Service—Sunday 29th December, 9.30am

This will be a combined service for the parishes of Broomehill, Katanning, Kojonup and Pindellup.

Everyone Welcome

Enquiries—The Reverend Lindy Rookyard 0408 226 198 or Ernest Chapman 9824 1378



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The Tambellup Agricultural Society presents the

2014 Tambellup Show

OMG!

Did you spot the mistake???

Ladies its that time of year again....

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

is coming to Tambellup!



FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER

MEETING ROOM @TA TOWN HALL

9am—4.30pm

Greeting Cards, Gift wrap,
Notepads and Envelopes.

***New range of Christmas Cards in stock**

Jewellery, Fabric bags, Sarongs
and Gifts

50% off special table



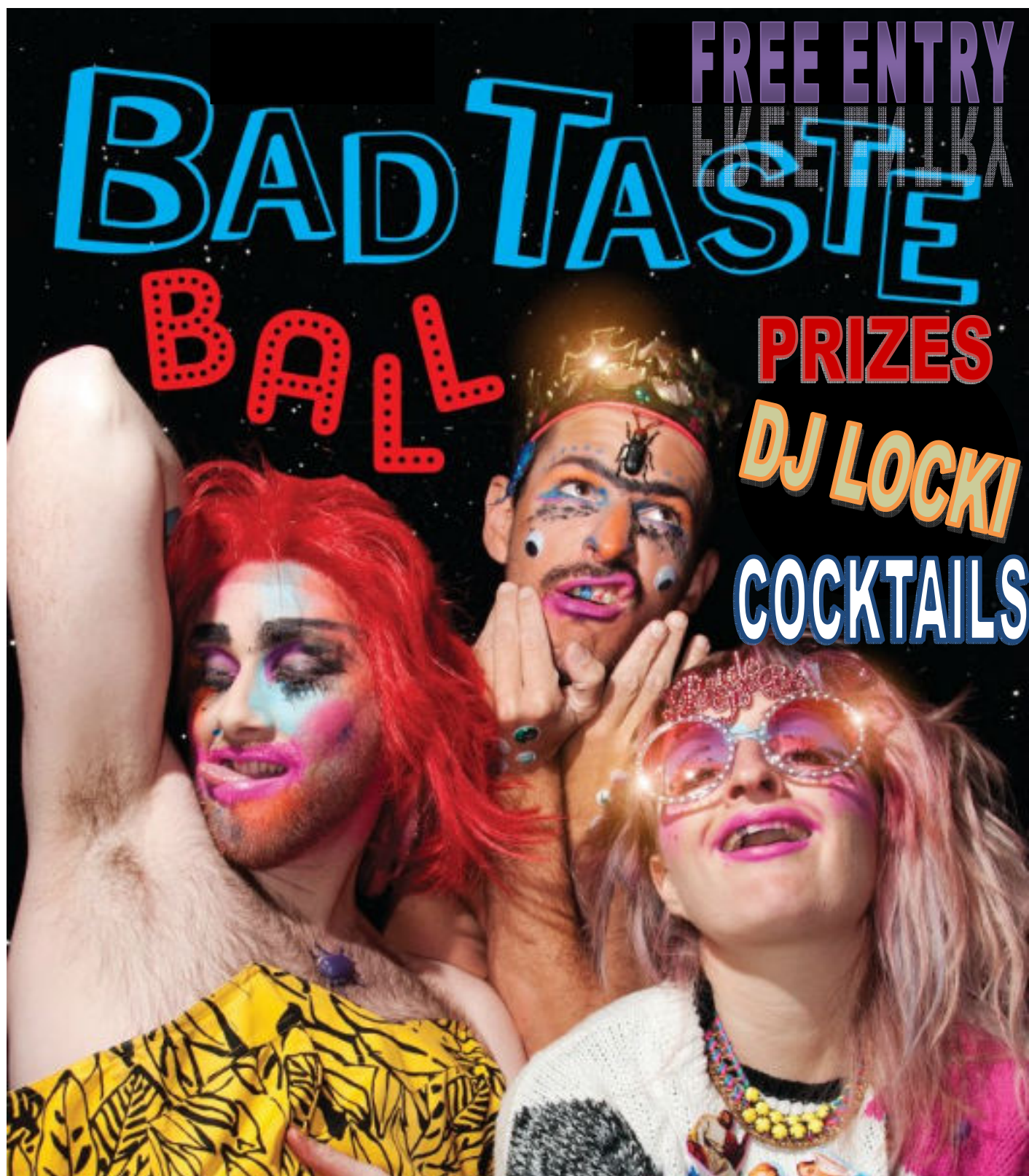
LUCKY SHOPPER RAFFLE ALL DAY COFFEE & CAKE



Peter, Janene,
Rhys, Xavier & Conner
HERON

Wish to thank the Tambellup community and loyal customers of the Post Cafe for all the amazing memories over the last 7 years.

As we move north back to Perth we wish the farmers a good season and hope to see you all again soon



BAD TASTE
BALL

FREE ENTRY
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IMPERIAL HOTEL BROOMEHILL

8TH NOVEMBER 2013

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Friday 8th November
Broomehill Complex from 5pm



Live music from Andy & Bec
Open mic (join in with the band)

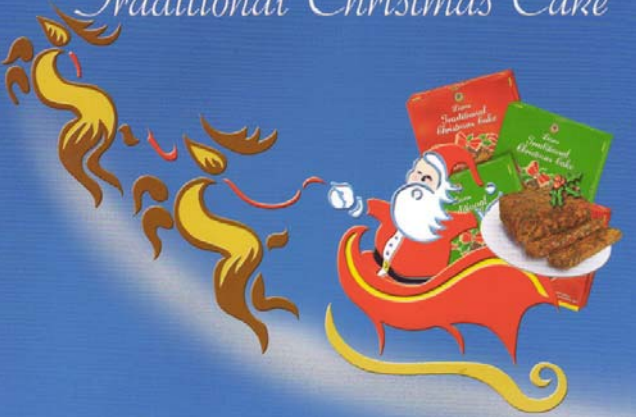
Fish & Chips for sale from 5.30pm
Bar open from 5.00pm

Kids - welcome
Young & Old People - welcome
People new to town - welcome
Shy people - welcome
Friendly people - welcome
People that can sing – welcome
People that say there is nothing on in Broomehill – welcome

So we will see you there!


Enquires to Jerome 0427181341

Celebrate Christmas
with a
Lions
Traditional Christmas Cake



Look for these delicious cakes
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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Residents may recall the incident in March 2013 where a stock truck carrying sheep was involved in a roll over on Great Southern Highway between Broomehill and Tambellup, resulting in the closure of the highway for most of the day. At that time, the crews assisting at the site required the use of a set of portable stock yards to contain the sheep which had survived the accident. Due to circumstances on the day, it was difficult to locate a set in the vicinity of the crash (thanks to the Cunningham family for coming to the rescue!).

The Broomehill-Tambellup Emergency Management Committee maintains a list of resources available in the Shire for use in the event of an emergency, and following the March incident, has requested that portable stockyards be included on this list. If use of the yards is required, contact would be made with the owner for permission at the time.

If you own a set of portable yards, and would be willing for them to be included on the Emergency Resource list, can you please contact Pam at the Shire on 98253555.

Australian Red Cross Rose

In celebration of 100 years of Red Cross in Australia (1914 – 2014), the release of the 'Australian Red Cross Rose'. A classic rose of stunning rich velvety-red blooms, sweetly fragrant and flowers freely on long stems grown by Ross Roses of South Australia. The bush grows 1.2 to 1.5 metres tall and can stand up to extremes of climate from hot summers to cold conditions. \$25.00 per rose includes individual wrapping, postage, packing, quarantine costs, GST and planting guides. **Orders and payment to Carole 0488944416 by November 18.** Plants will be despatched in July 2014 with roses expected to bloom October/November 2014.



Tambellup Bowling Club Dinners

Starts again Friday 11 October, then fortnightly after

Cooking from 6pm–8pm

\$12 Fish & Chips and \$3 Dessert

ROOM TO RENT



Tambellup

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Clearance.

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Albany Detectives and Tambellup Police are seeking the communities assistance in the investigation of an incident that occurred at Tambellup on Saturday 12 October 2013.

Police allege that at 10.30pm a female aged 28 years and her associate; a male aged 26 years had visited the Tambellup Agricultural Show and were walking home along Henry Street.

At this location an altercation occurred with three persons of interest, two of those involved are described as;

1. Indigenous Male
15 to 16 years of age
Slim Build and tall
2. Indigenous Male
20 years of age
Stocky build
Black curly hair

This altercation resulted in both the female and her acquaintance being hospitalised at the Katanning Hospital overnight with injuries as a result of being assaulted. During the assault several items were stolen and included a mobile telephone and a male's wallet.

Police are seeking the details of any person who may have witnessed the assault or have information to the identity of the persons of interest to contact;

- Tambellup Police on 9825 1003,
- Albany Detectives on 9893 9235,
- Or should you wish to provide information anonymously to contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

This type of behaviour is not indicative of the community of Tambellup and any information provided assists the police in holding those accountable for their actions.



Albany Detectives

Tambellup Police

TAMBELLUP SHOW

My little Maltese shitzu dog Buddy loves to climb and jump on top of things so for a bit of fun I entered him into the dog jumping event at the Tambellup Show.

Buddy stands 1 foot high and the jumping wall starts at 6 foot high so no one seriously expected him to actually get to the top of the wall.

In the spirit of fair play the organiser of the dog jumping event placed two planks of wood on top of a large bag of dog food to assist Buddy in making his jumps.

However after three failed attempts Buddy was disqualified. I just love the fun atmosphere of these events and thought wouldn't it be great if there was a smaller version of the working dogs event at the town shows.

If anyone is listening out there please consider this idea as there are loads of little dogs in the area who love jumping and climbing too.

My thanks to everyone who organised the Tambellup Show Day. It was a great free day out and me and my two little dogs had a wonderful time at your show.

Maureen Francis (Katanning)

Thank you

Thank you for your support. The new council has been sworn in and I look forward to the next four years.

Congratulations to Gary Sheridan your newly elected Shire President and Scott Thompson the Deputy President.

TREVOR PROUT

IAN "VANDER" JONES

15.11.1942—20.09.2013

Thank you to my dear friends and members of the Tambellup community for their cards, flowers and valuable support.

Special gratitude to Ambulance Officers Pauline and Kathy and Police Officers Simon and Angie.

Extra special appreciation to Bev Brady and husband John for their care and protection.

Helen Wills-Jones

Broomehill Primary School

Uthando Project -Doll Making.



During Term 3, the Senior Room students, along with some enthusiastic community members, were involved in making dolls for the "Uthando Project."

Uthando is the isiZulu word for love and the Uthando Project distributes dolls in KwaZulu-Natal to children who live in poverty.

After many sessions of threading needles, sewing facial features and clothes, the dolls are complete.

The students not only gained some sewing expertise but were able to show compassion to a child who has never owned a doll before.

Many thanks, to the community members and parents, who gave up their time to help with this project.

Happy Campers!



Broomehill Senior Room Camp was off to Busselton this year.



Many, many thanks to Mrs Michelle Holmes for the amazing job she does to provide our children with another school camp experience!

BROOMEHILL PUBLIC LIBRARY



The Broomehill Public Library is now operating out of the newly refurbished Broomehill office which is having a Grand Opening on Wednesday 6th November 2013 so come in and have a look at our bright new library.

Opening hours:

Monday to Friday:

8.30am till 12pm

1.00pm till 4.30pm

Our services include:

- ✓ eBooks - you can download the latest titles using your library card barcode from the comfort of your own home
- ✓ Inter Library Loans - you may order titles not available in our library, just let us know what type of books or dvds you like and we will order them in for you
- ✓ Better Beginnings - we have two back packs with puppets, books and games for the young children to enjoy which can be borrowed
- ✓ Regional Bulk Loans of large print books - titles change every three months
- ✓ Internet - is now up and running once again, on wireless connection @ \$2 per ¼ hr, \$3 per ½ hr and \$5 per hour

We also have a new exchange with some of the titles listed below:



DID YOU KNOW ...

Children **MUST** know what behaviours are expected and acceptable and that the behavioural expectations are consistent.



A very big thank you to Ms Rosemary Brennan from the Education Department for conducting the Language and Literacy workshop on Wednesday 30th.

The following 'Read and Play' bags are available for loan. Please come to the school and see Sue.

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| 1. A New House For Mouse | 11. Over in The Meadow | 20. This Is The Bear |
| 2. Can You Moo Too? | 12. Ten in The Bed | 21. Walking Through The Jungle |
| 3. Dear Zoo - 3D props | 13. The Big Wide Mouthed Frog | 22. Where Is The Green Sheep? |
| 4. Dinosaur's Day Out | 14. The Other Day I Met A Bear | 23. Who Sank The Boat? |
| 5. Dog Blue | 15. The Ravenous Beast | |
| 6. Handa's Surprise | 16. The Tiger and The Jackal | |
| 7. Have You Seen The Crocodile | 17. The Train Ride | |
| 8. Hello, Goodbye | 18. The True Story of Humpty Dumpty | |
| 9. Look Out Suzy Goose | 19. The Very Hungry Caterpillar | |
| 10. Old MacDonald Had A Farm | | |

KATANNING & DISTRICTS GARDEN CLUB.

The clubs October meeting was held at Leonie Daw's home in Carew Street Katanning, although the weather looked a little threatening to start with it turned out nice allowing us to venture outside to see Leonie's lovely and very colourful garden.

Final preparations were made for the Katanning Show and as usual Garden Club members will be in control of the plants and flowers section. (by the time this goes to print it will be all over so will give the results next month)

A trip to Busselton for members who were able to fit it in, in their busy schedules took place on the 16th & 17th of October, Dumbleyung ladies joined in with us which made it most enjoyable and worthwhile. Two of the gardens we visited were ex Dumbleyung ladies gardens, we also visited Sue Wheatley (ex Katanning), Sue had arranged for us to visit two other gardens in the area, all gardens were a delight to see and the trip was certainly worth the effort.

Competition Results for the month were:
FLORAL ART: 1. Gerry Watson, 2. Maxine Potter, 3. Pam Garlick. **FLOWERS:** 1. Ailsa Thomas, 2. Leonie Daw. **TREE or SHRUB:** 1. Ailsa Thomas, 2. Pam Garlick, 3. Ailsa Thomas. **MY BEST FLOWER:** 1. Gerry Watson, 2. Gerry Watson, 3. Ailsa Thomas. **POT PLANT:** 2. Ailsa Thomas. The monthly raffle was won by Maxine Potter.

Some hints for the month, keep fertilizing bulbs and let the foliage die down naturally, prune natives & exotics after flowering, start watering cacti & succulents. Prepare and start fruit fly baiting.

November meeting will be on November 12TH, at Helen Kowald's home at 22 Amber Street in Katanning, we look forward to seeing members and visitors there.

All for now, cheers Ailsa.

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.

Smith, Thomas – Apparently working in the area in 1881 as on 18th April he returned the augers he had borrowed from TN and on 12th July he and his mate agreed to put up 70 chains (1.4km) of wire fencing with top rail. During August they carted 11 loads of posts and rails.

Smith, William – On 13th February 1863 WHG went with Billy Smith 7 miles the other side of his father's station at Waitchacarrup (WHG's early attempt at spelling the name). On 5th October Harry Adams and Billy went to Smiths at Wagecarrup for Gipsy. On 21st and 22nd December 1864, all from Fairfield went looking for horses at Lake Noring, Quiryup and Smiths at Wagecarrup. They found the horses including Maher's mare and Brush. On 3rd February 1865 young Bill Smith was at Fairfield and left next day for Kojonup.

Sounness, Frank – On 8th January 1907 Sarah Norrish drove into Broome Hill to pick up Frank Sounness to stay for a few days. On 15th January he went with Richard Norrish out to his Wagerup paddock.

Southwell (Unidentified) – Employed at Gobrup in 1897 ploughing with Langton and Rogers in May and June. TN paid him up to 30th June but he stayed on at Gobrup. On 20th December 1897 he ploughed from Deep Well gate around to Haywards and back to the gate – presumably a firebreak. On 3rd January 1898 he took the stump jumping plough to Whitton's for repair.

Spencer, Edward May – Eldest son of Sir Richard Spencer, Government Resident of Albany and owner of Strawberry Hill Farm. Edward was Post Master at Albany at age sixteen and inherited the farm on his father's death. He had extensive pastoral leases in the Gobrup and Eticup areas and in 1855 was granted Kojonup Location 12 just south of Ettakup Pool. It seems very likely that W.H. Graham was a protégé of his as is clear from WHG's diaries that for the first few years that he was in the area he lived in Spencer's house on Location 12 and also worked the land while getting his own place ready at Nannamillup. No evidence has been found that Edward Spencer lived at Eticup for any long periods but he visited fairly regularly and saw Graham at Nannamillup or WHG went to see him. It is likely that some of the men working at Eticup were employed by Spencer and WHG oversaw their work. Edward May Spencer died on 30th August 1869 and bequeathed much of his land to his niece Sophia Jane Trimmer (later Lady Campbell) including the three freehold blocks south of Ettakup Pool and part of the pastoral lease governing Gobrup Creek. He has been erroneously referred to as Sir Edward Spencer but his father was a Knight, not a baronet.

Spencer, Joseph – Brother of Edward May Spencer. He had much land in the Kojonup area including Balgarup and inherited part of Edwuds Gobrup Vreek pastoral lease – the Boylup section – and also Strawberry Hill. WHG refers to him once or twice during 1863 and 1864 and he was threshing at Eticup in January 1865. TN had quite a lot of contact with Joseph Spencer as by 1880 their land abutted and occasionally their flocks got mixed. Spencer's shepherd Black Jimmy got rations from TN in August 1881 and his overseer is reported as having visited Gobrup. In September 1883 Joseph Spencer asked TN to value his Boylup land and assess the improvements. Ten days later he asked if TN would take over Carmody's flock. The significance of this request is not clear unless flocks were leased out and the owner was saved the responsibility of overseeing their shepherding. On 8th November 1886 TN and Henry Townsend went to Balgarup to ask Spencer to take over Townsends sheep which TN had apparently been responsible for; TN agreed to keep them for another year. On 19th December 1888 TN received a letter from Spencer regarding the £5 owing for the use of the Carbadup run but TN had not used the run since it had been burnt out in March.

Spencer, Robert – Brother of Edward May Spencer and repeatedly referred to by WHG during 1864. In March he went with WHG to Mungacup for four days looking for horses. In August he spent three days at Nannamillup helping WHG and "George" put up rafters. WHG usually referred to him as Bob or Bobbie. In February 1884 Robert Spencer was killed by his wagon going over him.

Back to School 2014



**Come and try The Broomehill Post Office
 For your Back to School Requirements.
 Leave your booklist with us and collect it in
 time for the start of the 2014 school year.
 Call Murray or Susan 98241246**

CONGRATULATIONS!

LAURIE HULL VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY SERVICE 'AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE'

During the Fire and Emergency Services Conference held in Perth in September, Laurie was awarded the Volunteer Emergency Service 'Award for Excellence'. This award recognises a VESU member who has made an outstanding contribution to emergency services in Western Australia.

This Award is not restricted to activities related specifically to a VESU, it may encompass other emergency service roles or activities in which the individual has taken part. In addition, this Award is not restricted to emergency service roles and activities undertaken within the past 12 months—it may encompass actions performed over a number of years.



*Laurie with the DFES
Commissioner
Wayne Gregson,
receiving his award.*



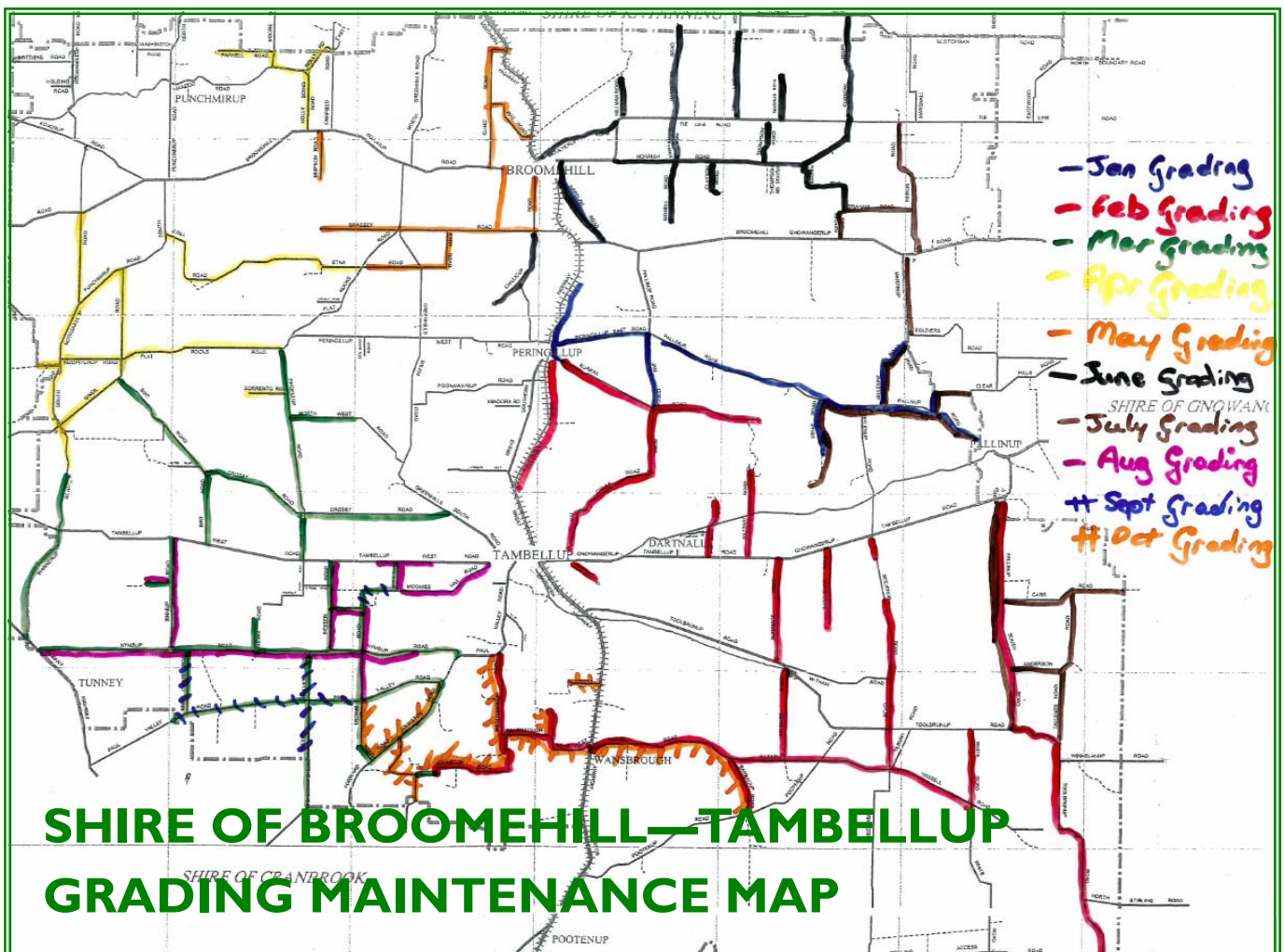
Tambellup Bowling Club

The new bowls season got underway on Sunday 13th October.

To commence proceedings Jeanett Hams was presented with a Life Membership for her many years of tireless work for the benefit of the club and the sport of lawn bowls.

Old and new members always welcome. Club days are on Saturdays or try your hand at scrungers on Thursdays at 4.45pm.

Pictured above— Peter Sheridan, Jeanett Hams and Gloria Hilder.





WOULD UP TO \$200 PER CHILD HELP PAY FOR THEIR SPORTING CLUB FEES?

KidSport will assist eligible families to receive up to \$200 annually for each of their children aged between 5 – 18 years, to subsidise fees to join a sport and recreation club. Eligible families include those with health care cards or pension concession cards, or those referred by other community groups such as schools, juvenile justice teams, government agencies and health practitioners. These groups are known as referral agents.

The process for accessing KidSport is simple!

Kids and parents/guardians can complete the application by picking one up from the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup office or their website. The parent/guardian fills in the application and takes it to be validated at the local government they reside in. A photocopy of the health care card or pension concession card must be attached.

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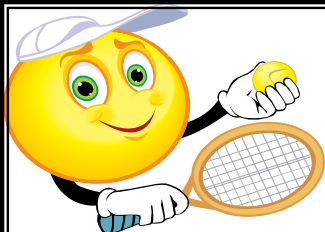
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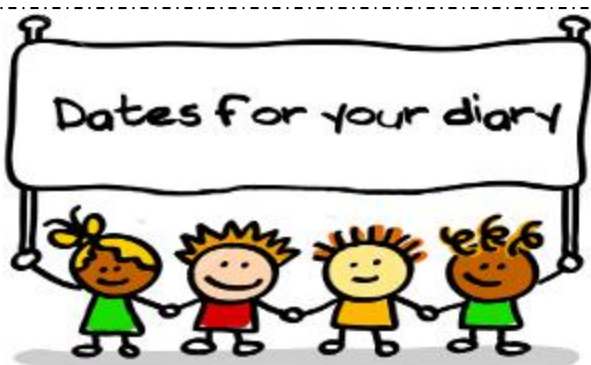
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