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GREETINGS FROM THE GARDEN

GEORGIE GARDNER

Welcome to a new monthly garden feature, bringing horticultural updates, tips and news for all community members.

The Community Garden in Brunswick is one of many projects run by Brunswick Community Resource Centre. The atmosphere is casual and friendly with members who hail from many parts of the Harvey Shire and new faces are always welcome.

Pictured, are some of our wicking beds which have produced abundant crops of seasonal vegetables over the years. Unfortunately, this summer's devastating heat waves have 'challenged' many of our plants. Overall, the original installation of the wicking beds in 2016 has allowed, for example, tomato crops to thrive throughout the summer. However,

as a result of the recent extreme weather conditions, the garden club has decided to explore growing a range of succulents.

The 'Succulents for Sale' initiative aims to raise funds for replenishing the soil in the garden beds. The 'team' is already potting up and invite local green thumbs to bring their excess succulent offcuts and emerging 'pups'.

Rather than adding unwanted cuttings to your green waste bin, we would like to invite you to the community garden for a visit, with your trimmings. Open Tuesday – Friday 9am to 3pm, the garden is located behind the CRC, next to the main entrance of the Brunswick Showgrounds. Members and friends of the community garden meet every THIRD Saturday of the month for a social garden experience with like-minded garden enthusiasts. The kettle is on from 9.00am - 11:30am, tea and coffee are provided. If you are interested in this community initiative and are looking for a way to contribute - become a volunteer with us! Please contact Tina on 9726 1452 .

Community Garden events are posted in the "Moospaper" as well as on both Brunswick Community Resource Centre's and Brunswick Community Garden's Facebook pages.



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BRUNSWICK JUNCTION COMMUNITY GARDEN

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MAGGIE'S MUSINGS MARGRET CARBONE



Thanks for joining us for April with The Moospaper! Lots of local news to report, not least being the election of the new president at Brunswick Agricultural Society. Julianne Hill stepped down from the role at the AGM held in March, with David Power taking the reins as preparations get underway for the 93rd

Brunswick Show, to be held on 26 October! Julianne and David met with past president, Mark Talbot, to present a cheque for \$10,000,



which will be given to Perth's Harry Perkins Institute of Medical Research to assist in researching cancer. The money was raised through the sale of Clarabelle the Cow, the large pink cow who has travelled the state, raising awareness and funds for cancer research. A big thank you was extended to the Fotheringhame family of Karlgarin and the Talbot family of Brunswick, who joined forces to purchase Clarabelle at last year's Show. Brunswick Agricultural Society is grateful to all who support the assist with the Show, as funds continue to be distributed to worthy causes both locally and in the wider community!

Speaking of the community, there are a couple of new faces at Brunswick Post Office!

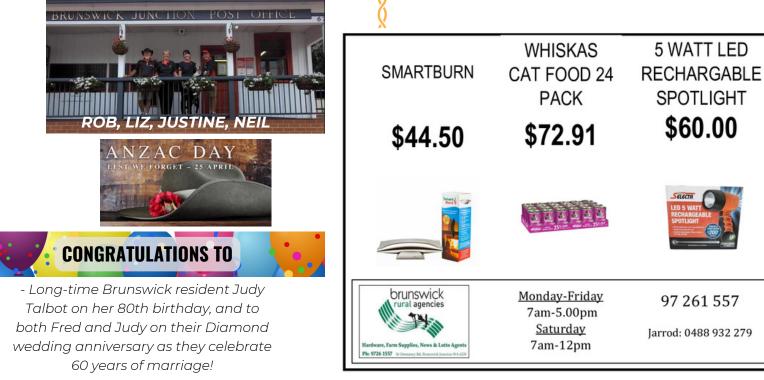
After seven years of wonderful service to our town and beyond, Liz and Rob Burgoyne have decided to step away from the stamps, as locals welcome new owners Justine Rowden and Neil Darby. Justine and Neil are ready to continue the friendly and helpful service which Liz and Rob offered, and are already getting to know the names of locals and doing a great job of settling in! Welcome Justine and Neil!

In football news, Harvey-Brunswick-Leschenault are preparing for the season opener on Saturday 20th April, when they will meet Harvey Bulls at Harvey Oval in the traditional derby. Round two will see the season's first home game for the Lions, as they host Collie at Brunswick Oval on Saturday 27th April. Let's get behind the maroon and gold for the win in 2024!



The last word this month is a grateful thank-you to the happy and giving locals who organise the honouring of ANZAC Day in Brunswick each year, lest we forget. Following the march, the wreath-laying service will be held at the memorial gardens situated next to the Post Office, before everyone moves into the Brunswick Town Hall for guest speaker and commemoration service. If you would like to join the volunteers in setting up chairs etc, you will be very welcome!

Don't you just LOVE Brunswick?!





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New for Autumn/Winter 2024! **Tina Wallis**

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Judy Talbot OAM PO Box 44 BRUNSWICK WA 6224

PROGRAM

FAREWELL

Margret Carbone

Brunswick residents were among the large number of people who gathered at St Mary Star Of The Sea Catholic Church in Cottesloe, to celebrate the life of Sister Eileen Tinning PBVM.

Sr Eileen passed away on 20th January 2024 after 73 years of dedicated service as a member of the Presentation Sisters. officially the Sisters of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Many of those years were spent as a teacher at Brunswick's St Michael's School, during the late 1950s, 60s and 70s where

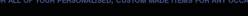


Sr Eileen was known as Sister Rosarii and when a group of Presentation Sisters resided in Brunswick.

Former students recalled fond memories of Sr Rosarii, who was also known to many community members outside the school due to her involvement with coaching netball and otherwise assisting the children, including playing a big role in teaching them music and singing and entering them in many music festivals. She spent approximately 20 years in Brunswick, being posted elsewhere and returning in later years when she was appointed to the position of Principal of St Michael's. At the farewell service, it was mentioned that Sr Eileen would cite Brunswick as one of her favourite teaching roles.

May she Rest In Peace.





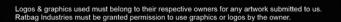


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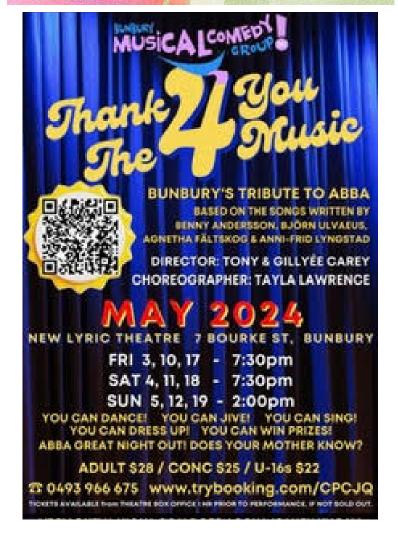
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Thank You Bruswick CRC Narelle Read

Well, what a year it has been for me. First, I would love to say Thank You to the staff, volunteers, and members of Brunswick Junction Community Resource Centre for choosing me for their Traineeship in Tourism Cert III.

To the Community of Brunswick Junction, Thank You for the warm friendly welcome you have shown me over the past 12 months. I am feeling a bit sad about leaving this wonderful place where I have gained new skills in my professional life. I had a great time learning to create flyers, making presentations, scanning emails, and corresponding through emails at the Brunswick CRC. Later, I worked at the Australind Artisan Collective where I interacted with customers, managed sales, and displayed products. Finally, I joined The Dolphin Discovery Centre where I learned about our local sea life while chatting with visitors.

Although I am sad to leave, I understand that at the end of my 12-month tenure provides someone else with the opportunity to up-skill. The next Trainee will follow a different course to mine and I am sure they will enjoy their training at the BJCRC and benefit from this unique opportunity.

Thank You Brunswick and its beautiful community.

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Danika and her trip to see PINK in Concert

Narelle Read

I would like you to meet Danika. This young lady has had to face many challenges in life with her family right beside her. I've been following her journey for a while from being on Telethon to seeing her getting to the P!NK concert. I asked her mum Natasha if I could get a little write-up; a little about this small chapter in the amazing life of Danika.

Danika and her Family are local to Brunswick Junction where she attends St. Michaels in She also has two sisters. Matilda 12 and Georgia 11



Danika Pitts was first diagnosed with brain cancer in Sept 2020 and has undergone three brain surgeries since that time. She is currently stable and well, undergoing brain MRIs every eight weeks at Perth Children's Hospital as well as other clinics, to monitor her health on a regular basis.

PINK CONCERT

We received tickets through the generosity of Telethon 7, the Kid's Cancer Group and Optus stadium.

Natasha Pitts

This experience is something we would never have been able to contemplate with 3 daughters and the ongoing medical, travel costs. Danika managed to have a micro nap to wake up in time for Willow (Pink's Daughter) to come on stage to sing Danika's favourite song 'Cover Me In Sunshine'. She especially loved it when PINK did the aerial stunts and spins in the air. Danika was surprised there were so many people there.

It was lucky we went on the Saturday as Danika was super tired the next day - She now has her new favourite singer, playing all her music.









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NEW OWNERS AT BRUNSWICK JUNCTION POST OFFICE

LEESA SUTHERLAND

There are two new friendly faces at the Brunswick Post Office. The desire for a change of lifestyle has found Neil and Justine, along with children Luke and Emily, become the new owners of Brunswick Junction Post Office. On 26th of February this year, the family took over the reins from Rob and Liz Burgoyne.

Neil and Justine are looking forward to growing their new business, which will provide all the usual Australia Post services. By his own admission, Neil has a lot to learn. "It's all very new and there's a lot to absorb. I'm currently following Liz each day to learn the mail delivery route," said Neil. The couple are loving their new role at the post office, meeting new people and getting involved in the community.

Following a career spanning 30 years at Post Offices throughout the South West, culminating in the position of Senior Manager at the Bunbury Post Office, Justine is now one of the smiling faces you'll see when visiting the post office. Justine is also mum to Luke and Emily, who as small children attended St Michael's Catholic Primary School when the family lived in Burekup. Neil, in addition to now working alongside Justine, has been a freelance television cameraman for the last eleven years. Neil's career commenced in the early 90's, working for several major television networks including Channel 9 and the Golden West Network. His diverse career has seen him

filming stories and events including the Gracetown cliff disaster, OMCG runs, whale strandings in the South West and protestors involved with stopping old growth logging.



Neil's story also encompasses umpiring for the South West Football League from 1994 to 2000, including an impressive seven League Grand Finals. As for Dene, a more familiar face at Brunswick Post Office, the couple jokingly commented, "She's worth her weight in gold and is never leaving." Neil and Justine are really enjoying their new venture in Brunswick and we wish them all the very best as they continue to learn the ropes of running this beautiful little country Post Office.

Hon. Louise Kingston MLC

Member for the South West Region

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LIONS TALES

The Brunswick Junction Showgrounds came alive with activity on the weekend of the 10th of March when the 'Life Cycle for Canteen' team, poured in, taking over the Brunswick Football Club. Bicycles of all shapes and sizes ,active people riding the roads happy to bunk out in tents all for the support of others less fortunate. Celebrating their 25th year of service.

Lion member Laurie Parravicini has been the Brunswick Lions representative/go-between for over 23 of those 25 years making sure everything is ready for the cyclists to have a great time. During the formal evening, Brunswick Lions Vice President Les Robinson attended the function, to hand over the annual donation made by the Lions every year during those past 23 years.



Skin Care.

Living in this wonderful country of ours with months of sunshine in which to get outdoors and enjoy life. Unfortunately all that sunshine can come with terrible results of Skin Cancer, some people more at risk than others.

On Sunday the 24th of March the Lions cancer screening bus opened its doors parked at the CRC carpark to offer free screening tests to all those who made themselves available.

Lions members organised bookings before and during the day and offered light refreshments to those who had completed the screening test.

A good percentage of Lion members and the general public took advantage of this free service.





Social Ladies Night .

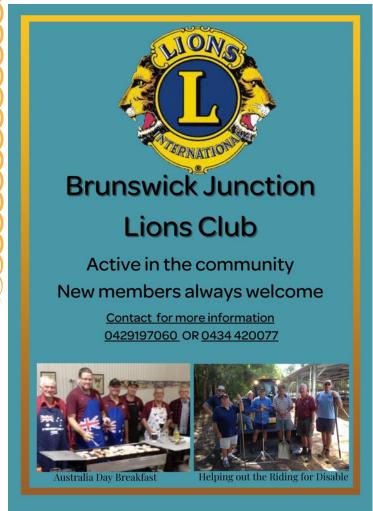
The night of Tuesday, 19th of March saw our normal monthly meeting turn into a Ladies invited night, held at the premises of local wood carving artist John Abbott . John has been keen to arrange a return visit of the Brunswick Lions who visited his premises some four years ago .

38 members partners and guests attended the evening enjoying a tasty array of Asian food. Thanks go out to Les and Carmel Robinson for organising, plus a special thanks to Lion Jamie Fry for attending the bar . Lots of fellowship , good company plus a very interesting tour of John's beautiful wood art and museum of military wear from years gone by. A meeting with a difference.

Brunswick Lions President Craig Klumpp thanked all for attending and John for providing the venue .



Regards to all, Ron Arkwright Brunswick Junction Lions Club .



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"BRUNSWICK REMEMBERED"

LEESA SUTHERLAND <u>Mrs Galati – A Smile for All and a Heart of</u> Gold

Giovannina Galati-Rando, affectionatelv known to

Brunswick locals as Mrs Galati or Mrs G, and to her loving family as mum was and always will be a name that goes hand in hand with the fondly remembered Galati's Deli in Brunswick.



For all your fresh fruit and vegetables,

small goods, groceries, confectionery and cigarettes, A. & G. Galati & Co was the place to go. Located at 39 Ommaney Road in Brunswick Junction, with telephone number 261235, everyone has their memories of this beautiful family business that for 27 years, provided a cherished service to the community of Brunswick.

In partnership with her husband Antonino Galati and daughter Nina, Galati's Deli came to be. After leaving school at the end of Year 10, Nina worked a job in the deli in Brunswick Junction and a few years later, with the support and encouragement of her mum, bought the shop and the family of nine moved to Brunswick Junction from Benger. This is where the story of Galati's Deli - Take Aways begins. Mrs Galati began learning the ins and outs of how a deli operated, a small hurdle being she wasn't able to read or write in English. Any small piece of paper was used to add up how much a customer needed to pay, as well as working out their change – no calculator or till required.

In the first years after purchasing the shop, Mrs Galati worked seven days a week, from 6.00 am in the morning until 10.00 pm at night. The deli sold a comprehensive range of continental lines, grocery items, fresh fruit and vegetables, and takeaway food, all with the option to book goods up and pay later. All daily newspapers were available, as well as weekly magazines.

A Sunday Times delivery round was another service offered, with the eldest of the Galati children delivering the newspapers on Sunday mornings. Mrs Galati would wait up every Saturday night until the papers were delivered and then bring the bundled-up newspapers inside. Early Sunday morning she would roll the papers, tie them with string and have them ready to be delivered before anyone else was out of bed. For those of us who grew up in Brunswick, it would be remiss not to mention the mixed lollies on offer at the shop. Two lollies for one cent! I personally recall the beautifully packaged Easter egg gift boxes that could be purchased from the shop at Easter time.

In 1996 Antonino and Giovannina sold the shop, retired and moved into their dream home on George Avenue in Brunswick.

Be it your memories of arcade games Bubble Bobble or Double Dragon, collecting scripts brought from Harvey, Slush Puppie's, or meeting up with friends, the days of Galati's Deli will forever be a part of Brunswick's treasured history



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In the Dardanup Hall from 11am-2pm on Friday 5th April 2024 there will be food trucks, youth market stalls, interactive events and more! Visit the Official Website

https://www.dardanup.wa.gov.au/youthfest-2024.aspx



In celebration of Youth Week the City of Bunbury will be hosting an awesome event for the young people in our community- Youth Woola Boola! The City has teamed up with Bunbury Youth / by YAC, Anglicare WA and Youth Affairs Council of Western Australia for this event. Visit the Facebook event pagehttps://www.facebook.com/events/1153772129324110 here for further updates.

BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY CALENDAR APRIL 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	01 Public Holiday EASTER MONDAY	02 FOOD BANK VAN at Brunswick CRC 1030-11.15am	03 Singing Group 4-5pm	04	05 Youth Week Events Slot Cars 7pm	06
07	08 Junior Paint Sip & Crunch	09 Dodgeball for Kids, Brunswick Rec Centre 1-3pm	10 WA Youth Handlers Camp starts today Singing Group 4-5pm	11	12 Paint & Sip Slot Cars 7pm	13 Paint & Sip
14	15 SCHOOL TERM 2 STARTS Over 55's exercise group 8.30am	16 NO Food bank van	17 Singing Group 4-5pm	18 WALKING GROUP 9am KIDZ CLUB	19 Slot Cars 7pm	20 Community Garden
21	22 Over 55's exercise group 8.30am	23	24 Singing Group 4-5pm	25 ANZAC DAY	26 Slot Cars 7pm	²⁷ Making Scents WARCA Workshop
28	29 Over 55's exercise group 8.30am	30				

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