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UPCOMING

<u>EVENTS</u> <u>3 Nov</u> The Big Book Sale Bunbury Library

<u>4 Nov</u> Harvey Accessible Highway Expo

<u>11 Nov</u> Leschenault Nursery Eco Fair

<u>13 Nov</u> AGM Brunswick CRC

<u>16 Nov</u> Navigating Aged Care Brunswick CRC

<u>18 Nov</u> St Johns Ambulance 60th Anniversary (pg10)

<u>18,19 Nov</u> Rock & Roll Christmas (pg 9)

BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY CART - FOR THE PEOPLE, BY THE PEOPLE.

The beginnings of establishing a place to share or swap garden produce began back in 2020, in the early days of the arrival of COVID-19 in WA. developing a space for community members to exchange items was then identified as a means of keeping the community connected during periods of lockdown and to encourage locals to maintain communication through simple, but kind and thoughtful gestures.

Three years later, the seeds of thought, finally came to fruition! Thanks to Auspost's 'People of the Post' grant, nominated by Liz Burgoyne at Brunswick's Post Office and a successful application for the project, submitted by Brunswick CRC on behalf of the Brunswick Town Team.

All that was then needed, was someone to create a stall to set it all up - enter the Brunswick Men's and Hen's Shed! Sitting down together to look at possible designs, the choice for an open cart was quickly made. The rest is, as one might say, history. Beautifully crafted by Bruce Smart, the cart was wheeled into its current location, outside the Post Office in Brunswick where it has certainly attracted a lot of attention. Thank you to the Bunbury Herald and Harvey Waroona Reporters, Seven West Media (GWN7) and Triple M for giving our project the exposure it justly deserved. We are very pleased to report the cart is in full daily use and that we have also helped to inspire neighbouring communities to adopt similar projects in their towns.

As the Moospaper goes to print, we are expecting the outcome of voting to give our cart a name which we will announce in the next edition of the Moospaper and publish on the Brunswick Town Team's Facebook page.



TINA WALLIS





Liz Burgoyne (Auspost) Erin Vergeer (Brunswick Town Team), Tina Wallis (CRC) and members of Brunswick Men's Shed





Seven West Media during their visit

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MAGGIE'S MUSINGS

Welcome to November! It was such a lovely October in Brunswick, culminating in a wonderful Brunswick Show thanks to the dedicated volunteers at Brunswick Agricultural Society! The show was officially opened by Brunswick's Michael Italiano, as wife Mary and family supported from the crowd. The official opening and luncheon saw BAS president Julianne Hill continue the embracing of the "Farm to Fridge" theme, with guest speakers including fourth-generation farmer Michael Partridge of Brunswick's White Rocks Dairy and WA Rural Ambassador title winner and BAS representative Lauren Patane.

Showgoers were treated to fine weather this year, with many stalls, exhibits and interactive activities, ending in an amazing fireworks display! In its ninth year, The Italian Sausage Competition was again well-supported, kindly sponsored by Pete's Chop Shop in Australind and White Rocks Dairy in Brunswick, with Damien Musitano winning the hot category and Rob Williams winning the mild category. In an ongoing collaboration between BAS and Harvey-Brunswick-Leschenault Football Club, winners were announced to the large crowd gathered at the Pasta Night held at the clubrooms during show week. Special guest Michael Ross, breakfast show presenter on Bunbury's Triple M radio, joined the judging panel! A big thank you to all sponsors, volunteers and supporters of the 92nd **Brunswick Show!**

In other local news, Brunswick Tennis Club's season has begun with junior tennis every Tuesday and casual senior tennis on Sunday afternoons. All welcome, no experience necessary! As we move into November, The Moospaper has been advised that the local community concert scheduled by Brunswick Singers for November has been postponed until January. In December, keep 2nd December free for the Christmas Markets at Brunswick Town Hall and plans are underway for the annual Carols by Candlelight in the Complex. Watch this space for all the local news! Don't you just LOVE Brunswick?!

Julianne Hill and Lauren Patane



Michael and Mary Italiano



Michael Ross of Triple M Radio







HBL Players Cooper Robins, Joey Carmody, Fraser Ward, Josh O'Day

CONGRATULATIONS TO

 Brunswick's Craig Carbone on being re-elected to the Shire of Harvey council. Councillor Carbone looks forward to representing Brunswick and the whole Shire. An extended, grateful thanks to all supporters.
Congratulations to ex Brunswick Cottages resident Daphne Hissey who has just turned 100.

There was a happy gathering at Hogart Lodge in Harvey on 30th October to wish Daphne well. Family members came from South Africa and England as well as all the local children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. An amazing achievement and she still manages the cryptic crossword every day!

MARGRET CARBONE



BAS President Julianne Hill with



Oaklee, Michael and Harrison Partridge of White Rocks Dairy



Michael Italiano and Phil Mosca Sarah Talbot and Helen Ablett





New Signs for Brunswick Junction CRC

Have you noticed the new signage for the centre recently? We thought it was about time to refresh our existing promotional material, to help existing and new users of the CRC to be aware of current services and events on offer in the town, as well as the surrounding areas.

We are also excited to announce that our new digital sign is now installed and ready to promote local activities for groups and organisations that have events coming up. If you are preparing to run something special or know of any upcoming events that would be of interest for community members, please feel welcome to let us know and we will endeavour to include them in our advertising schedule.





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'Late Night' Fridays

Friday's Late Night Youth Group experienced a change from the usual, with the help of Brunswick Men's & Ladies' Shed. The teenagers were given the opportunity to put their hands and brains to work in creating a wooden fruit bowl. Set up as a trial, the idea of the session was based on exploring different activities and sharing skills held in the local community. Feedback from the Teens indicated they enjoyed the experience and are looking forward to another session. We are grateful for the enthusiasm and time shared by the Shedders and pleased with the outcomes to help connect groups in our community.





Event Highlights:

WELCOME TO COUNTRY, NURSERY TOUR, NATIVE PLANTS FOR SALE, PRIZES, QUALITY ECO SHOW BAGS, COFFEE VAN AND FOOD STALLS, LIVE MUSIC OF GREEN HERRING, OZ, KIDS' ZONE WITH NATURE CRAFTS AND SCARE CROW BUILDING, LUCKY DIP, MARKET STALLS, RAFFLE Workshops: Possum Drey Building and Make a Native Bee Hotel - Book your spot online

Free to attend. No booking required: Potting native plants - Cuttings - How to Bonsai Native Plants

Brunswick Walking Group - stepping out!

Before the heat of the summer hits the Southwest, the Brunswick Walking Group optimized perfect weather conditions for a trail out bush on Harvey's Wildflower walk. Meeting weekly on a Thursday, the group can be seen on different walks around Brunswick.

It's a great way to fit in some regular exercise each week and meet with friends to chat, during the walk and after at the ensuing morning tea!



Wildflower Bush Walk, Honeymoon Road, Harvey





Stunning views of local natural beauty



THE LIL' STAR OLYMPICS

CHEVONNE GREENHALGH

The sun was out on Saturday, 21st October for the Lil' Star Olympics, held at BJCRC, The morning consisted of young families arriving for a jam-packed session of fun and games. With 5 fun Olympic-themed event stations, the children had to compete in: Pool Noodle Javelin, Shot Put & Bean bag Toss. Water gun relay and Fly Swatter Golf.

Parents and staff were available to help the children if they required assistance and the kids all seemed to have had a great time, some even competing and playing alongside their peers. There were many volunteers on the day who assisted with the scoring and helping with serving snacks and drinks.

The reward for completing all the event stations, was a delicious ice cream treat which was catered by Becks Sweet as Real Fruit Ice Cream. The ice cream was a hit amongst the young and the old and was the perfect way to finish the day.

The Children's Week events were being held between the 21st-28th October and there was much competition for attendance - These events are proudly partnered by Fuel to Go and Play, Lotterywest, Healthway, Government of Western Australia Department of Communities and the Meerilinga Foundation who we thank for the funding to help stage this annual event.





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BRUNSWICK JUNCTION CRC DISPLAY WITH LYNNE & TINA



BRUNSWICK SHOW 2023

For Brunswick Junction CRC, the Brunswick Show held a special meaning this year. Of course, we were delighted to have the opportunity to promote the variety of our services and events within our display in the Tom Pearson Pavilion. However, we were 'over the moon' to see the efforts of the CRC's Thursday Kidz Club being rewarded. During Term 3, the children had been busy preparing entries to go into the Children's section and their efforts were well recognised in the results!

Congratulations to all those who entered, it was great to see the dedication in preparing the entries and the achievements of the prize-winning entries.





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* SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER 8.30AM*- 12.30PM BRUNSWICK JUNCTION TOWN HALL



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Congratulations Brunswick Tennis Club!

Receiving a \$53,695 grant through the Cook Labor Government's Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Fund.

Brunswick Tennis Club is a great community sporting club with so many young and upcoming talents.

I'm a proud supporter of the club and was pleased to also deliver on my \$10,000 election commitment for more sporting equipment.

Wishing the club and members all the best for the season ahead.

I look forward to cheering you on!

Robyn Clarke MLA MEMBER FOR MURRAY-WELLINGTON

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JINGLE ALL THE WAY WITH BRUNSWICK'S KIDZ CLUB!



Join us as we prepare for the Brunswick Christmas Market Over the coming weeks we are going to be busy creating and making gifts to sell on our Kidz Club stall

Thursday After School 3:05 - 4:15pm Light Afternoon Tea







KIDZ CLUB FUN - CONTINUES

Term 4 is now well underway and so are the efforts of Thursday's after school Kidz Club at the CRC. We are now busy with preparations for our next project, creating items to sell at the Christmas Market on Saturday 2nd Dec 2023. Already, the children have got stuck into making some colourful items for the stall with the aim to use the proceeds to fund a special end of year activity and celebration. For further details please give us a call: 9726 1452



LIONS CLUB

Ron Arkwright.

Busy busy busy that's what the Brunswick Junction Lions were for weeks prior to the Show. The Brunswick Show has been and gone being the 28th of this month October.

One of the highlights of the show was the Brunswick Lions Animal Nursery. The time when families young and old got together to see and touch true farm animals. Chickens, ducks, sheep, alpacas, wild birds and many many more.

Hundreds of day-old chicks were made available to be held and nursed by the many many children passing through the Nursery shed.

The day-old chicks were then sold during the day to families who wish to raise these little girls to a stage where they will be laying valuable eggs all over the place and will become part of a valuable family learning process of where eggs actually come from.

The nursery shed is huge and is only used once a year for this particular occasion as an Animal Nursery.



The Lion members were busy cleaning out pens and laying fresh sawdust and hay, making the place as comfortable as possible for the time the display Farm Animals were to be housed there. A little bird has told me that a generous amount of the proceeds from this day will be going to support a local community, club or organisation, for as we know, that is what the Lions are all about, active amongst the community (more about that in the next issue of the Moospaper).

Regards to all, Ron Arkwright **Brunswick Junction Lions**





What do you call a group of cows with a sense of humor Laughing Stock



REVEGETATING YOUR WATERWAYS: **AXIMISE THE** CCESS OF YOUR a practical workshop ATERWAY RESTORATION

IRDAY 4THNOVEMBER

his event is a part of Healthy Estuaries WA -a State Government program that aims to improve the health of our South West estuaries.

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BE CONNECTED

Narelle Read

I learned a lot from organizing an afternoon of learning about internet safety, handling unwanted calls, and computer security. I went through the application and rules to understand what was expected. To make it easier, I downloaded the form and filled out the answers on another sheet while keeping count of words and spell-checking.

I wanted to plan an activity that would interest people and thought hard about which game or video to play. I was unsure whether to adopt a formal teaching approach or a more relaxed conversational one. In the past, I had become tongue-tied or mixed up my words while delivering speeches in front of live audiences. So, I was unsure about how I would feel about the event.

After filling out the form, I sent it, and it was too late to back out. I kept the event at the back of my mind and tried to get ready in small ways over the following weeks. On the day of the event, I prepared myself mentally and finished off any remaining tasks.

During the afternoon, we had a small group, and the atmosphere was relaxed. We talked about scanning QR codes, using the Emergency Plus app, blocking unwanted phone numbers, and enlarging text on your phone. We also enjoyed afternoon tea. Overall, it was a great learning experience for me, and I now know what to expect for next time.







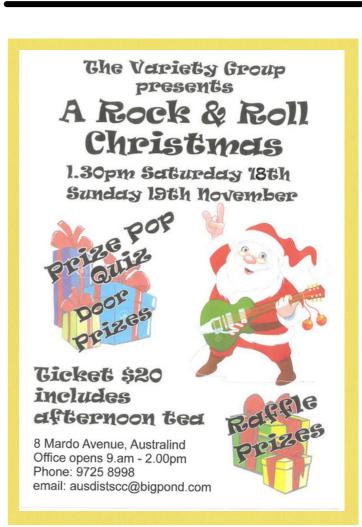
ACCESSIBILITY AND swick INCLUSION

Residents of Brunswick and surrounding areas are invited to the Harvey Accessibility Highway Expo on Saturday 4 November, at Harvey Recreation and Cultural Centre, 10am to 3pm. This is a FREE day of entertainment with children's events including sensory play area and petting zoo, face painting and musical acts too!



Together with guest speakers on aged care and disability, carer information, food stalls and disability service provider information.. there is a lot on offer. Meet the **Harvey Community Disability Advocacy Network**, who will share their experience of advocating for themselves and communities.

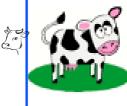
This a great opportunity for anyone interested in accessibility or in services for those living with a disability and their families and carers



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Brunswick Family



Pharmacy

Monday- Friday 9am to 5pm Phone: 9726 1000

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 - **Diabetes Management**
 - Medication Packs

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reading support program

Hands Up / Kids

Ph- 9726 1557

- If you can read and want to help make a difference in a child's life, we need you! · Sign on for as often and as long as you choose - even go on holidays
- and then come back to HU4K!
- You choose the day you'll be available
- We need volunteers to join the We'll help you get a Working With Children Card - no formal training needed
 - Come alone or with a friend, relative, neighbour or colleague men and women needed
 - · Lots of opportunities to make new friends and celebrate your successes with other HU4K volunteers over coffee
 - If you enjoy working with young children and want to help a young child to succeed - All it will cost, is your time

Talk to Jan on 0499 240 371 or email handsup4kids@gmail.com about getting involved. More information on www.handsup4kids.org.au

Be part of the move to help our local young kids become confident learners with a chance to succeed - There's always a need for more volunteers at every school.



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During this time, Transwa road coaches will operate between Bunbury and East Perth. In recognition of the disruption to our passengers, we're offering a 50% discount on Standard. Concession and SmartCommuter fares when travelling on Australind replacement road coaches during the shutdown*.



Service changes include:

Each Australind train service will be replaced by two road coaches - an all stops service and limited stop service;

Services will now operate between Bunbury and East Perth terminals; and

There will be some changes to the timetable to maintain connecting services.

Because coaches operate on roads instead of dedicated tracks, they take longer and are affected by traffic. The limited stop service will allow passengers to transfer to the Mandurah Line at Kwinana Station and connect to the Perth CBD in approximately the same amount of time as the current journey.

For more information call 1300 662 205.

*Discounted fares apply to Australind road coach replacement services only

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BRUNSWICK JUNCTION COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN **US FOR OUR**

AGM 13TH NOVEMBER 2023

(A) 6.00PM

RSPV BY 8TH NOV 2023

with light refreshments served

Community Resource Centre

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BE SUNSMART

FOR THE BEST PROTECTION, USE ALL FIVE **SUNSMART STEPS:**

1. Slip on covering clothing

Choose clothing that covers as much skin as possible, for example, collared shirts with long sleeves. Some clothing may carry an ultraviolet protection factor (UPF), which is a guarantee of how much UV protection a fabric provides.

2. Slop on SPF 30 (or higher) broad-spectrum, water resistant sunscreen

Apply a generous amount of sunscreen to clean, dry skin at least 20 minutes before you go outside. The average-sized adult will need a teaspoon of sunscreen for their head and neck, each limb and the front and back of the body. That's about seven teaspoons (35mL) for a full body application. Reapply sunscreen every two hours or after swimming or excessive sweating. Remember, sunscreen is not a suit of armour and

3. Slap on a hat

Choose, a broad-brimmed, legionnaire or bucket style hat which shades your face, nose, neck and ears, which are common sites for skin cancers. Caps and visors do not provide enough protection.

should be used with other sun protection measures.

4. Seek shade

Use trees, built shade structures, or bring your own (such as a sunshade tent)! Shade reduces UV radiation, but it can still reach you via reflection, so make sure you use shade in combination with other sun protection measures.

5. Slide on some sunglasses

Sunglasses and a broad-brimmed hat worn together can reduce UV radiation exposure to the eyes by up to 98%. Sunglasses should be worn outside during daylight hours. Choose close-fitting wraparound sunglasses that meet the Australian Standard AS/NSZ 1067.

Protect yourself in five ways from skin cancer







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SLOP



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BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY CALENDAR NOVEMBER 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			01 Mahjong Group 12.30pm Brunswick Singing group 4-5pm	02 9am Walking Group BJCRC KIDZ CLUB@3pm	03 Friday Late Nigt Slot Cars 7pm	04
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Over 55's exercise group @ Brunswick Town Hall Brunswick Singing Group @ Anglican Church, Brunswick Slot Cars @ next to the Guide Hall, Agricultural Showgrounds

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