



TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC.

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Come & Join us for

BINGO!

-  Saturday 21st May 2022
-  Tungkillo Soldiers Memorial Hall
-  Doors Open @ 6:30pm
-  Eyes Down @ 7:00pm



**The result of the Tungkillo Monster Auction
Held on Sunday 10th April, 2022
At Memorial Park**

Donations including wood \$1800
Goods sold—made from commission & admin fee \$614.45
BBQ, cakes/produce, trading table, raffle & kitchen \$769.00
Once again thanks to all that attended the day or bought items from within our hall.



**We hope that everyone born in
MAY**

Has a wonderful birthday.

If we have missed your birthday, we're sorry we didn't know, **a special happy**



Carole Evans

Shane Frazer

Chad Frazer

Joyce Fendler

Quillan Rogers

Leigh Vinall

WISHING ALL THE
MOTHERS A WELL
EARNED DAY OFF BEING
PAMPERED AND SPOILT
AND SHARING IN THE
LOVE OF THEIR
CHILDREN.



ANZAC DAY 25TH APRIL, 2022

Wreath from Tungkillo Progress Club Inc and Mid Murray Council, flowers from Helen Townsend and flag was put up by Joylen Burton. On the noticeboard Jan Vinall placed her yearly poppies. Thanking everyone and *Lest we forget.*





TUNGKILLO COMMUNITY POST BOXES

New working hours -

Monday—9.30am—11.30am

Tuesday—9.30am—11.30am

Wednesday—9.30am—11.30am

Thursday—9.30am—11.30am

Friday—9.30am—11.30am

Please feel free to speak to Joyleen on any postal queries you may have during these hours and she will help you, there are still Post Boxes availa-

LAVENDER TRAIL – 325km – takes 14 to 15 days hiking. This is what the Ultra Series took 5 days/night to do early April.

Description of the Trail

Beginning at Sturt Reserve, Murray Bridge, on the banks of the Murray River, the trail meanders past historic buildings, old river boats undergoing restoration and past important wetland systems.

Rocky Gully Reserve on the outskirts of Murray Bridge has spectacular steep rugged gorges with an abundance of native flora and fauna. Here the trail connects to the [Kinchina Conservation Park](#) trails. West of Rocky Gully you pass the Monarto Zoo an open range Bio Park where glimpses of exotic animals may be seen. Next we reach the summit of Mt Beevor, the most spectacular view in the vicinity with views to the Southern Ocean, Murray River, Mt Lofty and Mt Barker.

From Mt Beevor it's a short walk via a spur trail to Diggers Rest north of Harrogate. The main trail continues to Tungkillo, through quiet back roads, across creeks with occasional glimpses of Kangaroos. North of Tungkillo (on the main trail) a 13km loop trail allows a pleasant day walk past spectacular rocky outcrops and open grazing country.

The trail meanders towards Springton through rocky outcrops and undulating country. Vineyards are glimpsed as we enter the Barossa Valley. Springton and the Herbig Tree are worth the visit on the Springton Loop Trail which has a link to the Sanderston Trail. The main trail then heads north to Keyneton where a spur trail accesses this pretty town.

At Eden Valley an 18km loop trail connects to the main trail. This offers an enjoyable day walk through wonderful rolling hillside country. Continuing through attractive undulating countryside we intersect with the Moculta Loop trail which follows the main trail as far as the unique Shannon Mausoleum. Northwards a spur trail into historic Truro passes the old copper mine site. On the main trail we enter private land to view and pass through Munchenberg Gorge with its permanent springs and water pool reflections. Crossing the Sturt Highway the trail traverses open grazing land to reach an unexpected gorge, permanent water and waterfall prior to arriving at the delightful township of Dutton. Take the short spur trail to the 1870 Church precinct. Grazing lands give way to hills and eventually Leake Lookout a 527m peak with outstanding panoramas.

Eudunda, birth place of famed author Colin Thiele, is an historic town and will cater for all travellers' needs. Northwards a defunct railway corridor to Hampden offers great views. Travelling the 150m elevated trail with views to the east we meet the 14km Point Pass loop trail before arriving at Inspiration Point. A spur trail into Robertstown provides access to meals, camping and accommodation. From Inspiration Point the trail initially follows the ridge line overlooking Brady Creek Gap in the east and the Tothill Ranges to the west. Next, we pass Peppermint Springs and onto Webb Gap where the Lavender Federation Trail meets the famous Heysen Trail.

Crossing the beautiful Tothill Range along a shared section with the Heysen Trail, then along a ridge near the base of wind turbines, the trail arrives at Waterloo home of Tom Kruse the famous outback mailman. A delightful road reserve avenue of trees delivers us to Manoora where remnants of a once significant railway town are seen. Onwards to Mintaro and the Martindale Hall famed for its movie role in "The Picnic at Hanging Rock". The 1850s Mintaro heritage township is a delight and rewards those who tarry here. The trails serpentine path over rolling hills following part of the route of the original 1800s wagon trail "Gulf Road" is rewarded with spectacular views of the wind turbines in the east and Gulf St Vincent in the west while passing Mount Horrocks along the way. The trail then delivers us to the Clare Valley at Watervale.

At Watervale we turn north sharing a 6.5km section of the Riesling Trail past Penwortham before leaving the Riesling Trail heading west through vineyard studded country north through back tracks to the spectacular views offered in [Spring Gully Conservation Park](#) and onto Neagles Rock Reserve. Onward to the valleys major township of Clare where the trail head sign on Lennon Street signals our journeys end.

Copied off lavender trail website. If you would like to purchase map please look on www.walkingsa.org.au/lavender-federation-trail. Now that the summer season has ended this would be an excellent way to get out and see our district.



Mid Murray Council Customer Service

Have a question about something in town or the area?
A query about public toilets, animals, roads, vegetation?

**The Mid Murray Council Customer Service Team can help you.
Just call, email or check online!**

Phone: 8569 0100 - Email: postbox@mid-murray.sa.gov.au



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Backyard Burning (Outside the Fire Danger Season)

Burning in the open is regulated by the Environment Protection Authority, within the Environment Protection (Burning) Policy 1994 in accordance with the Environment Protection Act 1993.

Residents are permitted to burn dried gardening prunings, dry paper, dry cardboard or dry timber on their domestic premises, between the hours of 10.00am and 3.00pm from Monday to Saturday.

The fire must not be lit before 10.00am and must be completely extinguished by 3.00pm. Burning is not permitted on Sunday or any Public Holiday.

It is important to ensure that the material being burnt is completely dry to ensure a quick, clean burn and therefore minimising the amount of smoke produced from the fire. The burning of damp, wet or green garden prunings, leaves or other material is not permitted.

Residential Areas

Council is involved in a township clearance program which starts around October each year, this involves inspection of township and some rural allotments, under the South Australian Fire and Emergency Services Act 2005 section 105F.

Council can issue a Section 105F notice if :

'a Council believes that the conditions on private land in a fire district are as such as to cause an unreasonable risk of the outbreak of fire on the land, or spread of fire through the land, due to the presence of flammable undergrowth or other flammable or combustible materials or substances'.

It is the Landowners responsibility to comply with the Act. Failure to comply with a notice will incur an expiation of \$473, plus the recovery cost of Council carrying out the work required by that notice.

It is recommended that property owners keep the height of grass on their property to a maximum height of 10 centimetres for the entire fire danger season.



Buzzing for World Bee Day at Farmers Market – May 21

Buzzing with all things bee on May 21, the Mt Pleasant Farmers Market will be once again celebrating World Bee Day with a plethora of bee related activities, information and complementary stall holders.

Market Manager, Terese Stephens noted that “Last year’s celebration was an overwhelming success with well over 1000 patrons converging on the market to show their support for World Bee Day. Repeating that format, the market, in conjunction with the Australian Farmers Market Association, has partnered with the WHEEN Bee Foundation to highlight the importance of bees and other pollinators in our environment. Locally the market has linked up with the Beekeepers Society of South Australia, to bring their knowledge and expertise to the day.”

“The market will be celebrating with free educational bee workshops for both children and adults. Barossa Honey apiarist Phil Marshall will be showcasing his bees with his beekeeping experience. The experience will offer the opportunity to suit up and see a real live working hive.” Terese said.

The chance to speak to knowledgeable bee experts like guest presenter Marc Webb & daughter Estelle from Aristaeus Farms who will be on hand to answer any bee related questions for those interested in becoming a beekeeper or keeping hives.”

“Patrons are encouraged to wear their best ‘bee outfit’ to show their support for our bee populations.”

For more information check out www.worldbeeday.org.au and save the date in your diary to get to your local Farmers Market and celebrate all things bee. Or Head to our website for more information www.mtpleasantfarmersmarket.com.au.

The undercover Mt Pleasant Farmers Market is held every Saturday from 8am until 12pm at the Talunga Park Recreation Park. The Farmers Market is a not for profit, community run organization.

For any market enquiries please phone 0418 301 121 or email info@mtpleasantfarmersmarket.com.au.



MOUNT PLEASANT POST OFFICE

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South Australian
Country Fire Service

MOUNT PLEASANT COUNTRY FIRE SERVICE

Mount Pleasant CFS is a great community service.
Tungkillo is within their call out zone

They are Recruiting now!

Want to meet new people? Want to learn new skills?
Want to give something back to your community?

Join the Country Fire Service and start helping now!
Mt Pleasant CFS Captain Glynn: 0490 143 514

The CFS offers a range of roles including:

Firefighter - Radio operations - Catering
Administration support - Operational support
Community education - Fundraising



Calling all Tungkillo community

The Tungkillo Progress Club Inc. would like to hear from you as to what you think the community needs within the Tungkillo township. Whether it be events or items of what can be done around the district. Please feel free to send your ideas in via tungkillogazette@gmail.com or come to our committee meetings held on the first Monday of the month and present your ideas.

Also anyone can hire our hall for their own event. Contact the above email address for this purpose.

Things to do in the month of May, 2022

Welcome to [South Australia's History Festival](#)

1-31 May 2022

South Australia's History Festival is an annual statewide event exploring South Australia's history. Held throughout May each year, the History Festival explores the state's places and spaces, stories, collections and ideas that make us who we are.

One of South Australia's largest open-access community events, the History Festival program features hundreds of events ranging from talks to tours, walks to workshops and exhibitions to special events.

Events happen anywhere: urban and rural, towns, cities and suburbs; in museums and libraries; in boats, trains and buses and mysterious buildings; on the street, by the beach and in nature.

Hear the latest research and tales of the unusual and unknown; from amazing experts to local guides. With hundreds of events to choose from, there's something for curious minds of all ages.

2022 theme: Reimagine

In 2022, the History Festival is exploring the theme 'reimagine'. The theme represents an opportunity to be bold and reimagine your events in terms of content as well as presentation. We invite event organisers to plan events around this idea in any way you choose.

To find out more, visit the [History Festival website](#).



CARD LUNCHEON

Autumn brought back scrumptious piping hot stews & casseroles for our April 21st card luncheon, plus yummy apple & apricot pies, butterscotch pudding, stewed apples, ice cream & custard for dessert.

25 card players & 6 helpers enjoyed this delicious meal.



Neil Day celebrated his 90th birthday in March. Neil & his wife Elaine are past residents of Tungkillo, they are life members of the Tungkillo Progress Club & are die hard card players who are always happy to help out whether it be at the card luncheon or any other function held at the hall.

Belated birthday wishes were sung to Neil & a lovely mudcake was presented to Neil for afternoon tea.

It was lovely to see Eva Burton arrive at afternoon tea time to catchup with the card players (Thank you Marianne for bringing her over to the hall)



Winners on the day:

Men: Kevin Materne.

Ladies: Maria.

Boobies/Losers: Men: Ross Voight.

Ladies: Bev Schubert.

Once again Erna Schubert won

Rummie.



A lovely day had by all. Hope to see everyone again on the 16th of June.

Joyleen Burton TPC secretary.

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PLEASE NOTE THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE ON MONDAY 9TH MAY

Become a member of the Tungkillo Progress Club for just \$2 a year or Family \$5

If you haven't renewed your membership please be advised that you will not be able to vote on future projects, AGM or constitution for the club to help us with the township and surrounds into the future.

Your can renew online just send an email or note in letterbox and the details will be given.



TUNGKILLO PROGRESS CLUB INC. COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2021-2022

President	Stephanie Rollond	0429 531 846
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Committee Members		
Mandy Lintern	Robert Guthrie Malcolm Reynolds	Meredith Baynes

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