

JULY 2024

ELLISTON ECHO

ELLISTON COMMUNITY AND VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE NEWS

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IF YOU HAVE COMMUNITY NOTICE OR SOME INTERESTING NEWS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE WITH THE COMMUNITY, PLEASE EMAIL, FAX OR DROP INTO CENTRE BEFORE THE 26TH OF THE MONTH

A NEW ERA

From July 1st Council are officially taking over the Elliston Community and Visitor Information Centre, which will sadly mark the end of it being ran by the community. Unfortunately, there was no other option but to hand over. Council would like to inform everyone that there will be no changes to how the Centre is run and would like to thank the previous volunteers and committees for the amazing job they have done over the years.

Please pick up your copy of the Elliston Echo from the Elliston Post Office, Elliston Supermarket, Elliston Bakery, Elliston Hotel or come and visit us.

SAVE THE DATE

June – August Australian Salmon Fishing Championship

OPENING HOURS

Monday-Friday

9.00am - 5.00pm

Saturday-Sunday

9.30am - 1.00pm

Public Holidays

9.30am - 1.00pm

Closed for Lunch Mon-Fri

12.30pm - 1.30pm



VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT

"The heart of a volunteer is never measured in size, but by the depth of the commitment to make a difference" - Deann Hollis

Last month we farewelled one of our valued volunteers, Buzzy, who will be putting his feet up after many years of dedicating his time to helping at the Centre. We are immensely grateful for all that he has done. Thank you, Buzz!

If you would like to join our team of volunteers, contact us via the details above or pop into the Centre on 6 Memorial Drive during our opening hours.



Facebook Pages - Elliston Community & Visitor Information Centre

- Australian Salmon Fishing Championship – Elliston



Facebook Group - Elliston Markets

Instagram

- @elliston.sa



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COMMUNITY NEWS

AUSTRALIAN SALMON FISHING CHAMPIONSHIP

The 30th Annual Australian Salmon Fishing Championship is well underway. Congratulations to our mystery weight winners for the first three weeks of the championship, week one winner Brian Baker, week two winner Veronica Timmermans and week three winner Peter Roe. The first monthly photo competition concluded on June 31st. You can vote for your favourite photo by jumping onto our Facebook page and liking whichever picture you think deserves to win. Voting ends on July 8th. To enter the photo competition for the month of July for your chance to win \$50, send your pictures to info@elliston.com.au. There is a maximum of 5 photos per person per month. Good luck to all and happy fishing!



2024

30TH AUSTRALIAN SALMON FISHING CHAMPIONSHIP

ELLISTON - SOUTH AUSTRALIA

1ST JUNE - 31ST AUGUST

WEEKLY MYSTERY WEIGHT PRIZE - \$200
OVERALL PRIZES FOR THE TOTAL 3 MONTHS
\$2000 FOR HEAVIEST FISH
\$1000 FOR SECOND HEAVIEST FISH
\$500 FOR THIRD HEAVIEST FISH
\$50 MONTHLY PHOTO COMPETITION

SALMON ARE TO BE CAUGHT FROM BEACHES BETWEEN SHERINGA & MOUNT CAMEL AND WEIGHED IN WITH YOUR ENTRY TICKET AT THE ELLISTON CARAVAN PARK BETWEEN 9AM - 6PM

PURCHASE YOUR \$10 TICKETS BEFORE YOU FISH FROM ELLISTON INFORMATION CENTRE, ELLISTON HOTEL, ELLISTON WATERLOO BAY CARAVAN PARK, ELLISTON CARAVAN PARK, VENUS BAY GENERAL STORE AND SHERINGA ROADHOUSE

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES WHILE VISITING OUR AREA

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

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PORT LINCOLN BOAT SUPPLIES
MCKINNON'S MAINTENANCE AND MECHANICAL
JALDYSPRENTICE
ELLISTON PHARMACY
PORT KENNY CARAVAN PARK
FORDS ISLAND TRO SCAPES
LESTER'S ELECTRICAL

AUSTRALIAN SALMON FISHING CHAMPIONSHIP - ELLISTON
2024

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ELLISTON DISTRICTS FOOTBALL AND NETBALL CLUB

On 22nd June our little Club played in Elliston versing Cougars and along with the support of the Elliston Community Sports Centre hosted 2 ex AFL footballers - Stephen Milne from St Kilda FC and Mitch Robinson from Brisbane FC. We had a very successful day, which resulted in nearly 500 paying adults through the gate. The win of the A Grade footy with the 2 footballers playing topped off the day. After meals for 250 people were served, both Stephen and Mitch made speeches about their day with us, how they enjoyed our town sights, the feeling within our club and their playing days in the AFL. Both men were funny and their speeches were very comical and down to earth. Auction items were sold off, along with the guernseys that both men played in during the day & signed after the game. The monetary expense of having these 2 elite footballers play for our Club can never be outweighed by the enjoyment, experience and knowledge they brought to the big and little Roosters and far exceeded our expectations of their involvement with everyone throughout the day & night. They were very generous with their time with all the kids. They both mentioned that they enjoyed the camaraderie and family environment of the club, post-game shenanigans in the shed and Wot? Band music once the lights went out. A very successful day was had by all and the Elliston Districts Football & Netball Club would like to thank the Elliston Sports Centre for their commitment and contribution towards this great event.



COMMUNITY NEWS

BEING MINDFUL: SHARING SPACE IN BREEDING SEASON

Birds that swoop to protect their nest and young, protect their territory or to scavenge food, include:

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| • Australian Magpie | not in Elliston township |
| • Magpie Lark | yes, small numbers |
| • Masked Lapwing | yes |
| • Red Wattlebird | yes, restricted habitats |
| • Silver Gull | yes, as scavengers |
| • Laughing Kookaburra | only incidental |
| • Little Raven | Raven only in small numbers |
| • Australian Pelican | very small numbers |

The Masked Lapwing inhabits marshes, mudflats, beaches and grasslands. It is often seen in urban areas. Where this bird is used to human presence, it may tolerate close proximity; otherwise it is very wary of people, and seldom allows close approach.

Masked Lapwings feed on insects and their larvae, and earthworms. Most food is obtained from just below the surface of the ground, but some may also be taken above the surface. Birds are normally seen feeding alone, in pairs or in small groups.

The species can be often observed along the Esplanade and around adjacent bays in Elliston and are considered a resident species. They are monogamous on a long-term basis; and are very faithful to their breeding site

During nesting, they usually give off a high-pitched warning call, to let you know they are there, sitting on their nest. Then, if you get too close, they might hop off the nest and some will swoop you.

It's just a warning to let you know you're in their area — they won't usually make contact. There is one display where they will puff out their chest and open up their wings as big as they can, and then slowly walk towards you. If they feel like they are being threatened, or if they feel they need to be aggressive, you will be able to see the spurs pop out — and they can nick you with that.

The best thing to do if you are being swooped, or visiting an area you know is home to nesting lapwings, is keep your

head down and move slowly. Running and cycling is more likely to aggravate the birds, compared to slow walking. Respect their shared space.

The SACWA Elliston branch present the next of our bird article for your interest.

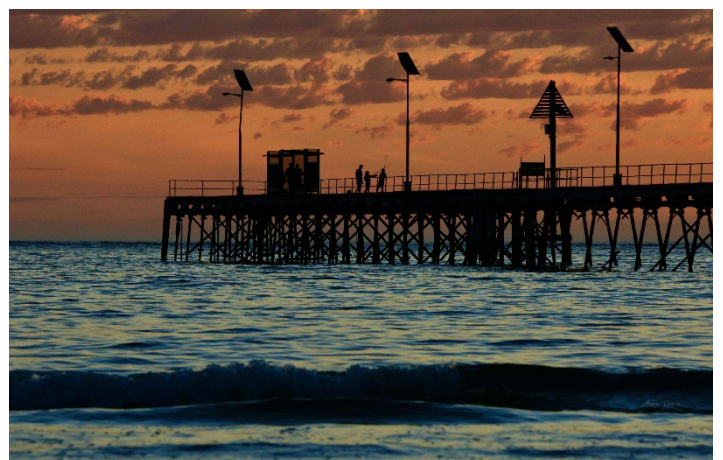


Reference group: C. O' Neil, D. & I. Penna, I. Quinn, G. Fieldhouse, Co-ordinator S Fieldhouse. Any comments or feedback welcome: gally3@bigpond.com

ELLISTON CAMERA CLUB



Locks Well – photo by Shane Graves




Evening Jetty – photo by Shane Graves

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CONTACT US ON 86879177



YOU'VE GOT IT IN YOU TO BE REMARKABLE

VOLUNTEER NOW
1300 364 587

ELLISTON CFS NEEDS YOU

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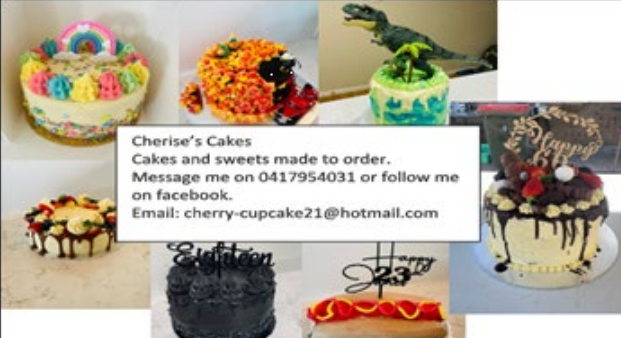
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Contact Ryan on 0455 057 050
Email: mckinnonsmm@outlook.com

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\$ 230 PER 6X4 TRAILER

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JESS - 0428 576 670



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Email: cherry-cupcake21@hotmail.com

LOCAL BUSINESS NEWS & UPDATES

ZAC GHABRIAL PHYSIOTHERAPY

Elliston Pharmacy every Monday
Lock Pharmacy every second Tuesday
Home-visit services available 7 days

For enquiries and bookings...

0411 374 017

zacghabrialphysiotherapy@gmail.com



Next Handicraft is Tuesday 2nd July held in the rooms on 9 Memorial Drive. Learn to make a pretty card or the lovely Japanese craft of Sashiko. I have lots of cards to share and enough supplies to get you started with the Sashiko. Every one welcome. 10.30am.

July 11th meeting is the Annual Meeting (AGM) 10.30am.

Are you a Carer?



A Carer is someone who helps a family member or friend with things like:



Is this you? Carers SA can help you access services

Free support is just a phone call away. Contact **Andrea** on 0493 896 037 or email andrea.evans@carerssa.com.au



ELLISTON MEN'S SHED



Open for morning chat, tea and coffee. 9-11am Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Also available at the shed

Key Cutting Service

Knife and Scissor Sharpening

The Men's Shed Group meets for committee meetings on the second Thursday of the month at 9.30am.

ALL WELCOME



Government of South Australia
SA Health

ALLIED HEALTH CLINIC DATES

SOCIAL WORK, PODIATRY, SPEECH, OT & PHYSIO

To get a referral for an appointment contact

EBONY – MON, TUES & WED

8.30AM – 4.30PM

08 8687 9012

COMMUNITY NURSE – JESS BASCOMB

Elliston, Lock and Wudinna

8am – 4:30pm

Monday – Elliston

Tuesday – Elliston

Wednesday – Lock

Thursday – Elliston

Friday – Lock and Wudinna

CATHOLIC CHURCH AT ELLISTON July 2024

Sunday 7 th	5pm
Saturday 13 th	9am
Sunday 21 st	5pm
Sunday 28 th	11am



Business/office hours for enquiries that **don't require immediate** police attendance – 86879006

(This number diverts to Pt Lincoln on days off or out of mobile range)

Requires police attendance – 131444

Emergency – 000

ELLISTON DROUGHT RESILIENCE PLANNING REGIONAL FORUM

What are your experiences of drought?
What ideas do you have to build drought resilience?
Share your experiences and ideas and contribute to the preparation of the **Regional Drought Resilience Plan** for Eyre Peninsula.

Thursday 4 July 2024 | 3pm - 5pm
District Council of Elliston, 21 Beach Street

Book Now:

<https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1245589>

If you can't attend, please complete the online survey instead:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/EPDroughtPla>

2024-2025 NEW WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR

24-25

WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR

Elliston, Bramfield, Port Kenny, Sheringa, Venus Bay

■ Yellow General Waste Bin Collection Day
■ Red General Waste Bin Collection Day

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WASTE TRANSFER STATIONS OPENING HOURS

Elliston: First Saturday of each month only Wednesday 10.00am-12.00pm
 Venus Bay: First Saturday of each month only Saturday 10.00am-12.00pm

OR BY APPOINTMENT

Ph: 8687 9177
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24-25

WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR

Lock

■ Red General Waste Bin Collection Day
■ Yellow General Waste Bin Collection Day

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WASTE TRANSFER STATIONS OPENING HOURS

Lock: First Thursday of each month 11.00am-1.00pm

OR BY APPOINTMENT

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Here is a preview of the new re-designed Waste Collection Calendars for 2024-2025. The Calendar is in the process of being printed and will be on everyone's fridges soon.

Q-FEVER VACCINATION CLINIC – WUDINNA

Q-Fever Vaccination Clinic

TUESDAY 9TH JULY (BLOOD & SKIN TEST - \$300)
 TUESDAY 16TH JULY (VACCINATION IF REQUIRED - \$140)

****must attend both dates****

No Medicare Rebate available
 Contact the clinic for bookings

Q-Fever is a bacteria that can be spread from cows, sheep, goats etc and can make you very unwell.
 Once off vaccination to cover you for life.

Visit www.qfever.org.au for more information



8 RICHARDS AVENUE, WUDINNA SA 5652
 TEL) 8680 2005
 FAX) 8680 2515
 CONTACT@WUDINNAMEDICAL.COM.AU

Tuesday 9th July (Blood & Skin test - \$300) Tuesday
 16th July (vaccination if required - \$140)

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WHAT'S ON THIS MONTH

JULY CALENDAR

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1st RED BINS	2nd	3rd	4th Elliston Drought Resilience – Council Chambers 2:30-5:30pm	5th	6th Lock v Elliston Districts – Lock	7th Catholic Church 5pm
8th RED BINS	9th Q-Fever Vac Clinic - Wudinna	10th	11th	12th YELLOW BINS	13th Catholic Church 9am	14th
15th RED BINS	16th Q-Fever Vac Clinic- Wudinna	17th Elliston Business and Progress Association Meeting – 7:30 Elliston Hall	18th	19th	20th Elliston Districts v Eyre United – Poochera	21st Catholic Church 5pm
22nd RED BINS	23rd	24th	25th	26th YELLOW BINS	27th Rambles v Elliston Districts – Cummins	28th Catholic Church 11am
29th RED BINS	30th	31st				

