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Roads of despair

By Charlotte Varcoe

Road repairs have sent Limestone Coast politicians into despair with Member for MacKillop Nick McBride calling on the State Government to implement the region into a future road repair plan.

Mr McBride said there were constant issues within the MacKillop electorate of potholes, broken edges and roads deteriorating into 'crocodile skin' condition.

"This means the roads break up and the water goes in between these cracks and underneath," Mr McBride said.

"This is all to do with age and it would be nice to have something in place which works better than how it works at the moment."

He said there were a number of roads within the electorate which were of great concern including the road from Mount Gambier to Millicent, from Millicent to Beachport and between Robe, Kingston, Bordertown and Naracoorte.

"There are other roads such as Kalangadoo Road and roads around Glencoe which are falling to pieces with heavy vehicles and forestry trucks because the roads don't have the foundation underneath them to take the traffic and weight," he said.

"I want a plan with which MacKillop can participate in which says these are the roads which will be fixed in the coming years which is more important than anything else.

"If we are in a plan that way if the roads cannot be fixed next year at least it could be in the future because at the moment we are not in a plan at all."

Beachport resident Jenn Syme said she was also concerned about the states of the roads including the repair jobs.

Ms Syme told The South Eastern Times she was particularly concerned about the road between Millicent and Beachport, which she labelled as a "horrible journey".



Member for MacKillop Nick McBride and Member for Mount Gambier Troy Bell call on the State Government for better road repairs.

"I came through there the other day in the pouring rain and one of the potholes there was full of water and you could feel the jarring right through the car," Ms Syme said.

"Every single person you speak with says the same thing."

She said it was an "ongoing issue" with the particular road "deteriorating".

"Between Southend and Beachport the

road has really deteriorated, something shocking," Ms Syme said.

"Unless everyone has a say, including the council, and say it is not good enough, nothing gets done."

She said last year she witnessed residents measuring the depth of potholes with the state of repairs being "patched".

"I don't know how much money has been

spent but somewhere along the line something has to be done," Ms Syme said.

"Tourism is also an area that is really disadvantaged because we desperately need the tourists here but they won't come back if the roads are like this."

Ms Syme said she now wanted the State Government to "look at roads full stop" with maintenance being the main issue in the region.

"The roads need to be upgraded and not just patchwork," she said.

"The edges of the roads are also seriously bad and now if you are dodging potholes you are watching the edge of the road."

Wattle Range Mayor Des Noll said council were aware of the issue and remained committed to working hard with the relevant ministers.

"We will be meeting with the ministers at the Country Cabinet and talking on those issues," Mr Noll said.

"I know both ministers are concerned about the road network in the Limestone Coast and they are fully aware the road network needs work.

"It will be more about what plan we are able to take moving forward in terms of the network of roads."

Member for Mount Gambier Troy Bell also called on the State Government regarding the state of regional roads, stating it was currently the worst he had ever seen.

Mr Bell questioned Minister for Infrastructure and Transport Tom Koutsantonis regarding the contracted response time to repair regional roads.

He said he had noticed the "patch jobs" were not lasting with the same defects reoccurring.

"We have to question the quality of the repair as well," Mr Bell said.

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NEWS



A drink driver was caught in Tantanoola on Tuesday, September 12. Picture: FILE

Almost three times legal limit

A Millicent man has lost his licence and had his car impounded after he was allegedly caught driving at almost three times the legal blood alcohol content.

About 6.15pm Tuesday, September 12, police stopped a Ford sedan driving along Tantanoola Access Road.

Police spoke to the driver, a 36-year-old Millicent man, before submitting him to a breath test.

The driver allegedly returned a positive BAC reading of 0.146.

He was reported for drink driving and lost his licence on the spot for six months.

His vehicle was impounded by police for 28 days and he will appear in court at a later date.



About half of these people at Millicent's Italian Club have been partly named but the SEFHG need help to identify the rest.

Call to help name the club members

This photo in the South East Family History Group (SEFHG) collection was taken inside the Italian Club on Spehr Street in Millicent.

Almost half of the people in the photo have been named or partly named but the SEFHG would like to confirm the identities of as many people as possible in the photo.

The five women in the front row have been listed as Mrs Mustillo, Mrs Nicolo, Mrs Maria

Medoro, Mrs Carpino and Mrs Swedinski and Mr Bosco is crouched on the floor.

The men at either end of the front row have not been identified.

In the remaining rows names listed on the back include Sorello, Medoro, Pinto, Colaniro, Zanello, Puiatti, Canalli, Cester, Damhuis and Green.

Millicent Mayor Ern Altschwager is stand-

ing at far left in front of the back row and MP Rob Porter stands nearby.

If you can help date or confirm the identity of those in the photo please contact SEFHG researcher Colleen Hammat at the research centre Wednesday's or Saturday's 1-5pm on 8733 1100 (or leave a message) or via email info@sefhg.org.

Project to boost native tree population

By Sophie Conlon

With a dwindling population of native trees in the Limestone Coast Trees For Life SA has launched the Paddock Tree Project to help re-grow the population. Trees For Life are calling for expressions of interest (EOI) from landholders in the region to take part in the program and plant trees on their property.

A spokesperson said the program would assist landholders to establish and preserve paddock trees to reap the benefits they provide to agriculture, our wildlife, landscapes and wellbeing.

"Recent research has shown that paddock trees are declining in the south east of South Australia and there is a lack of recruitment of a new generation," the spokesperson said.

"Trees For Life is offering landholders the opportunity to address this trend by supporting them with materials and advice to incorporate paddock trees into their property management plans, plant new paddock trees and protect existing trees across the south east of South Australia."

The program will see Red Gum, SA Blue Gum, Brown Stringybark, Desert Stringybark and Grey Box seedlings planted throughout the region.

The spokesperson said participants would be provided the seedlings and guards for new paddock trees, and fencing materials to be able to protect existing paddock trees.

"Paddock trees are an icon of the Australian landscape and provide significant benefits to agriculture such as enriching the biodiversity



Expressions of interest are open for landholders to take part in the Trees For Life SA's Limestone Coast Paddock Tree Project. Picture: FILE

on our farms and providing shade and shelter to livestock, they add value to our land and our region; they have a direct human wellbeing benefit, by connecting us to our natural world and retaining our much loved South

East landscape," the spokesperson said.

EOI for the program close on 20 November, and planting is expected to take place in May and June 2024, for more information see trees-forlife.org.au

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Safety issues 'satisfied'

By Aidan Curtis

Safety issues at the Millicent saleyards have been addressed with the yard's closure and cessation of sales.

Following the September Wattle Range Council meeting, chief executive Ben Gower said closing sales at the yards has satisfied a lot of SafeWork SA's safety concerns.

"We've fixed the vast majority of the electrical issues, fall from height issues, we've locked

down areas that were no longer required," Mr Gower said.

"The last thing left to do is fabricate the new ramps and yards.

"The significant thing here is that the stock numbers have plummeted, so the likelihood of having an incident out there has plummeted with the stock numbers."

With safety issues addressed, Mr Gower said the main focus now was the implementa-

tion of administrative process to keep track of stock being transited through the yards.

He said council was also working on induction packs to help people transiting stock through the yards understand which pens they could use, and how to use the ramps and lifts.

"What we need to do now is just monitor how and when those yards are being used so that we can keep an eye on it because we're responsible," he said.

"Those administrative process that we're looking to put in place will just tick off those obligations we've got.

"I'm hoping within a month or so that will all be in place and all those improved administrative systems will kick in."

Mr Gower said council will be working closely with stock agents to make sure stock numbers are tracked in case of future biosecurity issues.



Royal Adelaide Hospital registered nurse Kayla Size spent four weeks at the Millicent and District Hospital.

Picture: FACEBOOK



MacKillop MP Nick McBride and Mount Gambier MP Troy Bell.

Roads of despair

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"This is absolutely a safety issue and I have young kids who are just getting their licence who are inexperienced and it is not only the damage being done to their cars but also safety issues around hitting a pothole and bearing to the other side of the road or swerving to avoid it."

Department of Infrastructure and Transport director Mick Lorenz said following the 2021 meeting there were a number of things highlighted which the department would now work on.

Mr Lorenz said the feedback available was put into an investment plan after discussions with local governments and community discussion.

"The procedure for potholes and the state of the roads is a requirement under the contract and that contractor needs to inspect all roads in their part of the state every two weeks," Mr Lorenz said.

"There is a vehicle that goes around and does basic repairs as they inspect it, which includes potholes, and if they come across a pothole the requirement is they fix it while they are there."

He said there were two different types of repairs with a "pre-mix" being used to fill the holes generally throughout the winter months.

Taste of the Millicent life for city nurse

A city nurse has had a taste of country life as she undertook a month long transfer in Millicent.

Royal Adelaide Hospital registered nurse Kayla Size took part in SA Health's Rural Deployment program, which sees staff from a metropolitan Local Health Network (LHN)

work in regional South Australia.

Ms Size spent four weeks in the Acute and Emergency Department at the Limestone Coast Local Health Network Millicent and District Hospital and said it was a great experience.

"I've thoroughly enjoyed my time at Mil-

licent Hospital, learning from experienced rural nurses and using my skills more independently than needed in the RAH," she said.

"The people have been welcoming and the environment supportive, so I'm definitely planning to return to work here."

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Preserving the lighthouse

By Tyler Redway

The Kingston SE community will be rallying together to give their support to the Cape Jaffa Lighthouse Conservation Appeal, in hopes to preserve its important and expansive history.

The Cape Jaffa lighthouse, built in the late 1860s, operated for 101 years and served as a valuable warning to ships transporting cargo before the railway line between Kingston and Naracoorte was implemented.

Kingston SE Branch member and National Trust councillor Alison Stillwell said the lighthouse was unique due to how it had been dismantled and relocated elsewhere, making it the first of its kind in Australia.

Ms Stillwell said the lighthouse was not receiving the same amount of support as it used to while operational, which made it difficult for the structure to remain in good condition.

"The rust and corrosion is always an issue, so it needs to be addressed and done really well, while also being painted to try and protect it as much as possible," Ms Stillwell said.

"Living by the sea and iron structures is a good recipe for corrosion."

Ms Stillwell said the goal of funding for repairs such as rust and corrosion management, painting and lantern room glazing needed to reach roughly \$150,000.

She said to help fundraise for the appeal, she was offered a short documentary about Scottish lighthouses and their keepers to help



Cape Jaffa Lighthouse.

give audiences a better understanding of the importance of lighthouses and their history.

"This appeal is being launched by the National Trust of South Australia, so it goes be-

Picture: NATIONAL TRUST OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

yond the Kingston community but we think because the lighthouse is such an iconic state heritage-listed structure, there will be a few people who will be very interested in support-

ing this appeal," she said.

"We were offered this as something we could probably use for fundraising, so we thought this would be an appropriate time to provide some stunning scenery of Scottish lighthouses while listening to interviews with the former lightkeepers and their families so they can get a feel for lighthouse life.

"We will follow it with a presentation by Mark Weston, who is a corrosion expert, he will talk about the issues with corrosion with particular reference to the Cape Jaffa lighthouse as well, then we will launch the appeal."

Ms Stillwell said the sooner repairs could begin on the lighthouse, the better it would be to preserve Cape Jaffa's history.

"I think people might have a much greater appreciation of what we are facing and why we need to be doing this," she said.

"Every year makes a difference to what rust does and how quickly things erode, so we are very keen to get going with it.

"It's a good way to support something which is so important not only to our local community, but also our state community and even on a larger scale Australia-wide."

The Cape Jaffa Lighthouse Conservation Appeal will run from 6pm to 9pm on September 29.

Members of the public are encouraged to donate to the appeal through the National Trust of South Australia's website.

Let's celebrate our seniors

Wattle Range seniors will be celebrated in October, as the council holds a number of Seniors Month activities.

Coordinated by Wattle Range Council together with a working group of volunteers, Celebrate Seniors month will again have something for everyone.

There will be an official opening at 11am on October 3 at the Millicent Civic Centre, which will have entertainment and a light luncheon.

Other activities include the Glencoe Woolshed Open Day and Morning Tea, An Author talk from fiction novelist Chris Hammer, Cooking demonstrations and tastings, a nature visit in penola nad much more.

See the full schedule online or at any council office.

All bookings should be made online via Humanitix at events.humanitix.com/celebrate-seniors-2023

Assistance with bookings is available at each of the Visitor Centres and the Millicent Public Library or by phoning 8733 0904.

The council is also calling on nominations for their annual Senior of the Year Award.

Senior of the Year is awarded to a person, aged 60 or over, who has made a noteworthy contribution and/or given outstanding service to the local community, in the current year or over number of years.

Nominations are open until 5 pm on Monday, 16 October 2023 and will be presented to



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the successful nominee at the Celebrate Seniors closing event on October 31.

Senior of the Year nomination forms are available to download on the council website or alternatively, hard copies can be collected at any of Council's offices.



Royal Life Saving Society – Australia and Surf Life Saving Australia are encouraging people to be safe around water this summer. Picture: FILE

Regional drowning warning

As the weather warms up Royal Life Saving Society – Australia and Surf Life Saving Australia are warning Australians to keep water safety top at the top of their minds.

The recently released National Drowning Report 2023 found those living in outer regional, remote, and very remote areas were almost twice as likely to drown than those living in metropolitan areas.

The report found 10 per cent of deaths happened in swimming pools, with 13 deaths in a backyard pool.

It also found 57 per cent of deaths were people over the age of 45, which has water safety experts concerned.

Royal Life Saving Society – Australia chief executive officer Justin Scarr said adults should be aware of their capabilities.

"We urge men to make the right call, and avoid alcohol and drugs around water, check the conditions and avoid over-estimation of swimming ability," he said.

"Older adults should understand the potential impacts of other medical conditions and medications on water activities including swimming and boating."

Though Mr Scarr said drowning prevention efforts were saving young lives with a 33 per cent decrease in drowning deaths in children aged 0-4 years old compared to the 10-year average.

"With summer approaching, pool owners should check that their pool fence is in good working order, remember to constantly keep watch when young children

are around water, and avoid distractions like mobile phones," he said.

With 44 per cent of deaths happening in coastal areas Surf Life Saving Australia CEO Adam Weir said people should swim at patrolled beaches if possible.

"Surf Life Saving is appealing for the public to understand their limitations and swim at patrolled beaches between the red and yellow flags, with these locations available on the Surf Life Saving BeachSafe App," he said.

"Rip currents are the number one coastal hazard and are a contributing factor in almost a quarter of coastal drowning deaths.

"Tragically, there was a significant increase in bystander rescuer drowning deaths, and drowning deaths at beaches were 29 per cent above the 10-year average."

Federal Minister for Aged Care and Sport Anika Wells said enjoying a swim had so many benefits for people of all ages,

"I urge all Australians to always supervise children around water, learn swimming, water safety and lifesaving skills, wear a lifejacket when boating, and rock fishing and to swim at a patrolled beach between the red and yellow flags," she said.

"Some simple precautions, like having a medical check-up to ensure you are swim fit, or going to the local swimming pool to refresh your skills is a great idea ahead of the expected hot summer."

Public Consultation

Draft Plant and Equipment Asset Management Plan

In accordance with Council's Community Engagement Policy, the public is invited to comment on the draft Plant and Equipment Asset Management Plan, with feedback to be considered prior to the adoption of the final Plan.

The Plant and Equipment Asset Management Plan forms part of the Council's greater Asset Management Strategy. The Plan outlines the future path for renewal, replacement, and upgrades of plant and equipment assets, whilst detailing future financial implications and whether the strategy is sustainable into the future.

Written submissions marked 'Draft Plant and Equipment Asset Management Plan' should be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer and can be:

- posted to PO Box 27, Millicent SA 5280
- hand-delivered to any of Council's offices
- uploaded to Engage Wattle Range
- or emailed to council@wattlerange.sa.gov.au

Feedback is open until **5pm on Thursday, 12 October 2023.**

Copies of the draft Plan are available at Council Offices or on our website at www.engage.wattlerange.sa.gov.au

Ben Gower
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



Seeking rates help

By Aidan Curtis

Wattle Range Council is seeking legislative change to help ease the rate burden on residents.

During the September council meeting, elected members voted to seek discussions with South Australia's Attorney General and Valuer-General to explore rate burden concerns.

Councillors agreed to send mayor Des Noll and chief executive Ben Gower to Adelaide for the meeting to ask for legislation to adjust the rating system to better reflect the value of forestry land.

Mr Gower said there was a lot of background leading into this vote, with discrepancies in the value of primary production lands the main catalyst.

"We, through our internal analysis, detected that the land valuations for forestry blocks were not increasing in line with valuations for other primary production land," Mr Gower said.

"We've seen really high growth rates here for the last five years, and in Wattle Range alone we had a 48 per cent increase in primary production land valuations last year.



Wattle Range Council chief executive Ben Gower.

"Unfortunately, the land valuations for forestry land did not go up at the same rate and the first three years of that five year period, they didn't go up at all."

With Wattle Range Council charging primary production rates at 55 per cent of a normal residential property, Mr Gower said legislation meant forestry was also benefitting from a significant discount.

"Considering [forestry] has got a million dollar rate bill, that discount is actually fairly significant from a dollar sum perspective," he said.

"That means all the other primary producers are effectively paying their share."

He said councillors were exploring ways to distribute the rates more fairly, but with the complexities of legislation around land use codes, he was not confident change would be forthcoming.

"It will be almost impossible to change the legislation to allow us to dip down into that secondary layer of land use codes, there are hundreds of them," he said.

"I don't think one council out of 68 is a loud enough voice in parliament to effect legislative change that will affect the entire rate system across South Australia.

"We will be meeting with a couple of influential legislation makers - we've got to find the right opportunity to do that."



Wattle Range Council offices.

New centre on the way

By Aidan Curtis

Wattle Range Council has taken the next step in planning for its new service centre, with elected members voting to go to open tender on the build.

Council chief executive Ben Gower said it is a fairly big project that will hopefully attract a lot of interest from local builders.

"We've had some interest from local builders, which has been great," he said.

"I think it's an eight-stage project, and this is probably stage number seven.

"The final decision will be when all the prices come in and whether or not we'll award a contract."

Mr Gower said building prices have skyrocketed in recent years and council was bracing itself for the final cost figure, but the service centre would be well worth it in the end.

"We've got 170 people working for us at the moment in various different roles, across three directorates, 12 departments and hundreds of different functions," he said.

"They are all working separately in different buildings and we need to cross collaborate all the time.

"All three facilities that we use as offices are well past their use-by date and should probably be demolished, but that will be a decision for later on."

The new service centre would bring council staff under one roof, which Mr Gower said would improve performance overall.

"Our staff will be better coordinated, they'll work better in teams," he said.

"At the moment, communication is always more challenging when you're separated.

"I expect we'll see our performance will lift again."

Elected members will receive a tender evaluation report in an upcoming meeting before voting whether or not to proceed with the build.

Wine community unites for a hole-in-one

The Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Golf Day will return with wine lovers and golf enthusiasts expecting a treat.

The event will kick off on the Labour Day long weekend and will be one of five weekends of events throughout October.

Golf Day will be a feature event in the month-long Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations festival which will offer an extensive program of food and wine events as well as an array of tasting experiences in the region.

The event is open to teams of four with teams vying for a chance to claim the title of Coonawarra Golf Day Champions and wear the 'Red Jackets'.

Coonawarra Vignerons marketing and events officer Heidi Guyett said she was looking forward to the golf day, which has gained a strong following over past years to become a sought after event, attracting players from across the Limestone Coast region and beyond.

"It is a fabulous networking event for our wine community and sponsors, as well as being an all-round great day out for the public with Coonawarra wines being showcased throughout the day," Ms Guyett said.

"We are especially excited to welcome several interstate-based teams at this year's event.

"The golf day is one of these unique and authentic days that allows people the opportunity to mingle with the wine community, while enjoying some great local produce and of course our premium wines."

She said the Ambrose format would add the enjoyment of the day, allowing for all standards of golfers to mix and play together "ir-



2022 Golf Day Champions team One Forty One will be returning to the Penola Golf Course to defend Wendy Fennell, Karen Forster, Anita Drake and David Pick.

respective of ability".

"It's also a fabulous way to start the long weekend and makes for a great excuse to visit the Limestone Coast coinciding with the start of the SA school holiday period" Mrs Guyett said.

In addition to the Golf Day, there will be an array of other events and special tastings tak-

ing place throughout October.

Team entries for the Golf Day are still being accepted with final registrations requested by September 22.

A shuttle bus will also be available for booking for those interested in the Cabernet Celebrations throughout the month.

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Raising awareness of MND

The small group of friends and residents who recently gathered in a private home in Julie-Anne Court, Millicent, donated \$383 towards the Motor Neurone Disease (MND) research foundation.

During the evening along with games and a singalong Sandi Spink, a Deputy Director of the Millicent Child Care Centre, was welcomed to the occasion and gave a heart-rending and informative talk about the disease, with which her husband was diagnosed three years ago.

Motor neurone disease (MND) is a condition that affects the brain and nerves.

Messages from the motor neurons gradually stop reaching the muscles, leading to muscle wasting.

It is a progressive disease that often starts slowly and gets worse over time.

There are medications that can help to slow it down.

New treatments with clinical trials are being shared around the world in an attempt to 'beat the beast'.

All monies raised goes towards new treatment and research for a cure.



Sandy and Colin Spink, of Millicent, are raising awareness of Motor Neurone Disease.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

COMPILED WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF WATTLE RANGE COUNCIL

SEPTEMBER

23 September

- Millicent Showgrounds Market at Millicent Showgrounds

24 September

- Pines Enduro
- Wattle Range Photographic Exhibition Official Opening at Millicent Gallery

28 September

- Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Golf Day

29 September

- Radio 5THE FM presents Spicks & Specks Quiz Night at Millicent Soccer Club
- Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations Golf Day at Penola Golf Club

30 September

- Millicent Spring Orchid Show at Millicent Showgrounds
- Beachport Market Day at Railway Terrace, Beachport

OCTOBER

1 Oct

- Kingston Show

All of October

- Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations

20 -23 October

- 2023 Geltwood Festival

NOVEMBER

11 November

- Coonawarra Running Festival

17 November

- Stand Like Stone Movie Night

REGULAR EVENTS

Every Monday

- Senior Citizens, Millicent RSL
- Yoga at Beachport
- Ukulele classes at Penola RSL
- National Karate Academies, Penola Primary School Hall



The Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations kick off soon.

- Millicent Choral Society practice, High School music room
- Penola Lions Bus to Mount Gambier
- Leggo's Boxing Training, Penola Basketball Stadium
- Table Tennis Club - Millicent Squash Club

Every Tuesday

- Red Cross Community Shuttle from Millicent to Mount Gambier
- Yoga at Millicent, Community Learning Centre
- Dance to Keep Fit, Beachport
- Millicent Men's Shed
- Melody's Performing Arts classes, Rymill Hall, Penola

Every Wednesday

- St Mary's Op Shop, Penola
- Millicent Art & Craft Group, Pottery
- Penola Men's Shed
- Social Bowls, Penola

- Ladies only Burlesque classes, Nangwarry
- Social tennis, Penola
- Fun exercise classes, Millicent Uniting Church
- Leggo's Boxing Training, Penola Basketball Stadium
- Cards at Beachport Cinema
- Crafty Kids @ the Penola Community Library
- Lions Club of Wattle Range Lioness Bookshop, 47 George Street, Millicent

Every Thursday

- St Mary's Op Shop, Penola
- Seniors Online, Millicent Library
- Craft at Beachport Cinema
- Millicent Men's Shed
- Ladies only Burlesque classes, Nangwarry
- Red Cross shuttle from Millicent to Mount Gambier
- Beachport Ukulele Group
- Indoor Social Bowls, Millicent Uniting Church
- Family connections program, Penola
- Craft at Beachport Cinema
- Beachport Twilight Golf and Twilight Bowls

Every Friday

- Lego Club, Millicent Public Library
- Lions Club of Wattle Range Lioness Bookshop, 47 George Street, Millicent
- St Mary's Op-Shop, Penola
- Seniors Online, Millicent Library
- Penola Bowls women's competition
- Millicent RSL Open
- Fun exercise classes, Millicent Uniting Church
- Dance classes, Penola
- Bar open Coonawarra Community Club

Every Saturday

- Kalangadoo Farmers Market
- St Mary's Op Shop, Penola
- Millicent Art & Craft Group
- Penola Bowls Club men's competition
- Penola Croquet Club
- Aqua aerobics, Penola pool
- Lions Club of Wattle Range Lioness Bookshop @ 47 George Street, Millicent

Every Sunday

- Beachport Ladies Golf Day
- Millicent Men's Shed

First Friday of the month:

- Penola Community Library Book Club, Penola Community Library

1st Thursday of the month

- Wattle Range Suicide Prevention Network Meetings, Millicent

2nd Tuesday of the month

- Wattle Range Council meeting, Millicent Council Chambers

First and third Thursday of the month

- Book Club, Millicent Library

2nd & 4th Thursday of the month

- Scribblers Writing workshop, Millicent Library

3rd Tuesday of the month

- Millicent Local History, Library
- Millicent Probus Club
- Penola Probus Club

Last Friday of the month

- Coonawarra Hall tea night

2nd Sunday of the month

- Penola Hospital garden working bee

2nd Friday of the month

- Penola Bowling Club Friday Night Teas

3rd Sunday of the month

- Beachport Hotel family fun day and jam session

4th Thursday of the month

- South East Family History Group meeting

4th Friday of the month

- Beachport Film Society showing

Last Monday of the month

- Penola Leo Club

Last Tuesday of the month

- Millicent Cancer Support Group meeting

Every Fortnight

- Millicent Showground Markets

Better cave access

By Aidan Curtis

A new lease agreement between Wattle Range Council (WRC) and Cave Divers Association of Australia (CDAA) will see cave divers get more access to Three Sisters Cave near Tantanoola.

Under the agreement, CDAA proposed a range of measures to improve safe access to the cave, while also giving the association control over who is and is not permitted entry.

WRC chief executive Ben Gower said he had "basically padlocked" the cave entrance for the last three years, so it was great to have the lease agreement coming in.

"The cave at this stage is classified as a high risk one, predominantly because of the en-

trance - it's got a funny little dog leg entrance," Mr Gower said.

"Their proposal is just to open the hole up a little bit more so they've got a direct drop down rather than the dog leg.

"They [want to] put a big concrete culvert around it so it's nice and safe and stable, with a padlocked lid on it to keep the public out."

Mr Gower said moving the entrance to avoid the dog leg would improve road safety too by taking cave access further away from Mile Hill Road.

"Because it's so close to the road, the cars would actually park on the side of the road and almost use them as a barrier to the hole," he said.

"We'll support them with any traffic control

and any potential earthworks."

Overall, Mr Gower said he believed the lease agreement decision would be good for Wattle Range, with cave divers expected to come from around the country to see Three Sisters.

"Limestone Coast is one of the unique places in the world for this sort of diving and we're blessed with dozens of dive sites like this," he said.

"While it's only a small amount of tourism coming in, they are coming from all over the country and all over the world to dive these sites.

"This is another feather in the hat, another cave we can reopen in a safer way to attract those divers to come and visit us."

Covid sees drop in applications

By Aidan Curtis

Wattle Range Council is encouraging community and sporting groups to apply for grants to make full use of available funding.

Since Covid, council has seen a drop in the number of applications for its community grants program.

Council chief executive Ben Gower said he understood groups clubs might be hesitant to apply, but there was plenty of funding available.

"It is supposed to be a 50-50 and we understand that part of the downturn might be related to the fact clubs aren't as financially viable as they would have been pre-Covid," Mr Gower said.

"The money has been raised through our rates with the full intention of spending it on our community groups.

"I definitely encourage people to apply, the money is sitting there waiting to be spent on them."

Council offers around \$30,000 each annually for both community groups and sporting clubs, and Mr Gower said he hoped to see more applications come through in coming years.

"That could be for anything from uniforms to small infrastructure projects," he said.

Pasin seeks Southend intersection help

Federal Barker MP Tony Pasin is voicing concerns that not enough is being done to improve road safety at Southend.

Mr Pasin has called on Labor to allocate funding to add a left turn slip lane at the Southern Ports Highway - Southend Access Road intersection through the Black Spot Road Safety Program.

Through the program, Mr Pasin said South Australia had allocated \$5.9 million towards road projects despite having \$8.5 million available.

"Calls for a slip lane have been backed by myself and the RAA and yet the State Government refuse to accept that this treatment is necessary, and instead have made every effort to reject the project's eligibility for funding through the Black Spot program," Mr Pasin said.

Mr Pasin placed the blame squarely on Minister for Infrastructure and Transport

Tom Koutsantonis, who he said "should be ashamed of himself".

"Minister Koutsantonis wants to use every excuse in the book as to why he won't commit to fix the intersection on the Southern Ports Highway at Southend, including having the Department cost the installation of traffic lights as the solution and in doing so ensured the figure is unnecessarily high," he said.

"The intersection requires a left-hand turn slip lane.

"The community, the Wattle Range Council and the RAA are all in agreement about that."

However, Mr Koutsantonis said that Mr Pasin needed to "stop 'Pasin the buck' on this one" as he had formerly chaired the Commonwealth Black Spot Panel and never got the project funded.

"The National Black Spot Program is coordinated by the Australian Government," Mr Koutsantonis said.

"The State Government is supportive of this intersection upgrade, noting however the location's recent crash history — as I have previously outlined to Mr Pasin — may result in it being considered a lower priority by the Commonwealth when compared with other intersections.

"The State Government nominated the project for federal funding under the 2022-23 Black Spot funding program, which was unsuccessful."

Mr Koutsantonis said the State Government was still looking to get the project funded.

"Nevertheless, I have requested my Department for Infrastructure and Transport to undertake further planning work, including a road safety audit, which will be required to support a fresh submission for next year's National Black Spot Program," he said.

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Bill could be game-changer

By Aidan Curtis

A Federal bill amendment could be great news for a Limestone Coast not-for-profit, with a wider range of donations set to be tax deductible.

The Federal Government has introduced the Treasury Laws Amendment (Support for Small Business and Charities and Other Measures) Bill 2023 into parliament to encourage communities to be more philanthropic.

Through the Bill, community foundations including Stand Like Stone Foundation (SLS) have been given a pathway to be endorsed as Item 1 deductible gift recipients (DGR 1s).

SLS currently has Item 2 deductible gift recipient (DGR 2) status, meaning it can make donations to DGR 1s without conducting activities itself.

For SLS chief executive Roger Babolka, having the pathway to DGR 1 status is a big positive for the foundation, but he said they are awaiting further detail on how to go about achieving it.

“One of the concerns for foundations Australia-wide is do we have to establish whole new entities within our organisation?” Mr Babolka said.

“We’ve got all these things in place that are currently compliant to all the regulations, but if we’ve got to add in some more structures, it would be nice and simple if it’s granted to that existing structure.

“As soon as we know what we need to do, whether it’s establishing new entities or not, we’ll go down that path because we want this DGR1 to be worth it for us.”

When the detail is released, though, Mr Babolka said SLS will definitely go for DGR 1 status as it has something the foundation has been wanting since it was founded nearly 20 years ago.

“The founders knew this was a significant



Stand Like Stone Foundation chief executive Roger Babolka.

Picture: AIDAN CURTIS

benefit for us, hopefully it’s about to come to fruition,” he said.

“To a degree, it encourages more giving to us, and that gives us more money to be able to invest, which we then give out in our grants and scholarships.

“If the government, through this process, can encourage more people out there to give, then we can do more.”

He said he expects tax deductible donations would encourage the already very generous communities of the Limestone Coast to help expand SLS’s scope to give out grants and scholarships.

“We give out \$200,000 - \$300,000 a year in grants and scholarships, and we can easily

double that because we know there’s that demand,” he said.

“The foundation has a goal to be able to give out half a million dollars a year in grants and scholarships.

“Things like DGR 1 status enables that to be more possible.”

Federal Member for Barker Tony Pasin was pleased to see the Bill put before parliament, albeit later than he would have liked.

“I advocated for these tax changes within the former government, and I was thrilled to be able to deliver this policy announcement as part of the former Coalition Government’s 2022 budget,” Mr Pasin said.

“While it’s disappointing that it’s taken over 15 months for the Labor Government to get on with implementing this change, noting that under the Coalition changes would have come into effect from 1 July 2022, I’m pleased that the Labor Government is honouring this budget measure.

“This reform will simplify the work of community foundations such as Stand like Stone, enabling faster responses to community need and greater impact.”

Mr Pasin said he hoped the measures would help give Limestone Coast communities a funding boost to make them even better places to live and work.

Millicent to come alive in October for festival

The program for the famed Millicent Geltwood Festival has been announced and excitement for the upcoming event is in overdrive.

From 20 to 23 October the streets of Millicent will come alive as markets, exhibitions, live music and workshops take over the town.

The event has been organised by the Geltwood Festival Committee, in partnership with Wattle Range Council and the Millicent Show Society, and council’s community development manager Caroline Hill said they were proud to support the event.

“We are proud to support this fantastic event and we are looking forward to seeing the town buzzing with activity,” she said.

“It’s a great opportunity to showcase the creativity and diverse offerings of Millicent for locals and visitors.

“We invite you all to come and join in the fun.”

The festival will open with a special event at the Millicent Art Gallery with feature artist, Jennie Matthews, on Friday, 20 October.

Then on Saturday the festival will kick into overdrive as markets, a skate competition and youth disco are held.

Sunday will see the Millicent National Trust Museum host an open day and a mural and sculpture walk with IMAG.

For more information around the program see Geltwood Festival on Facebook.



Caroline Hill and Alan Rolfe are excited to see the Millicent Geltwood Festival return.

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Nerys Merrett, Steven Raidis and Emma Raidis.



Hannah Timms, Naomi Auld, Kate Rasmussen and Fiona Jones.



Kat Searcy and Pete Balnaves.

Vignerons raise a glass

By Aidan Curtis

Coonawarra winemakers toasted the start of spring to officially launch the region's next major event, Cabernet Celebrations.

On Tuesday, September 19, Coonawarra Vignerons brought winemakers, local government representatives and community members together to raise a glass and get ready to celebrate a big month of wine in October.

The event, held at Bellwether Wines, saw many get together to share a glass or two and discuss all the upcoming events in the region.

Coonawarra Vignerons chief executive Hugh Koch was pleased to see so much excitement building towards the middle of spring and the upcoming vintage.

Mr Koch said events throughout October for Cabernet Celebrations would help highlight the "essence" of what Coonawarra is all about.

"I tell you what, I think the most exciting thing for me is we've done a lot of things through winter and autumn and we've just come back from doing a roadshow around Australia," he said.

"What that highlighted to me was the importance of our region to the rest of Australia and the rest of the world when it comes to cabernet.

"I'm really looking forward to seeing people get in amongst some of the newer vintages of cabernet."

Emma Raidis, Simon Meares, Kerry Meares, Christine Merrett and Lynn Doyle.



Ronda Davis, Jo Laubsch, Kellie Obst and Mike Risk.



Grace Forgan, Amy Lawlor, Michelle Ellis and Simone Logan.

Beachport Primary School celebrated all things book recently.

Getting into character



Top; Miss Leah, Harry, Zahli, Lara, Lucas, Miss Laura; bottom; Arthur, Declan, Charlie, Nate, and Xavier.



Top; Phoneix, Timothy, Declan, Leni, Kate, Leila, Miss Taylor, Isla, Poppy, bottom: Declan and Charlotte.



Top; Sadie, Harley, Rhys and Archie; bottom; Amelia, Harvey, Indi, Heidi and Miles.



Top L-R: Miss Hayley, Jacob, Layla, Oscar, Heidi, Wyatt and Xander; bottom; Molly, Clay, Scarlett and Bonnie.



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Millicent North Primary School students Ashley, Scarlett and Krista.



Kangaroo Inn Primary School student Tyler.



Rendelsham Primary School student Richard.

Millicent tennis hot shots

By Sophie Conlon

Hundreds of students from across the Limestone Coast came together this week as part of the Tennis Hot Shots School Carnivals.

Around 900 students from 18 schools participated during the week.



Millicent North Primary School students Paigan and Ivy.



St Anthony's Catholic Primary School students Bodee and Addison.



Rendelsham Primary School students Sophie and Mia.



Kangaroo Inn Primary School student Mason.



Millicent North Primary School students Rose, Xavier and Bryson.



Millicent North Primary School student Birdie.



Rendelsham Primary School student Poppy.

ONE PAN WINNER

Eggs With Herbed Mushrooms

Prep: 15 minutes

Cook: 15 minutes

Serves: 4

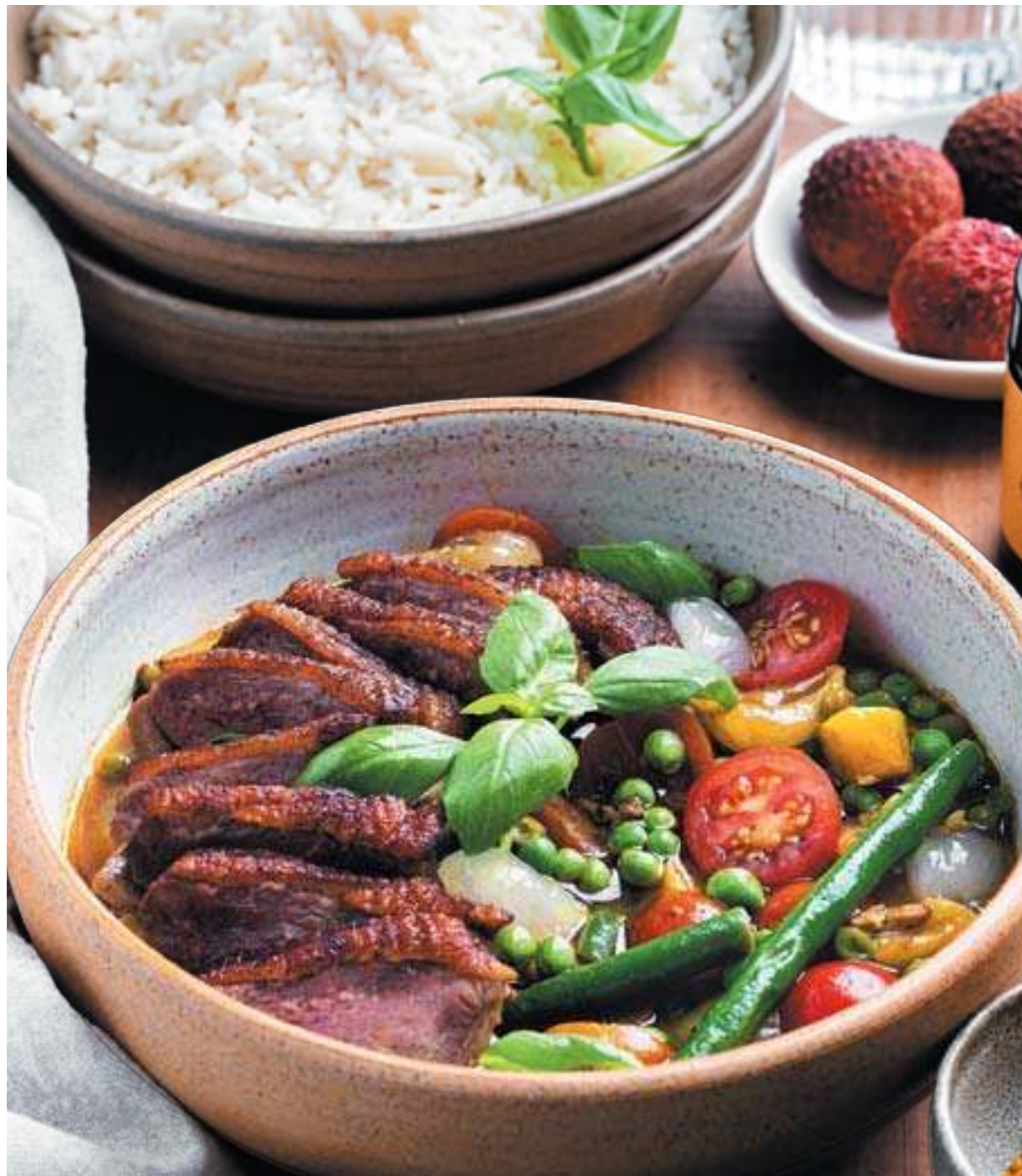
Ingredients:

- 2 bunches broccolini, trimmed
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 300g button mushrooms, halved
- 300g sliced Swiss brown mushrooms
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh thyme
- 2 garlic cloves, crushed
- 8 eggs
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped fresh chives
- Pinch chilli flakes, to serve (optional)

Method

1. Heat a large frying pan over medium-high heat. Add broccolini. Cook, adding a few tablespoons of water, for 5 minutes or until almost tender and water has evaporated.
2. Add oil and mushrooms. Cook, stirring, for 5 minutes or until mushrooms and broccolini are tender. Add thyme and garlic. Cook, stirring, for 1 minute or until fragrant.
3. Make 8 indentations or spaces in the mushrooms and crack eggs into indentations. Cook for 3 minutes, sunny side up.
4. Divide eggs, mushrooms and broccolini among plates. Top with chives and chilli (if using).

Recipe courtesy of Australian Eggs.



Lychee Duck Curry

Prep time: 15 minutes

Cook time: 25 minutes

Serves: 4

Ingredients

- 2 tbsp coconut oil
- 4 duck breasts
- 1 cup of lychees, fresh with seeds removed or tinned
- 1 cup of pineapple cubes, fresh or tinned
- 1/2 punnet of cherry tomatoes, rinsed and halved
- 1 cup peas, fresh or frozen
- 2 handfuls of fresh green beans, rinsed with ends removed
- 1 cup fresh rinsed basil
- 2 tbsp Durban Earth Curry Rub
- 1 x 400ml tin of coconut cream
- Juice of one lime
- 1 cup jasmine rice

Method

1. Cook jasmine rice according to instructions on packet, whilst the rice is cooking make the curry.
2. In a frypan over medium-high heat, melt 1 tbsp coconut oil and cook duck breast skin side down for 3 minutes on each side. Set aside and cover to rest.
3. In a saucepan or cast-iron pot, heat remaining tbsp of coconut oil add Durban Earth Curry Rub, cooking until fragrant, approx. 60 seconds. Add coconut cream and bring to a simmer, stirring to combine the curry rub.
4. Add tomatoes, peas, beans and simmer for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally, scraping the bottom of the pan. Add the lychees and pineapple, simmer for a further 3 minutes and squeeze in lime juice.
5. Meanwhile, thinly slice the duck breasts.
6. Serve rice into each bowl, ladle the vegetable curry on top, place the sliced duck breast portion into each bowl and pour a little juice on top. Garnish generously with basil.

WEATHER

FORECAST

Warnings

See www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings

SOUTH AUSTRALIA:

State Forecast:

Isolated light showers about the southern agricultural area, clearing during the afternoon. Cool to mild in the south grading to mild to warm in the north. Mainly moderate southwest to southeasterly winds.

Friday. Dry and mostly sunny. Cold at first with morning with patchy frost about and east of the ranges. Mild about the southeast, generally warm elsewhere. Mainly moderate southeasterly winds. Saturday. Dry and mostly sunny at first, showers extending from the west on Monday. Cold at first Saturday with morning with patchy frost about the Riverland and adjacent districts. Gradually getting warmer as southeast to northeasterly winds tend northeast to northerly on Sunday. Winds shifting milder southwest to southerly from the west on Monday.

Upper South East District:

Partly cloudy. Slight chance of a shower, most likely in the morning. Winds southwesterly 15 to 25 km/h becoming light during the evening.

Friday. Partly cloudy. The chance of morning frost. Light winds.

Lower South East District:

Partly cloudy. Slight chance of a shower, most likely in the morning. Winds southwesterly 15 to 25 km/h becoming light during the afternoon.

Friday. Partly cloudy. The chance of morning frost in the north. Light winds.

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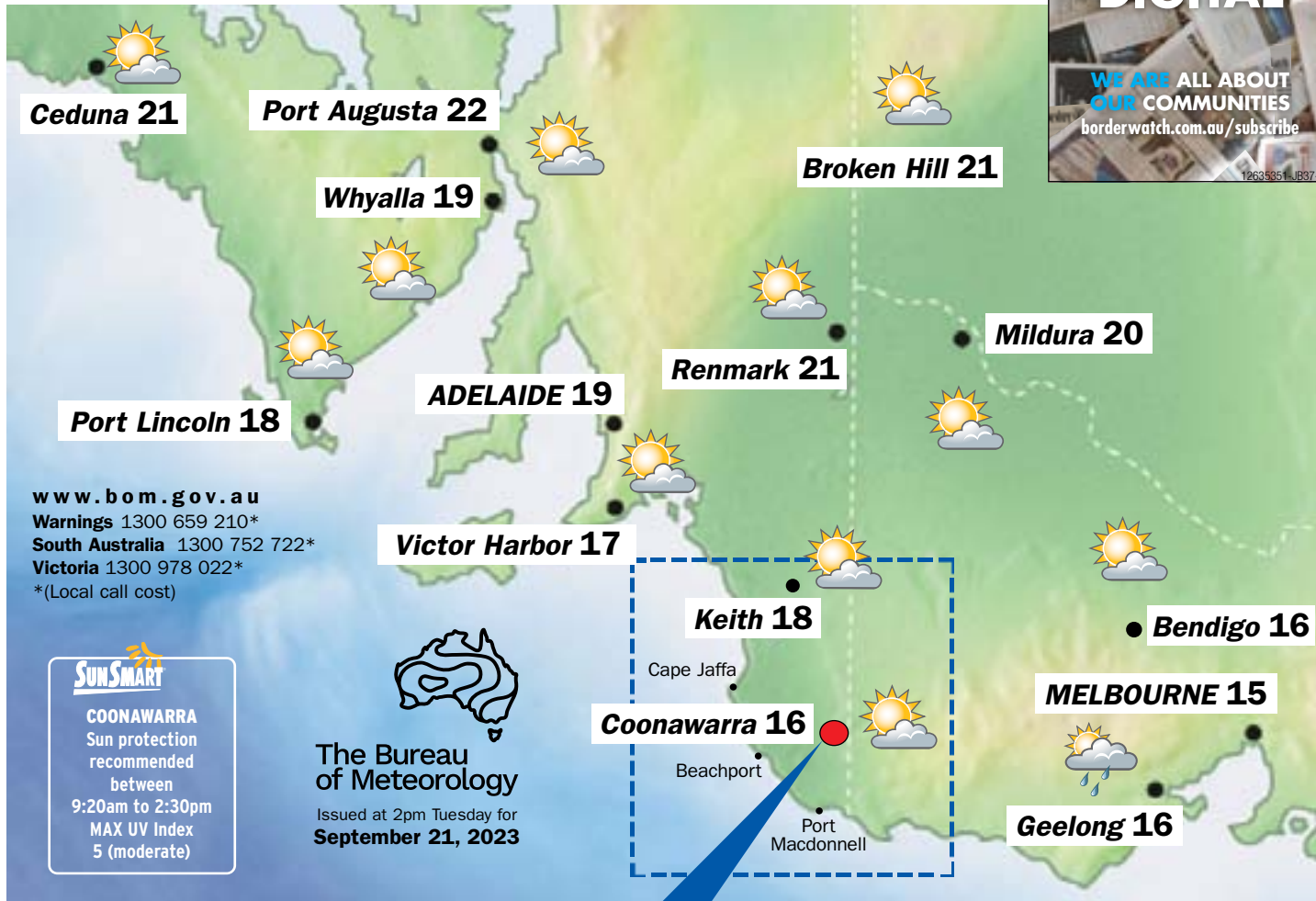
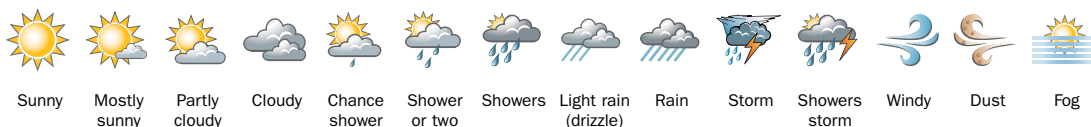
South West District:

Partly cloudy. High chance of showers near the Otways, medium chance elsewhere. Winds westerly 15 to 25 km/h tending southwesterly during the morning then becoming light during the evening.

Friday. Cloudy. Patches of morning frost in the north. Light winds.

COONAWARRA FORECAST

TODAY Partly cloudy. **16** **TOMORROW** Partly cloudy. **18** **SATURDAY** Sunny. **21** **SUNDAY** Sunny. **26**



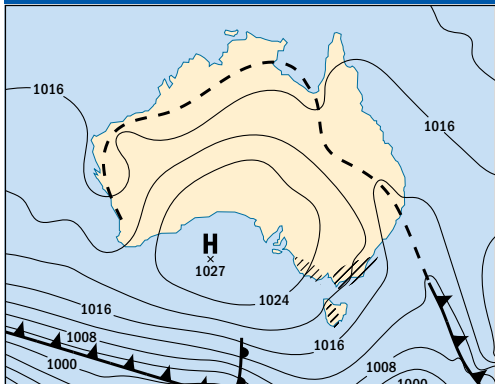
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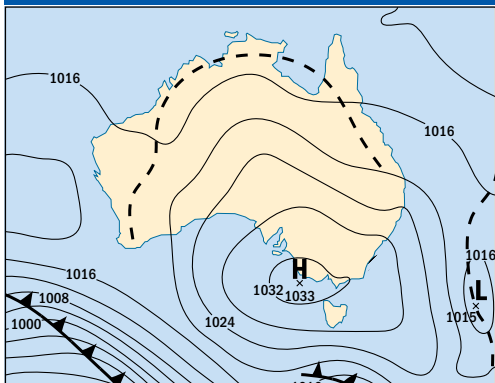
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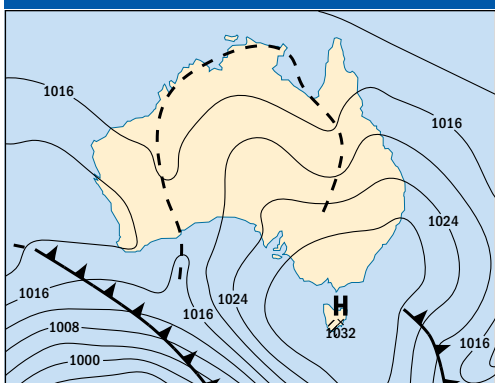
TODAY 10AM



TOMORROW 10AM



SATURDAY 10AM



Forecast Rain 24 hrs to 9am
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COASTAL WATERS

South Central Coastal Waters:

Winds: Southwesterly 15 to 20 knots turning south to southeasterly below 10 knots during the day. Seas: 1 to 2 metres, decreasing below 1 metre during the morning. Swell: Southwesterly 3 to 5 metres. Weather: Partly cloudy.

Upper South East Coastal Waters:

Murray Mouth to Cape Jaffa
 Winds: Southwesterly 15 to 20 knots turning southerly below 10 knots during the day. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, decreasing to 1 metre during the morning. Swell: Southwesterly 3 to 5 metres. Weather: Partly cloudy.

Lower South East Coastal Waters:

Cape Jaffa to SA-Vic Border
 Winds: Southwesterly 15 to 20 knots decreasing to about 10 knots during the afternoon. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, decreasing below 1 metre during the afternoon. Swell: Southwesterly 5 to 6 metres, decreasing to 4 metres during the afternoon. Weather: Partly cloudy.

West Victoria Coastal Waters:

SA-Vic Border to Cape Otway
 Winds: Southwesterly 15 to 20 knots decreasing to about 10 knots during the evening. Seas: 1.5 to 2 metres, decreasing to 1 metre during the morning. Swell: Southwesterly 4 to 6 metres, decreasing to 3 to 4 metres during the afternoon. Weather: Partly cloudy. 70% chance of showers, with possible small hail in the morning.

CAPITAL CITIES

City	Condition	Max
Adelaide	Partly cloudy.	19
Brisbane	Sunny.	35
Canberra	Partly cloudy.	18
Darwin	Sunny.	33
Hobart	Cloudy.	13
Melbourne	Shower or two.	15
Perth	Partly cloudy.	27
Sydney	Possible shower.	22

SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Thursday	5:58am	6:02pm	8:58am	Nil
Friday	5:57am	6:02pm	9:42am	12:19am
Saturday	5:55am	6:03pm	10:37am	1:25am
Sunday	5:54am	6:04pm	11:42am	2:26am
Monday	5:52am	6:05pm	12:55pm	3:18am
Tuesday	5:51am	6:06pm	2:11pm	4:03am

TIDES

Beachport

Today:	H:	L:
	2:43am	1.2m
	8:48am	0.8m
	1:25pm	1.0m
	7:54pm	0.4m
Tomorrow:		
	3:16am	1.2m
	9:14am	0.9m
	12:57pm	1.0m
	8:04pm	0.5m
Saturday:		
	4:00am	1.2m
	8:11pm	0.5m
Sunday:		
	10:38am	1.1m
	8:13pm	0.5m

Monday:

H:	10:57am	1.2m
L:	7:58pm	0.6m

Tuesday:

H:	11:24am	1.3m
L:	7:22pm	0.6m

Port Macdonnell

Today:	H:	L:
	2:58am	1.0m
	9:00am	0.5m
	1:16pm	0.7m
	7:55pm	0.2m
Tomorrow:		
	3:26am	0.9m
	9:17am	0.6m
	12:57pm	0.7m
	8:00pm	0.2m
Saturday:		
	4:06am	0.9m
	9:19am	0.7m
	12:26pm	0.8m
	8:13pm	0.2m
Sunday:		
	5:15am	0.8m
	6:21am	0.8m
	11:46am	0.9m
	8:10pm	0.3m
Monday:		
	11:36am	0.9m
	7:59pm	0.3m

Tuesday:

H:	1:58am	0.5m
L:	2:43am	0.5m
H:	11:45am	1.0m
L:	7:43pm	0.4m

THE WORLD

World conditions yesterday

City	Weather	Max	Min
Athens	fine	30	17
Auckland	fine	20	10
Bangkok	storms	36	26
Beijing	fine	26	15
Berlin	fine	25	13
Christchurch	windy	23	10
Denpasar	cloudy	31	24
Dublin	sunny	18	8
Hong Kong	sunny	32	27
Honolulu	showers	32	24
Jakarta	cloudy	30	26
Johannesburg	fine	28	14
Kuala Lumpur	storms	34	25
Los Angeles	drizzle	22	16
Madrid	sunny	23	13
Moscow	mist	14	7
New Delhi	rain	35	25
New York	sunny	23	15
Noumea	showers	26	21
Paris	fine	24	14
Auckland	fine	20	10
Port Vila	showers	24	21
Seoul	rain	24	21
Singapore	storms	33	25
Suva	storms	28	23
Tel Aviv	fine	30	24
Tokyo	rain	34	24
Vancouver	sunny	18	12
Wellington	showers	16	12

Motoring

Review of the MG HS +EV

By Alistair Kennedy, Marque Motoring

The MG HS +EV is a mid-sized SUV from the Chinese manufacturer that is making such an impact on the Australian market.

The name can be a little misleading because it's not fully-electric but rather a plug-in hybrid (PHEV) and so comes with a petrol engine together with a battery that can be charged in the same manner as an EV.

Plug-in hybrids are an excellent concept but in practice, at least at this stage of their development, they don't make a lot of sense.

Firstly, they are typically at least \$10,000 more expensive as their petrol-only equivalents.

Secondly, because they use relatively small batteries, the EV-only range is quite low and once the battery has expired, they just become another hybrid but a tad heavier due to the battery.

The MG HS +EV competes against similarly-sized PHEVs such as the Mitsubishi Outlander, Ford Escape and the just-released Mazda CX-60.

With driveaway prices starting at \$49,690 it's the cheapest of the four and comes with the longest (seven-year) warranty.

MG HS +EV comes in two variants, Excite and Essence.

The latter was our test vehicle.

MG HS +EV is a neat and conservative vehicle without anything to make it stand out from the SUV crowd.

The front is dominated by a large honeycomb grille with the familiar 'MG' badge at front-and-centre.

We often wonder how many buyers, especially younger ones, recognise that iconic badge and its history – we suspect not many.

The grille then flows into wide, narrow headlamps with daytime running lights above extended lower air vents, also honeycombed.

The Essence variant comes with 18-inch diamond cut alloy wheels, LED headlights, front foglights, puddle lights that project the MG logo onto the ground and a panoramic glass sunroof with a sunshade.

Excite only gets halogen headlights and 17-inch alloys.

Four body colours are available, all metallic: Pearl White, Sterling Silver, Black Pearl and Diamond Red.

HS +EV is a good size, with large comfortable seats, plenty of rear legroom and air vents for back seat passengers.

Entry is easy to manage and there's good interior space.

Rear legroom is acceptable and there's plenty of headroom despite the Essence's panoramic sunroof.

Excite comes with polyurethane/PVC seats while the Essence steps up to two-tone leather front sports seats with power adjustment and heating as well as LED ambient lighting.

Boot space is a reasonable 451 litres with the rear seats in place and expands to 1275 litres with the seatbacks folded.

Essence comes with a powered tailgate.

The battery charging cable is stored below the boot floor meaning that there's no room for a spare wheel, instead you'll need to rely upon the supplied tyre repair kit if you get a puncture, a growing risk in pot-hole riddled Eastern Australia.

The boot is shallow but offers a reasonable 451 litres rear seats up and 1275 litres with the seat backs folded.

The Type 2 charge cable is stored under the boot floor where it doesn't get in the way, but also leaves no room for a spare wheel (a reinforcement kit is provided).

Power comes from a 1.5-litre 119 kW / 250 Nm turbo-petrol engine, together with a 16.6kWh battery pack and 90kW electric motor that combine to provide an impressive combined output of 189kW and 370Nm.



First Of The Bunch: MG HS +EV (nee PHEV) is the Chinese carmaker's first plug-in hybrid.

It is mated to a 10-speed EDU II automatic gearbox, which consists of six-speed auto for the internal combustion engine and four-speed electronic drive unit.

All-wheel drive is available in the petrol-only HS but, at this stage, the +EV is front-wheel drive only.

Battery charge time is listed at around seven hours from a normal household socket.

We were able to charge from empty to full in just under four hours from our home 7kW JetCharge wall box.

Inside there are two large screens, a 12.3-inch fully digital instrument cluster with built-in satellite navigation and a 10.1-inch multi-function high-definition infotainment colour touch screen with large user-friendly displays.

The twin information screens are easy to read and operate although, as is becoming increasingly common, too many of the most-used features needed screen taps rather than through physical knobs.

Smartphone mirroring is available through cabled Apple CarPlay or Android Auto with two USB ports at the front and another pair at the rear.

Satellite navigation is standard in both variants.

The big touchscreen is impressive and provides sharp and clear vision through the reversing camera.

One side of the digital instrument cluster is devoted to the petrol engine, while the other keeps you up to date on the battery level as well as how much assistance the electric motor is providing – with three figures for consumption across the bottom.

Both variants get the same six-speaker 3D surround sound audio system.

The HS PHEV is yet to receive an ANCAP crash rating but the petrol variants were tested in 2022 and received the maximum five stars.

Standard safety features in both variants include six airbags; enhanced ABS brakes; electronic stability program; active cornering brake control; front seat impact absorbent door padding; hill start assist; emergency automatic door unlocking and hazard light activation; tyre pressure monitoring; reversing camera; and rear parking sensors.

Essence adds a 360-degree surround-view camera.

Both models also come with the MG Pilot package which adds enhanced features such as adaptive cruise control; forward collision



warning; automatic emergency braking; lane departure warning; traffic jam assist; intelligent cruise assist; blind spot warning; rear cross traffic alert; intelligent headlamp control; and speed assistance system.

As with most hybrids the HS +EV takes off using the battery but once under moderate acceleration the petrol engine takes over.

Unlike some others though it is possible to drive purely under battery power by tapping the 'EV' button on the centre console which ensures that the engine doesn't activate while ever there is charge in the battery.

Fuel consumption is listed at 5.8 litres per 100 kilometres under the city cycle but drops down to just 1.7 L/100 km on the combined city/highway cycle.

Note that it does need 95 RON premium fuel and charging with a standard power point takes about seven hours using a standard 10A power point.

Maximum range under battery-power alone is a claimed 63 kilometres so the only way to get even close to the 1.7 L/100 is to stop the car every 100km and fully recharge the battery before heading off again.

Not a very practical scenario.

Midway through our week in the HS +EV we did a specific test entirely in EV mode with the battery fully charged.

We chose the flattest available route and with conservative driving he got close to the 63 kilometre distance.

At the other end of scale we tested the fuel consumption with no charge in the battery and averaged 6.9 L/100km on our predomi-

nantly motorway drive from Gosford to Sydney helped along by the usual brake regeneration feature of most hybrids.

These issues aside we found the plug-in MG to be a pretty impressive vehicle.

The instant torque and silent running of EVs contribute to a very enjoyable driving experience.

There's little or no excitement, but that's the norm with vehicles at the smaller end of the SUV segment.

Steering is a bit on the heavy side but responsive enough.

The amount of brake regeneration when decelerating cannot be adjusted but we found that the level was just right, effective without being too intrusive.

The steering is okay but doesn't provide a lot of feedback and the same can be said of the brakes which could do with more feel.

Whether the extra \$10k for the +EV over its petrol-only HS equivalents can be justified will depend on buyer's individual circumstances.

For urban buyers with short distance commutes and a home fast-ish wall box it would make sense.

At around \$50k the price is not that much less than mainstream offerings from the Japanese, principally Toyota's best-selling RAV4 Hybrid, which although it is not a plug-in does provide excellent fuel economy.

Importantly, with long waiting times for most of its competitors – including the aforementioned RAV4 – buyers can get into most MG models within weeks rather than waiting many months.

YOUR WEEKLY TV GUIDE



SAM TAUNTON: ROOSTER 10, Thursday, 8.30pm

He's one of the presenters of 10's recently revamped *The Project*, but many people may not realise Sam Taunton (pictured) is an accomplished comedian in his own right. The stand-up talent is a natural on stage as he endearingly roasts himself and points out his flaws. In this special filmed live at Sydney's Grand Electric, just about nothing is off limits, including his eye-opening experience as a 16 year old when he was hit by a P-plate driver. Other tidbits include putting reviews of his previous shows up on screen to pick fun at himself and the things he's overheard at McDonald's. With his disarmingly open and sometimes awkward manner, Taunton is a memorable – and funny – character.

FROGMORE HOUSE: ROYAL RETREAT SBS, Saturday, 8.30pm

It would be safe to say that until 2019, only the most astute royal watchers knew a single thing about Frogmore in Home Park, Windsor. However, all that changed when its most famous tenants, Harry and Meghan, moved in... and then out. Their former home – the four-bedroom heritage-listed Frogmore Cottage – is just one of the historic buildings within the 35-acre estate. The park is also home to stunning 17th-century abode Frogmore House (pictured). While the current royal rift might seem shocking, it pales in comparison to the dark secrets and scandals lurking here, as revealed by experts and historians, including Wesley Kerr, Victoria Howard and Professor Chandrika Kaul, in this informative documentary.



RFDS Seven, Tuesday, 9.15pm

Spotlighting the work of the Broken Hill-based Royal Flying Doctor Service, this outback drama continues with something of a darker episode involving multiple drug overdoses that puts Eliza (Emma Hamilton), Wayne (Rob Collins, pictured) and the entire RFDS crew to the test. What begins as a fun-filled fundraiser for the team and the community quickly turns sour when a deadly batch of MDMA threatens the lives of partygoers at Dolly Hardon's charity drag night. *RFDS* might be a work of fiction, but its hard-hitting storylines don't shy away from contemporary issues affecting regional Australia, nor the immense pressures faced by the staff of this crucial service.



WHAT'S ON THE BOX?

PICK OF THE WEEK

WHILE THE MEN ARE AWAY SBS, Wednesday, 8.30pm

With a fresh, cheeky and at-times historically inaccurate take on 1940s Australia, this gutsy dramedy shakes up established ideas of what life was like for those left behind during the war. Premiering with two episodes tonight, it follows Women's Land Army recruits Gwen (Max McKenna, pictured) and Esther (Jana Zvedeniuk), two naïve city girls assigned to work on Harry Whitmore's apple farm while he joins the war effort. Joining Harry's Italian wife Frankie (Michela De Rossi), Indigenous farmhand Kathleen (Phoebe Grainer) and cowardly Robert (Matt Testro), the wide-eyed ladies are set for a spiritual and political awakening. While the cat's away, the mice will play, and this group certainly have some tricks up their sleeves.

Thursday, September 21

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Australian Story. (R) **10.30** That Pacific Sports Show. (R) **11.00** Our Dementia Choir. (PG, R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **1.00** Hard Quiz. (PG, R) **1.30** Would I Lie To You? (R) **2.00** Shaun Micallef's MAD AS HELL. (Mls, R) **2.30** Aftertaste. (Mls, R) **3.00** Restoration Australia. (R) **3.55** Tenable. (R) **4.40** Long Lost Family. (PG, R) **5.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** 7.30. **8.00** Foreign Correspondent. **8.30** Grand Designs: House Of The Year: Incredible Transformations. (PG) Part 2 of 4. **9.20** Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip: Perth To Kalgoorlie - Find A Sandgroper. (R) Griff Rhys Jones explores Australia by train. **10.10** Art Works. (PG, R) **10.40** ABC Late News. **10.55** The Business. (R) **11.10** The Whiteley Art Scandal. (PG, R) **12.10** Q+A. (R) **1.15** Rage. (MA15+adHns) **3.40** Tenable. (R) **4.30** The Drum. (R) **5.30** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **6.10pm** Interstellar Ella. **6.20** Bluey. **6.30** Piffirates. **6.40** Hey Duggee: Songs. **6.45** The Adventures Of Paddington. **6.55** Shaun The Sheep. **7.05** Karma's World. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** QI. **8.30** Would I Lie To You? **9.00** Hard Quiz. **9.30** WTFQA. **10.00** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **10.45** Tomorrow Tonight. **11.15** Why Are You Like This. **11.40** Louis Theroux: Selling Sex. **12.40am** Would I Lie To You? **1.10** Dilruk Jayasinha: Bundle Of Joy. **2.10** Red Dwarf. **2.40** ABC News Update. **2.45** Close. **5.00** Kiddets. **5.10** Pablo. **5.25** Pocoyo. **5.30** Pins And Nettie. **5.40** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **9.10** The Magic Canoe. **9.35** Toi Time. **10.00** Coastal Africa. **10.50** Voices To Martuwarra Fitzroy. **11.00** The Kings. **Noon** Yokoyai Footy. **1.00** Going Places. **2.00** Characters Of Broome. **2.30** The Cook Up. **3.00** Motown Magic. **3.25** Thalu. **3.40** Fresh Fairytales. **3.55** Pipi Ma. **4.00** The Untold Tales Of Tuteremoana. **4.30** Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** The 77 Percent. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** News. **6.40** Coastal Africa. **7.30** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. **8.30** Miniseries: The Walk-In. **9.25** MOVIE: Above The Rim. (1994, MA15+) **11.10** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** A World Of Calm. (R) **9.25** Make Me A Dealer. (R) **10.15** Living With The Boss. (PG, R) **11.05** Matched. (PG) **12.00** BBC News At Ten. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** How The Nazis Lost The War. (PGa, R) **2.55** Mastermind Australia. (R) **3.25** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **3.55** Great Continental Railway Journeys. (PGnv, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) **6.30** SBS World News. **7.35** Great Australian Walks With Julia Zemiro. (PGa) Julia Zemiro heads to Tasmania. **8.30** Eva Longoria: Searching For Mexico: Jalisco. (PGa) Eva Longoria visits Jalisco. **9.20** Crime. (Premiere) A schoolgirl is abducted. **11.20** SBS World News Late. **11.50** Max Anger: With One Eye Open. (MA15+v) **12.45** Exit. (MA15+dl, R) **2.35** Man In Room 301. (Mals, R) **4.20** Destination Flavour. (R) **4.50** Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **7.55** France 24 Feature. **8.10** ABC America Nightline. **8.40** CBC The National. **9.30** BBC News At Six. **10.00** Shortland St. **Noon** The Kimberley Cruise: The Full Journey. **2.20** Overlooked. **2.50** BBC News At Ten. **3.20** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **3.50** PBS NewsHour. **4.50** The Casketeers. **5.50** Forged In Fire. **6.40** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Myths: The Greatest Mysteries Of Humanity. **10.30** The Frontier. (Premiere) **11.25** Taskmaster. **2.10am** King Of The Road. **3.00** Monty Python's Flying Circus. **3.35** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera Newshour.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** What We Did On Our Holiday. Continued. (2014, PG) **7.00** Love And Friendship. (2016, PG) **8.45** The Taming Of The Shrew. (1967, PG) **11.00** Desperately Seeking Susan. (1985, M) **1pm** An Education. (2009, M) **2.55** 3 Days In Quiberon. (2018, PG, French) **5.00** Brideshead Revisited. (2008, PG) **7.30** Their Finest. (2016, M) **9.40** Hinterland. (2021, MA15+, German) **11.35** Passion. (2012, MA15+) **1.25am** Three Colours: Blue. (1993, M, French) **3.15** Three Colours: White. (1994, M, Polish) **5.00** The Movie Show. **5.30** Brideshead Revisited. (2008, PG)

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30** Seven Morning News. **12.00** My Kitchen Rules. (PGI, R) **1.45** Surveillance Oz. (PG, R) **2.00** Kochie's Business Builders. **2.30** Border Security: America's Front Line. (PG, R) **3.00** The Chase. (R) **4.00** Seven News At 4. **5.00** The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven News. **7.00** Home And Away. (PG) A blast from Mali's past hits the Bay. **7.30** My Kitchen Rules. (PGI) Hosted by Manu Feildel and Colin Fassnidge. **9.15** The Front Bar. (M) Hosts Mick Molloy, Sam Pang and Andy Maher take a lighter look at all things AFL. **10.15** Air Crash Investigations: Missed Opportunities. (PGa) A look at the crash of Flight 1851. **11.15** The Latest: Seven News. **11.45** Autopsy USA. (MA15+ad, R) **12.45** The Resident. (Ma, R) **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** NBC Today. **5.00** Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise.

7MATE (74, 60) **6am** ITM Fishing Show: Best Of The Best. **7.00** Step Outside With Paul Burt. **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** NFL 100 Greatest. **9.00** Sound FX: Best Of. **10.00** American Pickers. **11.00** Pawn Stars. **Noon** Highway Patrol. **1.00** The Force: Behind The Line. **2.00** Jade Fever. **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. **3.30** Full Custom Garage. **4.30** Storage Wars: Texas. **5.00** American Restoration. **5.30** American Pickers. **6.30** Pawn Stars. **7.30** The Simpsons. **8.30** MOVIE: Billy Madison. (1995, M) **10.20** MOVIE: Role Models. (2008, MA15+) **12.25am** It's Always Sunny In Philadelphia. **12.55** Simpsons. **1.55** Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) **6am** Home Shopping. **6.30** Escape To The Country. **7.30** Under The Hammer. **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Better Homes And Gardens. **1.00** Escape To The Country. **2.00** The Real Seachange. **2.30** My Greek Odyssey. **3.30** Under The Hammer. **4.00** Medical Emergency. **4.30** Better Homes And Gardens. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Father Brown. **8.30** Miss Scarlet And The Duke. **9.40** Harry Palmer: The Ipcress File. **10.40** Murdoch Mysteries. **11.40** Father Brown. **12.40am** Bargain Hunt. **2.00** Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. **12.00** The Block. (PGal, R) **1.15** Kenan. (PGal) **1.45** Explore: Hamilton Gardens. (R) **2.00** Pointless. (PG, R) **3.00** Tipping Point. (PG) **4.00** Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) **5.00** Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** RBT. (Ml, R) Follows the activities of police units. **8.30** Emergency. (Mm, R) First-time dads Michael and Luke treat a motorcycle rider with multiple fractures. **9.30** Casualty 24/7. (Mm) Follows doctors at the casualty department of a hospital. **10.30** Nine News Late. **11.00** Chicago Med. (MA15+am) **11.50** The First 48. (Mal, R) **12.40** Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) **1.30** Tipping Point. (PG, R) **2.30** Global Shop. (R) **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) **4.30** A Current Affair. (R) **5.00** News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (92, 81) **6am** Gideon's Way. **7.00** Creffo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. **8.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **10.30** Pointless. **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **Noon** Days Of Our Lives. **12.55** The Young And The Restless. **1.50** Garden Gurus Moments. **2.05** Dr Quinn, Medicine Woman. **3.05** Antiques Roadshow. **3.35** MOVIE: Spring In Park Lane. (1948) **5.30** The Travelling Auctioneers. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** Keeping Up Appearances. **8.40** MOVIE: Agatha And The Curse Of Ishtar. (2019, M) **10.40** Dalgliesh. **11.40** Rosewood. **12.40am** Emergence. **2.30** Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** Top Chef. **1.00** Bewitched. **1.30** Raymond. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** MacGyver. **4.00** Family Ties. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Raymond. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** MOVIE: Patriots Day. (2016, M) **10.10** MOVIE: American Assassin. (2017, MA15+) **12.20am** Homeland. **1.30** Love Island USA. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** Bakugan: Legends. **3.30** Jurassic World: Double Trouble. **4.00** The Amazing World Of Gumball. **4.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **5.00** Pokémon The Series: Sun & Moon - Ultra Legends. **5.30** Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens.

TEN (10, 5)

6.00 Freshly Picked. (R) **6.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **7.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **7.30** GCBC. (R) **8.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **8.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **9.00** Neighbours. (PGa, R) **9.30** Bold. (PGa, R) **10.00** Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Dr Phil. (PGa, R) **2.00** So Help Me Todd. (PGa, R) **3.00** Ent. Tonight. **3.30** Everyday Gourmet. **4.00** Bold. (PGa) **4.30** Neighbours. (PGa) **5.00** News.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30** Gogglebox Australia. Opinionated viewers discuss TV shows. **8.30** Sam Taunton: Rooster. (MA15+) A stand-up performance by Australian Pinder Prize-winning comedian Sam Taunton. **9.40** The Cheap Seats. (Mal, R) Presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. **10.40** Law & Order: SVU. (MA15+av, R) Velasco asks Benson for help. **1.30** The Project. (R) **2.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) **3.30** Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** CBS Mornings.

10 BOLD (12, 51) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.00** Exploring Off The Grid. **8.30** Pooches At Play. **9.00** Reel Action. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** JAG. **12.30pm** In The Dark. **1.30** Bull. **2.30** Jake And The Fatman. **3.30** Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** Bull. **8.30** NCIS. **9.30** NCIS: New Orleans. **10.30** FBI. **11.30** NCIS: Los Angeles. **12.30am** Home Shopping. **2.00** Diagnosis Murder. **4.00** JAG.

10 PEACH (11, 52) **6am** The King Of Queens. **7.00** Becker. **8.00** Seinfeld. **9.00** Frasier. **10.00** The King Of Queens. **11.00** Becker. **11.55** MOVIE: While You Were Sleeping. (1995, PG) **2pm** Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **6.30** Neighbours. **7.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Seinfeld. **11.30** Frasier. **Midnight** Home Shopping. **1.30** A Million Little Things. **3.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. **4.30** Home Shopping.

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Makers Of Modern Australia. (PG, R) **11.00** Back To Nature. (R) **11.30** The Pacific. (R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **1.00** The Newsreader. (M, R) **2.00** WTFQA. (R) **2.25** Starstruck. (M, R) **2.55** Restoration Australia. (PG, R) **3.55** Tenable. (R) **4.40** Long Lost Family. (PG, R) **5.25** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. Analysis of the day's news. **7.00 ABC News.** A look at the top stories of the day. **7.30 Gardening Australia.** Costa Georgiadis explores ferns. **8.30 Sherwood.** (Premiere, Malv) Detective Constable Sargent Ian St Clair is called in to investigate a tragic and unexpected murder in an ex-mining town as news of the crime threatens to inflame historic tensions. **9.30 Midsomer Murders.** (Mv, R) A folk festival organiser is killed in a manner reminiscent to that described in a ballad. **11.00 ABC Late News.** Coverage of the day's events. **11.20 Miniseries: Innocent.** (Mal, R) Part 4 of 4. **12.05 Harrow.** (Mav, R) **1.00 Rage.** (MA15+adhlmsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **6.55pm** Shaun The Sheep. **7.05** Gardening Australia Junior. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Hard Quiz. **8.30** MOVIE: Sweet Country. (2017, MA15+) **10.20** Noughts + Crosses. **11.20** Killing Eve. **12.05am** Unprotected Sets. **12.45** The Show Must Go On. **1.40** ABC News Update. **1.45** Close. **5.00** Moon And Me. **5.25** Teletubbies. **5.35** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **1.45pm** After The Fires. **2.00** Characters Of Broome. **2.30** The Cook Up. **3.00** Motown Magic. **3.25** Thalu. **3.40** Fresh Fairytales. **3.55** Pipi Ma. **4.00** The Untold Tales Of Tuteremoana. **4.30** Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** NITV News. Nula. **6.00** Bamay. **6.40** Coastal Africa. **7.30** MOVIE: The Dark Crystal. (1982) **9.15** MOVIE: Beverly Hills Cop. (1984, M) **11.05** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** A World Of Calm. (R) **9.25** Make Me A Dealer. (PG, R) **10.15** Living With The Boss. (PG, R) **11.05** Matched. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Mastermind Australia. (R) **3.00** NITV News: Nula. **3.30** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **4.00** Great Continental Railway Journeys. (PGas, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) Presented by Marc Fennell. **6.30 SBS World News.** **7.30 South America With Simon Reeve: The Andes.** (M) Part 3 of 5. **8.40 Ancient Egypt: Chronicles Of An Empire: Cult Of The Dead.** (Mav) Takes a look at ancient Egyptian funeral practices and afterlife beliefs. **9.40 Tony Robinson: The Thames At Night.** (R) Part 3 of 4. Tony Robinson reveals how the Thames plays a vital role in keeping London on the move. **10.35 SBS World News Late.** **11.05 Unseen.** (Malnv) **11.55 Romulus.** (MA15+av, R) **3.45** Destination Flavour. (R) **4.15** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) **4.45** Bamay. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **10.00** Shortland St. **Noon** United Shades Of America. **1.30** The Story Of. **2.00** Unknown Amazon. **2.55** The Pizza Show. **3.25** WorldWatch. **5.25** Counter Space. **5.50** Forged In Fire. **6.40** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Hoarders. (Return) **9.25** Sex Tape Germany. **10.35** Transnational. **11.05** MOVIE: #Female Pleasure. (2018, MA15+) **12.55am** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Brideshead Revisited. Continued. (2008, PG) **7.55** Me And Orson Welles. (2019, M, German) **12.15pm** Night Of The Undead. (2020, M, Korean) **2.20** What We Did On Our Holiday. (2014, PG) **4.10** Love And Friendship. (2016, PG) **5.50** The Producers. (1967, PG) **7.30** The Internship. (2013, M) **9.40** Next Door. (2021, M, German) **11.30** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30** Seven Morning News. **12.00** MOVIE: Tempting Fate. (2019, Ms, R) **2.00** House Of Wellness. (PG) **3.00** The Chase. (R) **4.00** Seven News At 4. **5.00** The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven News. **7.00** To Be Advised. **1.15** **12** Monkeys. (MA15+v, R) Curious about her companion's mysterious past, Cassie asks Cole where he is from. The search for the Night Room continues, with the pair fretting over whether Jennifer Goines is in the hands of the enemy. **2.30** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. (R) Three contestants go head-to-head in a test of brain power and bravery as they compete for the chance to win the grand prize of \$1 million. Hosted by Simon Reeve. **5.00** NBC Today. International news including interviews with people from the world of business, politics, media and sports.

7MATE (74, 60) **6am** Morning Programs. **11.30** Pawn Stars. **12.30pm** Storage Wars: TX. **1.00** American Restoration. **1.30** Billy The Exterminator. **2.00** Jade Fever. **3.00** Timbersports. **3.30** Full Custom Garage. **4.30** Storage Wars: TX. **5.00** American Restoration. **5.30** American Pickers. **6.30** To Be Advised. **7.00** Pawn Stars. **7.30** MOVIE: Father Of The Bride. (1991) **9.45** MOVIE: New Jack City. (1991, MA15+) **11.50** Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) **6am** Morning Programs. **7.30** Under The Hammer. **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Better Homes. **1.00** House Of Wellness. **2.00** Medical Emergency. **2.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. **3.00** Harry's Practice. **3.30** Under The Hammer. **4.00** Better Homes. **5.00** Escape To The Country. **6.00** Bargain Hunt. **7.00** Better Homes. **8.30** Escape To The Country. **11.30** Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. **12.00** MOVIE: Love Stories In Sunflower Valley. (2021, G) **2.00** Pointless. (PG, R) **3.00** Tipping Point. (PG, R) **4.00** Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) **5.00** Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** Mega Zoo. (PG, R) Dental surgery is needed for a tiger. **8.30** MOVIE: The Expendables. (2010, MA15+lv, R) A group of mercenaries is hired to assassinate the ruthless dictator of a small South American island. Sylvester Stallone, Jason Statham, Jet Li. **10.30** MOVIE: Good Kill. (2014, Malsv, R) A drone pilot questions the ethics of his job. Ethan Hawke. **12.20** Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) **2.10** Tipping Point. (PG, R) **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Postcards. (PG, R) **4.30** Global Shop. (R) **5.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. (R)

9GEM (92, 81) **6am** Morning Programs. **12.55pm** The Young And The Restless. **1.50** Garden Gurus Moments. **2.00** Dr Quinn. **3.00** Antiques Roadshow. **3.30** Keeping Up Appearances. **4.30** The Travelling Auctioneers. **5.30** Antiques Roadshow. **6.30** Rugby League. NRL. Finals Series. First preliminary final. **9.15** NRL. Finals Footy Post-Match. **10.15** MOVIE: The Dead Pool. (1988, M) **12.10am** Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** Top Chef. **1.00** Bewitched. **1.30** Raymond. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** MacGyver. **4.00** Family Ties. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** MOVIE: Spy Kids 2: The Island Of Lost Dreams. (2002, PG) **7.30** MOVIE: The Nanny Diaries. (2007, M) **9.40** MOVIE: The DUFF. (2015, M) **11.45** Homeland. **12.45am** Grimm. **1.40** Love Island USA. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6.00 Freshly Picked. (R) **6.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **7.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **7.30** GCBC. (R) **8.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **8.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **9.00** Neighbours. (PGa, R) **9.30** Bold. (PGa, R) **10.00** Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Dr Phil. (PGa, R) **2.00** To Be Advised. **3.15** Ent. Tonight. **3.30** Everyday Gourmet. **4.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **4.30** Bold. (PGa) **5.00** News.

6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. **7.30** Have You Been Paying Attention? (Malns, R) Celebrity panellists compete to see who can remember the most about events of the week. **8.30** The Graham Norton Show. (Mal, R) Graham Norton is joined by legendary singer Bruce Springsteen, actors Anya Taylor-Joy and Anna Maxwell Martin, and comedian Mo Gilligan. Florence and the Machine perform their single *Dream Girl Evil*. **10.30** To Be Advised. **11.30** The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. **12.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Hosted by Stephen Colbert. **1.30** Home Shopping. (R)

10 BOLD (12, 51) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.00** Exploring Off The Grid. **8.30** Pooches At Play. **9.00** Reel Action. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** JAG. **12.30pm** In The Dark. **1.30** Bull. **2.30** Jake And The Fatman. **3.30** Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** Bull. **8.30** NCIS. **9.25** NCIS: Los Angeles. **11.15** Star Trek: Discovery. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **2.15** Diagnosis Murder. **4.05** JAG.

10 PEACH (11, 52) **6am** The King Of Queens. **7.00** Becker. **8.00** Seinfeld. **10.00** The King Of Queens. **11.00** Frasier. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **7.30** Thank God You're Here. **8.30** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Seinfeld. **11.00** Frasier. **Midnight** Home Shopping. **1.30** A Million Little Things. **2.30** The Big Bang Theory. **3.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. **4.30** Shopping.

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ABC TV (2)

6.00 Rage. (PG) **7.00** Weekend Breakfast. **9.00** Rage. (PG) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **12.30** Midsomer Murders. (PG, R) **2.00** Sherwood. (Malv, R) **2.55** Becoming Frida Kahlo. (PG, R) **3.35** Bronwyn Oliver: The Shadows Within. (PG, R) **3.55** Dr Charles Perkins Oration. **4.40** To Be Advised. **5.00** Landline. (R) **5.30** The Whiteley Art Scandal. (PG, R)

6.25 Kitchen Cabinet. (R) Annabel Crabb meets Jordon Steele-John. **7.00 ABC News.** A look at the top stories of the day. **7.30 Shakespeare And Hathaway.** (Mv) Frank and Lu are hired by a dance school owner to debunk a curse that is destroying her business. **8.15 Vera.** (Mav, R) Part 1 of 4. DCI Vera Stanhope investigates the death of a young woman in a suspicious fire. **9.50 The Newsreader.** (M, R) The country is rocked by a mass shooting in the heart of Melbourne. **10.45 Shetland.** (Mal, R) A controversial local is murdered. **11.45 Rage.** (MA15+adhlmsv) Music video clips.

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **6.55pm** Shaun The Sheep. **7.05** Andy's Safari Adventures. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.30** Celia Pacquola: All Talk. **9.30** Whose Line Is It Anyway? **9.55** Unprotected Sets. (Final) **10.40** Staged. **11.05** Superwog. **11.50** The Romantics And Us. **12.50am** Blunt Talk. **1.20** ABC News Update. **1.25** Close. **5.00** Moon And Me. **5.25** Teletubbies. **5.35** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **10.00** Going Places. **11.00** MOVIE: The Dark Crystal. (1982) **12.45pm** Barunga Concert Special. **2.35** Coastal Africa. **3.25** Going Places. **4.25** Big Sky Girls. **4.50** Bush Bands Bash. **5.50** Amplify. **6.20** First People's Kitchen. **6.50** News. **7.00** Family Rules. **7.30** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. **8.30** Larapinta. **9.00** Alone. **10.10** MOVIE: Fallen. (1998, M) **12.20am** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Designing Paradise With Bill Bensley. (Premiere) **10.00** The Eco Show. (PG) **11.00** Curious Traveller. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Gymnastics. FIG Artistic World Challenge Cup series. Round 4. Highlights. **4.00** Wet By Fire. **4.10** Trail Towns. (PG) **4.45** Tommy Fleming Live From Galway Cathedral. **5.35** Secret Nazi Bases. (PGa, R)

6.30 SBS World News. **7.30** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG) Narelida Jacobs takes on a trapeze. **8.30 Frogmore House: Royal Retreat.** Explores Frogmore, the idyllic royal estate that has been the private escape for generations of royals. **9.50 World's Most Scenic Railway Journeys: Dunedin Railways, New Zealand.** (R) Narrated by Bill Nighy. **10.40 Sex And Sensibility.** (MA15+ans, R) **11.35** Rex In Rome. (Mv, R) **1.30** Suspect. (MA15+v, R) **3.10** UFOs. (PGa, R) **4.20** Bamay. (R) **4.50** Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.15** France 24 Feature. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **10.00** Shortland St. **Noon** Kim's Convenience. **1.30** 8 Out Of 10 Cats. **2.45** WorldWatch. **4.40** Mastermind Aust. **5.50** Monty Python. **6.25** The Secret Genius Of Modern Life. **7.35** Impossible Engineering. **8.30** Dirty Rotten Cleaners. (Premiere) **9.20** Conversations With Friends. (Premiere) **10.30** Roger Waters: Us And Them. **12.40am** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Morning Programs. **8.25** Belle And Sebastian. (2013, PG, French) **10.15** The Hole In The Ground. (2019, M) **11.55** Their Finest. (2016, M) **2.05pm** Brideshead Revisited. (2008, PG) **4.30** Akira Kurosawa's Dreams. (1990, PG, Japanese) **6.40** An Ideal Husband. (1999, PG) **8.30** Snatch. (2000, MA15+) **10.25** Day And Night. (2010, MA15+, German) **12.15am** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 NBC Today. **7.00** Weekend Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) Highlights from the past week. **11.30** Horse Racing. Kia Golden Rose Day and Caulfield Charity Family Day. **5.00** Seven News Adelaide. **5.30** Discover With RAA Travel. (PG) Presented by Kelly Golding.

6.00 Seven News. **6.55** To Be Advised. **12.40** **12** Monkeys. (MA15+v, R) Cole and Raily finally manage to locate the Night Room, only to discover the 12 Monkeys got there first. A furious Ramse learns that Jones had been sending unauthorised persons back in time. **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Get Clever. (R) Educational kids' program in which the wonders of maths and science are explored. **5.00** House Of Wellness. (PGa, R) Luke Darcy, Jo Stanley and Luke Hines take a look at locations that highlight living well.

7MATE (74, 60) **6am** Morning Programs. **12.30pm** Football. AFL Women's. Round 4. Port Adelaide v Geelong. **2.30** Dipper's Rigs. **3.00** Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. **4.00** Counting Cars. **4.30** Carnage. **5.30** Storage Wars. **6.00** To Be Advised. **6.55** Border Security. **7.20** MOVIE: Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes Of Grindelwald. (2018, PG) **10.00** MOVIE: Monster Hunter. (2020, M) **12.05am** Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.30** Travel Oz. **10.00** Under The Hammer. **10.30** Horses For Courses. **11.30** House Of Wellness. **12.30pm** Harry's Practice. **1.00** Escape To The Country. **4.00** Bargain Hunt. **5.00** Medical Emergency. **5.30** The Yorkshire Vet. **6.30** Bondi Vet. **7.30** The Yorkshire Vet. **8.30** Escape To The Country. **10.30** The Great Outdoors: Greatest Escapes. **11.30** The Yorkshire Vet. **12.30am** Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Getaway. (PG, R) **6.30** A Current Affair. **7.00** Weekend Today. **10.00** Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) **12.00** Drive TV. (R) **12.30** Cybershack. (PG) **1.00** My Way. **1.30** Explore. (R) **1.45** The Block. (PGal, R) **4.30** The Garden Gurus. **5.00** News: First At Five. **5.30** Getaway. (PG)

6.00 Nine News Saturday. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** To Be Advised. **2.00** The Incredible Journey Presents. (PGa) Religious program. **2.30** The Garden Gurus. (R) Trevor Cochrane showcases wax flowers. Bonnie-Marie Hibbs puts the pedal to the metal for the ultimate mowing road test. Newcomer, Shontelle Sinclair, gives her tips on sowing seeds indoors. **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** Global Shop. (R) Home shopping. **5.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** Helping Hands. (PG, R) A celebration of people and organisations across Australia which make the world a better place.

9GEM (92, 81) **6am** Morning Programs. **7.30** Seaway. **8.30** TV Shop. **10.00** Helping Hands. **10.30** Skippy. **11.00** My Favorite Martian. **11.30** MOVIE: Mine Own Executioner. (1947, PG) **1.45pm** MOVIE: They Who Dare. (1954) **4.00** MOVIE: The Horse Soldiers. (1959) **6.30** Rugby League. NRL. Finals Series. Second preliminary final. **9.15** NRL. Finals Footy Post-Match. **10.15** Rugby World Cup: Highlights. **11.15** Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) **6am** Children's Programs. **1pm** Surfing Australia TV. **1.30** Ice Hockey. NHL Global Series. Los Angeles Kings v Arizona Coyotes. **4.30** Go On. **5.00** Sunnyside. **5.30** MOVIE: Sonic The Hedgehog. (2020, PG) **7.30** MOVIE: Journey To The Centre Of The Earth. (2008, PG) **9.30** MOVIE: The Legend Of Tarzan. (2016, M) **11.40** Dominion. **12.35am** Grimm. **1.30** Love After Lockup. **2.25** Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6am Morning Programs. **9.00** GCBC. (R) **9.30** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **10.00** St10. (PG) **12.00** Luxury Escapes. (R) **12.30** Well Traveller. (PGa, R) **1.00** 10 Minute Kitchen. **1.30** Healthy Homes. **2.00** Freshly Picked. (R) **2.30** Luca's Key Ingredient. (R) **3.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **3.30** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **4.00** My Market Kitchen. **4.30** Food Trail: South Africa. **5.00** News.

6.00 Luxury Escapes. Takes a look at a holiday to Bali. **6.30** Bondi Rescue. (PGal, R) Whippet rescues two men at the same time. **7.00** The Dog House Australia. (PGa, R) Narrated by Mark Coles Smith. **8.00** Thank God You're Here. (Mls, R) Comedians include Melanie Bracewell, Rhys Nicholson, Dane Simpson and Urzila Carlson. **9.00** MOVIE: Top Gun. (1986, Ms, R) Students at an elite US flying school for advanced fighter pilots compete against each other to be the best in the class. Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis, Val Kilmer. **11.15** The Cheap Seats. (Mal, R) **12.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** Authentic. (PG) **5.00** Hour Of Power.

10 BOLD (12, 51) **6am** Home Shopping. **9.00** The Offroad Adventure Show. **10.00** Diagnosis Murder. **Noon** Escape Fishing With ET. **12.30** Jake And The Fatman. **1.30** JAG. **2.30** Pooches At Play. **3.00** Tough Tested. **4.00** JAG. **5.00** Reel Action. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** NCIS. **9.25** 48 Hours. **10.20** NCIS. **11.15** NCIS: Los Angeles. **12.15am** Blue Bloods. **1.10** Star Trek: Discovery. **2.05** 48 Hours. **3.00** JAG. **5.00** Home Shopping.

10 PEACH (11, 52) **6am** The King Of Queens. **7.00** Seinfeld. **8.00** Becker. **9.00** Neighbours. **11.00** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. **11.30** Seinfeld. **Noon** To Be Advised. **1.15** The Big Bang Theory. **1.40** The King Of Queens. **2.35** Frasier. **3.30** Becker. **4.30** Seinfeld. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory. (Premiere) **10.15** Friends. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **1.45** A Million Little Things. **2.40** Big Bang. **3.30** Bold. **4.30** Shopping.

ABC TV (2)

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.00 Insiders. 10.00 Offsiders. 10.30 World This Week. (R) 11.00 Compass. (PG, R) 11.30 Praise. (R) 12.00 News. 12.30 Landline. 1.30 Gardening Aust. (R) 2.30 Shakespeare And Hathaway. (PGa, R) 3.15 Grand Designs: House Of The Year. (PG, R) 4.05 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip. (R) 5.00 Art Works. 5.30 Antiques Roadshow.

6.30 Voices Of Australia. A look at Victoria's First People's Assembly. 7.00 ABC News. A look at the top stories of the day. 7.30 Death In Paradise. (Ma, R) A nurse dies under suspicious circumstances. 8.30 The Newsreader. (Mdl) Helen is plunged into crisis when a gossip columnist threatens to expose her troubled past. 9.25 Mother And Son. (Ml, R) Arthur and Maggie both engage in sexual misadventures with disastrous results. 9.55 Annika. (Ma, R) The body of a scientist is found in a loch. 10.45 Total Control. (Mlv, R) Alex finally arranges to meet J.C. 11.35 Talking Heads. (PG, R) 12.10 Rage Vault. (MA15+adhlsv) 2.00 Escape From The City. (R) 5.00 Insiders. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.05pm Andy's Safari Adventures. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 You Can't Ask That. 8.35 Louis Theroux: Drinking To Oblivion. 9.35 Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids. 10.35 Vera. 12.05am Auschwitz Untold: In Colour. 1.15 Enslaved. 2.10 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 3.00 ABC News Update. 3.05 Close. 5.00 Kiddets. 5.10 Pablo. 5.25 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 12.15pm Over The Black Dot. 12.45 The Point: Road To Referendum History Bites. 12.55 Bamay. 1.55 My Survival As An Aboriginal. 2.50 The Whole Table. 3.50 Going Places. 4.20 Take Heart: Deadly Heart. 5.50 Going Native. 6.20 News. 6.30 Wild West. 7.30 Aquariums: The Dark Hobby. 8.30 MOVIE: You Can Go Now. (2022) 10.00 MOVIE: Beverly Hills Cop. (1984, M) 11.55 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.00 Designing Paradise With Bill Bensley. (PG) 10.00 The Eco Show. (PG) 11.00 Curious Traveller. (PG) 12.00 APAC Weekly. 12.30 France 24 English News. 1.00 Speedweek. 3.00 Gymnastics. FIG Artistic World Challenge Cup series. Round 5. Highlights. 4.00 Sunset Stories. (R) 4.10 Following The Flow. (PGal, R) 5.40 Secret Nazi Bases. (PGa, R)

6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Megastructures: Knights Templar Castles. Explores the castles of the Knights Templar. 8.30 MOVIE: You Can Go Now. (2022, Mals) Takes a look at life and career of Indigenous artist and activist Richard Bell. Richard Bell, Gary Foley. 10.00 Empires Of New York: Amid Chaos Lies Opportunity. (Premiere, Mdl) Chronicles the rise of five New York icons. 10.50 24 Hours In Emergency: Never Let Me Go. (PGa, R) 12.40 Hunting Hitler's U-Boats. (PGalv, R) 2.05 Could Hitler Have Been Stopped? (PGav, R) 3.00 Patriot Brains. (Mals, R) 3.50 Italian Food Safari. (R) 4.20 Bamay. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning. 5.15 France 24 Feature. 5.30 Al Jazeera News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 9.30 Small Business Secrets. 10.05 Shortland St. 12.05pm Monty Python. 2.00 Devoured. 2.50 Jungletown. 3.40 WorldWatch. 4.10 E-Sports Revolution. 5.10 Inside Sydney Airport. 6.10 Kars & Stars. (Premiere) 6.40 Mysteries From Above. (Premiere) 7.35 Abandoned Engineering. 8.30 The UnXplained. 9.20 John And Joe Bishop: Life After Deaf. 10.15 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Me And Orson Welles. Continued. (2008, PG) 7.00 An Ideal Husband. (1999, PG) 8.50 While At War. (2019, PG, German) 10.55 Next Door. (2021, M, German) 12.40pm The Internship. (2013, M) 2.55 The Producers. (1967, PG) 4.35 Belle And Sebastian. (2013, PG, French) 6.25 I Capture The Castle. (2003) 8.30 The Paperboy. (2012, MA15+) 10.30 Night Train To Lisbon. (2013, M) 12.35am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) 12.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R) 1.00 Jabba's School Holiday Movie Special. (PGv, R) 1.30 Border Security: International. (PG, R) 2.00 Football. SANFL. Grand final. 5.30 South Aussie With Cosi. (PG)

6.00 Seven News. 7.00 The Voice. (PGa) In the semi-final, eight artists battle it out in hopes of proving they have what it takes. 8.45 Con Girl. (Mal) Part 3 of 4. As the story continues, a French traveller is embroiled in a child kidnapping case in Sydney after being conned by Samantha Azzopardi, who also poses as Coco, a talent agent. 11.00 Born To Kill? Robert Reldan. (Mav) A look at serial killer Robert Reldan. 12.00 The InBetween. (Mav, R) Tom and Damien enlist Cassie's help. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Million Dollar Minute. (R) Hosted by Simon Reeve. 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

7MATE (74, 60) 6am Morning Programs. 11.30 The Fishing Show By AFN. 12.30pm Football. AFL Women's. Round 4. North Melbourne v Brisbane Lions. 2.30 Step Outside. 3.00 Fishing Addiction. 4.00 Million Dollar Catch. 4.30 Bushfire Wars. 5.00 Demolition NZ. 6.00 Border Security USA. 7.00 Border Security. 8.30 MOVIE: The Transporter. (2002, M) 10.30 MOVIE: Transporter 2. (2005, M) 12.20am Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 House Of Wellness. 11.00 NBC Today. Noon Escape To The Country. 1.00 The Great Outdoors: Greatest Escapes. 2.00 Harry's Practice. 2.30 Discover With RAA Travel. 3.00 The Bowls Show. 4.00 My Greek Odyssey. 5.00 Heathrow. 5.30 I Escaped To The Country. 6.30 Escape To The Country. 8.30 Call The Midwife. 9.40 Miniseries: The Pembroke Murders. 10.45 Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Fishing Australia. (R) 6.30 A Current Affair. 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 The AFL Sunday Footy Show. (PG) 12.00 Sports Sunday. (PG) 1.00 Drive Safer. 2.00 Explore. (R) 2.10 The Block. (PGal, R) 4.30 Outdoors Indoors. 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Hello SA. (PG)

6.00 Nine News Sunday. 7.00 The Block. (PGal) Hosted by Scott Cam. 8.35 60 Minutes. Current affairs program, investigating, analysing and uncovering the issues affecting all Australians. 9.35 Nine News Late. Takes a look at the latest news and events from Australia and around the world. 10.05 Under Investigation: Where's Willi? (Ma, R) Presented by Liz Hayes. 11.05 Killer At The Crime Scene: Kriss Donald. (MA15+av) 12.00 Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) 1.40 Our State On A Plate. (PG, R) 2.10 Killer At The Crime Scene. (MA15+av, R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Rugby Union. Rugby World Cup. Australia v Wales. From OL Stadium, Lyon, France.

9GEM (92, 81) 6am Morning Programs. 8.30 The Incredible Journey. 9.00 TV Shop. 10.00 My Favorite Martian. 10.30 Garden Gurus. 11.00 NRL Sunday Footy Show. 1pm My Way. 1.30 Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. First semi-final. 3.15 NRLW Wrap. 3.45 Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Second semi-final. 5.30 Getaway. 6.00 Customs. 6.30 M*A*S*H. 8.30 MOVIE: Conspiracy Theory. (1997, M) 11.15 Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) 6am Children's Programs. 1pm Surfing Australia TV. 1.30 Ice Hockey. NHL Global Series. Los Angeles Kings v Arizona Coyotes. 4.30 Go On. 5.00 Sunnyside. 5.30 To Be Advised. 7.30 MOVIE: Passengers. (2016, M) 9.50 MOVIE: Lucy. (2014, MA15+) 11.35 Falling Water. 2.30am Surfing Australia TV. 3.00 Teen Titans Go! 3.30 Beyblade Burst QuadStrike. 4.00 Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens. 4.30 Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6am Morning Programs. 8.30 Freshly Picked. (R) 9.00 The Chef's Garden. 9.30 Pooches At Play. (R) 10.00 St10. (PG) 12.00 To Be Advised. 1.10 My Market Kitchen. (R) 1.30 Three Blue Ducks. (PG, R) 2.00 Freshly Picked. (R) 2.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 3.00 Destination Dessert. (R) 3.30 Exploring Off The Grid. (R) 4.00 GCBC. (R) 4.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 5.00 News.

6.30 The Sunday Project. A look at the day's news. 7.30 Dogs Behaving (Very) Badly Australia. (PGlv, R) Graeme Hall meets an Aussie cattle dog. 8.30 FBI. (Mv) After a string of armed robberies target various businesses, the team investigates a suspect who leads them to something much bigger. OA worries about his future when his crypto investments go south. 9.30 NCIS: Hawai'i. (Mv, R) The team investigates the death of a sailor and goes head-to-head with a ruthless local criminal organisation. 10.30 Five Bedrooms. (Mls, R) Harry organises a hens and bucks. 11.30 The Sunday Project. (R) 12.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 BOLD (12, 51) 6am Home Shopping. 7.30 Key Of David. 8.00 The Offroad Adventure Show. 9.00 What's Up Down Under. 10.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 11.00 Luxury Escapes. 11.30 Destination Dessert. Noon JAG. 2.00 Athletics. Sydney Marathon. Highlights. 3.00 All 4 Adventure. 4.00 Pooches At Play. 4.30 Reel Action. 5.00 iFish. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. 10.20 Blue Bloods. 11.15 Late Programs.

10 PEACH (11, 52) 6am Friends. 10.30 To Be Advised. 11.40 The Big Bang Theory. 1pm Friends. 4.00 The Middle. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Thank God You're Here. 9.30 Two And A Half Men. 11.00 South Park. Midnight Home Shopping. 1.30 Charmed. 2.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 4.30 Home Shopping.

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6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Landline. (R) 11.00 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Vera. (Mav, R) 2.30 The Cook And The Chef. (R) 2.55 Restoration Australia. (PG, R) 3.55 Tenable. (R) 4.40 Long Lost Family. (PG, R) 5.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. 8.00 Australian Story. Australians tell personal stories. 8.30 Four Corners. Investigative journalism program. 9.15 Media Watch. (PG) Hosted by Paul Barry. 9.35 Q+A. Presented by Patricia Karvelas. 10.35 ABC Late News. 10.50 The Business. (R) 11.10 Space 22. (PG, R) 11.40 The Wimbledon Kidnapping. (PG, R) 12.30 Our Brain. (PG, R) 1.25 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) 3.40 Tenable. (R) 4.30 The Drum. (R) 5.30 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.05pm Karma's World. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Ningaloo Nyinggulu. 9.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 9.45 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery. 10.20 Enslaved. 11.20 Escape From The City. 12.15am Ghosts. 12.50 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 1.10 Louis Theroux: Drinking To Oblivion. 2.10 ABC News Update. 2.15 Close. 5.00 Kiddets. 5.10 Pablo. 5.25 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Going Native. 2.00 Spirit Talker. 2.30 The Cook Up. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.00 The Untold Tales Of Tuteremoana. 4.30 Jarjums. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 APTN National News. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Coastal Africa. 7.30 First Australians. 8.30 Living Black Conversations. 9.00 After The Apology. 10.30 MOVIE: Jindabyne. (2006, M) 12.40am Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.00 Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 9.10 Make Me A Dealer. (R) 10.00 Living With The Boss. (PG, R) 10.55 Off The Beaten Track With Kate Humble. (PG) 12.10 WorldWatch. 2.00 How The Nazis Lost The War. (PGad, R) 2.55 Mastermind Aust. (R) 3.25 The Cook Up. (R) 3.55 Great Continental Railway Journeys. (PGav, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! (R) 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Finding Your Roots: Hard Times - Michael Moore, Laura Linney, Chloe Sevigny. (PG) 8.30 Britain's Most Expensive Houses. (Final, PG) John searches for buyers for a townhouse. 9.30 World's Most Luxurious Holidays. (R) Part 3 of 3. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 10.55 My Brilliant Friend. (Malv) 12.00 The A Word. (Ma, R) 3.30 Italian Food Safari. (R) 4.00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG, R) 4.30 Bamay. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 9.30 Small Business Secrets. 10.00 Shortland St. Noon Super Maximum Retro Show. 1.30 Monty Python. 2.40 Insight. 3.40 WorldWatch. 5.20 Counter Space. 5.50 Forged In Fire: Best Of. (Return) 6.40 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Question Team. 9.25 The Change. 10.25 My Life Online. 11.25 Over The Black Dot. 11.55 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am I Capture The Castle. (2003) 8.05 A Raisin In The Sun. (1961, PG) 10.25 Man In The Hat. (2020, M, French) 12.20pm About Endlessness. (2019, M, Swedish) 1.45 An Ideal Husband. (1999, PG) 3.35 While At War. (2019, PG, German) 5.35 Bye Bye Birdie. (1963, PG) 7.40 Yuni. (2021, M, Indonesian) 9.30 Bellbird. (2019, M) 11.20 Mammoth. (2009, M) 1.40am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 To Be Advised. 1.45 Surveillance Oz. (PG, R) 2.00 Border Security: International. (PG, R) 2.30 Border Security USA. (PG, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven News. 7.00 AFL Brownlow Medal: Red Carpet. (PG) Coverage of the red carpet arrivals. 7.35 AFL Brownlow Medal. An awards event featuring the announcement of the winner of the league's Brownlow Medal. 10.30 The Latest: Seven News. 11.00 Autopsy USA: Hugh Hefner. (Mas, R) A look at the death of Hugh Hefner. 12.00 The Village. (Ma, R) Ben faces his future and his past. 1.00 Kochie's Business Builders. (R) 1.30 Harry's Practice. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

7MATE (74, 60) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm Severi's Motorsport Classic. 1.30 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. 2.30 Motor Racing. Supercars Support 3.30 Motor Racing. Supercars Support 4.30 Storage Wars: TX. 5.00 American Restoration. 5.30 American Pickers. 6.30 AFL Brownlow Medal: Red Carpet. 7.05 Pawn Stars. 7.30 Counting Cars. 8.30 MOVIE: The Mummy. (2017, M) 10.45 Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) 6am Morning Programs. 9.00 Harry's Practice. 9.30 NBC Today. 10.30 Better Homes. 1pm Harry's Practice. 1.30 The Real Seachange. 2.00 To Be Advised. 2.30 My Greek Odyssey. 3.30 Coastwatch Oz. 4.00 Better Homes. 5.00 Escape To The Country. 6.00 Bargain Hunt. 7.00 Home And Away. 7.30 Doc Martin. 8.30 Endeavour. 10.30 Air Crash Investigations. 11.30 Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Rugby Union. Rugby World Cup. Australia v Wales. Continued. 6.30 Today. 8.30 Today Extra. (PG) 11.00 Morning News. 11.30 Outdoors Indoors. (R) 12.00 The Block. (PGal, R) 1.30 Getaway. (PG, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG, R) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.00 Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 The Block. (PGal) Hosted by Scott Cam. 8.40 Missing Persons Investigation. (PGa) Police must defy all odds to find a missing four-year-old girl, and a Geelong teenager runs away from home. 9.40 To Be Advised. 10.40 Nine News Late. 11.10 Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) 12.55 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.50 Hello SA. (PG) 2.20 He Said/She Said. (Ma) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 A Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (92, 81) 6am Morning Programs. 7.30 Skippy. 8.00 TV Shop. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 Danoz. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Days Of Our Lives. 12.55 The Young And The Restless. 1.50 Explore. 2.00 Dr Quinn. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 Explore. 3.40 MOVIE: The Love Lottery. (1954) 5.30 The Travelling Auctioneers. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 Death In Paradise. 8.40 Poirot. 10.40 Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) 6am Children's Programs. Noon Top Chef. 1.00 Starting Up, Starting Over. 2.00 Bewitched. 2.30 Full House. 3.00 MacGyver. 4.00 Family Ties. 4.30 The Addams Family. 5.00 Bewitched. 5.30 I Dream Of Jeannie. 6.00 Raymond. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 RBT. 8.30 MOVIE: Contagion. (2011, M) 10.40 The Teenager Who Hacked Twitter. 11.40 Homeland. 12.50am Grimm. 1.40 Love Island USA. 2.30 Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6.00 Freshly Picked. (R) 6.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 7.00 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 7.30 GCBC. (R) 8.00 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 8.30 Ent. Tonight. (R) 9.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 9.30 Bold. (PGa, R) 10.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 10 News First: Midday. 1.00 Dr Phil. (PGa, R) 2.00 To Be Advised. 3.15 Ent. Tonight. 3.30 Everyday Gourmet. 4.00 Bold. (PGa) 4.30 Neighbours. (PGa) 5.00 News.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 The Masked Singer Australia. Hosted by Osher Günsberg. 8.45 Have You Been Paying Attention? (Mals) Celebrity panellists compete to see who can remember the most about events of the week. 9.45 Inspired Unemployed (Impractical) Jokers. (Mans, R) Four mates set out to embarrass each other. 10.15 FBI: Most Wanted. (Mv, R) A woman is kidnapped from her home. 11.05 The Project. (R) 12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 BOLD (12, 51) 6am Home Shopping. 8.00 Exploring Off The Grid. 8.30 Pooches At Play. 9.00 Reel Action. 9.30 Escape Fishing With ET. 10.30 JAG. 12.30pm In The Dark. 1.30 Bull. 2.30 Jake And The Fatman. 3.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 Bull. 8.30 NCIS. 10.20 Blue Bloods. 11.15 48 Hours. 12.15am Home Shopping. 2.15 Diagnosis Murder. 4.05 JAG.

10 PEACH (11, 52) 6am The Big Bang Theory. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Middle. 9.30 Friends. Noon Charmed. 2.00 Friends. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.30 Frasier. Midnight Home Shopping. 1.30 Charmed. 2.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 4.30 Home Shopping.

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News. **9.00** News. **10.00** Foreign Correspondent. (R) **10.30** Ask The Doctor. (PG, R) **11.00** Becoming Frida Kahlo. (PG, R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **1.00** Call The Midwife. (PG, R) **2.00** Poh's Kitchen Lends A Hand. (R) **2.30** Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery. (PG, R) **3.00** Restoration Australia. (R) **3.55** Tenable. (R) **4.40** Long Lost Family. (PG, R) **5.25** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** **7.30**. Presented by Sarah Ferguson. **8.00** Kitchen Cabinet. Annabel Crabb meets Bridget McKenzie. **8.30** The Whiteley Art Scandal. (Final, MIs) Part 2 of 2. The case against the two men accused of creating the forged Brett Whiteley paintings mount. **9.30** Makers Of Modern Australia: Artists. (PGa) Part 4 of 4. **10.30** ABC Late News. **10.45** The Business. (R) **11.00** Four Corners. (R) **11.50** Media Watch. (PG, R) **12.05** Barrenjoey Road. (Mal, R) **1.05** Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) **3.40** Tenable. (R) **4.30** The Drum. (R) **5.30** **7.30**. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **7.05pm** Karma's World. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Ghosts. (Final) **9.00** Starstruck. **9.25** Mother And Son. **9.55** Blunt Talk. **10.25** Would I Lie To You? **10.55** Red Dwarf. **11.25** Frayed. **12.15am** Staged. **12.40** QI. **1.10** Penn & Teller: Fool Us. **1.50** ABC News Update. **1.55** Close. **5.00** Kiddets. **5.10** Pablo. **5.25** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **2pm** Spirit Talker. **2.30** The Cook Up. **3.00** Jarjums. **3.55** Pipi Ma. **4.00** Crazy Smart Science. **4.30** Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Indian Country Today News. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** News. **6.40** Arabian Inferno. **7.30** The Point: Referendum Road Trip. **8.30** Over The Black Dot. **9.00** Occupation: Native. **10.00** MOVIE: Samson And Delilah. (2009, M) **11.45** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Cook Up Bitesize. (R) **9.05** Make Me A Dealer. (R) **9.55** Living With The Boss. (PG, R) **10.45** Off The Beaten Track With Kate Humble. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **2.00** How The Nazis Lost The War. (PGa, R) **2.55** Mastermind Aust. (R) **3.25** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **3.55** Great Continental Railway Journeys. (PGa, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) **6.30** SBS World News. **7.30** Great British Railway Journeys: Bradford To Hebden Bridge. (PGa) Presented by Michael Portillo. **8.30** Insight. Kumi Taguchi takes a look at the topic of trigger warnings and whether they do more harm than good. **9.30** Dateline. An investigation into Colombia's sex tourism trade and the foreigners who come to prey on minors. **10.00** SBS World News Late. **10.30** The Point: Referendum Road Trip. (R) **11.30** Blackport. (MIn) **12.15** Darkness: Those Who Kill. (MA15+av, R) **3.55** Italian Food Safari. (R) **4.25** Bamay. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **10.00** Shortland St. **Noon** Hustle. **1.40** Monty Python. **2.15** Extreme Food Phobics. **3.10** Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. **3.20** WorldWatch. **5.20** Counter Space. **5.50** Forged In Fire. **6.40** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Viking Quest: America. **10.10** Larapinta. **11.10** Monogamish. **12.10am** (Re)Solved. **2.00** VICE. **2.35** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Bye Bye Birdie. (1963, PG) **8.10** Dean Spanley. (2008, PG) **10.00** Night Train To Lisbon. (2013, M) **12.10pm** Yuni. (2021, M, Indonesian) **1.55** The Movie Show. **2.30** A Raisin In The Sun. (1961, PG) **4.50** Oliver! (1968, PG) **7.30** Dancing Arabs. (2014, M, Hebrew) **9.30** Mahana. (2016, M) **11.25** Agora. (2009, MA15+) **1.45am** Capernaum. (2018, M, Lebanese Arabic) **4.05** Late Programs. **5.55** Oliver! (1968, PG)

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30** Seven Morning News. **12.00** To Be Advised. **1.45** Surveillance Oz. (PG, R) **2.00** Border Security: International. (PG, R) **2.30** Border Security USA. (PG, R) **3.00** The Chase. **4.00** Seven News At 4. **5.00** The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven News. **7.00** Home And Away. (PG) **7.30** My Kitchen Rules. (PGI) Amateur cooks put their culinary skills to the test in order to prove they have what it takes. **9.15** RFDs. (MadI) A bad batch of MDMA is found to be doing the rounds at Dolly Hardon's charity drag night. **10.15** Ambulance: Code Red. (Mav) Follows the work of an ambulance service. **11.15** The Latest: Seven News. **11.45** Chicago Fire. (Ma) Truck and squad clash after a tense call. **12.45** The Arrangement. (Mas, R) **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** NBC Today. **5.00** Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise.

7MATE (74, 60) **6am** Morning Programs. **11.00** Pawn Stars. **Noon** Storage Wars: TX. **12.30** American Restoration. **1.00** Counting Cars. **2.00** Jade Fever. **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. **3.30** Full Custom Garage. **4.30** Storage Wars: TX. **5.00** American Restoration. **5.30** American Pickers. **6.30** Pawn Stars. **7.30** Outback Truckers. **8.30** Outback Farm. **9.30** Outback Truckers. **10.30** Outback Pilots. **11.30** Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) **6am** Morning Programs. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Better Homes. **1.00** Escape To The Country. **2.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** Air Crash Investigations. **3.30** Coastwatch Oz. **4.00** Medical Emergency. **4.30** Better Homes. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** The Coroner. **8.30** Inspector George Gently. **10.30** Law & Order: UK. **11.30** Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. **12.00** The Block. (PGal, R) **1.00** Missing Persons Investigation. (PGa, R) **2.00** Pointless. (PG, R) **3.00** Tipping Point. (PG) **4.00** Millionaire Hot Seat. **5.00** Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** The Block. (PGal) Hosted by Scott Cam. **8.45** Footy Classified. (M) Hosted by Craig Hutchison, Matthew Lloyd, Caroline Wilson and Kane Cornes. **9.45** Love Triangle. (MIs) The couples are taken to task. **10.45** Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. **11.15** Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) **12.05** Court Cam. (Mlv, R) **1.00** Tipping Point. (PG, R) **2.00** Australia's Top Ten Of Everything. (Mads) **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) **4.30** A Current Affair. (R) **5.00** News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (92, 81) **6am** Morning Programs. **10.00** TV Shop. **10.30** Pointless. **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **Noon** Days Of Our Lives. **12.55** The Young And The Restless. **1.50** Explore. **2.00** Dr Quinn. **3.00** Antiques Roadshow. **3.30** Explore. **3.40** MOVIE: Chase A Crooked Shadow. (1958, PG) **5.30** The Travelling Auctioneers. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** New Tricks. **8.40** The Closer. **9.40** Rizzoli & Isles. **10.40** Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** Top Chef. **1.00** Bewitched. **1.30** Raymond. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** MacGyver. **4.00** Family Ties. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Raymond. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** MOVIE: Last Vegas. (2013, M) **9.30** MOVIE: Good Boys. (2019, MA15+) **11.25** Young Sheldon. **11.55** Homeland. **12.55am** Love Island USA. **1.50** Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6.00 Freshly Picked. (R) **6.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **7.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **7.30** GCBC. (R) **8.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **8.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **9.00** Neighbours. (PGa, R) **9.30** Bold. (PGa, R) **10.00** Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Dr Phil. (PGa, R) **2.00** Shark Tank. (R) **3.00** Ent. Tonight. **3.30** Everyday Gourmet. **4.00** Bold. (PGa) **4.30** Neighbours. (PGa) **5.00** News.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30** Shark Tank. (PGa) A panel is pitched inventions and ideas, including environmentally-friendly nappies. **8.40** The Cheap Seats. (Mal) Presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. **9.40** NCIS. (Mv, R) Agent Parker steps up to protect Director Vance after he is subject to a terrifying home invasion. **10.30** NCIS: Hawai'i. (Mv, R) The team investigates a sailor's death. **11.30** The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. **12.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) **1.30** Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** CBS Mornings.

10 BOLD (12, 51) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.00** Exploring Off The Grid. **8.30** Pooches At Play. **9.00** Taste Of Australia: BBQ Special. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** JAG. **12.30pm** In The Dark. **1.30** Bull. **2.30** Jake And The Fatman. **3.30** Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** Bull. **8.30** NCIS. **9.25** FBI. **10.20** 48 Hours. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **2.15** Diagnosis Murder. **4.05** JAG.

10 PEACH (11, 52) **6am** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** Becker. **8.00** Seinfeld. **10.00** The King Of Queens. **11.00** Frasier. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** Friends. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **6.30** Neighbours. **7.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.20** Two And A Half Men. **10.10** Seinfeld. **11.10** Frasier. **Midnight** Shopping. **1.30** MOVIE: Sherlock Holmes. (2009, M) **4.05** Late Programs.

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ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Four Corners. (R) **10.45** Q+A. (R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **12.30** National Press Club Address. **1.40** Media Watch. (PG, R) **1.55** Shakespeare Uncovered. (PG, R) **3.00** Restoration Australia. (R) **3.55** Tenable. (R) **4.45** Long Lost Family. (PG, R) **5.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** **7.30**. **8.00** Hard Quiz. (PG) **8.30** Mother And Son. (Mal) Maya and Arthur grow closer. **9.00** WTFQAQ. Mitch McTaggart finds out where Summer Bay is. **9.30** Starstruck. (Mdl) Tom lets something slip to Steve and Ian. **9.55** Would I Lie To You? (R) **10.25** ABC Late News. **10.40** The Business. (R) **11.00** Death In Paradise. (Ma, R) **12.00** Annika. (Ma, R) **12.45** The Pool. (PG, R) **1.45** The Great Acceleration. (Final, PG, R) **2.40** Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) **3.40** Tenable. (R) **4.30** The Drum. (R) **5.30** **7.30**. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **6.55pm** Shaun The Sheep. **7.05** Karma's World. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Vera. **9.30** Savage River. **10.30** Killing Eve. **11.15** Noughts + Crosses. **12.10am** MOVIE: Sweet Country. (2017, MA15+) **2.00** The Romantics And Us. **3.00** ABC News Update. **3.05** Close. **5.00** Kiddets. **5.10** Pablo. **5.25** Pocoyo. **5.30** Pins And Nettie. **5.40** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **1.30pm** Vanilla: A Caribbean Tale. **2.00** Bamay. **2.30** The Cook Up. **3.00** Motown Magic. **3.25** Thalu. **3.40** Fresh Fairytales. **3.55** Pipi Ma. **4.00** Crazy Smart Science. **4.30** Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Te Ao With Moana. **6.00** Bamay. **6.40** News. (2020, M) **11.10** Arabian Inferno. **7.40** The Frontier. **8.30** Yokoyai Footy. **9.30** Lionel. **11.00** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Make Me A Dealer. (R) **9.55** Living With The Boss. (PG, R) **10.50** Off The Beaten Track With Kate Humble. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Dateline. (R) **2.30** Insight. (R) **3.30** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **4.00** Great Continental Railway Journeys. (PGs, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) **6.30** SBS World News. **7.30** Bettany Hughes: Treasures Of Turkey. (PGas) Bettany Hughes explores Turkey. **8.30** While The Men Are Away. (Premiere, MA15+) During World War II, two Women's Land Army recruits from Sydney are sent to work in the country. **9.35** Elvis' Women: Mama's Boy Vs Rock Star. (Mas) Part 1 of 3. **10.35** SBS World News Late. **11.05** Trom. (Mv) **11.50** Cargo. (MA15+v, R) **3.30** Italian Food Safari. (R) **4.00** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) **4.30** Bamay. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **10.00** Shortland St. **Noon** Return Of The Taliban. **1.05** One Armed Chef. **2.00** Monty Python. **3.10** Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. **3.20** WorldWatch. **5.20** Counter Space. **5.50** Forged In Fire: Best Of. **6.40** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Celebrity Letters And Numbers. **9.30** Finding Satoshi. **10.40** MOVIE: The Current War. (2017, M) **12.30am** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Oliver! Continued. (1968, PG) **8.35** Three Summers. (2019, PG, Portuguese) **10.25** Mahana. (2016, M) **12.20pm** Bellbird. (2019, M) **2.10** Bye Bye Birdie. (1963, PG) **4.15** Dean Spanley. (2008, PG) **6.10** Dan In Real Life. (2007, PG) **8.00** Shiva Baby. (2020, M) **9.30** Baby Done. (2020, M) **11.10** Freshman Year. (2020, M) **1.05am** My Days Of Glory. (2019, M, French) **2.55** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7, 6)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30** Seven Morning News. **12.00** To Be Advised. **1.45** Surveillance Oz. (PG, R) **2.00** Border Security: International. (PG, R) **2.30** Border Security USA. (PG, R) **3.00** The Chase. **4.00** Seven News At 4. **5.00** The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven News. **7.00** Home And Away. (PGa) **7.30** My Kitchen Rules. (PG) Hosted by Manu Feildel and Colin Fassnidge. **9.15** Talking Finals: Grand Final Special. James Brayshaw is joined by Tim Watson, Joel Selwood and Trent Cotchin to discuss the AFL Finals. **10.15** Unbelievable Moments Caught On Camera. (PGa) Footage of headline-grabbing moments. **11.15** The Latest: Seven News. (R) **11.45** Autopsy USA: Rick James. (MA15+ad, R) **12.45** The Enemy Within. (Mav, R) **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** NBC Today. **5.00** Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise.

7MATE (74, 60) **6am** Morning Programs. **10.00** American Pickers. **11.00** Pawn Stars. **Noon** Outback Truckers. **1.00** Outback Farm. **2.00** Jade Fever. **3.00** Billy The Exterminator. **3.30** Full Custom Garage. **4.30** Storage Wars: TX. **5.00** American Restoration. **5.30** American Pickers. **6.30** Pawn Stars. **7.30** Highway Patrol. **8.30** The Force: Behind The Line. **9.30** Mt Hutt Rescue. **10.30** Surveillance Oz. **11.00** Late Programs.

7TWO (72, 62) **6am** Shopping. **6.30** Escape To The Country. **7.30** Coastwatch Oz. **8.00** Million Dollar Minute. **9.00** Harry's Practice. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Better Homes. **1.00** Escape To The Country. **2.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** The Bowls Show. **3.30** Coastwatch Oz. **4.00** Medical Emergency. **4.30** Better Homes. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Heartbeat. **8.45** Lewis. **10.45** Late Programs.

NINE (9, 8)

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. **12.00** The Block. (PGal, R) **1.00** To Be Advised. **2.00** Pointless. (PG, R) **3.00** Tipping Point. (PG) **4.00** Millionaire Hot Seat. **5.00** Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** The Block. (PGal) Hosted by Scott Cam. **8.30** Footy Classified. (M) Hosted by Eddie McGuire, Matthew Lloyd, Jimmy Bartel and Damian Barrett. **9.30** Luxe Listings Sydney. (MI) D'Leanne Lewis puts her intern to the test. **10.40** Nine News Late. **11.10** The Equalizer. (Mav) **12.00** The Gulf. (Madlsv, R) **1.00** Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R) **2.00** Getaway. (PG, R) **2.30** Global Shop. (R) **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) **4.30** A Current Affair. (R) **5.00** News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (92, 81) **6am** Gideon's Way. **7.00** Creflo. **7.30** Skippy. **8.00** TV Shop. **10.30** Pointless. **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **Noon** Days Of Our Lives. **12.55** The Young And The Restless. **1.50** Explore. **2.00** Dr Quinn. **3.00** Antiques Roadshow. **3.30** MOVIE: Confession. (1955, PG) **5.30** The Travelling Auctioneers. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** As Time Goes By. **8.40** Midsomer Murders. **10.50** Late Programs.

9GO! (93, 82) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** Top Chef. **1.00** Bewitched. **1.30** Raymond. **2.30** Full House. **3.00** MacGyver. **4.00** Family Ties. **4.30** The Addams Family. **5.00** Bewitched. **5.30** I Dream Of Jeannie. **6.00** Raymond. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** MOVIE: Tower Heist. (2011, M) **9.35** MOVIE: The House. (2017, MA15+) **11.20** Young Sheldon. **11.50** Homeland. **1am** Love Island USA. **2.00** I Dream Of Jeannie. **2.30** Late Programs.

TEN (10, 5)

6.00 Freshly Picked. (R) **6.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **7.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **7.30** GCBC. (R) **8.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **8.30** Ent. Tonight. (R) **9.00** Neighbours. (PGa, R) **9.30** Bold. (PGa, R) **10.00** Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** 10 News First: Midday. **1.00** Dr Phil. (PGa, R) **2.00** Shark Tank. (PGa, R) **3.00** Ent. Tonight. **3.30** Everyday Gourmet. **4.00** Bold. (PGa) **4.30** Neighbours. (PGa) **5.00** News.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30** Thank God You're Here. (Final, MdIs) Hosted by Celia Pacquola. **8.30** Inspired Unemployed (Impractical) Jokers. (Ma) Four Aussie mates set out to embarrass each other in a public setting by trying their hand at dentistry. **9.30** Five Bedrooms. (Final, MIs) The day of the wedding arrives and Ben is determined to be there for his best mate Simmo and Heather. **10.30** So Help Me Todd. (PGav) **11.30** The Project. (R) **12.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) **1.30** Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** CBS Mornings.

10 BOLD (12, 51) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.00** Exploring Off The Grid. **8.30** Pooches At Play. **9.00** Taste Of Australia: BBQ Special. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** JAG. **12.30pm** In The Dark. **1.30** Bull. **2.30** Jake And The Fatman. **3.30** Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** Bull. **8.30** NCIS. **9.25** FBI. **10.20** 48 Hours. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **2.15** Diagnosis Murder. **4.05** JAG.

10 PEACH (11, 52) **6am** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** Becker. **8.00** Seinfeld. **9.00** Friends. **10.00** The King Of Queens. **11.00** Frasier. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** The Big Bang Theory. **2.00** Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **6.30** Neighbours. **7.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.20** Two And A Half Men. **10.10** Seinfeld. **11.10** Late Programs.

GIANT CROSSWORD

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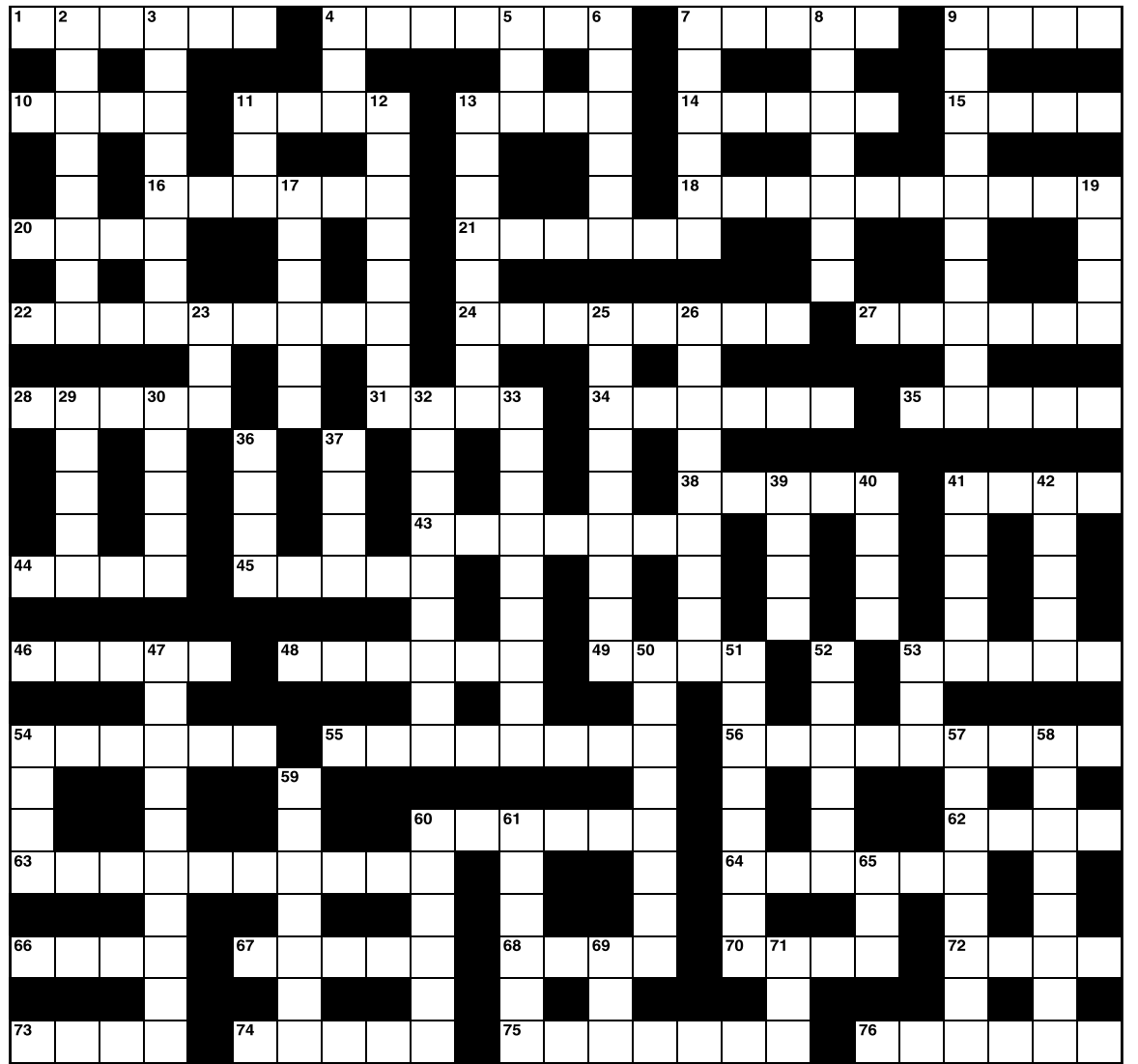
ACROSS

- 1 Journey (6)
- 4 Collapse (7)
- 7 Blanket (5)
- 9 Humming sound (4)
- 10 Male deer (4)
- 11 Kick (4)
- 13 Army dining hall (4)
- 14 Trunk (5)
- 15 Wine variety (4)
- 16 Small port for the mooring of leisure boats (6)
- 18 Study of surface features (10)
- 20 Six-sided shape with all opposite sides equal and parallel (4)
- 21 Cotton fabric, printed with colours on a white background (6)
- 22 Chemical used to kill pests (9)
- 24 Plain style of printer's typeface (3,5)
- 27 Ill-starred (6)
- 28 Sun-dried brick (5)
- 31 -, cos, tan (4)
- 34 Puzzle (6)
- 35 Crank (5)
- 38 Cold dish (5)
- 41 Large aquatic bird (4)
- 43 Pharmacist (7)
- 44 Bag (4)
- 45 Wetland (5)
- 46 Mushrooms (5)
- 48 Breathe out (6)
- 49 Identical (4)
- 53 Strong pong (5)
- 54 Giant statue found in Giza (6)
- 55 Delight (8)
- 56 Crash (9)
- 60 Three-legged stand (6)
- 62 Sport (4)
- 63 Appearance of print (10)

- 64 Simple drawing (6)
- 66 Travel slowly (4)
- 67 Infectious disease (5)
- 68 Land measurement (4)
- 70 Sunrise (4)
- 72 Flower (4)
- 73 Citrus fruit (4)
- 74 Stoneworker (5)
- 75 Vanished, leaving no living representative (7)
- 76 Get smaller (6)

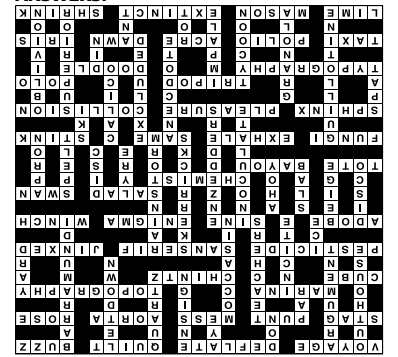
DOWN

- 2 Toilet (8)
- 3 An exchange of divergent or opposite views (8)
- 4 Put on (a hat, say) (3)
- 5 Supporting vote (3)
- 6 Flag or standard (6)
- 7 Common crystalline mineral (6)
- 8 Disappointment (3-4)
- 9 Asian sea bass (10)
- 11 Equality (3)
- 12 People trained to impart knowledge (8)
- 13 Soft shoe (8)
- 17 Push (6)
- 19 Measure of length (imp) (4)
- 23 Frozen water (3)
- 25 Bits (9)
- 26 Cloudburst (9)
- 29 1970s dance genre (5)
- 30 Pale brown (5)
- 32 Vaccinate (9)
- 33 Kiwis (coll) (9)
- 36 Box of beer (4)
- 37 Sailor's greeting (4)
- 39 Old stringed instrument (4)
- 40 The D in CD (4)
- 41 Type of wheat (5)
- 42 Protective garment tied around the waist (5)



- 47 Execution device (10)
- 50 A short amusing or interesting story (8)
- 51 Blacklisted (8)
- 52 Cotton cloth (6)
- 53 Winter or aquatic sporting footwear (3)
- 54 Tiff (4)
- 57 Best (8)
- 58 Forgetfulness (8)
- 59 A breakfast food (7)
- 60 Mogul (6)
- 61 Skewer (6)
- 65 Clangor (3)
- 69 Off (3)
- 71 Small insect (3)

ANSWERS:

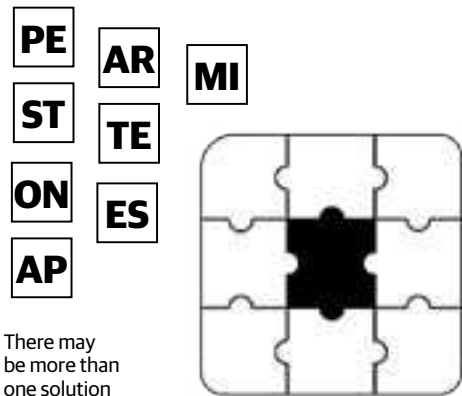


EDGEWORD

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pm ORIGINAL PUZZLE

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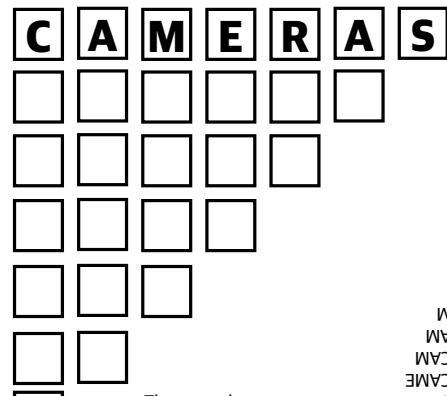
There may be more than one solution

ANSWERS: APTEST, APPEAR, STONES, ARMIES

DROP DOWN

No. 111

Starting with the seven-letter word, drop a letter and form a six-letter word. Continue in this manner until you reach the single letter at the bottom. You can rearrange the letters in each step, if necessary.



There may be more than one possible answer.

ANSWERS: M, AM, CAM, CAME, CREAM, CAMERA, CAMERAS

HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW...

Kate Jenkinson

1. Who does Jenkinson play in *Wentworth*?

- A. Joan Ferguson
- B. Allie Novak
- C. Franky Doyle
- D. Vera Bennett

2. In which show did she star alongside Asher Keddie?

- A. *Offspring*
- B. *Love My Way*
- C. *Stateless*
- D. *The Cry*

3. What occupation does Jenkinson play in Nine's drama series *Amazing Grace*?

- A. Police officer
- B. Midwife
- C. Teacher
- D. Nun

4. Which fellow *Wentworth* actress plays her mother in the show?

- A. Pamela Rabe
- B. Susie Porter
- C. Celia Ireland
- D. Sigrid Thornton

5. In which series did Jenkinson appear alongside good friend Rebel Wilson?

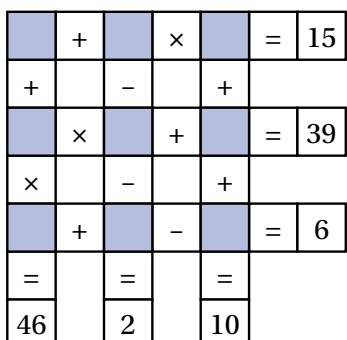
- A. *House Husbands*
- B. *Doctor Doctor*
- C. *Super Fun Night*
- D. *Tangle*



ANSWERS: 1B, 2A, 3B, 4D, 5C

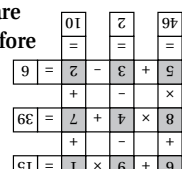
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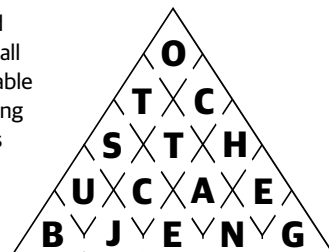
Multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction.



WORD TRIANGLE

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The starting letter could be in any segment, and all subsequent letters are able to be connected following a path through the gaps in the walls. You may only enter each of the segments once, and all letters must be used.

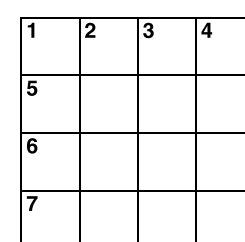


HINT: The answer is a phrase.

ANSWERS: SUBJECT TO CHANGE

4x4

No. 111



ACROSS

- 1 Spouse (4)
- 5 Woe (4)
- 6 Goddess in Egyptian mythology (4)
- 7 Burrowing animal (4)

DOWN

- 1 Disable (4)
- 2 Too (4)
- 3 Animal appendage (4)
- 4 Actual existence (4)

ANSWERS: 1. Mate, 5. Alas, 6. Sits, 7. Mole, 3. Tail, 4. Esse, 2. Also, 1. Maim



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12.00 for 12.30

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RSVP by 1st October by email to penolalions@yahoo.com or by phone to Mike Matuschka 0439 468 813 or Bruce Robertson 0409 671 447

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Public Notices and Event

Health
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Penola and Districts Health Advisory Council

Notice of AGM and Call for Nominations

Nominations are hereby called to fill 4 positions on the Penola & Districts Health Advisory Council at the Annual General Meeting.

Nominations must be in writing, signed by two residents of the Community and the nominee, who must also be a resident of the Community.

The AGM will be held on Tuesday 3rd October 2023 at 5pm at the Penola Bowling Club, 28 Queen Street, Penola. If more than the required number of nominees applies, voting will be undertaken at the AGM.

Nomination forms are available from the Penola War Memorial Hospital Administration (8737 2311) and must be received by the Returning Officer up till 5:00pm on Friday 29th September 2023.

Returning Officer
Limestone Coast Local Health Network
18 Church Street, Penola SA 5277

The term "community member" refers to person who lives in the Penola area or who lives outside the council area but uses, or may use services provided by, or associated with the Penola War Memorial Hospital.

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Announcements

Deaths

COPPING
Noel George
Passed away on Friday 08.09.2023
Aged 74
Proud Father and Father-in-law of Charmaine and Clay Leon and Tammie Leona and Rob. Adored PA of Jacinda, Jake, Ben Cheyana, Akazia, Ashlin, Kaiden, Quinn, Alec. Great Pa of Sophie, Riley and Oakley. Loved Brother, Uncle and Mate.

So dearly loved
So dearly missed

Rest in Peace

SZWEDZINSKI, Zenon Richard (Squid)
1.4.1953 - 11.9.2023
Aged 70 years young.

Loving father of Louis.
Loved brother and brother-in-law of Krystyna and Jurgen, and Teresa.
Lifelong friend of Andrea.
Richard will be remembered and missed by his family and friends in Australia and overseas.

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Tigers steal prelim thunder

A GRADE - TANTANOOLA 45 d GLENCOE 35

There will be no premiership defence in the Mid South East Netball Association 2023 season after the reigning premiers Glencoe succumbed to Tantanoola in the preliminary final on Saturday at Robe.

Tantanoola earned a chance to contest the grand final with an impressive hard-fought win over the Murphies.

The Tigers started with the first centre pass to open up the first score of the preliminary final in perfect conditions for netball at Robe.

Early in the first quarter scoring went with the centre passes, with Emma Gould providing a strong focal point in goals for the Tigers.

Tantanoola's goalies were under a lot of pressure from Sarah Edwards and Chelsea Owen, but their feeders were patient, protecting the passes in.

In Glencoe's goal circle Tayla Rowe and Chantelle Cocks were having a great tussle. Tantanoola's height in the circle was providing challenges for Edwards and Owen, while Rowe was getting her hands on anything loose in the Murphies attack line.

At the first break Tantanoola held a five-goal lead.

The Tigers scored the first goal of the second quarter and their defensive pressure all over the court was making the Murphies work hard for every pass.

Glencoe settled, but Tantanoola stayed focused.

Jenna Paproth worked hard at goal attack and her finals experience was evident in her composure.

At centre for the Tigers Kate Varcoe continued to work strongly through the mid-court despite the pressure of Donna Jaeschke.

Keryl Ousey's long-range shot caused problems for Glencoe, with rebounds at a minimum. The Tigers stretched the margin and went into half time with a seven-goal lead.

Glencoe opened up with the first goal of the third quarter through Cocks.

Some of the intensity felt like it had gone



TOUGH CUSTOMER: Tayla Rowe made her presence felt at the defensive end of the court as Tantanoola claimed the win over Glencoe.

out of the game and the goals were going on centre passes with no change to the lead at the five-minute mark of the quarter.

Glencoe started to get their hands on any balls that were not on target from Ousey and Gould, but both settled and showed strength under the post to help Tantanoola out to an eight-goal buffer going in to the last.

The Tigers continued to show patience and extended their lead to nine early in the quarter with Ousey and Gould combining well with strong feeding from Varcoe and Jami Walker.

At the other end Paproth and Cocks kept working hard, but struggled against the height and reach of Rowe who was fantastic in the last line of defence for the Tigers.

Tantanoola booked their spot in the grand final with a hard-fought win by 10.

Best players for Tantanoola were Ousey and Rowe, with Cocks and Owen best for Glencoe.



ON TARGET: Tantanoola's Emma Gould proved a tough prospect for Glencoe in the Mid South East netball preliminary final on Saturday. Pictures: FILE

Warm conditions make for tough day on the courts

A RESERVE - KALANGADOO 44 d PORT MACDONNELL 29

A hot Mid South East netball A Reserve preliminary final at Robe made for an intense first quarter between Kalangadoo and Port MacDonnell.

Kalangadoo's mid-court came out strongly and made Port MacDonnell pay for some simple mistakes.

Nicola Collins worked consistently to put pressure on Kalangadoo's goal circle, but Gina Gogel shot accurately and was a great target for the mid-court.

Kalangadoo came away with a three-goal lead at quarter time.

The second term was met with similar gusto by Kalangadoo and while Cody Manning remained patient, Magpies Georgia Duncan and Reanna Weatherall applied strong defensive pressure to keep Kirby Carrison scoreless for the quarter.

The third term saw some changes for both teams, with Carrison switching to goal keeper on Melissa Russell and the Demons bringing on their junior talent Sophie Lewis in centre, along with Lara Wilson at goal shooter.

Both proved their dominance with multiple successful plays.

The Demons kept the pressure on, but the patient feeding and driving from both Georgia Gentile and Lucy Williams made it difficult to shift the momentum.

Shanae Neale was able to impact at wing defence with fresh legs and came out firing. Kalangadoo led at the third break by 15 goals.

The fourth quarter saw the Mabpies prove why they deserve their spot in the grand final, as they held the lead and claimed a strong victory.

Best players for Kalangadoo were Gentile and Williams, with Manning and Collins best for Port MacDonnell.

B GRADE - ROBE 59 d GLENCOE 33

It was always going to be a tough match between Robe and Glencoe in the B Grade preliminary final.

An injury early in the game to Glencoe's Hayley Dunsford forced the Murphies into positional changes, with Alyce Finnis moving to centre and Lauren Kenny entering the game at wing attack.

Robe's goalies Ella Mackey and Libby Yeo shot strongly in the first half to set up a 13-goal lead at the main break.

Glencoe made many positional changes to try and limit the Roosters opportunities.

Taylor Martin came into the centre at half time and had an impact on the game.

Despite inaccuracy in the ring, Robe extended its lead in the third quarter by another 13 goals.

At goal keeper for the Murphies, Kayla McInnes battled hard all day, as did Finnis at centre.

Glencoe won the last quarter by a goal, but the damage was done in the first three terms.

Best players for Robe were Mackey and Martin, with Finnis and McInnes best for Glencoe.

B RESERVE - MOUNT BURR 33 d KALANGADOO 30

It was down to the wire in the b reserve preliminary final, as Mount Burr prevailed by a small margin.

Kalangadoo started the game strong, with goal attack Jodi Greenwood the main scorer in the first quarter.

In the second term Mount Burr applied pressure all over the court, especially in defence, with Mozzies goal shooter Sophie Jankowski finishing of well.

However, Kalangadoo defenders Brianna Devine and Gemma Box stepped up for their team, making their opposition work hard for every ball.

Both teams made changes at half time, which favoured the Mozzies as they outscored the Magpies in the third quarter.

Mount Burr goal keeper Dawn Smith with her strong defence restricted Kalangadoo goalies shooting opportunities.

At the end of the third term the game was even, setting up for an exciting last quarter.

Both teams went goal-for-goal at the start of the fourth term, with plenty of pressure all over the court.

However, Mount Burr goalies finished of stronger and came away with win by just three goals.

Best players for Mount Burr were Smith and Jankowski, with Box and Devine best for Kalangadoo.

17 and Under - Tantanoola 55 d Port MacDonnell 46

An intense start to the top junior contest saw Tantanoola with the first points of the game on the board.

Some nervous errors by the Port MacDonnell girls saw Tantanoola push ahead early, making the Demons defence work overtime.

Accurate shooting by Bella Poulis left little rebounding opportunities, but Stevie Collins capitalised on the opportunities she created.

Both sides started to tire in the second half, with the warm weather taxing.

Lilly Day worked hard in the goal circle for Port MacDonnell, but Molly Cushion made her earn every goal.

With a close last quarter, the Tantanoola girls managed to finish in front despite a last-minute run by the Demons.

Best players for Tantanoola were Poulis and Demi Bevan, with Sophie Lewis and Ruby Moody best for Port MacDonnell.

15 AND UNDER - HATHERLEIGH 39 d PORT MACDONNELL 30

Warm conditions at Robe made for a tough day for the 15 and Under girls, in what was

an entertaining game.

There was little in the contest in the first half, before Hatherleigh found something extra after the main break to build a 10-goal advantage over Port MacDonnell.

The defensive pressure all over the court from both teams was impressive, with lots of hands and intercepts.

All in all, both teams put on a fight and showed they were worthy competitors for that grand final spot.

In the end Hatherleigh came away with a 9\9-nine-goal win, advancing to the grand final against Kalangadoo.

Best players for Hatherleigh were Kalli Nettle and Poppy Fitzgerald, with Bailee Lewis and Bree Ridding best for Port MacDonnell.

13 AND UNDER - GLENCOE 36 d HATHERLEIGH 32

Glencoe and Hatherleigh had a hard-fought contest for the whole four quarters in the 13 and Under preliminary final.

An even start to the first quarter saw both teams get many turnovers.

Glencoe's Ella Stewart shot accurately and was a strong focal point in the goal circle.

She was able to convert first with Glencoe leading by three goals at the first break.

Hatherleigh's Alirah Bowman and Glencoe's Layla Hawke had a strong contest throughout the mid-court, both feeding well to their respective goalies.

After the half time break, Hatherleigh's goalies Sienna Clark and Livvi Faulkner came out strong, moving well to provide options for each other.

Hatherleigh defenders Luca Hamilton and Tilly Prouse continued to apply pressure in the goal circle resulting in multiple turnovers.

Eagles redemption nears

By Trevor Jackson

**A GRADE – HATHERLEIGH 14.14 (98) d
PORT MACDONNELL 2.9 (21)**

IT was a one-sided affair in the Mid South East football preliminary final on Saturday, as Hatherleigh easily accounted for Port MacDonnell to book a grand final berth.

The Eagles were relentless all day, saving their best football of the season so far for the big stage.

They will now have the chance to atone for last year's performance in the grand final against Kalangadoo, with another shot at the Magpies in the season decider this weekend.

In the preliminary final the Eagles were off to a strong start, with five goals and one behind in the opening term, while holding the Demons to a solitary point.

That put the writing on the wall and from there the Demons were simply not in the running.

Hatherleigh stretched the margin from 30 points at the first break to 45 at half time, with Port MacDonnell already in real trouble at that stage.

It would take a Herculean effort for the Demons to stage a come-back and it was not to be.

While the Eagles only added two major scores in the third term, they also contributed six behinds, while the Demons could only add one goal and a pair of minor scores to trail by 55 at the final break.

From there it was all academic, as the Eagles simply went about their duty and finished the game with four final-quarter goals.

Up forward, Brad Mitchell was in good form for the Eagles, with five goals to keep the Demons defenders busy.

Jack Skeer kicked three goals, while Tom Hutchesson popped up with a pair of majors.

The cream rose to the top for the Eagles, with Michael Telford, Jed Telfer, Will Chay, Lyndon Smith and Mitchell named in the best.

Port MacDonnell was best served by Will Macdonald, Wade Chant, Ethan Gladman, Joshua Woodall, Ben O'Dine and Jake Turner.

The only down side for Hatherleigh was an injury to coach Gerard McGrath, which he will assess as the week unfolds.

As for the game, McGrath said he was surprised by the final margin, but not the style of football the Eagles played.

"I was very happy we continued our good form from the previous week," he said.

"What we have been bringing the last couple of weeks has been consistent and promising."

While the Eagles' back six were prominent in the victory, McGrath said the mid-field



TOP PERFORMANCE: Michael Telford played another impressive game for Hatherleigh, voted best player in the Mid South East football preliminary final. Pictures: FILE

made all the difference.

"Our back six was really solid again, but it all started with the mid-field," he said.

"Finals are won and lost in the middle and we definitely won the mid-field battle and probably the ruck battle all day.

"Jed Telfer, he come runner-up in the league medal, he had a ripping year and a ripping day,

"Michael Telford and Will Chay were very good in the middle and with Darcy Bateman back from overseas, he really rucked well for us and set the tone early."

While there was a slight breeze blowing across the ground and favouring one end, it

made little difference to the Eagles.

McGrath said he was pleased his players scored at both ends and held the Demons down all day.

Mitchell's effort in front of goal was also noted by the coach, along with Tom Hutchesson.

"He has played up the ground a lot more for us this year and it was probably his best game for the year," McGrath said.

"He is really strong in his hands and it was good to see him finish with five goals.

"Tom is rotating up forward and on ball.

"He is so dangerous when he is up forward, but when he is on ball he is so damaging as well.



UNFORTUNATE: Hatherleigh coach Gerard McGrath may have to call the shots from the sidelines in this weekend's Mid South East football grand final due to injury.

"I would like two of him, but we are happy with the one."

The major focus for the preliminary final was to maintain the momentum the Eagles have built up in recent games, which appeared to be the case.

"We talked about momentum in games, whether it is with us to keep it rolling or the opposition to shut it down," McGrath said.

"It was really pleasing to finish well yesterday.

"It is really pleasing everyone has been playing goo footy.

"No one has had a bad game the last couple of weeks."

Second-half blast reaps big rewards for Robe

By Trevor Jackson

**UNDER 17.5 – ROBE 9.8 (62) d
TANTANOOLA 6.6 (42)**

ROBE'S Under 17.5 boys comfortably accounted for Tantanoola in the Mid South East football preliminary final on Saturday to book a ticket to the big dance this weekend.

In a sea-sawing contest, the Roosters held a seven-point advantage in the opening term, but were overrun by a determined Tigers outfit in the second.

By that stage the Tigers had kicked five straight goals to make good use of their time in possession, while the Roosters had only three majors from seven attempts.

However, that changed in the third term

as the Roosters again found their feet and slammed on five majors to regain the lead by a healthy 23-point margin.

Once again the Tigers were on top in the final stanza, but not to the same extent, as they outscored the Roosters by just three points to go down to the persistent Robe.

Daniel Nunan kicked four goals for the victors, while Blake Wyllie added two.

For Tantanoola, Ellis Cushion kicked three.

Max Robertson, Flynn Peel, Jimmy Murch, Cooper Thomas and Kaiden Carter were named best for Robe, while Cade Kelly, Ellis Cushion and Eli Bowman were best for the Tigers.

Robe now faces Port MacDonnell in the grand final this weekend.

Roosters plucked in prelim

By Trevor Jackson

**RESERVES – HATHERLEIGH 9.10 (64) d
ROBE 7.7 (49)**

THE home-ground advantage was not enough for Robe's Reserves footballers, as they went down to Hatherleigh to tune the tune of 15 points on Saturday.

The Mid South East football preliminary final meant it was all on the line and the Eagles built up an early lead, then remained in front all day.

A five-point first-quarter lead set Hatherleigh on its way, which built to 11 points by the main break.

The Roosters still had plenty in the tank and worked hard in the third term to close

the margin down.

They achieved that goal, but only by one point, leaving plenty to do in the final stanza.

As it panned out Hatherleigh would not be denied and pushed hard to further extend the lead and run out 15-point victors.

Jack Altschwager topped the goal-kicking list with three majors for the victors, while for Robe, Ethan Cornish and Lachlan Hentchke kicked two each.

Jett Faulkner, Jacob Lang, Jason Faulkner, Altschwager and Jack Marino were named best for Hatherleigh, while Jed Regnier, Bram Whittlesea, Glynn Brooks, Nick Hurst, Cornish and Dougal Day were best for Robe.

Hatherleigh will now face Kalangadoo in the grand final this weekend.

Demons emphatic victors

By Trevor Jackson

**UNDER 14 MIXED – PORT MACDONNELL
5.8 (38) d HATHERLEIGH 0.3 (3)**

PORT MacDonnell made short work of its Mid South East football preliminary final against Hatherleigh, with a 35-point victory and a grand final berth.

A close first term saw the Demons up by five points, but both side had managed one scoring shot each.

Port MacDonnell lifted the intensity in the second term to add three more major scores and the same number of minors, while holding the Eagles scoreless.

The trend continued in the second half, as the Eagles added just two more behinds, with the Demons enjoying the major possession to run out easy victors.

Harry Carroll kicked two goals for the victors.

Carroll, Kane Gilbert, Harrison Kenion, Cayden Byrne, Zane Lewis and Patrick Clarke were named best for Port MacDonnell, while William Dower, Riley Haines, Reef Chambers, Ned Fitzgerald and Patrick McGrath were best for Hatherleigh.

The Demons will now face Glencoe in the season decider.

It was all down to the wire

By James Murphy

RESERVES – MILLICENT 7.10 (52) d WEST GAMBIER 8.3 (51)

IT was a case of déjà vu when Millicent fought out a thrilling grand final victory over West Gambier in the Western Border Reserves football.

At the final siren a solitary point decided the win, after four quarters of high-intensity football.

It was almost an identical score to their second semi-final meeting, where the Saints progressed straight into the decider with a 54-53 point triumph.

The Roos took the long way around, but booked a rematch on the big stage and they came to play.

They were first out of the gates and two opening quarter goals set up a 12-point lead at the break.

Millicent returned fire in the second term and generated eight scoring shots to West's one.

However, with some wayward kicking only two shots hit their mark and as a result scores were locked at 19-all heading into the main break.

With a piece of history on the line, both teams came out strong in the third quarter.

The Saints kicked two straight goals, while the Roos added 3.2 for the term.

At the final change West held an eight-point lead.

Not to be outdone, Millicent hit back once again and in a thrilling conclusion to the year it all came down to one point.

With two goals each, the Saints added a third to tie up the game with time against both teams.

It was then some drama unfolded with a bomb from Millicent putting the ball into the forward line, falling just short of the line.

West got its hands to the ball, but a second ball which had found its way onto the ground interfered and the distraction gave enough time for the Saints to tackle the game ball across the line for the winning point.

The siren sounded straight after and Millicent was crowned champions, redeeming itself from last year's runner-up finish.

Young-gun Harry Willis was Millicent's best on the day as he stepped up on the big stage.

However, such was the closeness of the two teams, West Gambier's Jordy Coombe received



NOTHING IN IT: Millicent's Reserves claimed premiership glory by a single point on Saturday.

Pictures: FRANK MONGER

the best-on-ground medal, as judged by the umpires.

The Saints also looked to Clay Reilly and Angus Watts, along with recently crowned league best and fairest Nathaniel Robbins and Ty Lang who rounded out the best players.

Brad Tilley and Jacob Todd both snagged two goals each, while Robbins, Willis and Mathew Withers also found the big sticks.

West's Josh Schapel top scored with three goals and Luke Winterfield had two.

Nathan Lewis and Taylor Redden chipped in with a goal each as well, with the latter second best for the Roos.

Daniel Royals was another who impressed, as did Mitch Kipping, Will Crook and Callum Wagstaffe.

However, in the end West's best efforts were not quite enough to push it over the line, with Millicent dominating the senior grades for 2023.



SAINTS' BEST: Millicent's Harry Willis in action during a best-on-ground grand final performance for the Saints.

Western Border netball grand final results

WESTERN BORDER NETBALL ASSOCIATION GRAND FINAL RESULTS

■ A GRADE: Millicent 59 (T. Sanderson, L. Duldig) d West Gambier 47 (S. Ritter, A. Cram); BEST ON COURT: Demi Verbena (Millicent).

■ A RESERVE: Millicent 54 (J. Sunderland, A. Craig) d West Gambier 38 (A. Bosco, T. Earl); BEST ON COURT: Jackie Sunderland (Millicent).

■ B GRADE: Millicent 46 (M. Fleming, N. Domaschenz) d Casterton Sandford 21 (C. Hulm, A. Balzan); BEST ON COURT: Michelle Fleming (Millicent).

■ C GRADE: East Gambier 46 (B. Jean, G. Ferguson) d South Gambier 45 (B. Winterfield, A. Clayton) – in overtime; BEST ON COURT: Brooklyn Jean (East Gambier).

■ 17 and UNDER: Millicent 53 (E. Easterby, P. Venn) d North Gambier 48 (S. Mobbs, M.

Griffith); BEST ON COURT: Edie Easterby (Millicent).

■ 15 and UNDER A: Millicent 34 (M. Lynch, P. Paul) d North Gambier 33 (M. Human, R. Mitchell); BEST ON COURT: Bell Coghlan (Millicent).

■ 15 and UNDER B: North Gambier 26 (M. Griffith, R. Darimaani) d Casterton Sandford 18 (J. Hibberd, A. Gysbers); BEST ON COURT: Mia Griffith (North Gambier).

■ 13 and UNDER A: Millicent 33 (A. Galambos, O. Thorne) d North Gambier 21 (M. Harrold, J. Baron); BEST ON COURT: Lucy Crowe (Millicent).

■ 13 and UNDER B: Casterton Sandford 30 (M. Robbins, A. Murphy) d Millicent 15 (P. Johnson, A. Galambos); BEST ON COURT: Marlee Robbins (Casterton Sandford).

Demons cruise to victory

By James Murphy

UNDER 16 – SOUTH GAMBIER 7.9 (51) d MILLICENT 0.1 (1)

IT was always going to be tough against an undefeated South Gambier and unfortunately for Millicent's Under 16's, a one-sided battle unfolded.

The Saints scored one behind in the opening quarter and that was their first and last impact on the scoreboard.

Meanwhile, the Demons cruised to victory to cap off a flawless year with a 50-point grand final win.

At the first break the margin was just 12 points, but by half time it had blown out to a 30-point game.

Another goal and three behinds in the third term had it out to 39 points, before a similar return in the last had South breach the half

century for a 50-point win.

Jordan Bartlett was the best of the bunch and he received the MVP medal for best on ground.

Isaak Bouchier was also impressive, with Mason Bentley and Brody Fox featured highly as well.

Charlie Lockwood and Lewis Sigley rounded out the best players in another trademark performance from the young Demons.

Goals were shared around and league leading goal scorer Jace Maxwell was the only player to kick multiple.

His two goals were complemented by five single goal kickers, which left Millicent defenders guessing all day.

The win had a sense of redemption about it, after the Saints defeated South in the 2022 decider.

WESTERN BORDER FOOTBALL LEAGUE FINALS

A Grade					Under 18S						
MILLICENT	1.2	2.4	4.7	5.10	(40)	SOUTH GAMBIER	3.3	4.4	7.6	9.10	(64)
NORTH GAMBIER	2.0	2.1	3.3	4.3	(27)	NORTH GAMBIER	0.0	0.1	2.2	2.4	(16)
GOALS: Millicent: J Verbena F Bradley S Willis K Gibson H Tunkin. North Gambier: S Stafford N brown M Baron BEST: Millicent: H Tunkin J Werchon C Williams F Grimes J Verbena T Renzi. North Gambier: N McInerney B Shepherdson M Baron J Hollitt H Telford C Ortlepp											
Reserves					Under 16S						
MILLICENT	0.1	2.7	4.7	7.10	(52)	SOUTH GAMBIER	2.1	5.1	6.4	7.9	(51)
WEST GAMBIER	2.1	3.1	6.3	8.3	(51)	MILLICENT	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	(1)
GOALS: Millicent: B Tilley 2 J Todd 2 N Robbins M Withers H Willis. West Gambier: J Schapel 3 L Winterfield 2 T Redden N Lewis BEST: Millicent: H Willis C Reilly A Watts N Robbins T Lang. West Gambier: J Coombe T Redden D Royals M Kipping W Crook C Wagstaffe											
GOALS: South Gambier: L Delaney 3 H Fisher 2 H Wright L Ray N Adams M Harrold. North Gambier Tigers: C Turner J Collins BEST: South Gambier: R Jones. North Gambier Tigers: D Bryan Z Nulty M Goldsmiths K Allen C Turner T Hamilton											
GOALS: South Gambier: J Maxwell 2 N Maxwell J Bartlett M Bentley H Ellis D Kinyamba. Millicent: Details N/A. BEST: South Gambier: J Bartlett I Bouchier M Bentley B Fox C Lockwood L Sigley. Millicent: C Damhuis A Lindner J Werchon D Sigston T Lawlor H Thwaites											



A RESERVE: Millicent A Reserve premiers Nikiesha Facey (back left), Abby Denton, Rylee Kenny, Edie Easterby, Donna Denton, Poppy Venn, Keeley Stuart (front left), Alice Pratt, Alana Craig and Jackie Sunderland.
Pictures: SOPHIE CONLON



TOP EFFORT: A Reserve best on court Jackie Sunderland.



B GRADE PREMIERS: Millicent B Grade premiers, team manager Kristy Ryan (back left), captain Veronika Duncan, coach Michelle Fleming, Amy-Lee Byren, Kate Pattern, Josie Lang, Nicole Domaschnz, team manager Ange Sinel, Jordyn Louino, Kalli Brown (front left), Maya Tarrant and Krystal Coghlan.
Pictures: SOPHIE CONLON

Saints prove too strong for Roos

A RESERVE – MILLICENT 54 d WEST GAMBIER 38

West Gambier was off to a flyer in the A Reserve preliminary final to blow North Gambier out of the water.

The Roos knew they needed a similar strong start to challenge the Saints but it just did not happen.

It was only a six-goal buffer for Millicent at the first change but by half time it was 12 and it was a long way back for West against an experienced and talented Saints line-up.

In the end, it was all about weight of supply. Millicent enjoyed 78 scoring opportunities

and West had 69.

With the Saints converting more accurately, that told the story.

Experience campaigner Donna Denton was always going to be the focal point of the Millicent attack line and that is how things panned out – the star shooter netting 44 of the Saints' 54 goals.

The hard running of Jackie Sunderland, who was adjudged best on court in the title decider, and composed delivery from Alana Craig ensured Denton had great supply.

Despite the strong efforts of West defenders Racheal Langford and Maddie Milich, the

scoreboard just kept ticking over.

For the Roos, Chelsea Tremelling was her usual busy self, running down loose balls and using her speed in transition, while Anna Bosco's battle with Sunderland was one of the highlights of the match.

Tahlia Earl was the strong target she has been all season and she finished accurately to try and give her team bang for their buck, while Gracie Peterson worked hard as she looked to impact the contest.

In the end the 12-goal half-time lead blew out to 15 by three-quarter time and it was just too much to reel in, with Millicent securing the premiership with a 16-goal victory.

Arm wrestle match sees Millicent on top

17 AND UNDER – MILLICENT 53 d NORTH GAMBIER 48

North Gambier entered the 17 and Under title decider on the back of a dominant second semi final victory.

However, with the Saints missing key personnel Edie Easterby and Poppy Venn, the Tigers knew the weekend's clash would be a much tougher assignment.

The first three quarters were an arm wrestle as both sides applied relentless defensive pressure.

North led by three at quarter time, it was tied up at half time and it remained locked away at the final change.

As they had all game, the Saints swung the changes at that final break and it proved match winning.

Abby Denton, who had been the dominant Saint goaler all game, moved to goal shooter, teaming with the speed of Venn, who moved from centre into goal attack.

Best-on-court Edie Easterby moved from goal defence, where she had been a key factor in Millicent creating turnover ball, into the centre, where her height and strength in the air proved irresistible.

Lauren Van Eeden returned to the court at goal defence and Lillie Paul was also recalled to wing attack.

It proved a winning combination.

Denton had her most productive quarter, netting 14 from 18 and the dynamic forward line of Venn, Paul and Easterby took control as the saints worked their way to a five-goal victory.

After a solid opening half, Jayme Young was moved to her more familiar role of wing defence, with 15 and Under defender Ruby Mitchell taking the goal defence bib for North as the Tigers looked for a way to gain ascendancy.



17 AND UNDER PREMIERS: Millicent 17 and Under premiers, team manager Shalene Venn (back left), Jamie Lucas, Bree Watson, Lauren Van Eeden, Maya Tarrant, Piper Paul, coach Morgan Linder, Eadie Easterby (front left), Poppy Venn, Lillie Paul, Abby Denton, Keelie Linder, Mylee Lynch and Mackinlee Alcock.
Pictures: SOPHIE CONLON



TOP OF THE COMP: Millicent celebrates its 17 and Under premiership win.

Goalies Stella Mobbs and Macey Griffith were North's best, finishing accurately, but the Tigers were unable to generate the same supply into the goal circle as a fortnight earlier.



RAW: Emotions were high as the Saints celebrated their 17 and Under premiership.

Easterby, Venn and Denton were best for the Saints, with Mackinlee Alcock also rating a mention for her hard work on association best and fairest Mobbs.

B GRADE – MILLICENT 46 d CASTERTON SANDFORD 21

The Casterton Sandford B Grade team would love to have the first quarter of their grand final with Millicent back.

The pre-game favourites were ambushed by a Saints line-up that knew defensive pressure was the key to their success - and they brought it in spades.

Michelle Fleming worked overtime to nullify star Cats shooter Shelby Nolte and with support from Veronika Duncan and mid court pressure from Krystal Coghlan, the Cats struggled to even generate scoring opportunities.

At the other end, Nicole Domaschenz received good supply from her team mates and her 12 from 17 helped set up the commanding 13-goal quarter-time lead for Millicent.

The Cats rejigged their line-up at the break with Sarah Richardson brought into the contest to try and shut down Domaschenz, while Amber Balzan and Anna Whillas swapped roles in the mid court.

But with Fleming still dominating at the back and the Saints' mid court also creating turnover ball, the second quarter was reminiscent of the first.

At half time the Saints' advantage had blown out to 23.

Teenage shooting talent Chelsea Hulm was injected into the match at goal attack for the Cats at the main break, moving reigning association best and fairest Trictia Cleary into the centre.

The athletic Dakota Crawford came onto wing defence in a bid to pressure the ball into Domaschenz, who was sitting at 22 goals for the opening half.

The second half was improved for the Cats – they generated more scoring opportunities and certainly had a better defensive mindset.

However, the match was well and truly gone and in the end it was a 25-goal margin.

Balzan was best for the Cats with her hard running through the mid court, while Saints playing coach and goal keeper Fleming earned best on court honours.

Domaschenz, who has taken on the shooting role this season after a career more in defence provided a great target and finished accurately.



RECOGNISED: B Grade best on court Michelle Fleming.

Millicent proves a 'point'

15 AND UNDER A – MILLICENT 34 d NORTH GAMBIER 33

In 2022, the 15 and Under A grand final was forced into overtime and at the weekend it almost was again.

The Saints entered the clash having won the second semi final by 21 but the Tigers came better prepared on the weekend and had the better of the opening half.

Mischa Human was a strong target in that opening half for the Tigers and she received great supply from Georgia Nulty and Maggie Collins, who worked the angles to find their star shooter in space.

Elodie Adam was also a key with her strong front cuts and the North shooting combination netted 10 from 12 to ensure the Tigers dominance was translated to the scoreboard.

Human dominated the second quarter with her 11 straight conversions but fortunately Kalani Dunn had worked her way into the contest for the Saints to ensure they stayed in touch.

At the main break it was the Tigers by five.

Dunn was also the dominant force in the third as Millicent started to bridge the gap on the scoreboard.

Her connection with the hard-working Bell Coghlan had her net 11 from 14 and those opportunities came through an improved defensive effort from Emily Denton and Matti Fauchelle, who started to create some turnover ball.

To describe the final quarter as tense would be an understatement and the six-four scoreline shows just how many turnovers there were as both teams looked to secure a break.

In the end, a timely deflection from Fauchelle which was collected by Coghlan, saw the Saints maintain possession and



15 AND UNDER A: Millicent 15 and Under A premiers, team manager Jill Paul (back left), Kalani Dunn, Matti Fauchelle, Emily Denton, coach Donna Denton, Lucy Crowe, Bell Coghlan (front left), Piper Paul, Mia Gysbers and Mylee Lynch. Picture: SOPHIE CONLON

a one-goal lead.

They did not allow the Tigers a chance to score from their centre pass and secured the

nail-biting one-goal victory.

Human and goal defender Ruby Mitchell were best for the Tigers, while Coghlan se-

cured best-on-court honours and was well supported by dynamic wing attack Piper Paul and goal attack Mylee Lynch.

Tigers top of 15 and under B comp

15 AND UNDER B – NORTH GAMBIER 26 d MILLICENT 18

It was a victory set up in the first half when North Gambier reversed its second semi final result against Millicent with a grand final win.

While the Saints struggled to move the ball in the opening quarter, North was able to find shooters Claire Mitchell, fresh from her win in the association best and fairest count, and Mia Griffith, who was judged best on court in the final washup.

It was one-way traffic in the opening quarter until Millicent settled and scored late to still be in touch with a five-goal deficit.

The second quarter is where the damage was really done.

Zoe Davison was forced from the court with a pre-existing injury and her replacement Georgia Nulty had an immediate impact, coming on at wing attack and feeding the ball with precision.

North's defensive effort, which was good in the first quarter, was even better in the second as circle defenders Raine Darimaani and Isabella Stafford created plenty of turnover ball.

They only conceded one goal for the quarter as the Tigers established a convincing 11-goal half-time lead.

The Saints swung the changes at the main break and the new look circle defensive combination of Eva Crowe and Jeda

Hibberd certainly had an impact.

However, the accuracy from Griffith and Mitchell, converting eight from nine as a duo, ensured the Tigers remained in control.

Millicent's Tahnee Grosser, who was the star of the second semi final, moved out to goal attack and improved her output but the Saints just could not make inroads and the margin was 13 at the final change.

Grosser was again the star of the final quarter but it was too little, too late from the Saints.

Despite winning the quarter by five, thanks in no small part to some Hibberd brilliance as well, the damage was done and North held on for an eight-goal win.

Cats bare their claws

13 AND UNDER B – CASTERTON SANDFORD 30 d MILLICENT 15

It was all about the defenders in the opening quarter of the 13 and Under B grand final.

Casterton Sandford's Ylana Grigg and Millicent's Sophie Walker created turnovers and rebounded strongly as both sides suffered from early nerves and plenty of errors.

The hands pressure from both sides contributed to those feeding errors and by quarter time the Cats had a two-goal lead.

It was tight again in the second with the pressure from both teams ensuring neither side could establish any smooth ball movement.

Saint utility Prudence Johnson moved to goal defence and had an impact with her ability to create turnover ball, while the hard running of Marlee Robbins ensured the Cats were well in the contest.

It was an even quarter so Casterton Sandford still enjoyed that two-goal buffer but things changed dramatically in the third quarter when the Cats brought on three fresh players and took control of the contest.

Adele Murphy's move back to goal shooter had her secure a tonne of scoring opportunities – most of them made possible by the defensive work of two of the new players on court, Chloe Kuzman at goal keeper and tenacious Georgia Bailey at wing defence.

By the final change it was an eight-goal game and despite Millicent making several changes for the final quarter and the interceptions taken by Audrey Galambos, the Saints had no answer.

The Cats powered to a 15-goal victory with Robbins named best on court.

Strong start sets up Saints to take win

13 AND UNDER A – MILLICENT 33 d NORTH GAMBIER 21

It all came down to a strong start in the 13 and Under A grand final as Millicent worked its way to a six-goal advantage over North Gambier by the first break.

Amarlie Thomson and Indi Coghlan were on song for the Saints, while North struggled to find a way through the defensive efforts of Lola Ferguson and Audrey Galambos.

The Tigers did settle in the second though as defenders Ava Halloran and Amelie Adam started to get their hands to some balls, with mid-court pressure from Mackenzie Harrold and Jenna Baron also ensuring it was a more even contest.

At the main break it was still a six-goal game.

Both sides swung the changes at half time and it was the Saints who came out firing.

Best-on-court Lucy Crowe moved to the defensive end and created plenty of turnover ball, while Thomson and Coghlan were again getting good supply, especially through their connection with hard-working wing attack Olive Thorne.

By the final break it was an 11-goal lead for



13 AND UNDER A: Millicent 13 and Under A premiers, team manager Kimberly Crow (back left), captain Amarlie Thompson, Lola Ferguson, Audrey Galambos, Lucy Crowe, coach Lillie Paul, Lindy Van Eeden (front left), Indiana Coghlan, Scarlett Zalme and Olive Thorne. Pictures: SOPHIE CONLON

the Saints and they had no intention of letting it slip.

North coach Rosie Collins shook up her line-up, moving Jenna Baron into goals and Lacey Hunter into the centre, as well as Grace Collins to goal keeper and Adam to the defen-

sive wing.

While it allowed the Tigers to match the saints, they just could not gain any momentum to bridge the gap, going down by 12 goals in the final wash up.



Jami Walker will be instrumental in Tantanoola's performance against Kalangadoo in the Mid South East netball grand final on Saturday.
Pictures: FILE



Kalangadoo's Abbey Duncan will look for the most advantageous position inside the circle when the Magpies take on Tantanoola in the Mid South East netball grand final on Saturday.

Magpies and Tigers clash

A GRADE - KALANGADOO v TANTANOOLA
Tantanoola and Kalangadoo battle it out in the A Grade Mid South East netball grand final this weekend at Port MacDonnell.

The Tigers knocked out reigning premier Glencoe in last week's preliminary final, and now gear up for a battle against an undefeated Magpies outfit.

However, with a draw in their last meeting,

it could be anyone's game on the day.

Tantanoola's Keryl Ousey and Emma Gould are a formidable goalie combination.

They use their height to their advantage and are fed well from outside of the circle by Jami Walker and Kate Varcoe.

Lauren Kain and Lara Munro work hard in defence for the Magpies and will seek to shut down the Tigers goalies, feeding the ball back

down the court through Jane Auld and Chloe Peacock.

Tantanoola's Tayla Rowe and Kate Bromley will apply intense pressure to Kalangadoo shooters Abbey Duncan and Ebony McDiarmid, but the Magpie goalies are accurate from close and long range and snap up any rebounds.

Every player on the court will have to fight

hard to maintain possession and another thriller is expected.

However, Kalangadoo's superior finals experience could come to the fore and the Magpies will also take confidence from a comfortable Round 5 win over the Tigers.

A quick start will be the key to success, with whoever is left to play catch-up netball in for a tough day out.

Exciting weekend awaits top sides for final decider

By Trevor Jackson

RESERVES - KALANGADOO v HATHERLEIGH

Just like the A Grade grand final, Kalangadoo and Hatherleigh will go head-to-head in the reserves in a mirror image of last season.

Last year, the Eagles went through the minor rounds undefeated and claimed the premiership on a muddy Kalangadoo oval by just two points.

This year they dropped one game during the minor rounds - to Kalangadoo in Round 17 by 10 points - but easily accounted for the Magpies in Round 8 to the tune of 42 points.

However, in the second round of finals Hatherleigh succumbed to a determined Magpies roster by 14 points and would not want to repeat that performance.

There was little action up forward for the Eagles, with just three single goal kickers, while for Kalangadoo, the experienced Ben Mules contributed two majors.

On paper both sides have plenty of experience, but the inclusion of the Mules boys - Ben, Chris and Jon - is enough to strike fear into any competitor.

Those three can certainly turn the game in Kalangadoo's favour, but Hatherleigh did not claim the minor premiership by mistake.

The likes of Jason Faulkner, Brett and Todd Watson, Josh Wight - and the list goes on - are all obviously capable footballers and will want another premiership flag back at the Eagles' nest.

In what will be the perfect curtain-raiser for the A Grade clash between the same two clubs, this is sure to provide plenty of entertainment if the weather forecast stays clear.

Hatherleigh had its scare in the second semi-final and should bounce back to take home another flag, but not without a fight.

UNDER 17.5 - PORT MACDONNELL v ROBE

The young colts should provide an interesting contest, considering the top side - Tanta-



The Mules' boys bring plenty of experience to the table and will be prominent when Kalangadoo takes on Hatherleigh in the Mid South East football Reserves grand final on Saturday.
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noola - did not make the big dance.

The second-placed Port MacDonnell and the fourth-placed Robe go head-to-head, after the Roosters bundled the Tigers out of the running last week with a comfortable 20-point preliminary final win.

That would give the young Roosters a bit of momentum and belief, while the Demons have had the advantage of a week off to rest.

Of course Port MacDonnell only missed out on top spot by less than two percentage points, so are certainly a worthy adversary for Robe.

The Demons dropped just two games for the season, while the Roosters lost seven games in the minor rounds.

One of the Demons' losses came at the

hands of the minor premiers, Tantanoola, but interestingly, the other was dealt by Robe in Round 12.

There were only three points in the contest at the final siren, but that would certainly give the Roosters confidence their best football can get the job done.

However, the Demons should claim this one after an enticing contest.

UNDER 14 MIXED - GLENCOE v PORT MACDONNELL

The two top sides in the Under 14 Mixed competition go head-to-head in the grand final on Saturday, with both having had exceptional seasons.

Port MacDonnell finished top, ahead of Glencoe by just a few percentage points af-



Talented Robe youngster Kaiden Carter, one of many rising stars playing Senior Mid South East football, is sure to have an impact on the grand final as Robe faces Port MacDonnell in the Under 17 contest on Saturday.

ter both lost just one game throughout the season.

Glencoe easily accounted for the Demons in the second semi-final, but in the minor rounds the ledger sat at one win apiece.

In Round 10 the Murphies won by 28 points, then in the semi-final were victorious to the tune of 16 points.

The Demons easily accounted for Hatherleigh in the preliminary final to book their grand final berth, and will have some momentum going into the big dance.

Glencoe has had a week off to prepare and should be fresh and ready to go.

Once again this match could go either way, with the perfect start to a big day for the Mid South Eastern Football League.

Stage set for showdown

A RESERVE - ROBE v KALANGADOO

KALANGADOO will play off against an undefeated Robe side in the Mid South East netball A Reserve grand final this weekend.

Magpie goalies Gina Gogel and Sophie Wrightson combine well in the circle and shoot with accuracy.

However, the pressure from Robe's Kimberly Austin and Alannah Jennings will be intense.

Any turnovers will be worked back down the court by Kim Ross and Stacey Woodward.

They will feed the ball into their goalies accurately, even under the pressure of Kalangadoo's Lucy Williams and Jamie Ryan.

Robe's Sarah Laurie and Ashlee Hunt play smart netball.

They move well in the circle and are accurate finishers, but will face some tough pressure from Kalangadoo's Reanna Weatherall and Georgia Duncan.

Robe has won every encounter in 2023 and will be the favourite for the flag.

B GRADE - KALANGADOO v ROBE

THE B Grade premiership will be contested between Kalangadoo and Robe.

The two teams met in the second semi final, where the Roosters were forced to take the long route into the decider.

The Magpies will be eager to replicate that 21-goal win, but a tighter match can be expected on the big stage.

Roosters Maddi Wirth and Amanda Culley are a strong defensive combination and will create turnovers for their team, applying pressure to Kalangadoo's Isobel Giddings and Rhianna May.

Down the other end of the court MSENSA, best and fairest Demi Ingley will combine well with Emily Mulraney to ensure Robe's goalies Ella Mackey and Amy Wetherall have to earn every shot.

Any turnovers will be fed back down the court by Lydia Mules and Zoe Rout.

Robe's Jade Regnier and Keelin Winterfield both feed into the circle with ease and accuracy.

Kalangadoo has come away with the win every time these teams have matched up throughout the season, and are likely to come away with another victory on grand final day.

B RESERVE - HATHERLEIGH v MOUNT BURR

HATHERLEIGH and Mount Burr will battle it out for the B Reserve bragging rights.

MSENSA best and fairest Eliza Burton has proven to be a focal point in the circle for the Eagles and will combine well with Melita Thwaites.

Both shoot with accuracy and are dangerous around the circle.

Mount Burr's Dawn Smith and Rebecca Fox will need to work hard to shut down the influence of the goalies, who will be fed well from outside the circle by Nat Chambers and Amy Haines.

Sophie Jankowski and Ava Smith-Muhovics shoot well in the circle for the Mozzies and are supported from outside the circle by Zali Burns and Karen Hayward.

Eagle defenders Fiona Jackman and Nicole Thomas will work overtime to create turnovers for their side, working the ball back down the court to their goalies.

Both teams have had a win in their play-offs this season and the honours could go either way.

17 AND UNDER - MOUNT BURR v TANTANOOLA

THE Mozzies and Tigers go head-to-head in the 17 and under netball grand final at Port MacDonnell on Saturday.

The Tigers knocked out the second-placed Demons in the preliminary final and now face a challenge against the minor premiers.

Tantanoola's Molly Cushion is an asset in the defensive end for the Tigers, playing well beyond her years and combining well with Holly Walker.

Mount Burr's Ashlee Dean and Jasmine Holland work well together in the circle and finish off well.

Down the other end of the court Tilly Gamble and Macy Burns will be rock solid in defence, applying pressure to Tantanoola's goalies.



The battle in the centre will be one to watch when Robe and Kalangadoo go head-to-head in the Mid South East netball A Reserve grand final on Saturday.

Tantanoola's Bella Poulsh and Ebony Cy-trowski will use their maturity and experience to guide their team on the court.

Both teams have had a win when they have played off in the minor rounds and both have the potential to come away with the flag.

However, the Mozzies should get over the line on the day.

15 AND UNDER - KALANGADOO v HATHERLEIGH

THE Eagles and the Magpies are set to battle it out for the 15 and Under premiership.

It has been an undefeated campaign for Kalangadoo so far and if its last encounter is anything to go by, the team will be in the box seat for glory.

The second semi final had the Magpies dominant 58-goal victors, but grand finals have a way of bringing the best out of both teams.

Magpies Shayden Russell and Lucy Egan are both able to shoot with accuracy throughout the circle, combining well and securing any rebounds necessary.

Hatherleigh's Hannah Bellingier and Poppy Fitzgerald will need to shut down as many shooting opportunities as possible, turning balls over and working it back down the court with the help of Amber Chester and Leni Caruthers.

Chloe Peacock shows maturity and leadership for the Magpies, feeding the ball with accuracy into her goalies and applying defensive pressure throughout the court.

Hatherleigh goalies Kalli Nettle and Sylvie Barlow will be under defensive pressure from Maya Anderson and Zoe Wurst and will need to shoot with accuracy to limit Kalangadoo turnovers.

The Magpies should be crowned premiers at the final whistle.

13 AND UNDER - KALANGADOO v GLENCOE

KALANGADOO and Glencoe face off in the 13 and under netball grand final.

The Magpies are yet to suffer a loss this season and will enter as favourites, having bested the Murphies by 12 goals in the second semi final.

Kalangadoo defenders Molly Peacock and Lexie Grosvenor will apply intense pressure



Robe's Sarah Laurie will need to be on target when the Roosters face Kalangadoo in the Mid South East netball A Reserve grand final on Saturday. Pictures: FILE

on Glencoe's Ella Stewart and Hallie Sealey, who will need to shoot with accuracy in the circle.

Kalangadoo's Ava Prosperi-Porta and Glencoe's Layla Hawke will have a good tussle through the midcourt and both players will be looked to for important possessions.

Meanwhile, Glencoe's Isabella Brierley and Gracie Cary will apply pressure to Kalangadoo's Matilda Peacock and Prosperi-Porta.

The Magpies have won every time these teams have met in 2023 and are likely to come away as premiers, but the Murphies will fight hard.

Millicent best of the best

**A GRADE – MILLICENT 59 d
WEST GAMBIE 47**

It was an A Grade grand final full of drama and while Millicent returned to the top of the Western Border netball tree with a 12-goal victory over reigning premier West Gambier, the scoreboard does not tell the full story.

All three times the two teams met in the home-and-away season and the tense one-goal second semi final, which Millicent won, set the scene for what everyone expected to be a titanic struggle for the 2023 flag.

It was the Roos who had the better of the early going as Sarah Ritter presented strongly, enjoying accurate feeding from Lisa McGregor, Tara Bryant and Mikaela Horriagan.

She netted 12 goals from 13 attempts in an ominous sign for the Saints and at the first change it was a three-goal advantage to West.

Millicent stayed in touch thanks to the work rate of Demi Verbena, who seemed to take every second ball at goal attack as she looked to work through the relentless pressure of the Roos defenders Jade Ritter and Amy Cram.

At that quarter time break, Millicent injected experienced premierships player Kimmi Tincknell into the fray at wing defence, moving Lisa Duldig to centre and Lillie Paul to wing attack, replacing Daisy Tunkin who has been battling a serious finger injury for



CHAMPIONS: Millicent A Grade premiers, coach Donna Denton (back left), team manager Georgia Clarke, Nikeisha Facey, Tabitha Sanderson, Lauren Van Eeden, Lisa Duldig, Kimmi Tincknell, coach Michelle Skeer, Jackie Sunderland (front left), Daisy Tunkin, Lillie Paul, Portia McRae and Demi Verbena.
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the past month.

The changes had an immediate impact, not only seeing a better connection in the front half and more scoring opportunities, but defensively the Saints also reset and started to make life tougher for the West frontline.

Sarah Ritter was critical in this quarter as her 10 from 11 kept the Roos in the contest as the Saints surged.

At the main break, Millicent had turned that three-goal deficit into a two-goal

half-time lead.

Everyone braced themselves for a tense second half as these two sides, the pacesetters of the competition for the past two seasons, looked to find a way to take control.

The arm wrestle continued early before an accidental collision between McGregor and Paul changed the game.

Paul was sore and sorry but able to continue, while McGregor, who was celebrating her 400th game in the title decider, suffered a sig-

nificant knee injury which forced her from the court for the remainder of the third quarter.

That saw Tahlia Earl enter the clash at goal attack but not unsurprisingly, despite captain and star defender Cram looking to refocus her teammates before play restarted, the Saints were able to take control.

The two-goal advantage when McGregor left the court turned into nine by the three-quarter time huddle.

Tabitha Sanderson and Verbena dominated the quarter, while Portia McRae won some critical ball to set a tough task for the Roos in the final 15 minutes. That cause was not helped when West wing defender Zoe Malseed was sent off for two minutes in the final quarter and in the end, the Saints were able to cruise to a 12-goal victory.

Sarah Ritter and Cram were best for the Roos and McGregor did return to the court in the final term, clearly hampered but determined to lead her side, while Tara Bryant ran as hard as she always does.

Sanderson had an outstanding grand final, netting 41 of Millicent's 59 goals, while Verbena added a best-on-court medal to her association best and fairest accolade.

Duldig was also huge, leading the mid court and getting the job done at both ends of the court.

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Saints go three-in-a-row for solid win

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Disaster struck early for Millicent with Gallio ruled out of the contest in the first 10 minutes with a hamstring injury.

The Tigers managed to hold a slim four-point lead at the first change with two first-quarter goals, but the Saints fought back to be up at half time.

A return of 1.2 in the second term had Millicent lead by a slim three points at the main break.

With the season honours still very much up for grabs, the "premiership" quarter could not have been more important.

Gallio said the message at half time was a simple one.

"Just to stick with what we know," he said.

"Taking the conditions out of it, we knew the way we wanted to play and the way we have played all year.

"We were confident we could stick by that, which we did, and had full confidence in knowing how good we could be."

Last year Millicent won the game in the third quarter, running away from South Gambier to seize an eventual back-to-back grand final triumph.

It was a less one-sided period of play this time around.

However, the Saints still had plenty of opportunity and converted two of their five scoring shots to extend their lead to 10.

In the conditions 10 points was a handy buffer, with scores not coming easily at either end.

Another casualty in star forward Frazer Bradley had the Saints down another man early in the fourth term, but they grinded it out for a 13-point win.

"(Bradley) copped a knock real early and then copped another one at the start of that last quarter," Gallio said.

"We played the last quarter pretty much



MAN OF THE MATCH: Millicent's Harry Tunkin was judged MVP for the A Grade grand final.
Picture: FRANK MONGER

without him." Sidelined for the majority of the game, Gallio was left to instruct his forces from the bench.

"I sat there and watched the whole game which wasn't easy," he said.

"But we finished it off playing smart footy, grinding it out and playing to the conditions.

"We slowed it down at times when we really needed to which was good and we were able to go forward and kick a couple."

The end result was a third consecutive premiership for the Saints and Gallio's fourth at the helm.

He could not have been more pleased with his team.

"I am super proud," he said.

"It is always a great way to finish the season and I couldn't have wrote it any better.

"I am absolutely stoked."

With a wealth of experience in both teams, it was young-gun Harry Tunkin who caught the eye of umpires on the day.

He was awarded the MVP medal for best-on-ground for his tenacity in the midfield.

"You probably could have split it between him and Josh Werchon, I thought they were both super," Gallio said.

"(Tunkin) is just a classy player - he makes good decisions and does the hard stuff and gets on the outside as well.

"It was a pretty complete game from him."

Werchon tore up the wing and his pace was on full display to be named Millicent's second best.

"I thought Caleb Williams down back was really solid for us as well and Finn Grimes was really pivotal in the middle for us," Gallio added.

Grimes gave the Saints first use in the ruck, while Jack Verbena was another talented youth who stepped up on the big stage.

Thomas Renzi was also rock solid in defence all day and he rounded out the best players.

The Tigers were best served by on-baller Nick McInerney, who put his finals experience to good use.

"Nick McInerney started well and he is a classy player," Gallio said.

"It was one of those days where no one really ripped the game apart and dominated, but he was good for them."

Both defences were in impressive form on the day and Brett Shepherdson and Jordan Hollitt were both recognised for their efforts, as was Hamish Telford.

Youngster Mackye Baron was another standout, while Cameron Ortlepp rounded out the best players.

It was a valiant effort from the Tigers, but not enough to deny the Saints their threepeat.

Celebrations commenced late into the night at the Millicent Football and Netball Club on Saturday night and are set to continue throughout the week.

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Big game in the balance

By Trevor Jackson

A GRADE - KALANGADOO V HATHERLEIGH

The Mid South Eastern Football League will host its big day on Saturday at Port MacDonnell, with the best two A Grade teams in the competition set to go head-to-head for premiership honours.

In a grand final re-match from 2022, Kalangadoo will look to claim back-to-back premierships against Hatherleigh.

Hatherleigh was disappointing last year on a muddy Kalangadoo oval, but this year looks to be ideal conditions for football.

The Eagles would certainly want to atone for last year's performance, while the Magpies would love nothing more than their second premiership on the trot.

Both sides started the season low key, but peaked at the business end.

Both defeated former front-runner Port MacDonnell to book their grand final berth in what is expected to be one of the best displays of football for some time.

To pick a winner would be fraught with danger, as both sides go in with equal billing.

For the defending premiers, the conditions are shaping up to showcase their talent, but coach Alex Lyon has left nothing to chance.

"We are looking really good," he said of his roster.

"It was fortunate to have the week off for us with a couple of sore bodies, so we will be 100 percent.

"The forecast looks like it will be perfect conditions and the wind is going to be down, so I think it will play out as a fantastic game of footy."

Hatherleigh coach Gerard McGrath – who is under an injury cloud – was likewise pleased with the forecast ahead after last year's mud bath.

"We were disappointed last year, but the weather didn't really help us," he said.

"Looking at the forecast this week, it should be fine weather down at Port Mac.

"Everyone (else) is fit and available that has been the last few weeks, so we go into the game 50/50 at the moment.

"We will see what happens."

The Eagles have certainly brought their best football to the finals series, with a big win over Robe in the first semi-final, followed by a huge win over Port MacDonnell in the preliminary final, especially considering the Demons were a flag favourite not so long ago.

"We watched them on Saturday and they were really impressive against Port MacDonnell," Lyon said of the Eagles.

"I am expecting it to be a really tough day.

"I am still confident our best footy can prevail, but it is a grand final and we will have to bring our best."

McGrath said he hoped to pull on the boots himself, but that will depend on how he pulled up during the week.

Either way he expects a tough contest against a well-drilled Magpies outfit, but is confident in his team's ability.

"It is going to be tough," he said.

"You go in with two good games under your belt, it is very pleasing.

"The last two weeks everyone has played good footy.



FACE OFF: The likes of Tye McManus will give it his all when Kalangadoo faces Hatherleigh in the Mid South East football grand final on Saturday, with the hope of going back-to-back. Pictures: FILE

"We have no selection headaches there and we will probably roll in with the same 22.

"We go in confident in that we are playing good footy and it stacks up against most teams, but I dare say Kalangadoo would be thinking the same.

"It is going to be a tough game, we are both playing good footy and it is going to be a good day."

Of course the chance of back-to-back flags hangs over the Magpie camp, but as would be expected, Lyon is playing that down.

"That would be fantastic, but we haven't really talked about back-to-back or any of that stuff," he said.

"You want to go into these games not really expecting a result or thinking about a result, just expecting to play your best brand of footy, then wait for the bell to go at the end of the game.

"We are containing ourselves, making sure we are right and ready to bring the pressure on Saturday a grand final should have.

"That is the best we can do."



Kalangadoo players will face plenty of pressure from their Hatherleigh counterparts as the Magpies attempt to claim back-to-back Mid South East football premierships.



MEMORIAL TROPHY: A Grade runner-up Karen MacGregor, winner Sue Agnew, B Grade winner Julie McKenzie and runner-up Annie MacLennan. Picture: SUBMITTED

Memorial trophy honours claimed at Millicent

PERFECT sunny conditions greeted 18 women at the Millicent Golf Club to play a stableford round for the Heather Walker Memorial Trophy.

Sue Agnew claimed the A Grade honours with 36 points, from Karen MacGregor with 33.

B Grade went to Julie McKenzie with an impressive 43 points, from Annie MacLennan with 35 after a count-back.

Ball winners were Debbie Tincknell for

her 35 points, Janet Watson 34 and Karen Altschwager 32.

In the nine-hole competition on the front nine, McKenzie was best with 24 points.

Nearest the pin on the third hole was won by Robyn Walters.

NTP second shot on the fifth hole for handicaps of 25-54 went to Tincknell, while Bec Shanks claimed the honour on the 17th for handicaps from 32-45.



Saints go three-in-a-row

By James Murphy

A GRADE - MILLICENT 5.10 (40) d NORTH GAMBIER 4.3 (27)

The Millicent Saints have made it three in a row with Saturday's Western Border A Grade football grand final win handing them a three-peat of premierships.

It was a successful day all around for the Saints, with the Reserves footballers claiming glory by a point, while the A Grade, A Reserve, B Grade, 17 and Under, 15 and Under A and 13 and Under A netball teams were also crowned premiers.

"It was a pretty good effort by the club to have so many teams in, but to come away with so many wins as well was even better," Millicent A Grade coach Clint Gallio said.

"The club was absolutely stoked.

"Every grand final you win is special, but to go three in a row - the buzz was really nice and it is definitely something people will remember forever."

After a preliminary final upset, Millicent found itself up against North Gambier in the senior football decider.

The Tigers knocked minor premier West Gambier out of the running with an impressive performance to enter the grand final as the dark horse.

The pressure was always going to be high



THREE-PEAT: The Millicent Saints completed their A Grade football three-peat on Saturday with a 13-point win over North Gambier.

Picture: FRANK MONGER

and up against a Saints line-up which had won three premierships in the last four Western Border seasons, a tough contest was expected.

That reflected onto the scoreboard and after a gritty four-quarter battle, Millicent

emerged the victor by 13 points.

Played in the sunniest conditions of the season, the wind remained a factor and the swirly breeze generated plenty of skill errors across the ground.

"The breeze was quite tricky - it was swirly

and didn't favour directly up and down the ground," Gallio said.

"It made the conditions really tough and some of the skills probably weren't the greatest."

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