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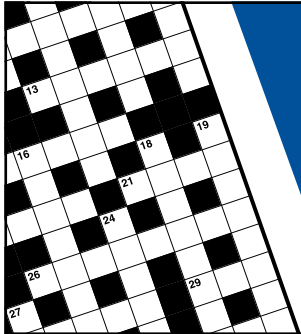
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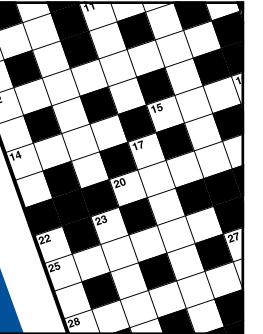
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Award for service

MORE than 100 Limestone Coast Country Fire Service (CFS) volunteers will have their service nationally recognised for their selfless acts during the 2019-20 summer of bushfires by being awarded the National Emergency Medal.

The medal will be awarded to 116 CFS volunteers in the Limestone Coast who served five or more days during the summer of 2019-20 fighting fires in either Queensland, New South Wales or South Australia's Kangaroo Island.

CFS Region 5 Commander John Probert said the awarding of the medal is fantastic recognition of CFS volunteer efforts especially during the summer of 2019-20.

"Besides fighting fires in their own district many served right across Australia; in fact, working with bushfires, we had people that went from NSW to Kangaroo Island and Keilira," Mr Probert said.

"It's a great testament of the Australian spirit that when one of our neighbours are in strife, we go and help them out and it's great to see our local volunteers and staff recognised for the work they have put it.

"It's rare that our volunteers get the the recognition that they deserve and this is recognition from a Federal level for their work during that disastrous fire season."

CFS Assistant Chief Officer Brett Loughlin also acknowledged the service of CFS volunteers.



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Recognition for firefighting

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"The fires of 2019-20 heavily affected many of our volunteers, and the National Emergency Medal is a symbol of recognition of their sacrifices and commitment to helping Australians," Mr Loughlin said.

"Many of our volunteers deployed to Queensland, followed up with several rounds of the NSW fires, then answered the call when SA experienced some of our worst fires in many years.

"Due to the significance of these medals, with COVID restrictions in consideration, we will endeavour to present as many of the recipients their medals in person where possible," Mr Loughlin said.

The CFS expects to receive the medals in the New Year.

The medals will have a clasp inscribed with 'Bushfires 19-20'.

The National Emergency Medal criteria is defined by the Australian Government and National Emergency Medal Committee, and supported by the Governor-General.

Service must be in the protection of lives and property, or in the service of interests that are not their own, in direct response to the emergency.

Earlier this year the New South Wales Premier individually sent a Citation to CFS volunteers who served in that State fighting its bushfire in 2019.



KANGAROO ISLAND: Bulk water tanker filling with water at Kangaroo Island.



GATHERING IN NSW: Briefing of SA CFS volunteers in NSW during the 'summer of bushfires'.

LIMESTONE COAST POLICE NEWS

Extreme Speeding

A man has had his car impounded after being caught driving at high speed on Monday.

It will be alleged that just before 3.50pm on Monday, police were conducting speed detection duties on the Riddoch Highway in Glenroy when they recorded a Holden sedan travelling at 190kph in a 110kph zone.

The driver, a 28-year-old man from Mount Gambier was reported for driving at an extreme speed. His car was impounded for 28 days and he will be summonsed to appear in court at a later date.

Large Fine

A driver has received a large fine after he was caught speeding on the Riddoch Highway also on Monday.

It will be alleged that about 10.07am on Monday, patrols were conducting speed detection duties at Struan when they detected a Toyota Land Cruiser travelling at 147kph in a 110kph zone.

The driver, a 38-year-old local man was issued a \$1621 fine and seven demerit points.

Motorists are reminded that police will be strictly enforcing the 'fatal five' offences over the holiday season which can lead to fatal and serious injury crashes.



EXTREME SPEEDING: Driver was caught doing 190kpm on Riddoch Highway on Monday.

Picture: SAPOL

Man Dies From Injuries

A man has died following a crash at Greenways last week.

Just after 3pm on Tuesday, December 21, patrols and paramedics were called to the Princes Highway and Konetta Road, after a black Ford utility left the road and rolled before coming to rest in a paddock.

The driver and sole occupant, a 34-year-old man from Glenburnie, suffered serious injuries in the crash and was taken to the Mt Gambier Hospital before being transferred to Adelaide.

Sadly, the man died in the Royal Adelaide Hospital on December 23.

The man's death brings the number of lives lost on SA roads to 97 compared with 90 at the same time last year.

Investigations are continuing and anyone who witnessed the crash or has dashcam of the Ford utility prior to the crash, is asked to call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or online at www.crimestopperssa.com.au/

Four suspicious fires

Police are investigating a series of deliberately lit fires in pine plantations in

the Limestone Coast.

On November 30 at about 8pm, police and fire crews were called to Duell Road at Moorak after reports of a grass fire.

The pine plantation fire was deemed to be suspicious but the cause is undetermined at this time.

About 3pm on December 12, emergency services were called to Furness Road at Dismal Swamp after reports of a fire at a pine plantation.

The fire was deemed suspicious by fire officers.

On Monday December 27 at about 2pm, a suspicious fire was started in a pine forest off McEncroe Road at Tarpeena which burnt about five hectares of land.

A few hours later a second fire started about 400 metres north west of the original fire.

Police would like to speak with anyone who may have information relating to the suspicious fires, or who may have dashcam footage of vehicles driving in the area at the time.

Any information that may assist with these investigations, please contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or online at www.crimestopperssa.com.au – you can remain anonymous.

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NYE events planned

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WITH councils and businesses cancelling events due to changes in Covid-19 restrictions, locals and tourists will be looking for their own New Year Eve's entertainment.

The answer for many will be the humble backyard barbecue, with butchers busy ahead of the evening.

Daniel Aldersey from Mount Gambier's Margaret Street Meats said the store had been flat out.

"People will be doing more barbecues than going out to the pub," Mr Aldersey said on Wednesday.

"Everything is selling like crazy, we are waiting for the truck to come and restock everything tomorrow."

When asked what he will be doing for New Year's Eve, Mr Aldersey did not have to think twice.

"Having a barbie at home with some flavoured snags," he said.

Mount Gambier's Macs Hotel has cancelled its New Year's Eve DJ in the garden event due to the decreased capacity no longer making it viable.

The annual fireworks at Beachport have also been cancelled for the second year in a row.

Mount Gambier resident Heidi Guyett was holidaying in Beachport and said the cancellation was a disappointment.

"It is a shame the fireworks are not on, because it is an event where you can easily socially distance and still enjoy them," Ms Guyett said.



GRUBS UP: Daniel Aldersey at Margaret Street Meats said the butcher is getting more stock ahead of the New Year's Eve rush.

A free gig at the Beachport Hotel will go ahead, but as entry will be on a 'first come first served' basis you will need to get in early to get a seat.

The Robe Hotel is also pushing ahead with their 'Bangers at the Big House' DJ and band party.

Hotel manager Blake Langer said, due to the large venue and outdoor seating, the pub's event will be able to go ahead as originally planned.

The event has sold out and the 850 to 900 people expected to attend will need to show proof of vaccination before getting in.

Businesses self identify Covid cases

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BUSINESSES have taken it upon themselves to go public as Covid-19 exposure sites after SA Health announced it would only list high-risk sites going forward.

Gym F45 Training Mount Gambier last week posted a video on social media to alert members to a positive case attending a class on December 22.

"It is really difficult when you have not been given any direction and have not been through this before," said owner Lisa Fyfe in the video.

Self-assessing the exposure as casual, the gym asked staff present to follow casual contact guidelines.

The South Aussie Hotel similarly posted on their social media this week after being notified a positive case attended their Christmas Eve event.

A state-wide social media group called SA Community Known Exposure Sites was also established earlier this month in response to the State's decision.

Chief health officer Nicola Spurrier said South Australians need to adjust to living with Covid.

"The rapid rise in the number of cases in South Australia means that it is not practical to list every site where every positive case has visited, and we have changed the way we report public exposure locations accordingly," Ms Spurrier said.

Limestone Coast Covid-19 cases recorded at highest level so far

THE number of Covid-19 positive cases recorded in the South East is higher than it has ever been as the State moves to a "living with Covid" stance.

As at Wednesday this week, SA Health figures showed that the South East had 25 confirmed positive cases with 17 active at that time.

Split into local government areas, the figures showed that Mount Gambier has the highest number of confirmed positive cases at 10 with six still active, followed by Naracoorte and Lucindale council area with four confirmed positive cases and four active case.

Tatiara council area has four confirmed positive cases and three active cases while Wattle Range council area has four confirmed positive cases with two still active.

Grant district area has two confirmed positive cases and two active cases.

Kingston council area has one confirmed positive case while the Robe council has none.

Surgery cancelled

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SOUTH Australian Premier Steven Marshall has announced the cancellation of non-urgent elective surgery as a result of Covid-19 developments.

Mr Marshall said elective surgeries would be limited to Category 1 and urgent Category 2.

"We are doing this to preserve our health resource for the important task which lies ahead with the Omicron variant," Mr Marshall said.

He said the focus was now on the likely increase in hospitalisations across the state.

It follows a number of other restrictions that were re-introduced including density requirements for businesses.

Hospitality has been reduced to 25 per cent capacity with gyms reduced to one person per seven square metres.

Outdoor fitness facilities have been reduced to half capacity and home gatherings reduced from 30 to 10 people per household.

Rapid testing now available

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COVID-19 testing requirements have changed for travellers into South Australia once again.

Prior to December 26, travellers would need to provide a negative PCR Covid tests - which are conducted at official testing sites - within 72 hours of their expected arrival date. The requirements changed late last week with travellers now able to provide evidence of a negative Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) instead. RAT can be done by the individual and not at an official testing site.

It was also announced testing would only be required for those showing symptoms or those who have been identified as a close contact.

South Australian Premier Steven Marshall announced a pre-travel PCR test will no longer be conducted.

Soon after, Queensland announced it would accept a negative RAT test 72 hours prior to arrival. Currently, travellers to the Northern Territory and Tasmania must register a negative PCR test within 72 hours of arrival.

RAT tests have hit supermarket shelves in the State and Mount Gambier chemists are expecting deliveries in mid-January.

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Bluebottles beached

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BLUEBOTTLE jellyfish have been washing up on beaches around the region, causing a hazard for summer swimmers.

Sighted at Beachport, Southend, Robe and Port MacDonnell, the unwelcome visitors have arrived just in time for the beach tourist season.

Not to be confused with the potentially deadly blue-ringed octopus, bluebottle stings are not life-threatening but can be very painful to the recipient.

Dr Lisa Gershwin, director of the Australian Marine Stinger Advisory Services and an expert on jellyfish, said it was unusual for them to be spotted on South Australian beaches at all.

"They have these big populations out in the open ocean, and when the winds are just right it blows them into areas where we do not see them most of the time," Dr Gershwin said.

"We do not get them very often in South Australian waters."

If you see a bluebottle, Dr Gershwin said the best rule of thumb is do not touch them when as you can see blue on them.

"The stingers work on a hair-trigger mechanism, the owner can be well and truly dead but they can still sting," she said.

"Even if it is dead and crispy dry it can still sting you as soon as it gets moist."

"If you pick a dry one up on a hot summer's day, you may not even notice the moisture on your hand but all of a sudden it starts really stinging."

"I know it looks like they can be fun to pop, but do try to resist."

"A sting will definitely make children cry, and some adults too, like myself."



BEWARE: Keep an eye out for bluebottle jellyfish on the beach this summer.

Extra care should be taken with pets on the beach, to avoid dogs getting stung on a paw or in their mouth.

If you do get stung, official advice is to rinse with salt or sea water, and then use ice or hot water for the pain.

"A lot of people forget the sea water rinse and that is a big mistake," Dr Gershwin said.

"When you put fresh water on a marine sting like a bluebottle, it actually forces an immediate and massive discharge of all of the stinging cells that have not injected venom yet."

"And that can go very badly if that happens, it is a lot of venom to take on."

While bluebottles may be an unwelcome guest, their presence often means some other interesting, and less dangerous, sea life can end up on our beaches.

"They are just one species in a whole community of really weird stuff that travel the high seas together, and the other creatures usually wash up with them as well," Dr Gershwin said.

"These are creatures, particularly in this area, you just do not get to see very often," she said.

"If you want to walk between the bluebottles, have a look at some of these other things."

Velella or 'By-the-Wind Sailors', along with sea lizards, otherwise known as the Pokemon slug, may be spotted along the beaches as well.

Nationals to run in MacKillop

JONATHAN Pietzsch has been announced as the Nationals Party candidate for the seat of MacKillop for the upcoming State election.

The Tintinara farmer is the current president of the SA Nationals.

Mr Pietzsch said he is running to ensure that decisions that affect regional families and communities are made by people from regional families and communities.

He believes that the recent issues around cross border communities have highlighted why we need dedicated regional representation.

"I'm running for the seat because I believe regional SA needs a stronger voice - the difference [from the Liberal Party] is that the National Party is solely focused on regional issues," Mr Pietzsch said.

"I come from a conservative background and I bring those values to the way I look at policies."

Mr Pietzsch said housing was a major issue in the region.

"While I'm very keen to focus on decentralisation of regional development, we need to get the fundamentals right," he said.

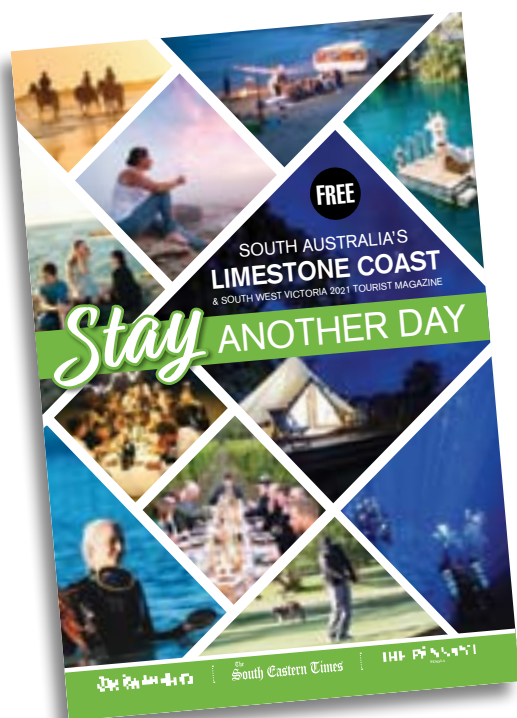
"When you can't find somewhere to live anymore in our regional communities... that's a big issue we need to address."

In response to being asked if he thinks he could win the seat, Mr Pietzsch said: "I'll give it a good crack."

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Millicent railway land offer

DISUSED railway land in the heart of Millicent is under offer, according to a Millicent real estate agent listing.

Put on the market about two years ago by the Department of Infrastructure and Transport, the land along the northern side of Railway Terrace was the site of Millicent's railway activity until trains stopped coming to the town about 25 years ago.

Also included is vacant land along the northern side of Towers Road.

Expressions of interest had been sought for the land with a total asking price of \$462,000 advertised by the real estate agent.

The zoning of the land includes a mixture of Suburban

Activity Centre (commercial) and Community Facilities. Totalling 5.2 hectares or about 12 acres, the land includes the former railway station building which is leased by Millicent's community radio station and there is also a lease in place for a telecommunications tower.

The land is registered with the Environment Protection Agency as being a contaminated site.

The land under offer does not include a private residence on Railway Terrace or the adjoining former soccer fields, the latter of which is also expected to be put on the market by the State Government after the completion of a process currently underway to revoke its community land classification.



UNDER OFFER: Twelve acres of land along the northern side of Millicent's Railway Terrace and Towers Road is under offer, including the former Millicent railway station which is currently leased by the town's community radio station.

One Nation campaigning in city

SELF described as a "centre right conservative political party", representatives of Pauline Hanson's One Nation will be in Mount Gambier on January 12.

The city will be one location on the party's road trip during January.

Other South East towns to be visited include Keith, Bordertown, Naracoorte, Penola, Millicent and Kingston.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, Paul Hanson herself will not be on the road trip.

Instead the leader of the party in South Australia, Jennifer Game will be on tour with members of the One Nation State Executive.

Ms Game said, while in Mount Gambier, party representatives would be doing a letter-box drop of the party's brochure and meeting people.

The brochure outlines the party's policies for the South Australian election in March.

Ms Game said One Nation would have candidates standing for 14 or 15 House of Assembly seats and have three candidates standing for the Legislative Council, including herself.

No candidates for the party have yet been announced for the House of Assembly in the seats of Mount Gambier or MacKillop.



LOST OPPORTUNITY: Shane Fulwood, pictured in the projection room at the Oatmill Cinema, thinks the cinema would have almost been operating at cost last Monday.

Govt flip-flop costly

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A FLIP-FLOP in government Covid-19 restrictions this week resulted in the Oatmill Cinema Complex missing out on an estimated \$8000 in revenue in one day.

Due to an increased limitation on capacity for cinemas across the state, the business was forced to turn people away from sessions on Monday when their permitted capacity was slashed from 75 per cent to 25 per cent.

With the change happening at the cinema's busiest time of year, cinema manager Shane Fulwood said the drop in tickets available to sell would have seen them lose an estimated \$8000 just on Monday.

"It was a nightmare," Mr Fulwood said.

"We had problems with people travelling from out of town, people who had booked for half the family who did not have tickets for the other half and we had to turn them away.

"We were paying double time for staff, for a

quarter of the revenue we would usually make.

"It was a day where you think we are doing it for our customers and not to make a buck.

"I do not think we would have necessarily been better off just closing, but it would have been awfully close."

But better news came on Tuesday, as Mr Fulwood said SA Health contacted the cinema to alert them to a change to re-increase capacity for seated entertainment venues.

While it may not be the lifting of capacity restrictions which were originally planned, 75 per cent capacity should allow for most movie goers to find seats, for now.

"That will make it manageable for us," he said.

"I would take 75 per cent any day of the week over 25 per cent which is difficult on patrons, and economically difficult."

When asked if he was worried about future changes in restrictions, Mr Fulwood said it was hard to understand why decisions were being made.

"If I knew why the restrictions had been changed again today, I may be able to answer that, but I honestly do not know what the difference was between today [Tuesday] and yesterday [Monday]," he said.

"The last change we only found out at 7pm the day before and people had already bought tickets for the next day.

"Because it changes so quickly, we cannot guarantee what people are expecting."

Mr Fulwood is encouraging people to have patience and to plan ahead to avoid disappointment.

"It pays for patrons, particularly if you are travelling, to either get your tickets online or ring us beforehand," he said.

"Even just getting people through the door is a slower process now, people previously could rock up three or four minutes beforehand and get into a session.

"It is taking us longer to process people now due to the extra compliance."

Vax job loss

A MOUNT Gambier resident has been left reeling from the loss of her job at Tenison Woods College due to her vaccination status.

Leanne Hunt was terminated from her position as Finance Officer at Tenison, after failing to get vaccinated before a vaccine mandate came into effect for educational settings in South Australia.

Ms Hunt had worked at Tenison since 2009 as a finance officer and feels she has been discriminated against because of her vaccination preferences.

"I am one of the not so lucky ones that has been affected by the government mandate that had to choose whether we wanted to keep our jobs or whether we wanted to get vaccinated," Ms Hunt said.

"In my initial meeting with the principal two days after it was announced, I got the strong impression the only thing they wanted to know is if I would be getting vaccinated or not.

"At that stage I had indicated that it was not my intention to get vaccinated.

"I told him I was not an anti-vaxxer, I was just anti this vaccine."

Last week she received a letter of termination from her employer, to be in effect from when her current sick leave was due to end.

Ms Hunt said she did not understand why all staff and contractors had to be vaccinated, but unvaccinated parents of school children could be on campus.

"You can still spread it, you can still get it, I just do not understand what the difference is me getting it and spreading it, versus someone who has had the vaccine," she said.

"You can go to parent teacher interviews and sit down with a teacher face to face and be unvaccinated."

Latest data from Australian health services shows all three vaccines available in Australia are safe and effective, providing at least 70 per cent effectiveness against symptomatic infection of Covid-19.

Infection risk is eight times higher in unvaccinated individuals, with the risk of hospitalisation or death being 25 times higher.

Ms Hunt said she had requested to work from home permanently and retain her position, but was not permitted to do so.

She stated she then requested to take leave without pay while assessing her options but was denied.

When asked if Ms Hunt understood why the mandate was in place, she said she did not know the right answer.

"I am not saying what [the decision] I am making for me is the correct one, but it is what I feel is correct for me," she said.

Neither Tenison Woods College or Catholic Education South Australia have responded at this stage to requests for comment.

Anzac Day assistance for Pt MacDonnell

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ANZAC Day in Port MacDonnell will be getting a helping hand from Grant District Council, after it passed a motion to provide resources to help the community co-ordinate the dawn service.

Mayor Richard Sage presented the motion on notice to elected members at the Council's December meeting.

Mr Sage indicated the Port MacDonnell Returned and Services League (RSL) would likely be folding, thus casting doubt over the future of the annual event.

Cr Brad Mann seconded the motion under the condition amendments were included limiting council staff involvement.

Elected members debated if it was council's place to be helping to run community events, and if providing staff to assist would result in deviations from the annual budget in respect to staffing resources.

Cr Shirley Little opposed the motion stating the service should be a community event only, and not the responsibility of council.

Concerns were also raised that the move could set a precedent for other towns to seek further council involvement for similar events.

Mr Sage reassured those at the meeting



TO CONTINUE: The dawn service in Port MacDonnell has been well attended in previous years.

that the event would only need limited staff assistance.

"They (Port MacDonnell community) will step up to the plate to do it themselves, with some help," Mr Sage said.

The updated motion was passed, securing the Anzac Day service as a community lead event, with some council assistance.

Council chief executive Darryl Whicker said that staff would help with minor adminis-

trative planning, but would not be required on the day of the event.

The event traditionally has been well attended by the Port MacDonnell community, with attendance numbers reaching the hundreds.

Council, along with community members, stepped in earlier this year to plan the Anzac service, after the Port MacDonnell RSL was unable to organise the event.

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Tourists flood into region

DESPITE uncertainty with restrictions due to the Covid-19 pandemic, tourists have been flooding into the region.

The sudden changes in protocols have spooked some holiday makers, but most spots in caravan parks are full for the silly season - for now.

Julie Liebelt, owner of Lakeside Tourist Park in Robe, said the cancellations have been manageable so far.

"We have had a few cancellations, but we have managed to replace them with people that are still willing to travel," Ms Liebelt said.

"We probably got, all up, 20 cancellations over Christmas and New Year's."

But Ms Liebelt is concerned about an increase in cancellations after the Boxing Day and New Year's Eve rush, and is less optimistic these spaces will be filled.

"I do not think people are going to come, purely because of the borders," she said.

"Each state premier is doing different things, and every five minutes the goal posts change.

"A lot of people have decided it is just too hard to travel this year."

Ms Liebelt has noticed a change in the public's attitude when it comes to tourism and hospitality vendors, with less patience for businesses than previously shown.

"It has been horrible, last year was a breeze, this year has been dreadful," she said.

"I was in tears the other day because you have got people demanding their money back.

"You are trying to talk to them about cancellation policies, that we will not be able to fill their cancellation on such short notice.

"They cannot see your point of view, you are still trying to make a living."

Despite this, Ms Liebelt said she does sympathise with the community.

"They have been locked up for so long, and



HOLIDAY TIME: Alaska, Digby, Sally and Dakota Bateman, Matilda Clough, Luca and Jameson Bateman and Lincoln Clough at the Beachport Southern Ocean Tourist Park.

all they want is a holiday," she said.

"And now it could be taken away from them again."

A similar level of cancellations have been seen in Beachport and Port MacDonnell, but

caravan parks are still mostly sold out.

Heidi Prouse, manager at the Beachport Southern Ocean Tourist Park, said they have filled up their spaces for the next couple weeks.

"There have been a few cancellations, but they have been easily filled," Ms Prouse said.

"There are people that are worried but they are trying to do the right thing and they are staying in their little area."

Workload results in councillors increasing staff numbers

WATTLE Range Council will increase its staffing level to cope with unprecedented work loads.

At Council's December meeting, councillors approved a budget variation of \$239,557 plus on costs of 20 per cent to recruit six new staff during this financial year and change the hours for several others, while the Council will also look to continue its recruitment with one more additional position in the following financial year and more to be considered in next year's budget.

Discussion on the subject was held in confidence due to the matter involving individual staff, but the minutes were released publicly after the meeting.

The minutes detail that, for the current financial year, Council will recruit an additional administration officer, accounts payable officer, workplace health and safety officer, and

governance officer, while an engineering services program manager and a casual rates and properties officer will also be recruited.

Changes to current positions that will be made include increasing the working hours of council's communication officer and community development officer from part time to full time, extending by 12 months the employment of a fixed term project officer and two finance graduate positions, and increasing the salary for the director of development services.

Millicent's saleyards manager's role will be reduced from full-time to part-time and casual staff will be employed to assist with peak work load around sale days.

Also, the employment of the casual weighbridge and auction clerks will be transferred from council to Millicent livestock agents.

In the next financial year, Council will also recruit an additional finance analyst/manager

and increase the remuneration level of the three building maintenance officers after they complete professional development training.

Also to be considered as part of next year's budget deliberations is the recruitment of a third general inspector and an asset management officer, and the promotion of an existing customer service officer to a new customer service team leader position, along with the procurement of an additional grader, roller, grader utility vehicle and the recruitment of two more staff to operate them.

Council chief executive officer Ben Gower said this was the first significant organisational staffing review undertaken by the council and the increases were required due to a "huge pipeline of work".

"Five years ago we had 75 projects worth \$5.5 million, now we're doing 156 projects worth \$12 million," Mr Gower said explain-

ing that the support staff had not been able to keep up.

"Wattle Range has a reputation for being a slow payer, simply because our accounts payable area is so swamped, and that means businesses quote us at higher prices to compensate."

He said the Covid-19 induced property boom had also caused pressure on positions such as rates and properties, and they were so short on planning officers that Council had to employ a consulting company in Adelaide to fill the hole while continuing changes in requirements and policies meant governance officers were "miles behind".

"Red tape requirements have gone up and there are 30 different Acts we have to comply with," he said.

Attracting staff had also forced wages to be lifted.





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THINK cherries are only a Christmas delicacy? Think again - this year cherry fans can enjoy their favourite fruit freshly picked for longer thanks to a delayed cherry season and the help of members of the Lions Club of Millicent.

Owners of the Millicent Cherry Farm, Dave and Christine Thorneycroft are grateful to members of the Lions Club of Millicent who have helped pick their cherry crop over the last two weeks and now the cherries are ready to be sold; perfect for a new year's treat.

Ms Thorneycroft said the farm had found it difficult to find pickers this year and blamed Covid-19.

"We've had trouble getting people to pick them this year, I think Covid is scaring a lot of people," said Ms Thorneycroft.

"The Lions Club came to help us pick before Christmas and they are doing the same this week; thanks so much to the Lions Club," she said.

The Thorneycrofts said the cherry season had been delayed by about a month due to the mild conditions in the lead up to the festive season.

"There's not much in supermarkets at the moment because it's been a late season; it has

not been warm enough," said Mr Thorneycroft.

"It's been uneven ripening this year; we managed to get some into Foster's Foodland before Christmas but now the warmer weather has got the rest ripening."

Two sons, Liam, 16, and Tristan, 14, have also been helping out on the farm since the Thorneycrofts moved from Kununurra in Western Australia and bought the farm from John and Lyn Scudds five seasons ago.

In Kununurra, Mr Thorneycroft worked on fruit farms and his skills have been brought to the Millicent farm which has 670 cherry trees with four varieties: merchant, van, lapin and stella.

Another 60 trees include apples, plums, peaches, grapes, apricots and pears.

The Thorneycrofts expect to pick more than 500 kilograms of cherries this year and many would be sold direct from their farm shop which also sells jams and other preserved fruits made by Ms Thorneycroft from their farm produce.

"I like to describe our cherries as the two bite cherry - they are so big, plump and juicy it takes two bites to get through them," said Ms Thorneycroft beaming with pride.



CHERRIES GALORE: Christine and Dave Thorneycroft in their cherry orchard near Millicent.

Transport department plans long awaited highway works

MARKERS along the Princes Highway between Millicent and Mount Gambier are a precursor to possible future roadwork under a \$170 million government program.

Motorists who have traversed the road over the last 12 months would have observed survey work occurring along the stretch from time to time and the result has been orange markers with pink ribbons placed at points near or within sight of the highway.

A question from The Border Watch to the South Australian Department for Infrastructure and Transport about the markers resulted in a departmental spokesperson saying: "The Australian and South Australian governments have committed \$170 million (80:20) to upgrade infrastructure at locations along the Princes Highway Corridor in South Australia.

"The Department for Infrastructure and Transport is undertaking survey works as part of a planning and design investigation for future infrastructure and road improvements."

The Princes Highway Corridor is about 700kms long and runs from the Victorian border east of Mount Gambier through to Port Augusta in the State's north.

The department said the funding was for rural segments along the corridor.

Potential upgrades include work on roundabouts and intersections, new overtaking lanes and overtaking lane extensions, road safety improvements including barrier upgrades, wide centreline treatments and audio tactile line marking, shoulder sealing, pavement reseal and rehabilitation, new and upgraded rest areas, bridge widening and safety barrier upgrades.

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Building a cohesive community in 2022

AS a community are we becoming more abusive to others?

Abusive people believe they have the right to control and bully other people.

This is brought about by their own belief that their feelings and needs should be given priority, and because they enjoy the feeling of power that abuse, and bullying gives them.

Any form of relationship between people does not include ownership of any individual (whether a spouse, or the person behind the counter at the local store).

Too often when in a relationship, an incorrect belief is formed that ownership is established, and this inevitably results in a lack of respect.

My position within our community as Mayor has given me a greater insight into how people are interacting with each other.

Recently I have noticed that people are not able to discuss issues calmly and respectfully, without directing personal insults to individuals, both written and verbal.

I have seen this first-hand, and it has had an emotional impact on those affected.

Social media as a communication platform is a powerful tool. However, it continues to be used as a destructive weapon in the negative critiquing of others without a solid foundation



Wattle Range Council Mayor Des Noll.

of facts, and in many cases an unbalanced view.

My view is that the way we treat each other is such an inherent part of our daily lives, but we no longer hold ourselves to account or see it as important to ours and others men-

tal health. In a recent Australian survey, two thirds of the participant's thought that bullying was part of the Australian culture, but only ten percent felt it should be so.

As a community we are much better than this.

This is not what we are known for. We are a community that problem solves in a constructive, respectful, and collaborative way.

Being able to listen and work together, respecting and valuing each other's perspective.

Perhaps in the last two years enduring Covid-19 as a society we have become Covid-weary.

However, Covid-19 is not an excuse; we need to maintain our values. Living by our values sets the foundation of who we really are.

Whatever challenges we face as individuals and as a community in life we must maintain our self-control and respect for each other.

As we move into the new year, it is time now to rethink how we communicate with others and unite for the betterment of our community.

These are my personal views not that of Council.

**Des Noll,
Mayor,
Wattle Range Council**

MP scorned

FEDERAL MP for Barker Tony Pasin has thrown his support behind a noisy minority – approximately 0.06 per cent of the population of Mount Gambier when he claims that we are creating two classes of Australians, the vaccinated and the unvaccinated.

It is this small group of people who have no regard for the safety of the majority of the population who are creating a separation of classes.

Mr Pasin also claims that the state is not in an emergency situation but one only has to look at the exponential growth of Covid-19 since the relaxation of restrictions by Governments (not Health Departments) to dispute that claim.

As of last weekend the Australian cases of Covid-19 have increased five-fold since borders were opened – in my mind that constitutes an emergency.

Mr Pasin's childish remark, "If it was up to Nicola Spurrier, I am pretty sure we would stop driving cars on the road because they are dangerous.", shows a lack of respect for an official who has performed admirably during a particularly trying time.

It may be too much to hope for but I expect better from our elected Federal representative.

**Brian Whittenbury,
Mount Gambier**

EDITOR'S COMMENT

AS the dawn of a new year approaches, so does the new approach to dealing with the pandemic.

Let's face it, SA Health has lost control of Covid-19.

Exposure sites are now not listed until days after an infected individual has potentially spread the virus and individuals who may have been exposed to Covid-19 are not being contacted by contact tracing teams.

With case numbers rising it appears that we now need to get accustomed to living with Covid-19 in our communities.

With that comes individual responsibilities and most importantly, respect for others.

The Border Watch is well aware of some individuals who claim it's their 'civil right' not to wear masks in indoor public places - nothing is further from the truth.

Not only is it a requirement by law but it's also putting at risk others in the community.

These selfish acts of ignorance, no doubt, have their origins in social media.

One report to this paper was a woman who walked into a shop refusing to wear a mask brandishing her phone showing a Facebook post that said shops can be fined for asking people to leave if they are not wearing a mask - what rubbish.

Everyone has the right to not get vac-

inated but every business has the lawful responsibility to adhere to the law and in turn protect the wider community.

It's not rocket science, without a mask the virus has a much better chance of spreading.

Just think about it a little harder, next time you have surgery, would you ask your surgeon and other theater medical staff not to wear a mask while operating on you?

I doubt it.

Please don't attempt to intimidate shop assistants, think of others and wear a piece of cloth over your nose and mouth - it's not too much to ask for.



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Lions give to the generous

LIONS clubs have helped ac.care share gratitude to foster carers on behalf of the community for the remarkable contribution they make to supporting young lives.

When Covid-19 concerns prevented Christmas events being held to bring carers, children and ac.care staff together to mark the end of the year, Lions clubs answered the call for donation of their iconic Christmas cakes to provide to carers.

These were distributed to carers by the ac.care staff who support them throughout the year, along with gifts for children in their homes.

More than 130 Christmas cakes were donated as part of a joint contribution in the Limestone Coast from the Lions Club of Blue Lake City Lioness, Lions Club of Mount Gambier and Lions Club of Mount Gambier City.

"These donations were a wonderful gesture from Lions clubs to help our foster care teams share their gratitude on behalf of the community to thank carers for the vital support they provide to children," ac.care foster care manager Dani Atkinson said.

The support allowed for ac.care to distribute cakes to all carers, together with toys donated from various appeals, including a wishing tree hosted by the Mount Gambier and District Community Bank, donations from national charity Good 360, which diverts surplus



LIMESTONE COAST SUPPORT: Donation of more than 130 Christmas cakes from the Lions Club of Blue Lake City Lioness, Lions Club of Mount Gambier and Lions Club of Mount Gambier City helped our Limestone Coast foster care team share gratitude on behalf of the community to thank carers for the vital support they provide to children. The cakes were presented by representatives of the three clubs to ac.care staff, including Mikayla, Nick and regional foster care manager Sherri Winter.

Picture: SUPPLIED

goods from retailers to charities, and other contributors.

"The support our foster carers provide by opening their hearts and homes to vulnerable country children is vital to keep them safe, supported and allow young people to grow, learn and thrive," Ms Atkinson said.

"We cannot thank them enough for the remarkable commitment they make by welcoming some of the most vulnerable children in our communities into their families and lives and it is inspiring to see the relationships that form, supporting foster children, but also bringing extra meaning and purpose into the

lives of many carers."

Sadly, Ms Atkinson said more foster carers were urgently needed to join the agency's network of long-term, short-term, emergency and respite carers to help support an increasing number of young people in need of safe homes and positive relationships.

Police station remains in limbo

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THE Kalangadoo police station is still closed despite the Liberal Party making an election promise to reopen it almost four years ago.

Last month in Parliament, Shadow Minister for Police Lee Odenwalder questioned Police Minister Vincent Tarzia about the Liberal's commitment to the promise.

"With Parliament now shut down until May, the divided Marshall Liberal Government has failed to honour its election commitment to reopen Kalangadoo police station," Minister Odenwalder said.

"The fact is, the Liberals made promises to the people of Kalangadoo that they simply couldn't keep.

"The Liberals were very quick to extend police station hours in Henley Beach, Glenelg and in the Premier's own seat, but have completely ignored Kalangadoo.

"Why should voters in regional areas believe that any of the Liberals' promises to them will be fulfilled?"

Labor Party MLC Clare Scriven, in a speech about regional South Australia, said blaming the delays on the pandemic was not good enough.

"I have been to Kalangadoo many times and I really do not think they are going to be buying that sort of spin," MLC Scriven said.

The SA Police (SAPOL) regional policing review has been delayed and is still unreleased, despite The Border Watch being told the report was in its final stages in September.

Minister for Police, Emergency Services and Correctional Services Vincent Tarzia said SAPOL efforts had needed to be redirected to more pressing work.

"The Covid-19 pandemic has required significant allocation of SAPOL resources, which has caused a delay to the finalisation of the regional review," Mr Tarzia said.

Mr Tarzia said he had not received draft



NOT IN USE: The Kalangadoo station has been sitting empty for years.

recommendations relating to opening or closures of any police stations.

Wattle Range Council Mayor and former police officer Des Noll said the community at Kalangadoo deserve to know one way or the other.

"The fact that they just have not been informed about what is happening is what they are upset about," Mr Noll said.

"I would just like to know an answer, and so would the community.

"They have had to wait for over three years, and that has been an issue.

"I would have thought the SAPOL organ-

isation would have been able to make this decision, especially in terms of their motto of working with the community."

Mayor Noll said any loss of police stations in Wattle Range would be a disappointment.

"There is a number of single position police stations, and we want to see them all maintained," he said.

"It is really important for our local community to have that connection with the local law enforcement agencies.

"Our communities rely on our local police people."

Electronically track firebugs

THE Labor Party has pledged to change the law to require convicted firebugs to be electronically monitored during the bushfire season if elected to government at the next election.

Labor claims, every year, up to 100 people around South Australia are considered to be a risk of lighting bushfires.

During the 2020-21 bushfire season, Operation Nomad had 35 targets deemed "high risk" and a further 44 deemed "significant risk".

Labor's plan would change the law so that convicted arsonists who pose an ongoing risk to the community face electronic monitoring throughout the fire danger season, freeing up our police and emergency services to perform other duties essential to protecting life and property.

"We have all seen in recent years the devastating fury bushfires can unleash across our state, most recently on Kangaroo Island and in the Adelaide Hills," said Shadow Minister for Emergency Services Lee Odenwalder.

"We must do everything we can to prevent bushfires starting in the first place, which is why electronic monitoring of known firebugs during bushfire season would be an effective tool."

Mr Odenwalder said "Firebugs are the lowest of the low, but they are sadly a fact of life.

"Too often during summer, significant SAPOL and emergency services resources are thrown at monitoring firebugs.

"Electronic monitoring will give police and emergency services another tool in their arsenal to protect our community."

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Weed roller on rail line

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SPRAY drift onto vineyards adjoining the new Penola to Coonawarra Rail Trail will be avoided by a new invention created by Wattle Range Council's mechanical staff.

With the Penola/Coonawarra area's fame for its wine grapes, ongoing Council maintenance of the new rail trail - being constructed along a disused railway corridor which cuts through vineyards between the two towns and beyond - had to be mindful of the vineyards.

With conventional weed spraying methods deemed unsuitable along the rail trail, due to the high potential for spray to drift onto the close-by grape vines, Council's mechanical staff put their heads together to solve the dilemma.

The result is a rolling applicator which works by having the chemicals soak onto a sponge around a roller which is then towed along the railway line to apply the chemical by rolling it direct onto weeds at ground level eliminating the need to spray from above.

Council's Director of Engineering Services, Peter Halton said the new invention was a bespoke build.

"It's not one we could get off the shelf, it is a one of a kind developed internally," he said.

He said the machine's invention was inspired by the rail trail and so its wheels were designed to accommodate the railway line, but could be swapped with conventional tyres to enable the machine's use elsewhere if required.

"We can see this having use in other areas



WEED ROLLER: Wattle Range Council mechanics, Andrew Street and Tim Whennen shown with their new invention on railway tracks where it will be ensuring spray drift onto vines does not occur.

too, in organic farming areas, for example."

Mr Halton said the new machine had already been used on the rail trail and it has proved to be effective and quick.

"With the vineyards so close, we might

have had to apply sprays by hand, with weed wands which would have been slow, but this new machine is so much quicker and effective," he said praising the inventors, Council mechanics Andrew Street and Tim Whennen.

"This is a prime example of the skills we have in our team; they have had to think outside the square and came up with this innovative and cost effective solution to the challenge."

Catholics want statues to stay in place

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STATUES at Father Woods Park north of Penola will not be moved into the town following a request from Wattle Range Council being turned down by the Catholic community.

Council consulted with the Catholic community following its November meeting which resolved to explore the possibility of moving the timber carved statues of Father Tenison Woods and Saint Mary MacKillop into Penola to alleviate Riddoch Highway traffic safety concerns and access issues at Father Woods Park.

The issues were brought to a head by plans for the Coonawarra Rail Trail, which is under construction, to include a path off the trail to access the park via an unmade road reserve through a farming property (which is opposed

by the farmer involved) to the Riddoch Highway near Father's Woods Park on the opposite side of the highway.

It was thought the move might also help to provide an economic benefit to the Penola township.

Council officers met with representatives of the Catholic Archdiocese of Adelaide, Penola's Catholic Parish and the Father Woods Park Committee.

At Council's December meeting recently, Project Manager Muni Krishna reported that the Catholic representatives were not in favour of moving the sculptures as Father Woods Park is significant to the history of Father Tenison Woods' work in the region.

The report said the Catholic representatives advised Council the park statues are being re-carved and the new sculptures would be installed in the park early in the new year.

Over the last ten years, visitor books kept by the church for the park conservatively indicate more than 34,000 people have visited Father Woods Park.

Council's report said the Catholic representatives were strongly in favour of the Coonawarra Rail Trail project with the belief that the trail and the park would complement each other and significantly increase the number of people visiting the park.

Mr Krishna reported that a story, which appeared in The Border Watch of 27 June 1883, was presented to the Catholic representatives by the Council officers as part of asking for existing signage on a huge gum tree on the edge of the Riddoch Highway, which names it as 'Father Woods Tree', be relocated to another significant tree within the park as the article reported that a storm had toppled the original Father Woods tree.

The article read: "... We hear that a cyclone

passed through the Limestone Ridge Station on the Penola and Narracoorte (sic) road, making a clean sweep of the trees in its path. Among the old monarchs of the forest that went down before it was a tree at the side of the main road, near Mrs MacArthur's home station, locally known as the Rev JET Wood's gum tree..."

Mr Krishna reported: "Although reluctant, the Church is open to the possibility of identifying another significant tree in the Father Woods Park to alleviate the safety concerns associated with crossing the Riddoch Highway [to access the currently signed tree]."

"Further discussion will be occurring about this matter with the hope that with appropriate signage we can acknowledge both the fact that services were held under the shade of the large redgum trees by Father Woods and acknowledge the fact that the original tree was lost in the major storm event back in 1883."



CATHOLICS WANT STATUES TO STAY: Wattle Range Council approached the Catholic community to consider moving statues from Father Woods Park into Penola to alleviate road safety and park access issues.

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High school formal night

The Millicent High School class of 2021 celebrated their Year 12 formal earlier this month, dressed in their finest, at the Millicent Civic and Arts Centre. **Picture: SUPPLIED BY MILLICENT HIGH SCHOOL**



PONY POWER LIGHTS TOUR: Magic the 11 year old pony driven by Laura Wadsley with Gary Anderson and Jackson, Grace and Paige Stewart and William Bohlin. Followed by Dazzler the 10 year old gelding driven by Glenda Wadsley and Denise Uphill as passenger. They were followed by Kira the six year old shetland mare driven by Lisa Clarke.

Christmas lights pony tours

WHILE most people drive their cars to view a town's Christmas lights display, Laura Wadsley harnessed up Magic 11 year old gelding pony and loaded her family into a cart and off they went on a dusk tour of Millicent with her mother and friend joining in with their ponies and carts too.

Although missing last year due to Covid-19, the ponies and their carts have been a lovely sight around Millicent at this time of year for about six years.

"The ponies like looking at the lights too," Laura said as they pulled up to admire an impressive display on Mount Gambier Road just before Christmas.

Police to hold classes at road safety school during holidays

IN JANUARY, Millicent's Road Safety School on Fifth Street will be the focus of the first ever children's road safety education program being delivered by SA Police outside of Adelaide.

Police will provide two-hour sessions to primary school aged children providing education about safe road use, including cycling safety, pedestrian safety and road rules.

Run by SAPOL in partnership with Wattle Range Council, the free sessions will be delivered in a fun, interactive way and include a visit from Jeff the Road Safety Dog.

The sessions will be on Tuesday, January 18

for five to eight year olds from 10am to noon, and again from 1pm to 3pm for nine to 12 year olds.

Another session will be held on Wednesday, January 19 for five to eight year olds from 10am to noon.

Participants are encouraged to bring their own bicycles and helmets however there will be a range of equipment supplied by SAPOL.

Bookings should be made through: <https://sapol.info/Eventbrite>

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Summer holiday program

WATTLE Range Council's summer school holiday free activities program, 'Full Throttle in Wattle', began before Christmas with more planned for much of January.

The program lists movies at Southend's Community Centre on January 10, Tantanoola's Institute Hall on January 12 and at Glencoe's public hall on January 14.

Also on January 14 there will be activities at the Millicent Library involving crafts, virtual reality goggles and Millicent's Lego Club.

These activities in the library will also be held on January 21.

On January 17, the 'Give Back to Your Community' event is a beach clean up with National Parks & Wildlife at Canunda.

At Southend on January 18 a fun day will include frisbee golf, volleyball and a sandcastle competition on the beach while in the town's community club there will be activities involving wooden crafts and virtual reality goggles.

On January 21 there will be a Teddy Bears Picnic in Millicent's Domain Parklands with activities and prizes.

At Rendelsham's Noorla Yo Long park on January 24, there will be one hour sessions for children aged eight and over involving the facility's climbing wall and high ropes.

At Beachport on January 25 a fun day on Jetty Beach will include frisbee golf, volleyball, and sandcastle competitions, while at the town's recreation centre there will be activities with virtual reality goggles, green screen and wooden crafts.

The 'Full Throttle in Wattle' program will wrap up on Friday, January 28, with a 'Day on the Lake' at the Millicent Swimming Lake featuring a blow up Ecomaze, followed by a mini Olympics and boat race, where children are invited to bring along their own unpowered self-built boat made from recycled materials.

"The program is a great celebration of summer in Wattle Range," said Council's Acting Director of Development Services, Janice Nitschke.

"We are pleased to be able to facilitate four weeks of activities for children and young people living in or visiting our region.

"Ensure you book early so you don't miss out."

The full Summer School Holidays Program is available on council's website.

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Notice is hereby given that Wattle Range Council pursuant to Section 33 of the Road Traffic Act 1961, declares that Railway Terrace, Beachport (from Foster Street to Beach Road) be closed to vehicular traffic from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm on Saturday, 8 January 2022 for the purpose of facilitating the Beachport Market Day.

Ben Gower
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Beef market to tighten

world's most influential markets as a major producer, consumer, importer and exporter of beef – would alter global trade flows and have implications for other “trade exposed beef nations”, including Australia.

The report said while US beef production is

Despite contracting production – and

US beef exports are forecast to increase by between two and four per cent in 2022, according to report co-author, Rabobank senior animal proteins analyst Angus Gidley-Baird.

“Markets in Japan, South Korea, Mexico and Canada continue to remain for US beef, but it is the growth in exports to China that is driving the rising US export volumes, with China now the third largest export destination for the United States,” he said.

US beef exports to China rose to 29,000 tonnes in September, up from 19,000 tonnes in March.

Australian beef exports to China in September came in at 12,345 metric tonnes shipped weight.

Mr Gidley-Baird said the growth in US beef exports to China had been supported by limited export supply out of Australia – “due to our herd rebuild process and reduced cow slaughter” – along with disruption to export supply from Argentina and Brazil, and a growing demand for high-quality beef in China.

The expansion of US beef exports into China is set to stay, the report said, with the US meeting China's growing demand for higher-quality beef.

“To date, the US has been able to maintain its exports to other key markets, including Japan and South Korea, despite the growing volumes it is exporting to China,” Mr Gidley-Baird said.

“With strong domestic beef prices in the US though – along with contracting US beef production and growth into the Chinese market – competition for US beef is expected to remain strong and keep prices firm.

"This will set a benchmark in the global market, with strong prices further compounded by ongoing limited supplies from Australia and current disruption to export from Brazil and Argentina."

As tight as the 2022 market appears, it may just be the precursor to a bigger event in 2023, the report said.

“With the increased level of US cow slaughter expected to continue, and the decline in production not expected to reverse until 2023 or beyond – compounded by limited export supplies from Australia – global beef markets are on a tightening trend,” Mr Gidley-Baird said.

For Australia, the report said forecasts for favourable seasonal conditions in the coming months would support strength in producer demand and provide support for young cattle prices.

“However, with the US, South Korea and Japanese import prices not showing the same increase through September and October as we saw in earlier months, finished cattle prices may see a cap on further increases,” Mr Gidley-Baird said.

The report notes that post-drought herd rebuilding efforts in Australia remain sluggish – limiting export opportunities – with east coast weekly slaughter numbers for the four weeks to the end of October down 24 per cent on the five-year average, with female slaughter numbers a relatively high proportion of the total.



REPORT CO-AUTHOR: Rabobank senior animal proteins analyst Angus Gidley-Baird.

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Farm

Charges over koala killing

THE owner of a Cape Bridgewater property and two companies have been charged with 253 animal cruelty offences for their alleged involvement in clearing the property in Victoria's South West which disturbed more than 200 koalas including at least 70 which were injured and killed or had to be euthanised.

The landowner faces 126 charges under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986 and the Wildlife Act 1975, including 18 aggravated cruelty charges for causing fatal injuries.

A forest and earthmoving business is facing the same 126 charges.

The man and business are accused of clearing habitat which wounded and caused unreasonable pain or suffering to dozens of koalas.

They are also charged with destroying koalas which are a protected species.

A separate contracting business has also been charged with one cruelty offence under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act 1986 for disturbing the koala population.

The charges follow a complex investigation by the Conservation Regulator after Forest and Wildlife Officers responded to reports of injured and starving koalas at the Cape Bridgewater property in February last year.

A crime scene was established and a triage centre set up to assess the koalas.

Sadly, 21 koalas were found dead on site and 49 koalas had to be euthanised.

It is alleged that following assessment of the deceased and euthanised animals, 70 koalas were identified as experiencing, or likely to experience, pain or suffering in the form of starvation and/or dehydration, and 25 of those koalas had also sustained fractures.

More than 120 koalas were released directly from the incident site back into the wild, with more than 70 animals taken into care and of those around 60 were released from care into the wild.

The maximum penalty for one charge of aggravated animal cruelty leading to death is \$218,088 for a business, and \$90,870 or two years imprisonment for an individual.

The maximum penalty for one charge of animal cruelty is \$109,044 for a business, and \$45,435 or 12 months jail for an individual.

The maximum penalty for one charge of illegally hunting, taking or destroying protected wildlife is \$9,087 and/or six months imprisonment.

An additional fine of up to \$908 per head of wildlife may also apply.



Picture: FILE PICTURE

The matter is listed for the Portland Magistrates Court on February 22.

Chief Conservation Regulator, Kate Gavens said: "We understand the community's concerns about this case and we have ensured a thorough investigation which led to these charges."

"Our investigation included gathering a large volume of evidence from the crime scene, as well as mobile devices and witness statements."

"Techniques such as forensic radiography and pathology were undertaken on all deceased animals discovered on the property to assist in determining when and how the animals died."

"Animal cruelty and destruction of protected wildlife are serious offences and the Conservation Regulator is continuing its focus on detecting and investigating these crimes."

The Conservation Regulator oversees the regulation of wildlife, forests and public land in Victoria.

Strong ambitions for farming to reach \$100b

AUSTRALIA'S farm sector has recorded strong progress this year towards its ambition to become Australia's next \$100 billion industry, according to an annual snapshot released last week by the National Farmers' Federation (NFF).

NFF President Fiona Simson said farmers had overcome numerous challenges to post another record-breaking year.

"Official forecasts have us on track to exceed \$78 billion in farm production for

the first time this financial year," Ms Simson said.

"This is despite the disruptions and setbacks of Covid-19, labour shortages, and a mouse plague in eastern Australia."

"This shows us that the drivers which underpin our growth are solid."

"Farming is a sustainable, long term growth opportunity for Australia that we must continue to seize."

Government AdBlue deal welcomed by NFF

FEDERAL Industry, Energy and Emissions Reduction Minister, Angus Taylor, last week announced a government agreement with fertiliser manufacturer Incitec Pivot to secure local production of refined urea for the supply of diesel exhaust fluid (AdBlue) in Australia.

"This is a welcome relief to potential supply disruptions to AdBlue that is used in some farm machinery and on-road vehicles used by farmers," National Farmers Federation (NFF) Chief Executive Officer Tony Mahar said.

"We commend the Federal Government and Minister Taylor for acting decisively to secure domestic sources of urea for the production of AdBlue."

"Along with the stock already on hand, new shipments secured in the last month, and domestic capabilities coming online, farmers and the agricultural sector can move back to a business as usual approach without the fear of supply chain disruptions," Mr Mahar said.

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The event, which is hosted by Grain Producers SA and Livestock SA, was to be held in

Livestock SA acting chief executive officer Libby Tedstone said the continued uncertainty and potential safety implications for the event's participants with the Omicron variant were key concerns, so both organisations felt

“The event is crucial in communicating the policy priorities and objectives of both organ-

"As has come to be expected from Growing SA, we will be providing the highest level of insights into policy development, business and economic trends, and commodity research as well as the chance to network with industry and policy decision makers."

See the tools at www.drsat.com.au (DRSAT) and climateservicesforag.in-draweb.io (CSA).

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2500

Casterton Annual Angus Steer Weaner Sale

Tuesday 11th January 2022, commencing at 8.30 am

2500

THE GUMS (EU) (NUT)

160 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

BAROONA (NUT)

150 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

WYANDRA (EU) (NUT)

150 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus/ Banquet blood

GLENCAIRN (ELD)

150 Angus & Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo Blood

SUNNYSIDE (NUT)

100 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo & Nampara blood

RIVERDALE (NUT)

100 Angus Steers, Weaned, Banquet & Dollar Angus blood

ULONGA (NUT)

100 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

MARLAN (EU) (NUT)

90 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

FOREST VIEW (EU) (NUT)

90 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

MARY VALE (EU) (NUT)

90 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

WANDO PONDS (NUT)

80 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo & Pathfinder blood

METERANVALE (NUT)

80 Angus & Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

MULLAGH (NUT)

70 Angus steers, Weaned, Barwidgee blood

BATALON (NUT)

60 Angus & Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

PINEGROVE (NUT)

60 Angus Steers, Nampara, Weaned, Weeran & Glentanner blood

TORA DOWNS (NUT)

60 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

WOODLANDS (EU) (NUT)

50 Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

WONDOOMA (EU) (NUT)

50 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

AUTO FARM (EU) (NUT)

50 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

HILLVIEW (NUT)

50 Angus steers, Weaned, Boonaroo & Lowana blood

AIGLE (NUT)

45 Angus Steers, Dollar angus blood

LINDISFARNE (NUT)

40 Angus Steers, Weaned, Stoney Point / Dollar Angus Blood

FAIRVIEW (ELD)

40 Angus Steers, Weaned, Athlone South blood

SHADY GLEN (NUT)

35 Angus Steers, Weaned, Banquet blood

WELBANITE (EU) (NUT)

35 Angus x steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

WESTRAL (EU) (NUT)

35 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo / Banquet &

Nampara blood

CLOVERDALE (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus & Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo / Dollar

Angus blood

CASTERVIEW (NUT)

30 Angus Steers, Weaned, Glatz & Pathfinder blood

INGLEWOOD (NUT)

30 Angus Steers, Weaned, Glatz Black Angus blood

WILLBROOK FIVE (EU) (NUT)

30 Angus Steers, Weaned, Weeran blood

KILLARA (EU) (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

SUMMERGLEN (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

GUNADOO (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

WYUNA (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Banquet / Dollar Angus blood

LONGLANDS (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Barwidgee blood

BRIMBI (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

JOCALM (NUT)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

ERIN VALLEY (ELD)

25 Angus Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

GATUM (EU) (NUT)

25 Murray Grey Steers, Weaned, Lindsay blood

PINDARI (NUT)

20 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

YALLAMBEE (NUT)

20 Angus & Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

KASINO PARK (ELD)

20 Angus Steers, Weaned Boonaroo blood

KILDARE (ELD)

20 Angus Steers, Athlone South blood

MAJORS CREEK (EU) (NUT) 20

Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

McQUARRY PARK (EU) (NUT)

15 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

HILL VALE (NUT)

15 Angus steers, Glatz & Boonaroo blood

SOUTHDENE ESTATE (ELD)

14 Angus Steers, Weaned

SANDFORD FLATS (NUT)

10 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

BIMBADEEN (NUT)

10 Angus Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

KASINO PARK (ELD)

20 Angus Steers, Weaned Boonaroo blood

WANNELGLEN (NUT)

10 Angus Steers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

SHALLUM (EU) (ELD)

10 Angus x Steers, Weaned

AARONLEA (ELD)

10 Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo Blood

KENWYN (NUT)

5 Angus x Steers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

FASSIFERN (NUT)

5 Angus x Steers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

1200

Casterton Annual Hereford Steer Weaner Sale

Wednesday 12th January 2022, commencing at 8.30 am

1200

TARONGA (EU) (ELD)

150 Poll Hereford Steers, Weaned Taronga blood

GLENCAIRN (ELD)

150 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Melville Park, Injemira & Yarram Park Blood

WARONGA (EU) (ELD)

125 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Bowmont & Yarram Park Blood

SHALLUM, (EU) (ELD)

100 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Injemira,

Melville Park, Taronga Blood

ROSEBANK (EU) (ELD)

80 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Wilkah & Injemira Blood

60 Simmental Steers, Weaned, Woonalee & Grangeburn Blood

WATERLOO AG (NUT)

80 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Injemira blood

KARINGAL (EU) (NUT)

50 Hereford Steers, Weaned,

Injemira & Yarram Park Blood

GLENAULIN (NUT)

40 Hereford / Simmental x Steers,

Tugulawa blood

SUTHERLAND HILLS (EU) (NUT)

40 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Yarram Park / Melville Park blood

STRATHLEA (EU) (NUT)

35 Poll Hereford Steers, Weaned, Melville Park blood

BUTCHERS (EU) (NUT)

30 Poll Hereford Steers, Weaned, Taronga blood

SUNNINGDALE (NUT)

30 Hereford & Hereford x Steers, Banemore blood

GLENSIDE (EU) (NUT)

25 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Banemore blood

SPRINGBANK (ELD)

25 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Ennerdale Blood

WILKAH (EU) (NUT)

25 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Wilkah blood

VILLAGE VIEW (EU) (NUT)

20 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Banemore blood

CEANDA (EU) (NUT)

15 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Wilkah blood

WYUNA (NUT)

10 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Injemira blood

FASSIFERN (NUT)

5 Hereford Steers, Weaned, Taronga blood

2000

Casterton Annual Heifer Weaner Sale

Thursday 13th January 2022, commencing at noon

2000

1400 ANGUS & ANGUS X HEIFERS:

NANGANA (NUT)

140 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Banquet blood

BAROONA (NUT)

120 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

WYANDRA (EU) (NUT)

100 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus/Banquet blood

ULONGA (NUT)

100 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

BATALON (NUT)

60 Angus & Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

WANDO PONDS (NUT)

50 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder & Boonaroo blood

GLENCAIRN (ELD)

50 Angus & Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo Blood

CLOVERDALE (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus & Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo / Dollar Angus blood

THE GUMS (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

MARLAN (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

FOREST VIEW (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

CARINYA (EU) (NUT)

40 Angus & Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

LINDISFARNE (NUT)

40 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Stoney Point / Dollar Angus blood

INGLEWOOD (NUT)

40 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Glatz Black Angus blood

WONDOOMA (EU) (NUT)

35 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

SHADY GLEN (NUT)

35 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Banquet blood

WELBANITE (EU) (NUT)

35 Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

AIGLE (NUT)

30 Angus Heifers, Dollar Angus blood

CASTERVIEW (NUT)

30 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Glatz & Pathfinder blood

ROSEBANK (EU) (ELD)

30 Simmental Heifers, Weaned, Woonalee & Grangeburn blood

SUNNYSIDE (NUT)

30 Angus Angus Heifers, Weaned,

Boonaroo & Nampara blood

AUTO FARM (EU) (NUT)

25 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

GUNADOO (NUT)

25 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

PINDARI (NUT)

25 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

ERIN VALLEY (ELD)

25 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo Blood

FAIRVIEW (ELD)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Athlone South Blood

JOCALM (NUT)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

MARY VALE (EU) (NUT)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

MULLAGH (NUT)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Barwidgee blood

WILLBROOK FIVE (EU) (NUT)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Weeran blood

TORA DOWNS (NUT)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

KASINO PARK (ELD)

20 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo Blood

BRIMBI (NUT)

15 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

WOODLANDS (EU) (NUT)

15 Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo blood

LONGLANDS (NUT)

15 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Barwidgee blood

KILDARE (ELD)

15 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Athlone South Blood

SOUTHDENE ESTATE (ELD)

15 Angus Heifers, Weaned

GATUM (EU) (NUT)

15 Murray Grey Heifers, Weaned, Lindsay blood

SANDFORD FLATS (NUT)

10 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

KENWYN (NUT)

10 Angus x Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

WANNELGLEN (NUT)

10 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Dollar Angus blood

WESTRAL (EU) (NUT)

10 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Boonaroo / Banquet & Nampara blood

SHALLUM (EU) (ELD)

10 Angus x Heifers, Weaned

McQUARRY PARK (EU) (NUT)

10 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

BIMBADEEN (NUT)

5 Angus Heifers, Weaned, Pathfinder blood

600 HEREFORD & POLL HEREFORD HEIFERS:

WORANGA(EU) (ELD)

90 Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Bowmont & Yarram Park Blood

TARONGA (EU) (ELD)

80 Poll Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Taronga Blood

GLENCAIRN (ELD)

50 Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Melville Park, Injemira & Yarram Park Blood

MELVILLE PARK (EU) (ELD)

50 Hereford/Poll Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Melville Park, Bowen, Courallie Blood

ROSEBANK (EU) (ELD)

50 Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Wilkah & Injemira Blood

BUTCHERS (EU) (NUT)

40 Poll Hereford Heifers, Weaned, Taronga blood

SHALLUM (EU) (ELD)

COMICS

Bottled Fruit



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Doodley Squat



WuMo



Against the Grain



Bushy Tales



Swamp



Insanity Streak



Ballard Street



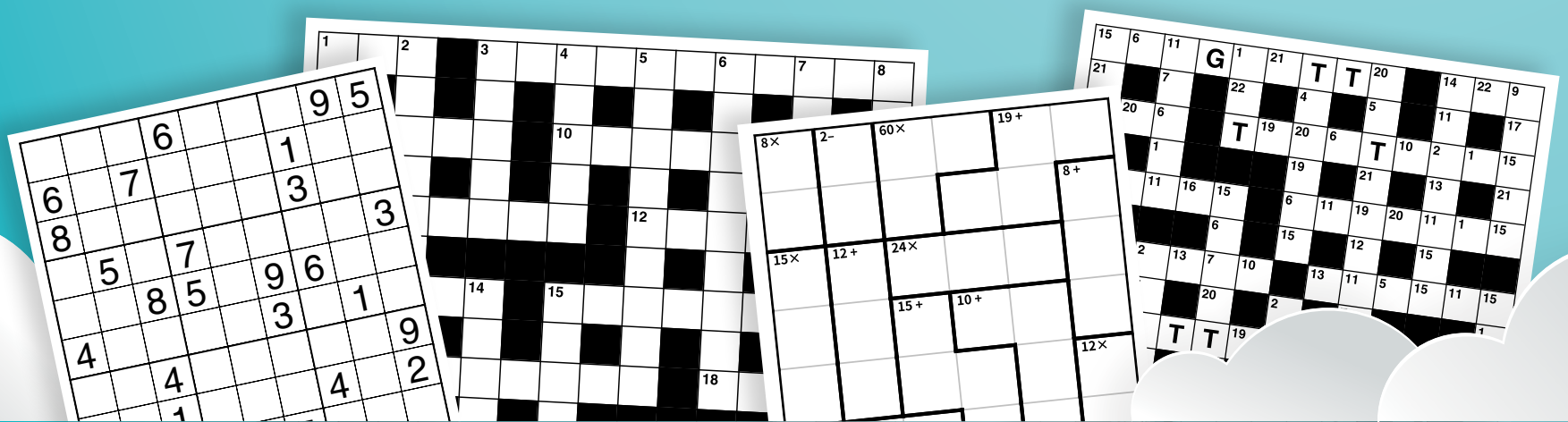
Chad and Squeaky settle after a celebratory early evening.

Grin Bin



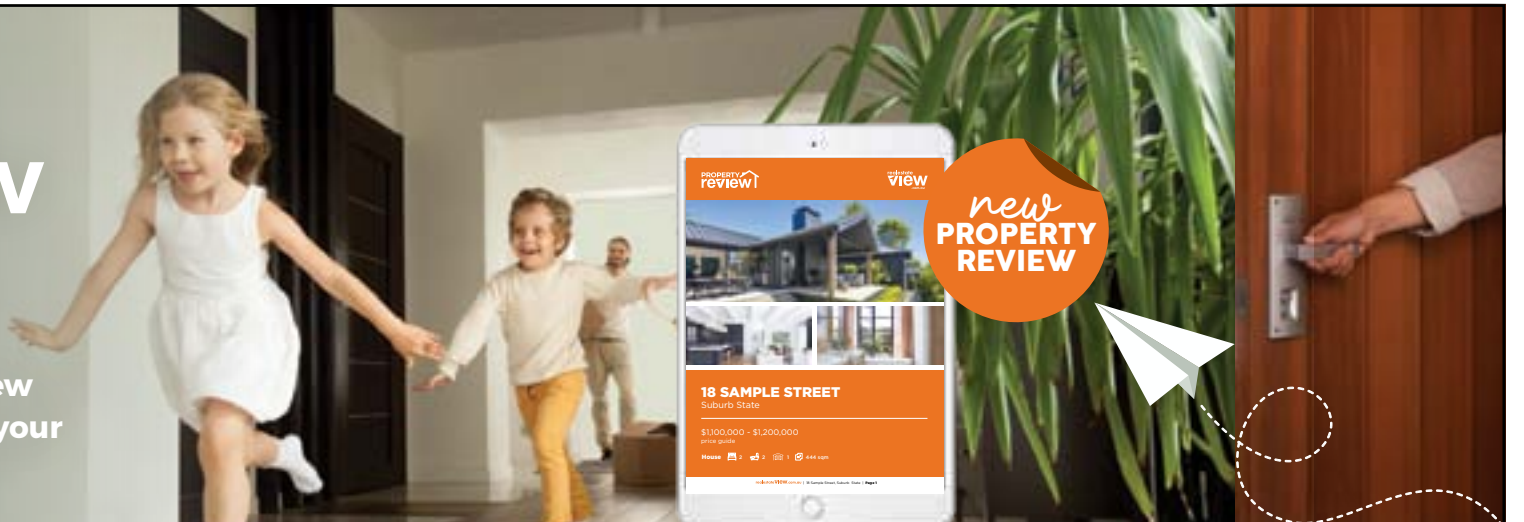
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SUDOKU

No. 060

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

easy

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					5	7		

medium

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hard

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easy

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medium

4	5	3	1	6	2	9	8	7
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hard

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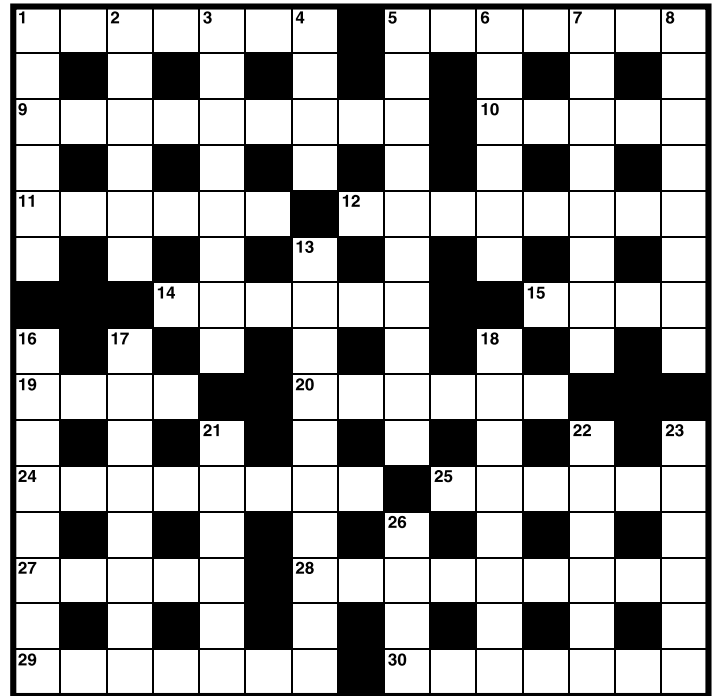
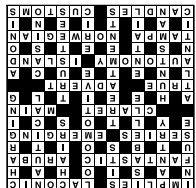
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ACROSS

- 1 Suggests (7)
- 5 Expressing much in few words (7)
- 9 Terrific (9)
- 10 Caribbean Sea island (5)
- 11 Sequence (6)
- 12 Becoming prominent (8)
- 14 Red wine (6)
- 15 Most important; major (4)
- 19 Not false (4)
- 20 Commercial (6)
- 24 Self-government (8)
- 25 Water-surrounded land mass (6)
- 27 Florida port (5)
- 28 From Oslo, e.g. (9)
- 29 Sources of light made with wax (7)
- 30 Traditions (7)

DOWN

- 1 Brew; steep (6)
- 2 Food cupboard (6)
- 3 Female name (8)
- 4 Places oneself on a chair (4)
- 5 Railway vehicle (10)
- 6 Objects for sitting (6)
- 7 Maritime (8)
- 8 Replenishing (a battery) (8)
- 13 Medications given to a patient (10)
- 16 Second largest ocean in the world (8)
- 17 Large Australian spider (8)
- 18 Members of a trust (8)
- 21 Require (6)
- 22 Gambling house (6)
- 23 Ancient Greek figure of beauty (6)
- 26 Australian actor — Bana (4)



DECODER

No. 060

24	16	19	7	1	23	19	7	11		8	12	5
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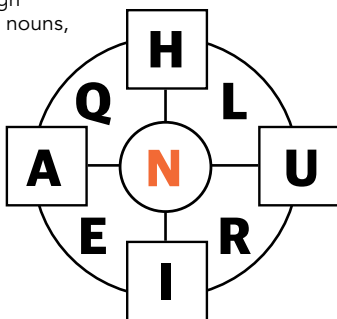
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9-LETTER WORD

Using the nine letters in the grid, how many words of four letters or more can you list? The centre letter must be included and each letter may only be used once. No colloquial or foreign words. No capitalised nouns, apostrophes or plural words ending in "s".

Today's Aim:

- 16 words: **Good**
- 24 words: **Very good**
- 33 words: **Excellent**



alien, earm, elan, HARLEQUIN, hermia, inhale, inhale, inure, lain, lane, lean, learn, lien, line, linear, liner, lunar, nail, near, neural, quer, rain, ran, rein, renal, ruin, ruin, ulna, ulnae, unreal, urnal, urine

WORDFIT

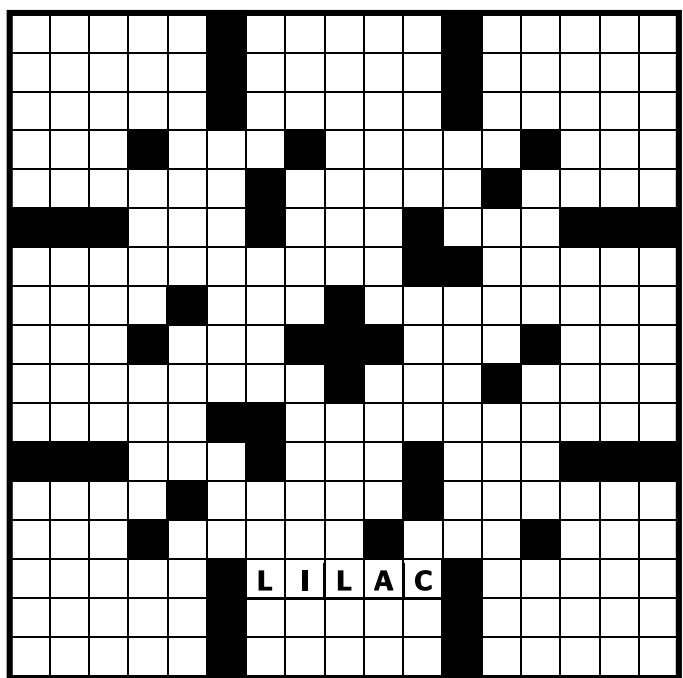
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3 LETTERS

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- ADS
- ARE
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- HOG
- ICE
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- TWO
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4 LETTERS

- ACTS
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- RELAX
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- SEATS
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- SLAPS
- SLEEP
- SLEET
- STRAW
- STUDS
- TABOO
- TIDAL
- TOAST

- TREAT
- ULTRA
- VERSE
- WAGER
- WASPS
- WHITE
- WISPS

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8 LETTERS

- DIVISIVE
- ESCAPADE
- IRRITATE
- PARROTED

6 LETTERS

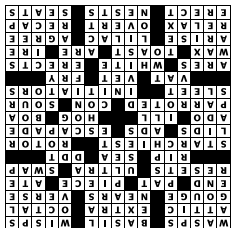
- ERECTS
- RESETS

7 LETTERS

- ARREARS
- ASPHALT

10 LETTERS

- INITIATORS
- STARCHIEST



5x5

No. 060

S		A		E
	A		O	
E		I		E
	L		U	
D		I		Y

Insert the missing letters to make 10 words – five reading across the grid and five reading down.

NOTE: more than one solution may be possible

Y	S	I	V	D
M	U	B	T	A
E	T	I	T	E
N	O	L	A	T
E	C	A	L	S

QUICK QUIZ



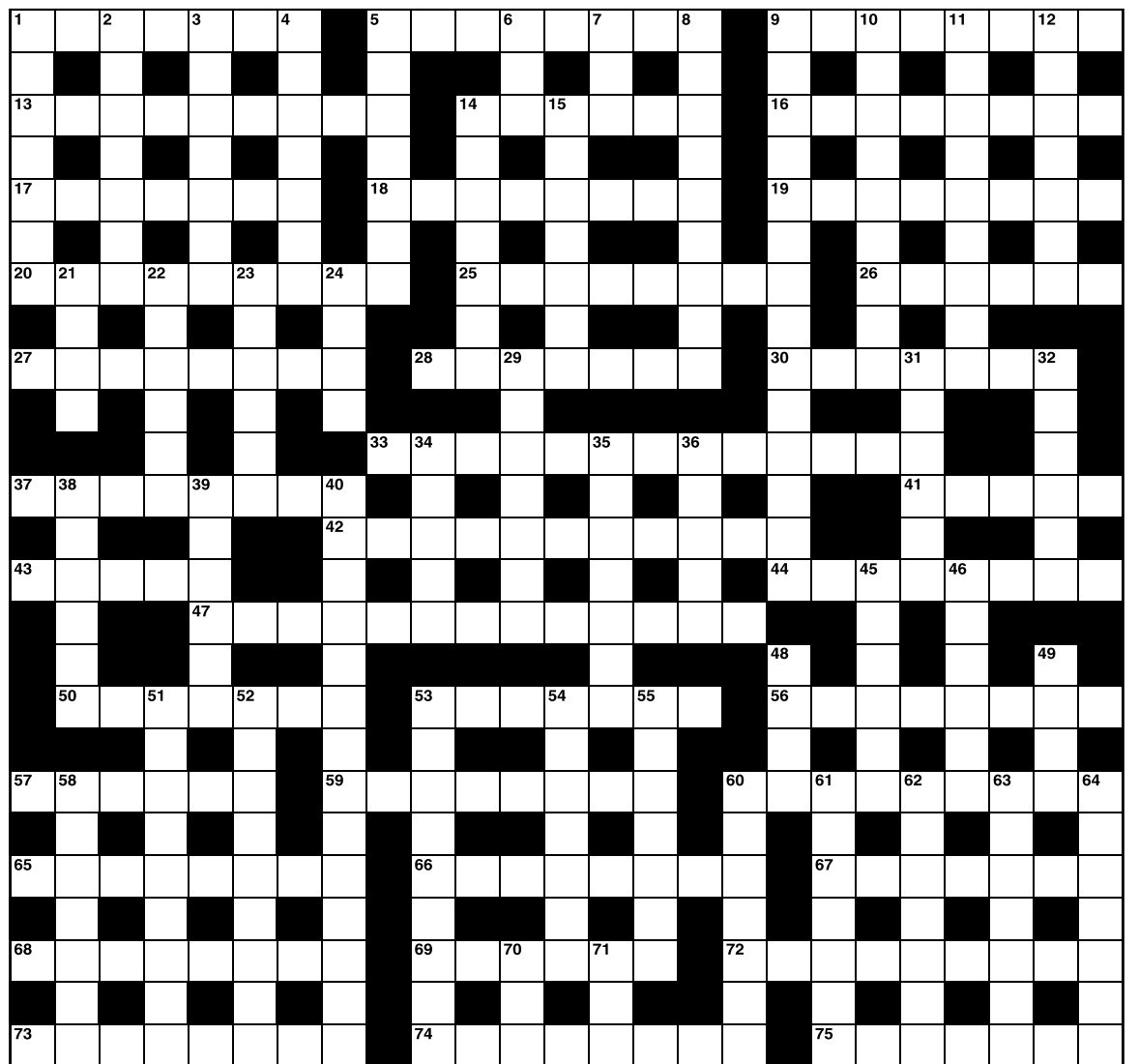
- 1 Who was Player of the Match in the 2020 ICC Women's World Cup Final?
- 2 Which US band released the 2020 album *Women in Music, Pt. III*?
- 3 Dan Levy is best known for his work on which sitcom?
- 4 The Battle of Hampton Roads was an important naval battle during which war?
- 5 Who voiced Mulan in the 1998 Disney film?
- 6 Bah Ndaw was inaugurated as president of which African country in 2020?
- 7 Yvonne Strahovski (pictured), Asher Keddie and Marta Dusek star in which 2020 TV series?
- 8 Who served as leader of New Zealand's National Party for just 53 days in 2020?
- 9 Which of Donald Trump's former lawyers wrote the memoir *Disloyal: A Memoir*?
- 10 Chris Rock plays Loy Cannon in which TV crime anthology?

ANSWERS: 1. Alyssa Healy 2. HAIM 3. Schitt's Creek 4. The American Civil War 5. Ming-Na Wen 6. Milla Jovovich 7. Star Trek: Voyager 8. Todd Muller 9. Michael Cohen 10. Fargo

No.024

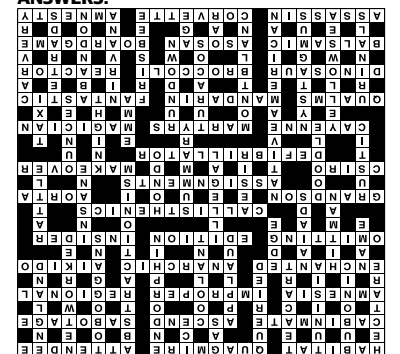
1 Home (7)
5 Bog (8)
9 Eventgoer (8)
13 Camp friend (5,4)
14 Climb (6)
16 Deliberate
destruction (8)
17 Loss of recall (7)
18 Unseemly (8)
19 Local; zonal (8)
20 Amy Adams fairytale
movie (9)
25 Lawless (8)
26 Japanese martial art (6)
27 Leaving out (8)
28 Publication (7)
30 One with special
advantage (7)
33 Light gymnastics (13)
37 Son's son (8)
41 Blood carrier (5)
42 Tasks (11)
43 Australian research
organisation (1,1,1,1,1)
44 Revamp (8)
47 Medical apparatus (13)
50 Spice (7)
53 Executed for beliefs (7)
56 Sorcerer (8)
57 Misgivings (6)
59 Chinese language (8)
60 Terrific (9)
65 Prehistoric reptile (8)
66 A green vegetable (8)
67 Nuclear device (7)
68 Type of vinegar (8)
69 Japanese volcano (6)
72 Monopoly, Scrabble,
Risk etc. (5,4)
73 A murderer (8)

- 1** Unit of land area (7)
- 2** Plague (7)
- 3** African nation bordering the Mediterranean (7)
- 4** Trolley from which hot beverages are served (7)
- 5** Asked (7)
- 6** Fuel (3)
- 7** Slang for diamonds (3)
- 8** Natural chemical released after exercise (9)
- 9** Theory of abstract art (14)
- 10** Snow transport (9)
- 11** Socialised (9)
- 12** Constituent country of the United Kingdom (7)
- 14** Praise (7)
- 15** Substance that reduces temperature (7)
- 21** Identify (4)
- 22** Hired killer (coll) (3-3)
- 23** Water nymphs (6)
- 24** Border (4)
- 29** Contrary to law (7)
- 31** Crazy (6)
- 32** Vibrate (6)
- 34** Norse gods (5)
- 35** Brief, concise version (7)
- 36** John Wayne movie (5)
- 38** Country (6)
- 39** Scribble (6)
- 40** Cherokee, Apache, Navajo etc. (6,8)
- 45** Caballero (6)
- 46** Imperial measurement (6)
- 48** Former yellow Wiggle (4)
- 49** Cab (4)



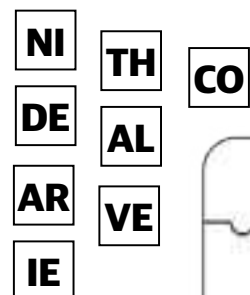
- 51** Sea near China (6,3)
- 52** Involuntary eyeball movement (9)
- 53** Highest mountain in the Alps (4,5)
- 54** Large African birds (7)
- 55** Fallen into disrepair (3-4)
- 58** Men's toilets (7)
- 60** Throwing disc (7)
- 61** Absolute blessedness (7)

ANSWERS:



No.024

Place each of the tiles of letters into the blank jigsaw below to create four six-letter words going across and down.

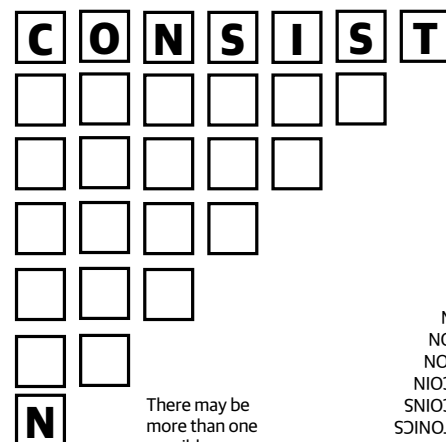


There may be more than one solution

ANSWERS: DENIAL, DEARTH, ALCOVE, THIEVE

No.020

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:

Christina Applegate

1. Applegate's breakout role was in which sitcom?
A. *Who's The Boss?*
B. *Married... With Children*
C. *Growing Pains*
D. *Family Ties*

2. Applegate played the lead role in which comedy series?

A. *Veronica Mars*
B. *Samantha Who?*
C. *Veronica's Closet*
D. *Suddenly Susan*

3. Applegate's co-star in the series *Dead To Me*, Linda Cardellini, is from which teen show?

A. Beverly Hills, 90210
B. Degrassi High
C. Dawson's Creek
D. Freaks And Geeks

4. Which famous movie did Applegate star in a reboot of?

A. *The Pink Panther*
 B. *National Lampoon's Vacation*
 C. *Mad Max*
 D. *Ghostbusters*

5. Applegate's husband is the founding member of which band?

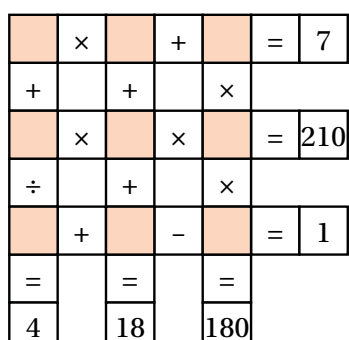
which band?

- A. Porno For Pyros
- B. Soundgarden
- C. Nine Inch Nails
- D. Stone Temple Pilots



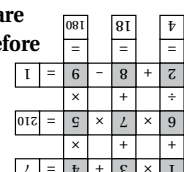
ANSWERS: 1B, 2B, 3D, 4B, 5A.

No. 24



Insert each number from 1 to 9 in the shaded squares to solve all the horizontal and vertical equations.

Multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction. T



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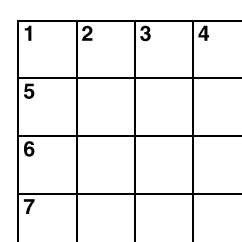
The starting letter could be in any segment, and all subsequent letters are able to be connected following a path through the gaps in the walls. You may only enter each of the segments once, and all letters must be used.

HINT: The answer is a phrase.



ANSWER: A DROP IN THE OCEAN

No. 020



ACROSS: 1. Fall, 5. Area, 6. Neon, 7. Sand.
DOWN: 1. Fans, 2. Area, 3. Lion, 4. Land.

1 Drop
5 Opera song
6 Chemical element
7 Stuff in an hourglass

- 1 Admirers
- 2 Length times width
in maths
- 3 Roaring animal
- 4 '— ahoy!'

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As *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!* returns on home soil, Julie Morris reflects on the show's appeal. She tells **Danielle McGrane** why this season feels different from any other year.

Julie Morris is grateful. She's grateful for the simple things: "I'm feeling amazing today because I woke up alive. When you consider the year we've just had, that's a pretty good outcome." She's also grateful to be hosting *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!* for the eighth time.

"We are so thrilled to be back," she said.

"When we first started the show, Ant and Dec had done something like 15 series of the UK version, and I just thought 'Surely we won't be that lucky', but we're here at series eight and it doesn't feel like it's run its course yet."

While the reality show has returned, it does look a little different. For the second year in a row, it's filmed at home in Australia because of the pandemic.

Luckily, there is a set all ready and waiting, as the UK version has been filming at Murwillumbah, NSW, since its inception.

"We couldn't be more thrilled that it's all set up for us and that we can still do this show," Morris said.

"That's the bit we can't believe. Certainly Ant and Dec and the team know we've been looking after it and keeping it ready and fresh for when they do return. It's like house sitting, we're jungle sitting for Ant and Dec."

But, while she's grateful, there's still a longing to return to South Africa where the Australian version of the show first set up camp.

"We are dying to go back to our jungle home in Africa," she said.

"Where it's filmed in the Kruger National Park, it creates a sense that the celebrities have absolutely no idea what's coming next. Everything is not normal."

"There's something about flying to another country, and being transported to some of the most exquisite land that there is, that puts you into more of a sensation of 'I have no idea what's coming next'."

However, nobody was complaining when they got the call up to take part in this year's show.

In the middle of 2021, celebrities including an AFL star, a comedian, a country singer, a beauty queen and a famous chef took part in filming the show. And it couldn't have come at a better time.

"We've got a couple of live artists who are extraordinary, where I'd have never thought in a million years that they'd



Dynamic duo: Chris Brown and Julie Morris host *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!*

come into the jungle, and now we get to know them," Morris said.

"There must have been a certain sense of relaxation knowing that they were going to be able to provide for their families, particularly the live artists, who were probably wondering when live venues were going to come back."

In a sense, being in the jungle was really just a pressure-cooker version of living through lockdown.

"Things in the past that would have annoyed them, like doing nothing and being in the camp, they relished that because they knew they were at least making a television show," she said.

"I felt like this year it's definitely about 'What am I able to achieve?' for the celebrities. It's more of a personal journey they're letting us in on."

It's impressive in this age of streaming that *I'm a Celebrity* still pulls in a lot of viewers every year. Morris puts it down to the contestants.

"It's only to do with the people we get, I reckon, because every single year is a different combination," she said.

"You are not seeing the same set of thoughts or the one type of person. The cast is so meticulously chosen, right up to the day they go into the jungle. And what we've got this year, that's different to other years is a combination of incredible kindness [and] a year and a half of low-level sadness."

"I found this year everybody came with a heavy heart – celebrities, our crew – people have been through a lot. So not only is it going to bring some joy in January to watch, it brought a lot of joy to everybody working on it."

Kindness and humour are a major part of the show's appeal, according to Morris – unlike other reality shows.

"Watching fighting on television is not my sort of television," she said.

"So this is a reality show that's a comedy. Sometimes there's such a mean streak that runs through the genre and we don't have that mean

streak. Obviously there's us trying to make people eat cows' eyeballs and stuff but I felt like the celebrities who are going into the jungle this year, they knew what was coming."

It's a show she thinks everyone will enjoy watching together as we start to emerge from lockdown.

"People have definitely been in their own bubbles so they can come out of their bubble and have this shared experience of watching this show together," she said.

"It's literally the only time I can get my children to sit down and watch anything I've done. The jungle is the one thing that they'll watch. And they're teenagers, so talk about a tough crowd."

Aside from the kindness and humour in the camp, a big part of *I'm a Celebrity's* warmth is down to the hosts, Morris and Chris Brown. The two have been presenting the show together since it began and theirs is a genuine friendship, on and off screen.

"Every single year, our friendship is just even more glorious than the year before," she said.

"This year it's like getting together with your all-time favourite sibling and laughing your heads off."

"Last year was the first time we've done it in Australia, we'd done it in a completely different way than we'd done it before – obviously it wasn't live and there [were] so many elements in terms of production that [were] different that we kind of clung on to each other and did our best. It was an even deeper bonding experience and this year was the same."

While the show has already been filmed, the finale will be live, so there are still some mysteries yet to unfold, even for Morris.

And while she's grateful they were able to make another series, she's keen to return to their original home once they come back again.

"We all just want to go back to Africa."

■ *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!*, premieres Monday, 7.30pm, 10 and 10 play

Movie Guide

PICK OF THE WEEK



GHOUL POWER

New Year's Day
GHOSTBUSTERS
Nine, 7.30pm, PG (2016)

Writer-director Paul Feig reunites with his *Bridesmaids* stars Melissa McCarthy and Kristen Wiig for this female-led reboot of the much-loved '80s movies. *Saturday Night Live* favourites Kate McKinnon and Leslie Jones round out the ghost-catching team, while Thor himself, Chris Hemsworth plays a supporting role. The story is a familiar one: nobody believes in ghosts, until they start strolling around the streets of Manhattan, and then it's down to a group of paranormal-expert scientists (plus, in this iteration, one street-smart subway worker) to save the day. Feig does more than invert the gender roles here, giving his quartet of supernatural investigators intent, purpose and heart – the fact that the notoriously reluctant Bill Murray agreed to a cameo bodes well. ★★★★★

Team spirit: Melissa McCarthy, Kate McKinnon, Kristen Wiig and Leslie Jones in 2016's *Ghostbusters* reboot.



BOOKSMART
SBS World Movies, Friday, 8.30pm, MA15+ (2019)

First-time feature director Olivia Wilde changes the teen comedy game with this good-girls-try-to-go-bad entry. After devoting their teen years to achieving academic excellence, Amy (Kaitlyn Dever) and Molly (Beanie Feldstein, pictured, left, with Dever) can't believe their ears when they learn that their fun-loving classmates have futures as bright as their own. The high achievers embark on a madcap mission to make up for four years' worth of missed parties – in one night. ★★★★★



THE BLUES BROTHERS
SBS, Friday, 9.30pm, M (1980)

Herein lies the comical misadventures of Jake and Elwood Blues (Dan Aykroyd and John Belushi, both pictured), musicians on "a mission from God" to save their childhood orphanage from being repossessed. Co-written by Aykroyd and director John Landis, their vision translates as an off-the-wall pastiche of pop culture – a veritable groove train of '70s soul. The movie features an inordinate number of cameos by the likes of James Brown, Aretha Franklin and Ray Charles. Momentous fun. ★★★★★



THE SOUND OF MUSIC
Seven/Prime7, Saturday, 7pm, G (1965)

Based on the true story of the singing von Trapp family's escape from Nazis, this classic Rodgers and Hammerstein musical scored a bag of Oscars including Best Picture, Director and Music, and spawned a host of timeless tunes. Julie Andrews (pictured) shines as the spunky Maria, a misfit nun who falls for her widower boss (Christopher Plummer) while looking after his plucky children. The undertones of World War II are referenced sporadically, but in essence it's a feelgood family hit. ★★★★★



STAN & OLLIE
SBS World Movies, Sunday, 8.30pm, PG (2018)

Performers Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy were prolific even before they became a comedy-duo powerhouse during the 1920s-50s. The pair, famous for their slapstick skits in silent films and then the talkies, appeared in 107 films as a team. In this biopic, Steve Coogan is the workaholic Laurel to John C. Reilly's (pictured, left, with Coogan) mischievous Hardy. Scottish director Jon S. Baird charts their epic theatre tour of post-war England as they attempt to reignite their film careers. ★★★★★



THE LAST SAMURAI
7mate, Sunday, 7.30pm, M (2003)

Glory director Edward Zwick carves out a spectacular tribute to the classic films of Akira Kurosawa through this sweeping epic. Tom Cruise plays Civil War veteran and military adviser Nathan Algren, who's dispatched to Japan in 1876 to train the emperor's troops. Leading an inexperienced group of soldiers, Algren is swiftly captured and incarcerated by the skilled samurai (Ken Watanabe, pictured, right, with Cruise) and becomes engrossed in the principles of Bushido ("the way of the warrior"). ★★★★★



DALLAS BUYERS CLUB
SBS World Movies, Tuesday, 9.30pm, MA15+ (2013)

Matthew McConaughey (pictured), in an Oscar-winning performance, tells the true story of Ron Woodroof, a homophobic Texas cowboy who is shocked to discover he has AIDS and only a month to live. Even more shocked by his limited treatment options, he sets out on a mission to acquire the expensive drugs he, and others, desperately need. When he meets fellow sufferer Rayon (Jared Leto), Ron is forced to confront his prejudices. ★★★★★

The Guide

PICK OF THE WEEK

BIG FAT QUIZ OF THE YEAR 2021
SBS, New Year's Day, 7.30pm

Did you pay attention to all the news and stories of 2021, or were you one of the many people who were too busy whipping up batches of cupcakes and ordering new sets of tracksuits online while you half-heartedly learnt a new language? Never fear: one of the world's most acerbic and surprising comedians, Jimmy Carr, is here to shake you out of your reverie and remember the year that has passed. In this annual special, express from the UK, a panel of six comedians compete to see which of them can recall most about the past 12 months. Joining Carr for the laughs this year are Sarah Millican, Sara Pascoe, James Acaster, Jonathan Ross, Judi Love and Guz Khan.



NEW YEAR'S EVE
ABC TV, New Year's Eve, 8.30pm

After the past couple of years, we all know there's no harm in staying home on New Year's Eve and enjoying the festivities from the comfort of your lounge room. The dress code can be whatever you want (fancy pyjamas or swimmers?) and the in-house menu can be as select as you like (iced-chocolate or bubbles?). It's hardly a secret that the best parties are often the ones in your own abode, and this festive special, live from the Sydney Opera House, affords you a spectacular celebration from home. Featuring a line-up of special guests and performances, it's a winning way to bid farewell to 2021.



FBI
10, Sunday, 9pm

Now in its fourth season, this crime drama from producer Dick Wolf (*Law & Order*) is going from strength to strength thanks to storylines that keep you on the edge of your seat and top-notch production values. FBI agents have a certain element of mystery and intrigue, and you know they are only ever going to handle the really juicy cases. This time, Assistant Director in Charge Rina (Kathleen Munroe, pictured) is critically wounded on her way to work. The team soon discover a vengeful Vargas – the notorious leader of the Durango drug cartel – organised the attack from behind bars and he's not planning on stopping there.



BACK ROADS
ABC TV, Monday, 8pm

Packing the car, perfecting the playlist, selecting the snacks, and mapping the route to stop at as many country bakeries as possible that sell Australia's best vanilla slice (all of them, apparently) is just part of the magic of a road trip. In tonight's series return, presenter Heather Ewart (pictured) looks at how travel by road has evolved – from the beginnings of mass car ownership of the 1950s to the rise of the grey nomads hitting the highway in their caravans. Heading off from the Oodnadatta Track in South Australia, Ewart shares some of her favourite drives to explore this country's love affair with the road.



Year in review:
Jimmy Carr hosts
Big Fat Quiz of the Year 2021.

Friday, December 31

ABC TV (2)

6.00 Escape From The City. (R) **7.00** News. **9.30** How Deadly World. (PG, R) **10.00** Searching For Superhuman. (PG, R) **11.05** The Heights. (PG, R) **12.00** ABC News Summer. **12.30** One Plus One. (R) **1.00** Penguin King. (R) **2.10** Miniseries: Delicious. (M, R) **3.00** ABC News Summer. **3.30** Ask The Doctor. (PG, R) **4.00** Think Tank. (PG, R) **4.55** Restoration Australia. (PG, R) **5.55** Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery. (PG, R)

6.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)
7.00 ABC News.
7.30 The Yearly With Charlie Pickering 2021. (Mdl, R)
8.30 New Year's Eve: The Early Night Show. A big night of entertainment and music.
9.00 New Year's Eve: 9PM Fireworks. Coverage of the pre-midnight fireworks.
9.15 New Year's Eve: Let's Celebrate! An all-star concert from the Sydney Opera House.
11.45 New Year's Eve: Countdown To Midnight. **12.00** New Year's Eve: Midnight Fireworks. **12.15** Rage New Year's Special. (MA15+adhlinsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **5.35pm** The Wonder Gang. **5.50** Peppa Pig. **10.00** Land Of Primates. **11.00** Going Places. **Noon** **MOVIE:** Footy Legends. (2006, PG) **1.35** The Kamilaroi. **2.00** Shortland Street. **2.30** Chiefs' Line. **3.00** Wapos Bay. **3.25** The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Wolf Joe. **4.00** Aussie Bush Tales. **4.10** Project Planet. **4.35** Grace Beside Me. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Living Black. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** Land Of Primates. **7.30** Little J And Big Cuz. **7.45** **MOVIE:** Hunt For The Wilderpeople. (2016, PG) **9.35** Bedtime Stories. **9.45** Cultural Connections Immersion Festival. **10.45** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **8.45** Waabiny Time. **9.10** Bushwhacked! **9.35** The Magic Canoe. **10.00** Land Of Primates. **11.00** Going Places. **Noon** **MOVIE:** Footy Legends. (2006, PG) **1.35** The Kamilaroi. **2.00** Shortland Street. **2.30** Chiefs' Line. **3.00** Wapos Bay. **3.25** The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Wolf Joe. **4.00** Aussie Bush Tales. **4.10** Project Planet. **4.35** Grace Beside Me. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Living Black. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** Land Of Primates. **7.30** Little J And Big Cuz. **7.45** **MOVIE:** Hunt For The Wilderpeople. (2016, PG) **9.35** Bedtime Stories. **9.45** Cultural Connections Immersion Festival. **10.45** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.30** Greek News. **10.30** German News. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24. **12.30** ABC America: World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** A World Of Calm. (R) **2.20** The True Story Of King Tut's Treasure. (PG, R) **3.20** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **3.50** Inside The Ritz Hotel. (R) **4.45** Jeopardy! (PG) **5.10** Letters And Numbers. (R) **5.40** Mastermind Australia. (R)

6.10 Dinner For One. (R)
6.30 SBS World News.
7.30 Greatest Hits Of The 80s. Explores 12 iconic songs from the '80s.
9.30 **MOVIE:** The Blues Brothers. (1980, Mls, R) A group of unemployed British steel workers decides to perform a strip show to raise some money. Robert Carlyle, Tom Wilkinson, Mark Addy.
11.50 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Mls, R)
12.45 The Big Fat Quiz Of Everything. (Mals, R)
2.30 **MOVIE:** Buena Vista Social Club. (1999, G, R) Ry Cooder, Luis Barzaga, Joachim Cooder. **4.25** Bamay. (R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News. **5.30** Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **Noon** Letterkenny. **1.30** Ebony Society. **1.45** Your Call Is Important To Us. **2.00** Desert Dash. **2.15** Gymnastics. FIG Rhythmic World Cup. Replay. **3.50** WorldWatch. **5.15** Joy Of Painting. **5.45** Abandoned Places. **6.20** Alone. **7.10** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Hoarders. **9.20** Taskmaster: Champion Of Champions. **10.15** The Big Fat Quiz Of Everything. **Midnight** If You Are The One. **2.05** Letterkenny. **2.35** NHK World English News. **3.00** Thai News. **3.30** Bangla News. **4.00** Punjabi News. **4.30** Sri Lankan Sinhalese News. **5.00** Korean News. **5.30** Indonesian News.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Romeo And Juliet. Continued. (2013, PG) **7.20** Legend Of The Guardians. (2010, PG) **9.05** Master Cheng: A Spice For Life. (2019, PG) **11.10** Ali's Wedding. (2017, M) **1.15pm** Jungle Book. (1942, PG) **3.15** Asterix: The Mansions Of The Gods. (2014, PG, French) **4.50** Martian Child. (2007, PG) **6.50** Esio Trot. (2015, PG) **8.30** Booksmart. (2019, MA15+) **10.25** Porto. (2016, MA15+, Portuguese) **11.50** Win My Baby Back. (2019, M, Vietnamese) **1.45am** Borg Vs McEnroe. (2017, M) **3.45** Wajib. (2017, M, Arabic) **5.35** Esio Trot. (2015, PG)

SEVEN (6)

6.00 Sunrise.
9.00 The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 **MOVIE:** The Theory Of Everything. (2014, PGa, R)
2.30 Motorbike Cops. (PGI, R)
3.00 The Chase. (R)
4.00 Seven News At 4.
5.00 The Chase Australia. (R)

6.00 Seven News.
7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 28. Adelaide Strikers v Sydney Thunder. From Adelaide Oval.
10.30 **MOVIE:** The Full Monty. (1997, Mlrs, R) A group of unemployed British steel workers decides to perform a strip show to raise some money. Robert Carlyle, Tom Wilkinson, Mark Addy.
12.30 131st Rose Parade 2020. (PG) The annual New Year's Day Rose Parade from Pasadena, California, featuring the theme "The Power of Hope".
2.30 Home Shopping. (R)
5.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs.

7MATE (60) **6am** ITM Fishing Show. **6.30** Fishing Addiction. **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** American Pickers. **9.00** Dirty Rotten Survival. **10.00** NFL 100 Greatest. **11.00** America's Game. **Noon** Sound FX: Best Of. **12.30** No Man's Land. **1.30** Shipping Wars. **2.30** Last Car Garage. **3.30** Bull Riding. PBR Australia. Monster Energy Tour. **4.00** Timbersports. **4.30** Billion Dollar Wreck. **5.30** American Pickers. **6.30** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 28. Adelaide Strikers v Sydney Thunder. **7.00** Pawn Stars. **7.30** **MOVIE:** The November Man. (2014, M) **9.45** **MOVIE:** Locusts. (2019, MA15+) **11.45** Late Programs.

7TWO (62) **6am** Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** House Of Wellness. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Jabba's School Holiday Movie Special. **3.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue. **4.00** M*A*S*H. **5.00** Escape To The Country. **6.00** Bargain Hunt. **7.00** Better Homes And Gardens Summer. **8.30** The Amazing Homemakers. **9.30** Australia's Big Backyards. **10.30** The Mentalist. **12.30am** The Fine Art Auction. **3.30** The Real Seachange. **4.00** RSPCA Animal Rescue. **4.30** Escape To The Country. **5.30** Home Shopping.

NINE (8)

6.00 Today.
9.00 Today Extra Summer. (PG)
11.30 Morning News.
12.00 **MOVIE:** Zeus And Roxanne. (1997, G, R) Steve Guttenberg.
2.00 Pointless. (PG, R)
3.00 Tipping Point. (PG)
4.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) Hosted by Eddie McGuire.
5.00 Afternoon News.

6.00 Nine News.
7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 Taronga: Who's Who In The Zoo: Roo Can't Chew. (PG) A red kangaroo is having problems eating.
8.30 **MOVIE:** Dirty Dancing. (1987, PGasv, R) A girl falls in love with a dancing teacher when she spends the summer at a holiday camp. Patrick Swayze, Jennifer Grey, Jerry Orbach.
10.30 **MOVIE:** Can't Stop The Music. (1980, PGdls, R) Valerie Perrine.
12.45 Australia's Top Ten Of Everything. (PG, R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 Global Shop. (R) **4.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** A Current Affair. (R)

9GEM (81) **6am** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **10.30** Pointless. **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **Noon** Seaway. **1.00** Death In Paradise. **2.10** The Young And The Restless. **3.05** Antiques Roadshow. **3.35** **MOVIE:** Maytime In Mayfair. (1949) **5.30** Murder, She Wrote. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** Saved & Remade. **8.30** **MOVIE:** Ben-Hur. (2016, M) **11.00** Memory Lane. **12.20am** Antiques Roadshow. **12.50** Garden Gurus Moments. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** The Incredible Hulk. **1.00** Airwolf. **2.00** The A-Team. **3.00** The Nanny. **3.30** 3rd Rock From The Sun. **4.00** That '70s Show. **4.30** Malcolm. **5.30** **MOVIE:** Happy Feet. (2006) **7.40** **MOVIE:** Geogan Rising. **3.30** Ninjago: Masters Of Spinjitzu. **4.00** Pokémon The Series: Sun & Moon - Ultra Legends. **4.30** Beyblade Burst Turbo. **4.50** The Tom And Jerry Show. **5.10** Yu-Gi-Oh! Arc-V. **5.30** Yu-Gi-Oh!

TEN (5)

6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) **6.30** Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day. (R) **7.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **7.30** Bold. (PG, R) **8.30** Studio 10. (PG) **11.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **11.30** Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day. (R) **12.00** Dr Phil. (PGa, R) **1.00** The Royals Revealed. (PGal, R) **2.00** Ent. Tonight. **2.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **3.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **3.30** Left Off The Map. **4.00** Farm To Fork. (PG) **4.30** Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day. (R) **5.00** News.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events.
7.30 The Living Room. (PG, R) Miguel Maestre learns the art of noodle making.
8.30 The Graham Norton Show. (PGs, R) Guests include Tom Hanks, Emily Blunt, Jamie Dornan, Nish Kumar, Jessica Chastain and Sophie Ellis-Bextor.
9.30 Rhys Darby: Big In Japan. (PGa) Part 4 of 4. Rhys Darby concludes his adventure through Japan with a visit to the Sapporo Snow Festival.
10.30 Just For Laughs. (Mls, R)
11.00 The Project. (R)
12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG)
1.00 Home Shopping. (R)

10 BOLD (51) **6am** Home Shopping. **8.00** Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. **9.00** Diagnosis Murder. **10.00** JAG. **Noon** MacGyver. **1.00** Star Trek. **3.00** Diagnosis Murder. **5.00** JAG. **7.00** Bondi Rescue. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Law & Order: SVU. **11.30** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. **12.30am** Home Shopping. **2.00** SEAL Team. **3.00** NCIS: New Orleans. **5.00** Diagnosis Murder.

10 PEACH (52) **6am** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** NBL Slam. **7.30** Seinfeld. **8.00** Becker. **9.00** Seinfeld. **10.00** Frasier. **11.00** The King Of Queens. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** Man With A Plan. **1.30** Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Friends. **11.30** 2 Broke Girls. **Midnight** Home Shopping. **1.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **2.30** The Late Late Show With James Corden. **3.30** 2 Broke Girls. **4.30** Home Shopping. **5.30** Joseph Prince.

Saturday, January 1

<p>ABC TV (2)</p> <p>6.00 Rage New Year's Special. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.30 Weird Australia. (PG) 10.00 Rage. (PG) 12.00 News. 12.30 The Early Night Show. (R) 1.00 New Year's Eve: 9PM Fireworks. (R) 1.10 New Year's Eve: Let's Celebrate! (R) 3.45 New Year's Eve: Countdown To Midnight. (R) 4.00 New Year's Eve: Midnight Fireworks. (R) 4.15 Vera. (PG, R) 5.25 MOVIE: Strictly Ballroom. (1992, PG, R)</p>	<p>SBS (3)</p> <p>6.00 WorldWatch. 7.30 Italian News. 8.10 Filipino News. 8.40 French News. 9.30 Greek News. 10.30 German News. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. (R) 2.00 First Contact Canada. (PGaw, R) 4.40 The Hunt For The Kaiser's Superfleet. (PGav, R) 5.30 Forgotten Heroes. (PG)</p>	<p>SEVEN (6)</p> <p>6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) 12.00 MOVIE: Where Eagles Dare. (1968, PGav, R) Richard Burton, Clint Eastwood. 3.15 Border Security: International. (PG, R) 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Border Security: Australia's Front Line. (PG, R) 5.30 Seven News Adelaide.</p>	<p>NINE (8)</p> <p>6.00 Outdoors Indoors. (R) 6.30 Weekend Today. 9.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 1. Day session. 4.00 Snow Bears. (PG) Follows polar bear cubs and their mother on a journey. 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Country House Hunters Australia. (R) Hosted by Catriona Rowntree.</p>	<p>TEN (5)</p> <p>6am Morning Programs. 7.30 Escape Fishing. (R) 8.00 The Boxing Day Tsunami. (PGa) 11.00 4x4 Adventures. (R) 12.00 All 4 Adventure. (PGal, R) 1.00 Freshly Picked. (R) 1.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 2.00 Destination Dessert. (R) 2.30 Three Blue Ducks. (PGI, R) 3.00 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 3.30 Taste Of Australia. (R) 4.00 Waltzing Jimeoin. (PGI, R) 4.30 Roads Less Travelled. (R) 5.00 News.</p>
<p>7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories. 7.30 The Larkins. (PG) With the imminent arrival of her sister and her family, Ma is beside herself and cleaning like a demon. 8.20 Miniseries: Us. (MI) Part 3 of 4. As Douglas scours the streets of Venice for Albie, Connie does some detective work of her own. However, as Douglas gets desperate, things spiral out of control in the Italian heat. 9.20 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) Lucille is deeply concerned by the living conditions of an elderly patient with a malodorous leg ulcer. 10.20 Father Brown. (PG, R) A choir competition is sabotaged. 11.05 Finding Alice. (MI, R) A woman's partner suddenly dies. 11.55 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) Guest programmed by Crowded House.</p>	<p>6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Big Fat Quiz Of The Year 2021. A panel of six celebrity guests compete to see which of them can recall most about the past 12 months. 9.15 MOVIE: Monty Python's The Meaning Of Life. (1983, MIs, R) A series of sketches that takes a look at the various stages of life, from the fish contemplating their lives as one of their own is taken to be eaten at a restaurant to the miracle of birth and a visit to heaven. Graham Chapman, John Cleese, Terry Gilliam. 11.15 MOVIE: Tinker Tailor Soldier Spy. (2011, MA15+v, R) A spy searches for a mole in the MI6. Gary Oldman, Benedict Cumberbatch. 1.40 The Ghan: The Full Journey. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 MOVIE: The Sound Of Music. (1965, G, R) On the eve of World War II, a novice nun becomes a governess to a large Austrian family. Julie Andrews, Christopher Plummer, Eleanor Parker. 10.40 MOVIE: Tully. (2018, Mals) A mother of three forms an unexpected bond with the nanny hired to help with her newborn baby. Charlize Theron, Mackenzie Davis, Ron Livingston. 12.45 Koala Rescue. (PG, R) Profiles Australians who rescued, treated and rehabilitated koalas who survived the 2019 Australian fires. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Get Clever. (R) Educational kids' program. 5.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R) A look at locations that highlight living well.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News Saturday. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 MOVIE: Ghostbusters. (2016, PGHl, R) Four New Yorkers band together to save the city from an otherworldly threat. Melissa McCarthy, Kristen Wiig, Kate McKinnon. 9.55 MOVIE: Identity Thief. (2013, MA15+Isv, R) After his identity is stolen by a con artist, a man must find the thief responsible in order to clear his name. Jason Bateman, Melissa McCarthy, Jon Favreau. 12.00 MOVIE: 8 Mile. (2002, Malsv, R) A rapper struggles to gain respect. Eminem, Kim Basinger. 2.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 Global Shop. (R) Home shopping. 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.30 Wesley Impact With Stu Cameron. (PG)</p>	<p>6.00 Bondi Rescue. (PG, R) In the face of the challenge of the pandemic, beach marshals work with the lifeguards at Bondi to check numbers and enforce social distancing. 6.30 Soccer. A-League Men. Round 7. Western Sydney Wanderers v Western United. From CommBank Stadium, Sydney. 9.30 Ambulance. (Ma, R) Call handler Laura offers life-saving advice to a panicked caller who has to resuscitate her relative. Police make a call to the ambulance control room about a patient being trapped beneath a tram. 11.30 FBI: Most Wanted. (Masv, R) Hana rejoins the team as they investigate a deadly fire at a bowling arcade. 12.30 Home Shopping. (R) 5.00 Hour Of Power. Religious program.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.05pm The Deep. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Q! 8.30 Melbourne Comedy Festival 2021: The Gala. 9.35 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 10.15 To Be Advised. 10.50 Schitt's Creek. 11.15 Catastrophe. (Final) 11.45 The Trip To Greece. 12.10am GameFace. 12.35 Red Dwarf. 1.05 Escape From The City. 2.05 ABC News Update. 2.10 Close. 5.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Vice Essentials Canada. 12.30 North To South: The Full Journey. 3.35 WorldWatch. 5.00 MOVIE: Alpha. (2018, PG) 6.45 The Story Of The Songs. 7.40 Brooklyn Nine-Nine. 8.30 The Last Year Of Television 2021 Special. 9.30 The X-Files. 1.40am South Park. 2.40 France 24. 3.00 Thai News. 3.30 Bangla News. 4.00 Punjabi News. 4.30 Sri Lankan Sinhalese News. 5.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (60) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm Blokesworld. 1.30 Australia ReDiscovered. 2.00 Powerboat Championships Review Show. 3.00 Motor Racing. China Formula 4 C'Ship. Macau Grand Prix. H'lights. 4.00 Last Car Garage. 4.30 Shipping Wars. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 MOVIE: Unforgiven. (1992, M) 10.15 MOVIE: Escape From New York. (1981, M) 12.20am Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81) 6am Newstyle Direct. 6.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 7.00 Leading The Way. 7.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 8.00 Beyond Today. 8.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.00 Edgar Wallace Mysteries. 11.20 Danger Man. 12.25pm MOVIE: The Third Man. (1949, PG) 2.35 MOVIE: Little Women. (1994) 5.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 1. Night session. 11.00 Law & Order. Midnight Explore TV Viking. 12.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (51) 6am Home Shopping. 9.00 The Doctors. 10.00 MacGyver. 11.00 Diagnosis Murder. 1pm Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. 2.00 All 4 Adventure. 3.00 JAG. 4.00 Bondi Rescue. 4.30 iFish Summer Series. 5.00 Waltzing Jimeoin. 5.30 Scorpion. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Law & Order: SVU. 10.20 MacGyver. 11.20 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. 1.10am 48 Hours. 2.10 NCIS: Los Angeles. 4.00 MacGyver. 5.00 Home Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 10.15 MOVIE: Hunt For The Wilderpeople. (2016, PG) Noon Land Of Primates. 1.00 Always Was Always Will Be. 1.40 Rugby Union. Ella 7s. 2.00 Ice Hockey. National Hockey Super League. 4.00 Soccer. FIFA Arab Cup. Final. Replay. 6.00 VCV: Vulcan Championship Wrestling. 7.00 Chuck And The First People's Kitchen. 7.30 Ella Fitzgerald. 9.35 MOVIE: Cooties. (2015, MA15+) 11.10 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Esio Trot. Continued. (2015, PG) 7.15 The Straight Story. (1999, PG) 9.20 Romeo And Juliet. (2013, PG) 11.30 Borg Vs McEnroe. (2017, M) 1.30pm Legend Of The Guardians. (2010, PG) 3.15 Master Cheng: A Spice For Life. (2019, PG) 5.20 The Secret Of Kells. (2009, PG) 6.50 Strings. (2004, PG) 8.30 David Brent: Life On The Road. (2016, MA15+) 10.20 Donnie Darko. (2001, M) 12.25am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (62) 6am Home Shopping. 8.30 Travel Oz. 10.00 Sydney Weekender. 10.30 House Of Wellness. 11.30 Horse Racing. 5pm Border Security: International. 5.30 Ed And Karen's Recipes For Success. 6.30 The Hotel Inspector. 7.30 The Yorkshire Vet. 8.30 Escape To The Country. 10.30 The Mentalist. 12.30am The Fine Art Auction. 3.30 The Real Seachange. 4.00 Sydney Weekender. 4.30 Creek To Coast. 5.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 1.30pm Making Of Ghostbusters: Afterlife. 1.40 MOVIE: Honey. (2003, PG) 3.40 MOVIE: Happily N'Ever After. (2006) 5.20 MOVIE: Rango. (2011, PG) 7.30 MOVIE: The Matrix. (1999, M) 10.15 MOVIE: Dune. (1984, PG) 1am Malcolm. 1.30 Surfing Australia TV. 2.00 Below Deck Mediterranean. 2.50 Mike Tyson Mysteries. 3.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Becker. 9.00 Man With A Plan. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day. Noon Carol's Second Act. 1.00 Brides Of Beverly Hills. 2.00 Man With A Plan. 3.00 Friends. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.45 TikTok For You Fest. 11.15 Mom. 12.10am Shopping. 1.40 Big Bang. 2.05 Late Programs.</p>



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Sunday, January 2

<p>ABC TV (2)</p> <p>6am Morning Programs. 10.00 The Day Will And Kate Got Married. (PG, R) 11.00 Compass. (R) 11.30 Praise. (R) 12.00 News. 12.30 Landline Summer. (R) 1.00 Finding Alice. (MI, R) 1.45 Doc Martin. (PG, R) 2.35 Aussie Inventions That Changed The World. (PG, R) 3.30 Magical Land Of Oz. (R) 4.30 Everyone's A Critic. (PG, R) 5.00 Dream Gardens. (R) 5.30 Nigella's Cook, Eat, Repeat. (R)</p>	<p>SBS (3)</p> <p>6.00 WorldWatch. 10.30 German News. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 Speedweek. 3.00 Figure Skating. ISU Grand Prix. Round 6. Rostelecom Cup. Highlights. 4.30 I Am Emmanuel. (PGa, R) 4.55 Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Stage 1A. Highlights. 5.55 Grand Tours Of Scotland's Lochs. (PG)</p>	<p>SEVEN (6)</p> <p>6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) 12.00 Dog Patrol. (PGa, R) 12.30 Highway Cops. (PG, R) 1.00 Motorbike Cops. (PG, R) 1.30 MOVIE: Beetlejuice. (1988, PGHIs, R) Michael Keaton. 3.30 Border Security: America's Front Line. (PG, R) 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Out Of The Blue. 5.30 Seven News Adelaide.</p>	<p>NINE (8)</p> <p>6.00 Outdoors Indoors. (R) 6.30 Weekend Today. 9.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 2. Day session. Russia v Austria. From Ken Rosewall Arena, Sydney. Canada v USA. From Qudos Bank Arena, Sydney. 4.00 Customs. (PG, R) 4.30 Territory Cops. (PGdl, R) 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 RBT. (PGad, R)</p>	<p>TEN (5)</p> <p>6am Morning Programs. 10.00 4x4 Adventures. (R) 11.00 Australia By Design: Architecture. (R) 11.30 GCBC. (R) 12.00 Luca's Key Ingredient. (R) 12.30 Destination Dessert. (R) 1.00 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 1.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 2.00 Freshly Picked. (R) 2.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 3.00 Taste Of Australia. (R) 3.30 Roads Less Travelled. (R) 4.00 All 4 Adventure. (PGI) 5.00 News.</p>
<p>6.00 Australia Remastered: Wetlands. (R) 7.00 ABC News Sunday. 7.30 Doctor Who. A Dalek appears on New Year's Eve. 8.30 Death In Paradise. (Final, Mv, R) The police station becomes a crime scene after a man is found dead inside the locked building. 9.30 Doc Martin. (PGm, R) Martin has to care for the baby when Louisa announces she is taking her class out sailing. 10.20 Harrow. (MadIsv, R) 11.10 Silent Witness. (Ma, R) 12.10 Miniseries: Delicious. (MI, R) 12.55 Death In Paradise. (Mav, R) 1.55 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) 4.00 Death In Paradise. (Final, Mv, R) 5.00 Gardening Australia. (R)</p>	<p>6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Tombs Of Egypt: The Ultimate Mission: Saqqara And The Forgotten Mummies. Part 1 of 2. 8.30 Walt Disney. (PG, R) Part 2 of 2. Continues to explore the life and legacy of Walt Disney. 10.35 Michael Palin: Travels Of A Lifetime. (PGal, R) Michael Palin revisits his travel series. 11.30 The Last Year Of Television 2021 Special. (MA15+, R) 12.40 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (MIs, R) 1.45 The Ghan: The Full Journey. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 32. Sydney Thunder v Adelaide Strikers. From GIANTS Stadium, Sydney. 10.30 MOVIE: Assassins. (1995, Mlv, R) A young assassin tries to murder a rival who is the best in the business. Sylvester Stallone, Antonio Banderas, Julianne Moore. 1.15 Air Crash Investigation: Nuts And Bolts. (PGa, R) Takes a look at the 2000 crash of cargo plane Emery Worldwide Airlines Flight 17. 2.30 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. News, sport and weather.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News Sunday. 7.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 2. Night session. 11.00 Chicago Med. (Mam, R) Will treats a woman on the verge of freezing to death. Daniel's ex-wife receives some concerning news. 12.00 Miniseries: The Bad Seed. (Mdlsv, R) Part 2 of 5. 1.00 Customs. (PG, R) Follows customs officers at work. 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) Religious program. 4.30 Take Two. (R) Home shopping. 5.00 The Xtreme CollXtion. (PG) 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>6.30 Bondi Rescue. (PGI, R) Tragedy strikes when a husband and wife are washed off rocks by a massive wave. 7.30 The Graham Norton Show. (MIsv) Guests include Jessica Chastain, Claire Foy, Peter Dinklage, Cush Jumbo, Joe Lycett and Michael Sheen. 9.00 FBI. (Mv) After Rina is critically wounded while heading to work with Jubal, the team makes the chilling discovery that a vengeful Vargas orchestrated the shooting and is targeting the rest of the team and their loved ones. 12.00 The FBI Declassified: 20 Days Of Terror - The Austin Bomber. (Ma, R) A look at the search for a serial bomber. 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.05pm The Deep. 7.30 Doctor Who. 8.30 Louis Theroux: America's Most Dangerous Pets. 9.30 Barrenjoey Road. 10.30 Brian Johnson's A Life On The Road. 11.15 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 12.05am MOVIE: St Elmo's Fire. (1985, M) 1.50 In The Long Run. 2.30 ABC News Update. 2.35 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Pingu In The City. 5.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 10.30 SBS Courtside. 11.00 Basketball. NBA. Brooklyn Nets v Los Angeles Clippers. 1.30pm Last Chance High. 2.00 VICE. 2.35 Ancient Aliens. 3.25 WorldWatch. 3.55 MOVIE: Time Bandits. (1981, PG) 6.10 50 Years Of Star Trek. 7.40 When Big Things Go Wrong. (Premiere) 8.30 Patriot Brains. 9.25 Dark Side Of The Ring. 10.15 Border To Border. 11.15 Das Boot. 12.20am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (60) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm Hook, Line And Sinker. 2.00 On The Fly. 2.30 Million Dollar Catch. 3.00 Fishing Addiction. 4.00 Ultimate Fishing. 5.00 Shipping Wars. 5.30 American Pickers. 6.30 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 32. Sydney Thunder v Adelaide Strikers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 MOVIE: The Last Samurai. (2003, M) 10.30 MOVIE: McFarland, USA. (2015, PG) 1.15am Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81) 6am Morning Programs. 7.30 In Touch. 8.00 Beyond Today. 8.30 The Incredible Journey. 9.00 TV Shop. 10.00 Edgar Wallace Mysteries. 11.20 Danger Man. 12.30pm MOVIE: I Live In Grosvenor Square. (1945) 2.50 MOVIE: To Catch A Thief. (1955) 5.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 2. Night session. 7.00 MOVIE: Smokey And The Bandit. (1977, PG) 9.00 MOVIE: Smokey And The Bandit II. (1980, PG) 11.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (51) 6am Home Shopping. 7.30 Key Of David. 8.00 Bondi Rescue. 9.00 Healthy Homes Australia. 9.30 Escape Fishing With ET. 10.00 iFish Summer Series. 11.00 MacGyver. 12.30pm Scorpion. 2.30 What's Up Down Under. 3.00 Soccer. A-League Women. Round 5. Melbourne Victory v Brisbane Roar. 5.30 Bondi Rescue. 6.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. 9.25 NCIS: Los Angeles. 10.20 48 Hours. 11.20 Late Programs.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6.25am Morning Programs. 11.15 Football. WKFL. From Western Australia. 12.45pm Motor Racing. W Series. Highlights. 1.15 Soccer. African Cup NSW. 3.00 Rugby Union. WA Premier Grade. 4.30 Rugby League. NRL WA Harmony Cup 9s. 6.00 Colonial Combat. 6.30 Land Of Primates. 7.30 Coast New Zealand. 8.30 The Case Of The Three Sided Dream. 10.15 MOVIE: Searchers. (2016, MA15+) 11.55 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Master Cheng: A Spice For Life. Continued. (2019, PG) 7.05 Strings. (2004, PG) 8.45 Jungle Book. (1942, PG) 10.45 Martian Child. (2007, PG) 12.45pm A Separation. (2011, M, Farsi) 3.00 Esio Trot. (2015, PG) 4.40 Lion. (2016, PG) 6.50 Orlando. (1992, PG) 8.30 Stan & Ollie. (2018, PG) 10.20 Room In Rome. (2010, MA15+) 12.15am Wajib. (2017, M, Arabic) 2.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (62) 6am Morning Programs. 8.30 Shopping. 9.00 NBC Today. 10.00 Ed And Karen's Recipes For Success. 11.00 Jabba's School Holiday Movies. 11.45 I31st Rose Parade 2020. 1.45pm MOVIE: The Maltese Falcon. (1941, PG) 3.45 MOVIE: Casablanca. (1942, PG) 6.00 Dog Patrol. 7.00 Border Security. 8.30 Chris Tarrant's Extreme Railways. 9.30 Mighty Trains. 10.30 Heathrow. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 2pm MOVIE: Pokémon The Movie: Kyurem Vs The Sword Of Justice. (2012) 3.25 Children's Programs. 3.45 MOVIE: The Adventures Of Rocky & Bullwinkle. (2000, PG) 5.35 MOVIE: Angry Birds. (2016, PG) 7.30 MOVIE: The Matrix Reloaded. (2003, M) 10.10 MOVIE: The Matrix Revolutions. (2003, M) 12.40am MOVIE: Senna. (2010, M) 2.50 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52) 6am Crazy Ex-Girlfriend. 7.00 Brides Of Beverly Hills. 8.30 Big Bang. 9.00 Carol's Second Act. 10.00 Seatbelt Psychic. 11.00 Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day. Noon Friends. 12.30 Basketball. NBL. Round 5. Adelaide 36ers v South East Melbourne Phoenix. 2.30 Basketball. NBL. Round 5. Illawarra Hawks v Cairns Taipans. 4.30 The Dog House Australia. 5.30 Friends. 6.00 Big Bang. 8.30 Friends. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>

Monday, January 3

ABC TV (2) 6.00 Escape From The City. (R) 7.00 News Breakfast. 9.30 Compass. (R) 10.00 Australia Remastered. (R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News Summer. 12.30 The Cook And The Chef. (R) 12.55 The Larkins. (PG, R) 2.00 Miniseries: Delicious. (Ml, R) 3.00 ABC News Summer. 3.30 Ask The Doctor. (PG, R) 4.00 Think Tank. (R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (PG, R)	SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 Al Jazeera News. 2.00 The Italians. (PG) 2.15 A World Of Calm. (R) 2.40 Nile: Egypt's Great River. (PG, R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Jeopardy! (PG) 4.30 Letters And Numbers. (R) 5.00 Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Stage 1B. Highlights.	SEVEN (6) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Dave. (1993, PGIns, R) 2.30 Border Security: International. (PG, R) 3.00 The Chase. (R) 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia. (R)	NINE (8) 6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs. 9.00 Today Extra Summer. (PG) Highlights from the year in review. 9.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 3. Day session. 4.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) Six contestants answer multiple-choice questions that escalate in cash-prize value. 5.00 Afternoon News.	TEN (5) 6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) 6.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 Bold. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (Return, PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGal, R) 1.00 The Living Room. (PG, R) 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.
6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery. (PG, R) 6.30 Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 Outback Ringer. (PG, R) 8.00 Back Roads: The Great Australian Road Trip. (Return) Presented by Heather Ewart. 8.30 The China Century: Chinese Dreams. (Mal) Part 1 of 5. 9.30 London Zoo: An Extraordinary Year. (R) Part 2 of 2. 10.20 Judi Dench's Wild Borneo Adventure. (R) 11.00 ABC Late News. 11.45 Old People's Home For 4 Year Olds. (PG, R) 12.45 Miniseries: Delicious. (Mal, R) 1.30 Death In Paradise. (PG, R) 3.30 Rage. (MA15+adhlInsv) 5.00 Summer Drum. (R) 5.30 Short Cuts To Glory: Matt Okine Vs Food. (R)	6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 Britain's Scenic Railways. Part 1 of 4. 8.30 Tony Robinson's World By Rail: USA. (PGdln, R) Sir Tony Robinson concludes his journey around the globe by exploring the US. 9.25 The Best Of 24 Hours In Emergency: Family Ties. (M) A compilation of stories from King's College. 10.20 SBS World News Late. 10.50 The Crimson Rivers. (MA15+av) 11.45 Wisting. (MA15+I, R) 12.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Mls, R) 1.35 The Ghan: The Full Journey. (R) 4.40 Yawuru Country. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.	6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 33. Melbourne Stars v Melbourne Renegades. From the MCG. 10.30 Fantasy Island. (Ma) When a young artist wants to see his mentor again, the man realises he may not have been the best influence. 11.30 Motorway Patrol. (PG) Follows the work of a police unit dedicated to patrolling the motorways of Auckland, New Zealand. 12.00 MOVIE: Stay Away, Joe. (1968, G, R) A half-Navajo cowboy, who wants the best for his parents and his people, tries to raise a herd. Elvis Presley, Burgess Meredith, Joan Blondell. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise. News, sport and weather.	6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 RBT. (Ml) A look at police random breath test patrols. 8.30 Australian Crime Stories: Attack On Police HQ. (Mal, R) Takes a look at the 1986 Russell Street bombing that claimed the life of Constable Angela Taylor. 9.30 Reported Missing: Homeless. (Madl, R) Police search for two drug users, including one who left hospital against his doctor's advice. 10.50 Chicago Med. (Mam, R) 11.40 The Village. (Mas) 12.30 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (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.	6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! (Return) A group of 10 Aussie celebrities compete in a test of survival in the Australian outback. 9.30 FBI: Most Wanted. (Mv) The team tries to hunt down a man who killed his wife and children, as well as a priest, before he can claim any more lives. Barnes' intrusive mother puts pressure on her marriage. 10.30 The FBI Declassified: Dangerous Journey On The Silk Road. (Md) Takes a look at how the FBI captured the mastermind behind the Silk Road, an illegal online marketplace. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.
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NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Colonial Combat. 2.00 Shortland Street. 2.30 Chefs' Line. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Jarjums. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 APTN National News. 6.00 Bamay. 6.40 Land Of Primates. 7.40 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. 8.30 Karla Grant Presents. 9.00 Karla Grant Presents The Kimberley Man. 9.30 The X-Files. 11.10 Late Programs.	SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Stan & Ollie. (2018, PG) 7.45 The Secret Of Kells. (2009, PG) 9.15 White Tuft, The Little Beaver. (2008) 10.40 Armour Of God. (1986, M, Cantonese) 12.25pm Umrika. (2015, M, Hindi) 2.20 Orlando. (1992, PG) 4.00 Strings. (2004, PG) 5.45 Arthur And The Two Worlds War. (2010, PG) 7.35 Sunshine On Leith. (2013, M) 9.30 Mud. (2013, M) 11.55 Late Programs.	7TWO (62) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. 10.30 Better Homes And Gardens Summer. Noon Mighty Trains. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Weekender. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.00 RSPCA Animal Rescue. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Doc Martin. 8.30 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries. 10.30 Cold Case. 11.30 Late Programs.	9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 11.00 Tennis. Adelaide International. Day session. 5pm The Nanny. 5.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 6.00 That '70s Show. 6.30 Young Sheldon. 7.00 Tennis. Adelaide International. Night session. 10.30 Paranormal Caught On Camera. 11.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. Midnight Lipstick Jungle. (Premiere) 1.00 Love Island USA. 2.50 Mike Tyson Mysteries. 3.00 Late Programs.	10 PEACH (52) 6am Seatbelt Psychic. 6.30 The Big Bang Theory. 8.00 Friends. 10.00 Brides Of Beverly Hills. 11.30 Seinfeld. Noon Carol's Second Act. 1.00 Man With A Plan. 1.30 The Big Bang Theory. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. (Return) 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 Mom. Midnight Shopping. 2.30 Late Programs.



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6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery. (PG, R) 6.30 Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. 8.00 Anh's Brush With Fame: Todd Sampson. (Ml, R) 8.30 Old People's Home For 4 Year Olds: Week 2 - Memory. (PG, R) Part 2 of 5. 9.30 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip: Rawalinna To Sydney. (PG, R) Griff Rhys Jones explores Australia by train. 10.20 QI. (PG, R) 10.50 ABC Late News. 11.20 Final Rendezvous. (PG, R) 12.20 Joanna Lumley's Unseen Adventures. (PG, R) 1.05 Death In Paradise. (Ma, R) 3.05 Rage. (MA15+adhlInsv) 4.55 Summer Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)	6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Continental Railway Journeys: Salamanca To Canfranc. (PGa, R) Hosted by Michael Portillo. 8.40 Robson Green: Walking Hadrian's Wall. (PG, R) Part 1 of 3. Robson Green journeys along the ancient Hadrian's Wall, starting from its easternmost point of Segedunum. 9.35 Australia In Colour: Family. (PGa, R) Part 1 of 4. 10.35 SBS World News Late. 11.05 Man In Room 301. (MA15+av) 12.00 Miss S. (Mav) 1.05 The Ghan: The Full Journey. (R) 4.20 Bamay. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.	6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 34. Brisbane Heat v Sydney Sixers. From Metricon Stadium, Queensland. 10.30 Born To Kill? Charles Starkweather. (MA15+av) Examines the crimes of Charles Starkweather, an American killer who murdered 11 people in the late '50s. 11.30 The Goldbergs. (PG) Barry is concerned when the NFL players go on strike and the gridiron season is threatened. 12.00 Absentia. (MA15+av, R) A woman suffers from amnesia. 1.00 Dr Harry's Animal Encounters. (PG, R) Presented by Dr Harry Cooper. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.	6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 4. Night session. Canada v Great Britain. From Ken Rosewall Arena, Sydney. Russia v Australia. From Qudos Bank Arena, Sydney. 11.00 Chicago Med. (Mam, R) An alarming phone call prompts Connor to rush out of an important surgery. 12.00 Manifest. (Madv, R) Grace suspects a local mum is in danger. 1.00 Tipping Point. (PG, R) Hosted by Ben Shephard. 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) Religious program. 4.30 A Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.	6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! It is day two and the reality is starting to sink in for the celebrities. Hosted by Julia Morris and Dr Chris Brown. 9.30 NCIS. (Mv) The team investigates the death of a US Navy commander whose body exploded before Jimmy could examine it, raising the disturbing possibility that the officer may have been trying to hide a bomb. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late night talk show. 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.
ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Would I Lie To You? 8.30 Aftertaste. 9.30 Brassic. 10.15 Schitt's Creek. 10.40 Doctor Who. 11.25 Catastrophe. (Final) 11.55 The Trip To Greece. 12.25am Sick Of It. (Final) 12.50 GameFace. 1.15 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 2.00 Community. 2.20 Parks And Recreation. 2.45 ABC News Update. 2.50 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Late Programs.	SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Basketball. NBA. Brooklyn Nets v Los Angeles Clippers. Replay. 2.00 Curse Of Oak Island. 3.40 Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. 3.50 WorldWatch. 5.15 Joy Of Painting. 5.45 Abandoned Places. 6.20 Alone. 7.10 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Big Fat Quiz Of The Year. 10.15 Cults And Extreme Belief. 11.05 UFOs. 11.40 Late Programs.	7MATE (60) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Shipping Wars. 2.00 American Pickers. 3.00 Lost In Transmission. 4.00 Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Detroit Steel. 5.30 American Pickers. 6.30 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 34. Brisbane Heat v Sydney Sixers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 Highway Patrol. 8.30 Secrets Of The Supercars. 9.30 Counting Cars. 10.30 Vegas Rat Rods. 11.30 Late Programs.	9GEM (81) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo. 7.30 TV Shop. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 Danoz. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Seaway. 1.00 World's Greatest Man Made Wonders. 2.00 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Murder, She Wrote. 4.00 Antiques Roadshow. 5.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 4. Night session. 7.30 New Tricks. 8.40 The Closer. 9.40 Rizzoli & Isles. 10.40 Law & Order: Criminal Intent. 11.35 Late Programs.	10 BOLD (51) 6am Home Shopping. 8.00 Roads Less Travelled. 8.30 A-League Highlights Show. 9.30 To Be Advised. 11.30 JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek. 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Blue Bloods. 10.25 NCIS: New Orleans. 12.15am Home Shopping. 2.15 MOVIE: MacGruber. (2010, MA15+) 4.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.00 JAG.
NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm A Time To Swim. 2.00 Shortland Street. 2.30 Chefs' Line. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. 4.35 Mustangs FC. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Indian Country Today. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 Arctic Secrets. (Premiere) 7.30 Who Killed Malcolm X. 8.25 Other Side Of The Rock. 8.30 I, Sniper. 9.30 The X-Files. 11.10 Late Programs.	SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Orlando. Continued. (1992, PG) 7.15 Arthur And The Two Worlds War. (2010, PG) 9.10 Lion. (2016, PG) 11.20 Vicky Cristina Barcelona. (2008, M) 1.05pm Wajib. (2017, M, Arabic) 2.55 Stan & Ollie. (2018, PG) 4.40 White Tuft, The Little Beaver. (2008) 6.10 My Brilliant Career. (1979) 8.00 Perfect 10. (2019, M) 9.30 Dallas Buyers Club. (2013, MA15+) 11.40 Late Programs.	7TWO (62) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Creek To Coast. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.00 RSPCA Animal Rescue. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Pie In The Sky. 8.30 Foyle's War. 10.40 Without A Trace. 12.45am Families Of Crime. 4.30 Million Dollar Minute. 5.30 James Robison.	9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 10.30 Tennis. Adelaide International. Day Session. Melbourne Summer Set. Day session. 5pm The Nanny. 5.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 6.00 That '70s Show. 6.30 Tennis. Adelaide International. Night Session. Melbourne Summer Set. Night session. 10.30 Paranormal Caught On Camera. 11.30 That '70s Show. Midnight Lipstick Jungle. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Late Programs.	10 PEACH (52) 6am Friends. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 7.30 Seinfeld. 8.00 Man With A Plan. 8.30 Becker. 9.30 The Big Bang Theory. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon Becker. 1.00 Man With A Plan. 1.30 Friends. 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. 9.30 Mom. 11.10 Late Programs.

Wednesday, January 5

<p>ABC TV (2)</p> <p>6.00 Escape From The City. (PG, R) 7.00 News. 9.30 Compass. (R) 10.00 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip. (PG, R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News Summer. 12.30 The Cook And The Chef. (R) 12.55 QI. (PG, R) 1.25 MOVIE: Strictly Ballroom. (1992, PG, R) 3.00 ABC News Summer. 3.30 Ask The Doctor. (R) 4.00 Think Tank. (R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (R)</p> <p>6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Nakkiah Lui. (PG, R) 6.30 Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Leigh Sales. 8.00 Hard Quiz Kids Special. (PG, R) Hosted by Tom Gleeson. 8.35 Spicks And Specks. (Ma, R) Music game show, with guests Ella Hooper, Nic Cester, Joel Creasey and Sarah Kendall. 9.25 Fisk. (PG, R) Helen mediates the division of a man's cremains between his daughter and new partner. 9.55 Miniseries: A Very English Scandal. (Mds, R) Part 1 of 3. 10.55 ABC Late News. 11.25 The China Century. (Mal, R) 12.25 Father Brown. (PG, R) 1.10 Silent Witness. (Ma, R) 2.05 Death In Paradise. (PG, R) 3.05 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.55 Summer Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p> <p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Anh's Brush With Fame. 8.00 Making Child Prodigies. 8.30 Brian Johnson's A Life On The Road. (Final) 9.15 David Stratton's Stories Of Australian Cinema. (Final) 10.15 Tate Britain's Great British Walks. 11.00 Doctor Who. 11.50 Louis Theroux: America's Most Dangerous Pets. 12.50am Community. 1.10 Parks And Recreation. 1.35 Late Programs.</p> <p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.05pm Who Killed Malcolm X. 2.00 Shortland Street. 2.30 Chefs' Line. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. 4.35 Mustangs FC. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Te Ao With Moana. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 Arctic Secrets. 7.30 Hip Hop Evolution. 8.30 Going Native. 9.00 Hunting Aotearoa. 9.30 The Case Of The Three Sided Dream. 11.15 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS (3)</p> <p>6.00 WorldWatch. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. (R) 2.00 Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 2.10 A World Of Calm. (R) 2.35 Nile: Egypt's Great River. (PGa, R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Jeopardy! (PG) 4.30 Letters And Numbers. (R) 5.00 Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Stage 3. Highlights.</p> <p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Australian Railway Journeys: Sydney To Broken Hill. (R) Michael Portillo explores NSW. 8.40 The Royal House Of Windsor: Love And Duty. (PG, R) Explores the House of Windsor and Princess Elizabeth and George VI's royal tour of South Africa in 1947. 9.35 Departure. (Mv) Kendra goes into overdrive trying to find the connections between the victims. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 10.55 In Therapy. (MI) 11.50 DNA. (Mal, R) 1.35 The Indian Pacific: The Full Journey. (R) 4.45 Bamay. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p> <p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Basketball. NBA. Oklahoma City Thunder v Dallas Mavericks. Replay. 2.00 Curse Of Oak Island. 2.50 Rise. 3.40 Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. 3.50 WorldWatch. 5.15 Joy Of Painting. 5.45 Monty Python. 6.20 Alone. 7.10 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 MOVIE: Detective Chinatown 2. (2018) 10.45 MOVIE: The Breaker Upperers. (2018, M) 12.15am Late Programs.</p> <p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Morning Programs. 7.10 My Brilliant Career. (1979) 9.05 The Finishers. (2013, PG, French) 10.45 Five Flights Up. (2014, M) 12.25pm The Special Relationship. (2010, M) 2.05 Arthur And The Two Worlds War. (2010, PG) 4.00 Little Nicolas On Holiday. (2014, PG, French) 5.50 A Month Of Sundays. (2015, PG) 7.50 Kill Switch. (2017, M) 9.30 Killer Joe. (2011, MA15+) 11.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SEVEN (6)</p> <p>6am Morning Programs. 12.00 The Ashes: The Lunch Break. 12.40 Cricket. The Ashes. Fourth Test. Australia v England. Day 1. Afternoon session. 2.40 The Ashes: Tea Break. 3.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fourth Test. Australia v England. Day 1. Late afternoon session. 5.30 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 35. Adelaide Strikers v Hobart Hurricanes.</p> <p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 35. Adelaide Strikers v Hobart Hurricanes. From Adelaide Oval. 8.40 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 36. Perth Scorchers v Sydney Thunder. From Optus Stadium, Perth. 12.00 MOVIE: All-American Girl: The Mary Kay Letourneau Story. (2000, Mas, R) Based on a true story. A 13-year-old student and his 34-year-old teacher engage in an illicit relationship. However, despite the subsequent public scandal and criminal charges, the two continue meeting. Penelope Ann Miller, Mercedes Ruehl, Omar Anguiano. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise. News, sport and weather.</p> <p>7MATE (60) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Shipping Wars. 2.30 The Grade Cricketer. 3.00 Lost In Transmission. 4.00 Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Detroit Steel. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 35. Adelaide Strikers v Hobart Hurricanes. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 8.30 Storage Wars. 9.30 Extreme Unboxing. (Premiere) 10.00 Desert Collectors. 11.00 Late Programs.</p> <p>7TWO (62) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Sydney Weekender. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.00 RSPCA Animal Rescue. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 The Vicar Of Dibley. 8.40 Mrs Brown's Boys. 10.40 Miranda. 11.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>NINE (8)</p> <p>6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs. 9.00 Today Extra Summer. (PG) Highlights from the year in review. 9.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 5. Day session. 4.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) Six contestants answer multiple-choice questions that escalate in cash-prize value. 5.00 Afternoon News.</p> <p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Mega Zoo. (PGa) A rhino is challenged during a mating ritual. 8.30 Emergency. (M, R) Emma's patient could lose her fingers. A gunshot victim has Michael on high alert. 9.30 A+E After Dark. (Mlm) A man brought into emergency by police claims to have swallowed drugs. 10.30 New Amsterdam. (Mam, R) Kapoor grapples with the stigma of ageing. 11.20 Manifest. (Madv, R) 12.10 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.00 Destination WA. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (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.</p> <p>9GEM (81) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. 7.00 Creflo Dollar Ministries. 7.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Seaway. 1.00 World's Greatest Man Made Wonders. 2.00 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Murder, She Wrote. 4.00 Antiques Roadshow. 5.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 5. Night session. 11.00 Chicago Med. Midnight Explore TV Viking. 12.30 Late Programs.</p> <p>9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 10.30 Tennis. Adelaide International. Day session. 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(Mv, R) The team mounts a defence for a young bartender who is on trial for involuntary manslaughter. As Bull prepares for fatherhood, his work with the ATC suffers in the wake of his top lawyer Benny quitting. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late night talk show. 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.</p> <p>10 BOLD (51) 6am Home Shopping. 8.00 Stories Of Bikes. 8.30 Rhys Darby: Big In Japan. 9.30 To Be Advised. 11.30 JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek. 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. 11.15 MacGyver. 12.10am Home Shopping. 2.10 48 Hours. 3.10 SEAL Team. 4.05 Diagnosis Murder. 5.00 Jake And The Fatman.</p> <p>10 PEACH (52) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Man With A Plan. 8.30 Becker. 9.30 The Big Bang Theory. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon Becker. 1.00 Man With A Plan. 1.30 Friends. 2.30 NBL Slam. 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. 10.10 Mom. 11.05 Late Programs.</p>
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Thursday, January 6

<p>ABC TV (2)</p> <p>6am Morning Programs. 9.30 Compass. (R) 10.00 Back Roads. (R) 10.30 Nigella's Cook, Eat, Repeat. (R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News Summer. 12.30 Cook And The Chef. (R) 12.55 Hard Quiz Kids Special. (PG, R) 1.30 Rulla's Connection to Country. (Ma) 2.00 To Be Advised. 3.00 ABC News Summer. 3.30 Ask The Doctor. (PG, R) 4.00 Think Tank. (R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (R)</p> <p>6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Bill Bryson. (R) 6.30 Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Leigh Sales. 8.00 Kurt Fearnley's One Plus One. (Return) Ryley Batt talks to Kurt Fearnley. 8.30 MOVIE: Primary Colours. (1998, MA15+, R) A Southern governor running for the US presidency finds his campaign marred by allegations of scandal. John Travolta, Kathy Bates. 10.50 ABC Late News. 11.20 Aussie Inventions That Changed The World: Communication. (PG, R) 12.10 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) 1.10 Death In Paradise. (Mv, R) 3.10 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.55 Summer Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p> <p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.30 QI. 9.00 Hard Quiz Kids Special. 9.35 Insert Name Here. 10.05 Doctor Who. 11.00 Melbourne Comedy Festival 2021: The Gala. Midnight Would I Lie To You? 12.30 Community. 12.55 Parks And Recreation. 1.15 ABC News Update. 1.20 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Pingu In The City. 5.30 Late Programs.</p> <p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Going Native. 2.00 Shortland Street. 2.30 Chefs' Line. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. 4.35 Mustangs FC. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 The 77 Percent. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 Arctic Secrets. 7.30 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. 8.30 Trickster. 9.30 MOVIE: Brown Boys. (2019) 11.10 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS (3)</p> <p>6.00 WorldWatch. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 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Fourth Test. Australia v England. Day 2. Late afternoon session. 5.30 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 37. Melbourne Renegades v Brisbane Heat.</p> <p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 37. Melbourne Renegades v Brisbane Heat. From GMHBA Stadium, Victoria. 8.40 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 38. Perth Scorchers v Sydney Sixers. From Optus Stadium, Perth. 12.00 Scandal. (M, R) One hundred days into Mellie's presidency. Olivia is proving she can run the world, but to avoid an international incident, she may have to make a tough call. Quinn Perkins & Associates struggles to find their first client. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise. Takes a look at the latest news, sport and weather, with business and finance updates.</p> <p>7MATE (60) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Shipping Wars. 2.00 Desert Collectors. 3.00 Lost In Transmission. 4.00 Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Detroit Steel. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 37. Melbourne Renegades v Brisbane Heat. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 MOVIE: The Taking Of Pelham 123. (2009, M) 9.45 MOVIE: Hard To Kill. (1990, MA15+) 11.50 Late Programs.</p> <p>7TWO (62) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Last Chance Learners. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.00 RSPCA Animal Rescue. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Father Brown. 8.30 Inspector George Gently. 10.30 Murdoch Mysteries. 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>NINE (8)</p> <p>6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs. 9.00 Today Extra Summer. (PG) Highlights from the year in review. 9.30 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 6. Day session. 4.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) Six contestants answer multiple-choice questions that escalate in cash-prize value. 5.00 Afternoon News.</p> <p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Space Invaders. (PGa) Experts help people declutter their lives. 8.30 MOVIE: My Big Fat Greek Wedding 2. (2016, PGs, R) A Greek-American woman tries to help organise an impromptu wedding for her family. Nia Vardalos, John Corbett, Michael Constantine. 10.25 MOVIE: The Rewrite. (2014, Mal, R) A screenwriter takes a teaching job. Hugh Grant. 12.30 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (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.</p> <p>9GEM (81) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. 7.00 Creflo Dollar Ministries. 7.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Seaway. 1.00 World's Greatest Man Made Wonders. 2.00 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Murder, She Wrote. 4.00 Antiques Roadshow. 5.00 Tennis. ATP Cup. Day 6. Night session. 11.00 House. Midnight Explore TV Viking. 12.30 Late Programs.</p> <p>9GO! (82) 6am Children's Programs. 10.30 Tennis. Adelaide International. Day session. Melbourne Summer Set. Day session. 5pm The Nanny. 5.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 6.00 That '70s Show. 6.30 Tennis. Adelaide International. Night session. Melbourne Summer Set. Night session. 10.30 Paranormal Caught On Camera. 11.30 That '70s Show. Midnight Lipstick Jungle. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>TEN (5)</p> <p>6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PG, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.</p> <p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! As the celebrities complain about their breakfast, they soon learn they should be thankful for what they have. 9.15 Law & Order: SVU. (Ma) Nick Amaro and Burton Lowe try to overturn a wrongful conviction in one of Cragen's old cases. 11.15 Blue Bloods. (M, R) Frank works to vindicate a detective. 12.00 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 1.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p> <p>10 BOLD (51) 6am Home Shopping. 8.00 What's Up Down Under. 8.30 NBL Slam. 9.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.30 To Be Advised. 11.30 JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek. 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Hawaii Five-0. 10.30 SEAL Team. 11.30 FBI. 12.30am Home Shopping. 2.00 SEAL Team. 3.00 Hawaii Five-0. 5.00 Blue Bloods.</p> <p>10 PEACH (52) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Frasier. 8.00 Man With A Plan. 8.30 Becker. 9.00 Crazy Ex-Girlfriend. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon Becker. 1.00 Man With A Plan. 1.30 Friends. 2.00 Carol's Second Act. 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. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>
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On Demand

SPACE RACE IS ON

DON'T LOOK UP
Streaming, Netflix

NETFLIX

If a comet were headed for Earth, it's nice to think that science, logic and reason would lead the world's response. But that's the opposite of what happens in this disaster-comedy tour de force from writer/director Adam McKay (*The Big Short*, *Step Brothers*).

With only six months until a Mount Everest-sized comet makes impact, astronomy professor Dr Randall Mindy (Leonardo DiCaprio) and graduate student Kate Dibiasky (Jennifer Lawrence) embark on a desperate media assault.

The pair are determined to warn humankind about the pending apocalypse, but find that no one is interested in the truth – least of all the people who hold positions of power.

In particular, Randall and Kate are left outraged and incredulous by the lukewarm response from self-serving US President Janie O'Leary (a truly marvellous Meryl Streep, right) and her sycophantic son/Chief of Staff Jason (scene-stealer Jonah Hill), who care more about an upcoming election than the planet being in peril.

It's a neat, if heavy-handed, metaphor for the climate crisis and the collision course humanity finds itself on today.



Date with disaster:
Leonardo DiCaprio and Jennifer Lawrence as astronomers in *Don't Look Up*.



BUMP
Streaming, Stan

Stan.

There's a special brand of chaos that is so relatable in this critically acclaimed drama about teenage parents Oly and Santi (Nathalie Morris and Carlos Sanson Jr, both pictured). Baby J's arrival turned their lives upside down, and in season two, the pair, along with their parents (Claudia Karvan is marvellous as Oly's mum Angie), try to find a sense of balance.



TASKMASTER: NEW YEAR NEW TREAT
Streaming, from New Year's Day, Binge and Foxtel On Demand

FOXTEL

To ring in the new year, five UK celebrities – Shirley Ballas, John Hannah, Krishnan Guru-Murthy, Nicola Coughlan and Rylan Clark-Neal – are put through their paces by Taskmaster Greg Davies and his assistant Alex Horne in the most ridiculous game show on TV.



THE BOOK OF BOBA FETT
Streaming, Disney+

Disney+

Left for dead on the sands of Tatooine, bounty hunter Boba Fett (Temuera Morrison) returns with mercenary Fennec Shand (Ming-Na Wen, pictured with Morrison) to stake a claim on the territory once ruled by Jabba the Hutt and his crime syndicate. The pair will take on the galaxy's underground together in this thrilling *Star Wars* adventure series.



HARRY POTTER 20TH ANNIVERSARY: RETURN TO HOGWARTS
Streaming, from New Year's Day, Binge

BINGE

Twenty years after they first made magic together in *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone*, Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson and Rupert Grint (pictured, from right) join filmmaker Chris Columbus and their fellow cast members to celebrate the boy wizard's unique legacy.



YEARLY DEPARTED
Streaming, Amazon Prime Video

prime video

Insecure star Yvonne Orji leads the tributes in this hilarious all-female special that says a big farewell to all the worst parts of 2021. Putting the 'fun' in funeral, the comedy roast features eulogies from *Grace and Frankie*'s Jane Fonda (pictured), Chelsea Peretti (*Brooklyn Nine-Nine*), singer Alessia Cara, and more.



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ANSWERS:
1. $46123 + 84629 = 130752$.
2. $78135 + 52489 = 130624$.
3. $183459 + 63881 = 247340$.

ARROW WORD

Main point

Japanese name

Foundation

Titlark

Cabbage variety

Boxing ring

Conscious self

Subdivision

Cavalry weapon

Novice

Without end

'70s dance genre

Singer

Catch

Edgar Allen -

Sires

Whirl

Autumn Report

Elaborately decorated

Contesting in speed

Stop

Unhinged

Albacore

Rasher

Snake

Tardy

Tentacle

Scarlet

Stir

Prophet

Fierce look

Book

Fear

Image

Whatever

Query

Maltreatment

Cohere

Shrub

Gravity

Note

Grow sick

Most senior

Snug

Rock band, - Leppard

Huff

Strong wind in the desert

Grand (of a building)

Creeps

Aided

Function

Cancel

Cipher

Fragrance

Deer

Drama

Knot

Cunning

Shape

Erudition

Sweetie

Diagnostic handbook

Annoy, offend

Louse egg

Succulent plant species

Joint

Fighting company

Diadem

Courts

Need

Plural of calx

Disable

Bird of prey

Breakfast food

Yoko -

Small drips

Rule

Pale pink

Plural of calx

Disale

Farm vehicle

- Mars, TV

Angry

Notes

Fish

Portent

Make

Plant

Expert

Trial

Star-like

Quipster

Primate

One time

Prohibit

Take food

Distributed the cards

Oxygen

Inlet

Compliant

Spanish currency unit

Is of the same opinion

Leer

Pimples

Half ems

To handle

Pecan or macadamia

Celebrity

Fidgeting

TAKING FIVE

How many words of three or more letters can you make from these five letters? Plurals are allowed, and each letter can only be used once. No words beginning with capital letters. There is at least one five-letter word.

- 8 words: **Good**
- 13 words: **Very good**
- 18 words: **Excellent**

E

S

I

T

R

ANSWERS: fire, its, RESIT, rest, rise, rite, RITES, set, sir, site, stir, tie, tier, TIERs, ties, tire, tires, TRIES

F O C U S P B A S I S P I P I T

K A L E A R E N A I E G O A R

L A A R N E R C E A S L E S L Y

N G A C I N G A E A O S C O S S W E N

C I N T E P E R S E A V A N N U A D

T E V O N A V A K E A V O D E D R E

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S T O S S R N W A W S O O M

I R O R A C T O R A T I T U A

L V A S V A E N I A D R I S G

R A I R A L T P A D E A V E N O

B A T B T N T C C A C E L B A M E

A V L E G O S E E A G R E E P E S E

G D E R T A R S N T U N S N E

BITS AND PIECES

Each of the clues corresponds to a five-letter word that contains the letters "K" and "W" as well as three of the other letters below. The letters may only be used once each.

K W + A A A C E E H N N O R T

Remembered

Strike

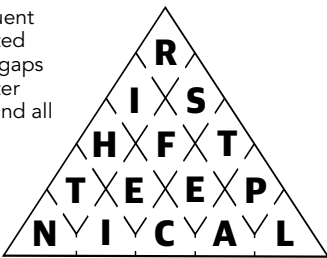
Make adjustment

Inflict vengeance

ANSWERS: KNOWN, WHACK, TWEAK, BREAK

WORD TRIANGLE

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.

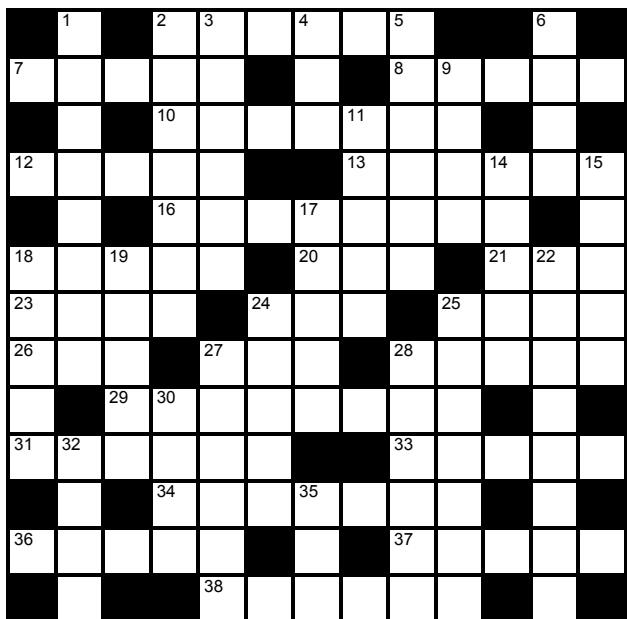


HINT: The answer is a phrase.

ANSWER: IN THE FIRST PLACE



QUICK

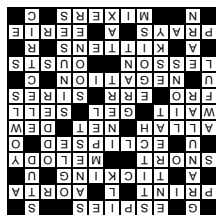


ACROSS

- 2 Detects
7 Letters
8 Large artery
10 Clock noise
12 Explosive sound
13 Tune
16 Overshadowed
18 Arabic word for God
20 Catch
21 Droplets of water
23 Stand by
24 Cohere
25 Peddle
26 To and –
27 Miss
28 Begets
29 Cancellation
31 Class
33 Banishes
34 Baby cats
36 Petitions
37 Creepy
38 Blenders

DOWN

- 1 In grains
2 Beg
3 Sew
4 Sort
5 Most rational
6 Breeder
9 Leer
11 Push
14 Stranger
15 Cries
17 Immobile
18 Deplorable
19 Big cats
22 Thrilling
24 Admit
25 Nasal cavities
27 Selfishness
28 Earlier
30 Insulated container
32 Gain
35 Levy



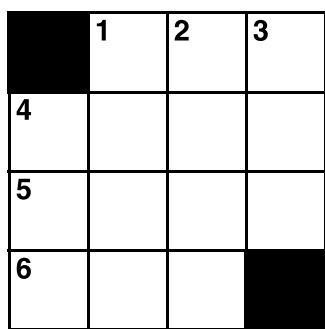
TINY

ACROSS

- 1 That is, id — (3)
4 Highest point (4)
5 Medicine or narcotic (4)
6 Small natural cave (3)

DOWN

- 1 Light brown in colour (4)
2 Self-satisfied, excessively proud (4)
3 One- or two-year-old sheep (3)
4 Adverb (abbr) (3)



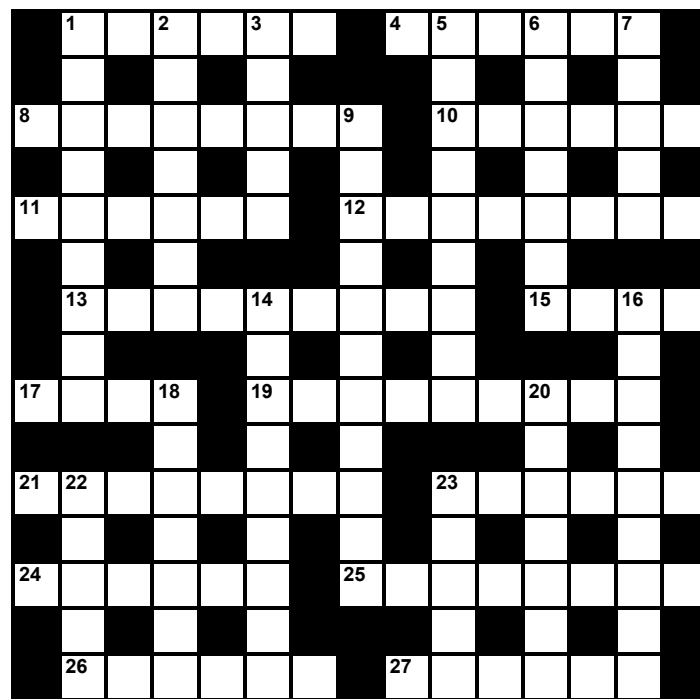
CRYPTIC

ACROSS

- 1 A warning device sounded by toy train maker (6)
4 Managed 75 per cent of some extortionate price (6)
8 Centre of ice rink was first covered in lines (8)
10 Support County Council retaining track next to hospital (6)
11 Try hard stretch of roughest river (6)
12 Fine wood panelling was on the exterior of trendy bed (8)
13 Call about blend of great tobacco in consumable form (9)
15 Part of a fence is lacking in colour (4)
17 Disaster is cut after film's opening (4)
19 The deacon going through Reformation is deceived (7,2)
21 Afghan once, for example, confused situation in car (8)
23 Minor recalled number in set exercise (6)
24 Lecture notice dropped in drain (6)
25 Large amount of food and wine is kept back (8)
26 Curses damage suffered by ship internally (6)
27 National assembly of Spain redefined 'sector' (6)

DOWN

- 1 Free-thinking male reinterpreted article (9)
2 Gang, infiltrated by nun, changed management (7)
3 Boutique's opening by famous model is lovely (5)
5 Hire act organised by court designer (9)
6 Superior outside buildings maintains security (5,2)
7 Computer worker given up by terrible romantic (5)
9 Practical town organised nothing in famine (4-2-5)
14 Criminal's key almost pocketed by drunken caterer (9)
16 Recluses bagging fellow English capitalists (9)
18 Quiet one handling referee's introduction (7)



- 20 Drop bearing inside fitting (7)
22 Nickname a skipper picked up (5)
23 Dance done by people heading down under? (5)



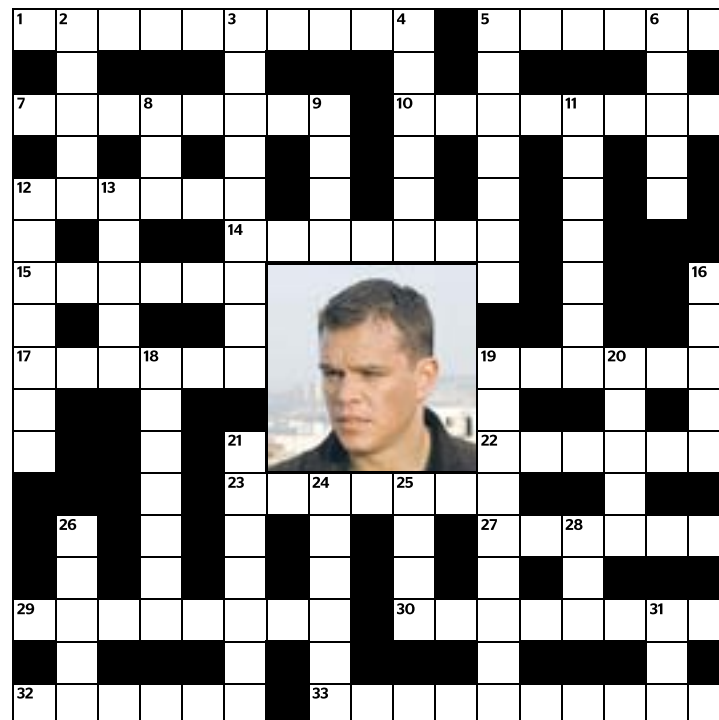
ENTERTAINMENT

ACROSS

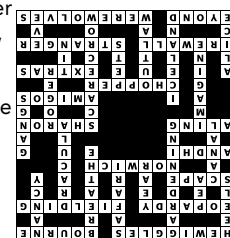
- 1 Colourful entertainers (3,7)
5 Matt Damon's (pictured) amnesiac assassin (6)
7 Quiz show where contestants answer with a question (8)
10 Creator of Bridget Jones, Helen – (8)
12 Couples look to – to the Country (6)
14 Home town of North Norfolk Digital radio DJ Alan Partridge (7)
15 Ben Kingsley's 1982 bio-pic (6)
17 London's famous film studio (6)
19 Kim's 'second best friend' (6)
22 Steve Martin, Chevy Chase and Martin Short played the Three – (6)
23 Eric Bana's 2000 Australian movie (7)
27 Featured guest stars Kate Winslet and Samuel L. Jackson (6)
29 Harrison Ford's 2006 American-Australian crime thriller (8)
30 1979 horror film remade in 2006, When a – Calls (8)
32 The third Mad Max movie, – Thunder-dome (6)
33 What are Embry, Quil and Leah in the Twilight Saga? (10)

DOWN

- 2 US reality series, Blood, Sweat & – (5)
3 Originally presented by Peter Cundall, – Australia (9)
4 Maeve O'Meara's Food – (6)
5 2017 Claire Foy film, the directorial debut of Andy Serkis (7)
6 The voice of Bart Simpson, – Cartwright (5)
8 Recurring character in Riverdale, Sweet – (3)
9 Jack Black and Michael Cera's 2009 comedy movie, – One (4)
11 Character played by Gerard Butler and Klaus Kinski (7)
12 Dome-headed super-villain in The Lego Batman Movie (7)
13 This French premium TV channel is a plus (5)
16 2020 British-American action TV series, – of London (5)



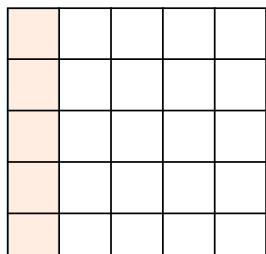
- 18 Gimme Some Truth is a doco about the making of which famous album? (7)
19 He's off to see the Wizard, if he can remember (9)
20 Animated US TV comedy series that first ran in 1965, – Ramjet (6)
21 Cold country in which Trapped is set (6)
24 Legal drama starring Jimmy Smits (6)
25 Louis C.K. animated comedy, The Secret Life of – (4)
26 Erik Thomson's 2005 Aussie drama series, The – (5)
28 Kevin Costner animated golf comedy, – Cup (3)
31 Crime series starring Jodie Comer and Sandra Oh, Killing – (3)



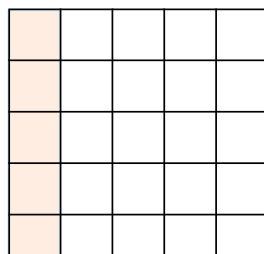
JUMBLE

Unscramble the letters create words.
The letters at the start of each solved word will spell out a new word.

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E M Y X L
E M I U B
L D Y D O
M V E I O



W A E E V
O R Y I N
E C E I N
N U K R D
U H T Y O



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W E T A X
F O O L V

4x4

1 P 2 A 3 S 4 S
5 R U L E
6 A T O M
7 Y O G I

ACROSS

- 1 Freebie (4)
5 Law (4)
6 Tiny particle (4)
7 Yoga master (4)

DOWN

- 1 Appeal to a higher power (4)
2 Car (4)
3 Work hard (4)
4 Half (4)

ACROSS: 1. Pray, 2. Auto, 3. Slog, 4. Semi.
DOWN: 1. Pass, 5. Rule, 6. Atom, 7. Yogi.



- Which 2013 Richard Curtis film tells the story of a father and son who can travel through time?
- What colour is cerulean?
- Which historical age immediately preceded the Bronze Age?
- The animal order Sirenia includes what two living species?
- In the Harry Potter franchise, what character is played by Imelda Staunton?
- The Elric brothers are the main characters in which manga series?
- How I'm Feeling Now* is a 2020 album by which artist?
- Was the fortune cookie invented in China, Japan or the US?
- Bruno Mars (pictured) and Anderson .Paak make up which R&B super duo?
- And what is the title of their debut album, released in November 2021?

- The Great Alpine Road is a country tourist road in which Australian state?
- Johnny Depp (pictured) made his film debut in which 1984 movie?
- The presidency of Bill Clinton began in which year?
- In which African country is the Witwatersrand plateau?
- Which famous singer was known as The Lizard King?
- In Greek mythology, Selene is the goddess of what?
- What name is given to the homes beavers construct using branches and mud?
- Which 1995 movie features Rex, Fly and the Hoggett family?
- Which was named first, periwinkle the colour or periwinkle the plant?
- In what country is Tsangpo Canyon, considered by many to be the world's deepest canyon?

- Which Harry Potter character had a pet dragon named Norbet?
- Who was the first woman to win a Nobel Prize?
- Which singer was once married to German model Heidi Klum (pictured)?
- In what year was the first Australian Open tennis tournament held?
- Who played Samantha Stephens in the TV series *Bewitched*?
- The mojito cocktail is widely regarded as originating in which country?
- Bruce Banner is the alter ego of which superhero?
- Hurling is a sport native to which country?
- Who is Leader of the Opposition in the Senate?
- Major Mitchell's, Carnaby's black and salmon-crested are types of what?

- In the TV series *Blackadder the Third*, which actor played the dictionary writer Dr. Samuel Johnson?
- Formed in 1934, what is the third-largest political party in the UK by membership?
- Confessions of an Ugly Stepsister*, *Mirror, Mirror* and *Son of a Witch* are novels by which US author?
- How are you cooking if you are sautéing?
- The title of Cardi B's (pictured) debut album is *Invasion* of what?
- What language do all Romance languages stem from?
- Was Albert Einstein born in 1879, 1909 or 1919?
- What is the only number which has its letters in alphabetical order?
- What type of car is Herbie?
- Boston Legal* was a spin-off of which other US legal drama?

- What is the world's largest freshwater lake by volume?
- What is the capital city of Latvia?
- In boxing, to what number does the referee count to signify a knockout?
- René Jules Lalique was an artist famous for working with which material?
- In the *Peanuts* cartoons, what is the name of the yellow bird who is Snoopy's best friend?
- Colloquially, what is a sconce?
- How many times has Julianna Margulies (pictured) been nominated for a Golden Globe?
- Which male name is sometimes used as a nickname for the autopilot of an aeroplane?
- Obsidian Entertainment developed which 2019 action role-playing game?
- What is the official language of Venezuela?

SOLUTIONS

1. About Time 2. Sky blue 3. The Stone Age 4. Dugongs and manatees 5. Dolores Umbridge 6. Fullmetal Alchemist 7. Charli XCX 8. The US 9. Silk Sonic 10. An Evening with Silk Sonic

11. Victoria 12. A Nightmare on Elm Street 13. 1993 14. South Africa 15. Jim Morrison 16. The moon 17. Lodges 18. Babe 19. The plant 20. Tibet

21. Hagrid 22. Marie Curie 23. Seal 24. 1905 25. Elizabeth Montgomery 26. Cuba 27. The Incredible Hulk 28. Ireland 29. Penny Wong 30. Cockatoo

31. Robbie Coltrane 32. The Scottish National Party 33. Gregory Maguire 34. Over high heat with little fat 35. Privacy 36. Latin 37. 1879 38. 40 (Forty) 39. Volkswagen Beetle 40. The Practice

41. Lake Baikal (Russia) 42. Riga 43. 10 44. Glass 45. Woodstock 46. The head or skull 47. 12 48. George 49. The Outer Worlds 50. Spanish

JUMBLE

Unscramble the letters create words.
The letters at the start of each solved word will spell out a new word.

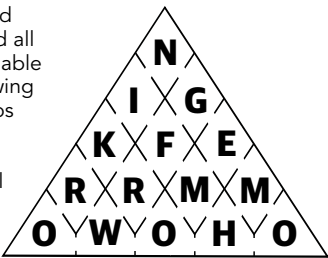
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WORD TRIANGLE

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.

ANSWER: WORKING FROM HOME

PUZZLES

SUDOKU No. 061

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

easy

8	6	1			3			
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	9	6	3				1	7
7				1				3
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					1		4	9
				7			5	
			5			7	3	8

medium

4	5				6	1		
			4					9
8		7			1			
3					4	9		5
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hard

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	6			3		2	1	

easy medium hard

8	3	7	6	4	5	6	1	2
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1	3	5	2	9	7	4	6	8

5x5

M		P		E
	P		O	
S		O		T
	E		S	
S		G		R

No. 061

Insert the missing letters to make 10 words – five reading across the grid and five reading down.

NOTE: more than one solution may be possible

R	E	G	A	S
E	S	N	E	T
T	U	O	N	S
N	O	R	A	P
E	L	P	A	M

QUICK CROSSWORD No. 061

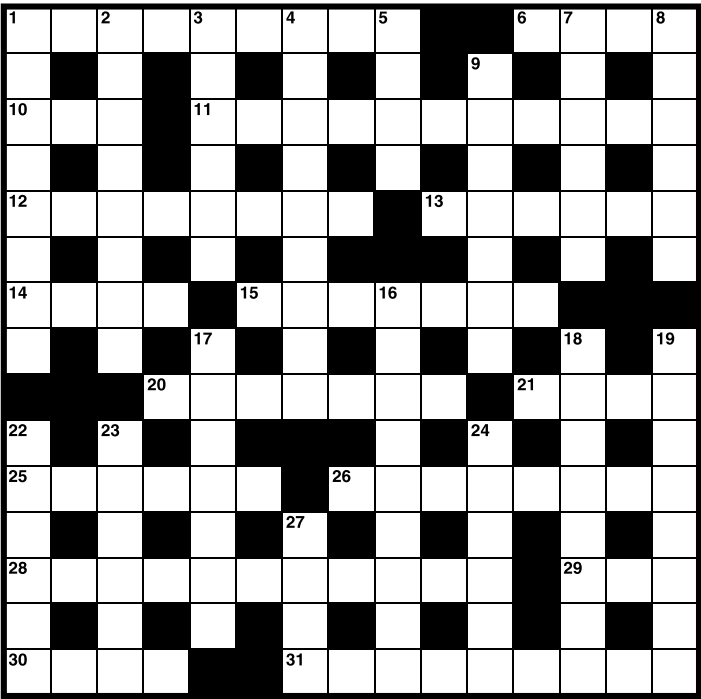
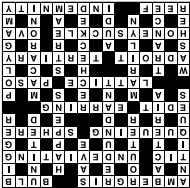
ACROSS

1 Waxy secretion of sperm whale (9)
6 Light globe (4)
10 – Tac Toe (3)
11 Constant and steady (11)
12 Lining up (8)
13 Globe (6)
14 Revise (a piece of writing) (4)
15 Lobe jewellery (7)
20 An interlaced structure (7)
21 Texan city, El – (4)
25 Dexterous (6)
26 Post-secondary (8)
28 Fragrant climbing shrub (11)
29 Eggs (3)
30 Great Barrier – (4)
31 Insurance; immunity (9)

4 Superfluous (9)
5 Rescue (4)
7 Soccer team, Manchester – (6)
8 Larger (6)
9 Occurs (7)
16 Examined again (9)
17 – Monroe (7)
18 Type of pasta (8)
19 Having multiple wives or husbands (8)
22 Metal disc under nut (6)
23 Daze; stupor (6)
24 Brook; creek (6)
27 German automobile manufacturer (4)

DOWN

1 Very old pieces of furniture etc (8)
2 Microorganisms (8)
3 Device used to connect to WiFi (6)



DECODER No. 061

1 11 7 11 4 4 11 12 18 1 3 16

14 3 14 3 15 11 22

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9-LETTER WORD

Using the nine letters in the grid, how many words of four letters or more can you list? The centre letter must be included and each letter may only be used once. No colloquial or foreign words. No capitalised nouns, apostrophes or plural words ending in “s”.

Today's Aim:
20 words: Good
30 words: Very good
40 words: Excellent

M A S T U I E

ultimate, utile
slue, slum, smut, statue, STIMULATE, suet, suit, suite, taunt, tuts,
muted, mutile, MUTILATES, mutt, salute, simulate, situate,
lute, luteist, maul, mauls, mueseil, mule, muse, must, mutate, mutates,
alum, amulet, amuse, astute, autism, etui, ileum, lieu, litmus, lust,

WORDFIT No. 061

3 LETTERS

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5 LETTERS

ABIDE
ACTOR
ADEPT
ADORN
ALONE
AORTA
APART
AROSE
ASPEN
BLABS
BLESS
CITES
DATED
DEEPS
DREAM
DRONE
EASES
EDITS
ELITE
ENEMA

EVENT
GATED
GHOST
GUIDE
HANDS
ICIER
INGOT
INLAY
LAIRS
LANDS
LIBEL
LILAC
LIVID
NAPPY
NESTS
OLDEN
OLDER
PASTA
PIETY
RATIO
READY

7 LETTERS

ASHAMED
CONSOLE
HURRAHS
ORACLES
OUTSIDE
TEETERS

8 LETTERS

EMPHASES
NICOTINE
SCHEDULE
STRIDDEN

6 LETTERS

HERALD
REDRAW
SCENTS
SLEETS

10. Swamp hen.

ANSWERS: 1. COD, 2. Engineering, 3. A fan, 4. F Scott Fitzgerald, 5. Hue, 6. Even Stevens, 7. 80.5 billion USD, 8. Kayak, 9. Cheetah.

QUICK QUIZ



- Before “SOS” was adopted internationally as a maritime distress signal, which other three letters were also used?
- On a ship, what sort of work would a “bilge rat” usually do?
- In *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, what sort of creature is Mr Tumnus?
- The Curious Case of Benjamin Button*, starring Brad Pitt (pictured), is based upon a short story by which author?
- Where in Vietnam is the Perfume River?
- Which horse won both the Melbourne and Caulfield cups in 1962?
- What is Warren Buffet’s approximate net worth as of 2020?
- What word, meaning a light canoe similar to an Inuit hunting craft, reads the same backwards as it does forwards?
- What is the world’s fastest mammal?
- What sort of “hen” is the New Zealand Pukeko?



The Border Watch encourages readers to submit photographs from events not covered by a Border Watch photographer. Send photos and captions with the name of the event to editorial@tbwtoday.com.au

PENOLA CHRISTMAS STREET PARTY

MANY flocked to the Penola War Memorial Park recently to celebrate the festive season during the annual Penola Coonawarra Christmas Street Party.



1



2



3

- 1: Lucy waits her turn for the jumping castle.
- 2: Penola Coonawarra Business Community Association members Tilly Dohnt, Simone Kain, Nicole Reschke, Hannah Timms and Rebecca Trotter.
- 3: Deb, Grace and Ian Mulligan take time out as a family and enjoy some cool drinks on a warm evening.
- 4: Isla and Ellis wait in line for their slushies to help cool down.
- 5: Sophie, Addison and Ebony all enjoy the evening of free entertainment.
- 6: Kerrie Marcus from Leconfield Wines and Christine Lambert of the Coonawarra Vignerons as they welcome people to the street party.
- 7: Joe Cory and Justin Kain take some time out from everyday life to enjoy the company of others at the street festival.
- 8: Oliver and Anna-Sofia enjoy their slushies after playing at the park.
- 9: Mika and Ameia enjoy each others company after the jumping castle.
- 10: Tim Finch and Ava Copping enjoy the warm weather.



4



5



6



7



8



9



10

WEATHER

FORECAST

Warnings

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

SOUTH AUSTRALIA:

State Forecast:

Dry apart from possible showers and storms west of about Coober Pedy. Hot to very hot. Light to moderate southeast to northeasterly winds and moderate afternoon sea breezes near the coast.

Lower South East District:

Hot to very hot and sunny. Light winds becoming west to northwesterly 20 to 30 km/h during the morning then turning south to southwesterly during the day.

Saturday. Partly cloudy. Light winds becoming west to southwesterly 15 to 25 km/h during the day then turning southerly during the afternoon.

Upper South East District:

Very hot and sunny. Light winds becoming north to northwesterly 25 to 35 km/h during the morning then shifting south to southwesterly during the afternoon.

Saturday. Partly cloudy. Light winds becoming west to southwesterly 15 to 25 km/h during the day then tending south to southwesterly during the evening.

VICTORIA:

South West District:

Hot and sunny. Light winds becoming north to northwesterly 25 to 35 km/h during the morning then shifting south to southwesterly 20 to 30 km/h during the day.

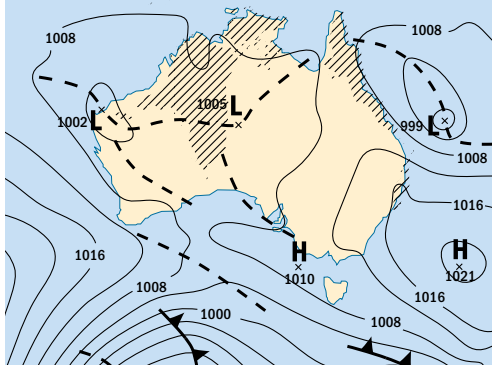
Saturday. Partly cloudy. Light winds becoming northwest to southwesterly 15 to 25 km/h during the day then tending south to southwesterly during the afternoon.

Wimmera District:

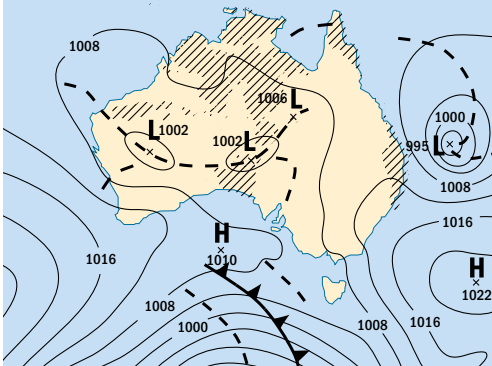
Hot and sunny. Winds south to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h becoming light before dawn then becoming northwest to northeasterly 20 to 30 km/h early in the morning.

Saturday. Hot. Partly cloudy. Winds northwest to northeasterly 20 to 30 km/h tending northwest to southwesterly during the afternoon then tending southeast to southwesterly during the evening.

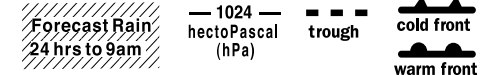
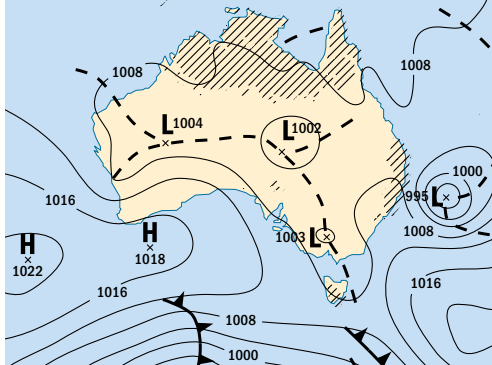
TODAY 10AM



TOMORROW 10AM



SUNDAY 10AM



MOUNT GAMBIER FORECAST



TODAY
Sunny. 35



TOMORROW
Partly cloudy. 30



SUNDAY
Partly cloudy. 25



MONDAY
Partly cloudy. 23



Sunny



Mostly sunny



Partly cloudy



Cloudy



Chance shower



Shower or two



Showers



Light rain (drizzle)



Rain



Storm



Showers storm



Windy



Dust

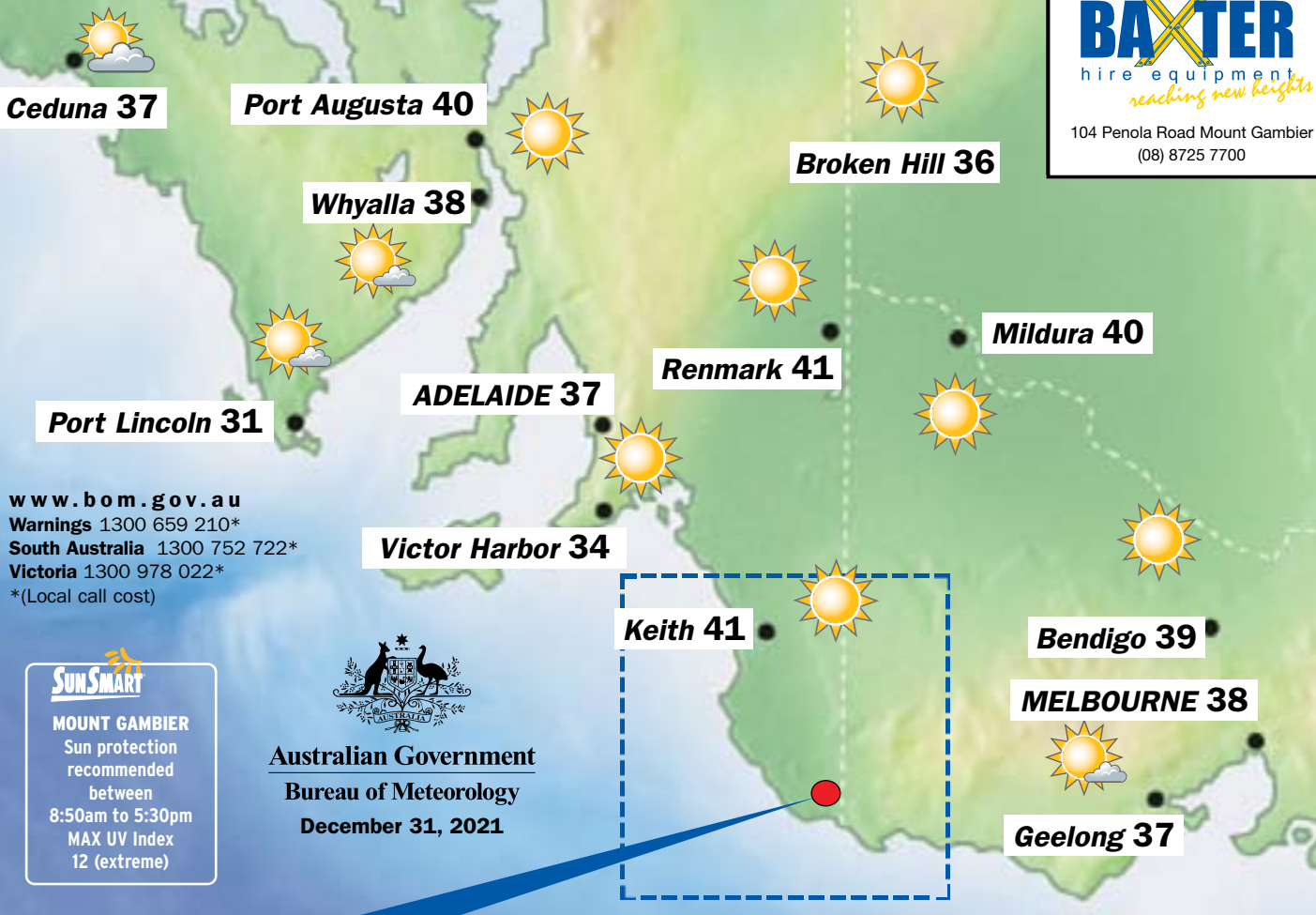


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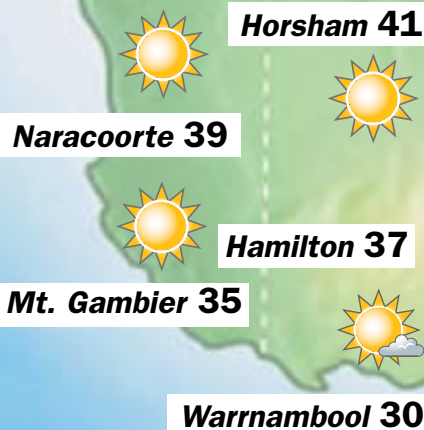


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SUNSMART

MOUNT GAMBIER
Sun protection
recommended
between
8:50am to 5:30pm
MAX UV Index
12 (extreme)

Australian Government
Bureau of Meteorology
December 31, 2021



CAPITAL CITIES

City	Condition	Max
Adelaide	Sunny.	37
Brisbane	Shower or two.	28
Canberra	Sunny.	31
Darwin	Possible shower or storm.	33
Hobart	Partly cloudy.	29
Melbourne	Hot and sunny.	38
Perth	Sunny.	32
Sydney	Sunny.	29

MOUNT GAMBIER

Rainfall:

24 hours to 9am Wed	0.0 mm
Total for December	9.8 mm
Monthly average	38.6 mm

Temperature:

Minimum to 9am Wed	9°C
Maximum to 3pm Wed	28°C
Average monthly maximum	23.1°C
Average monthly minimum	10.0°C

SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Today:	5:48am	8:32pm	3:04am	5:49pm
Saturday	5:48am	8:32pm	3:48am	7:06pm
Sunday	5:49am	8:32pm	4:41am	8:18pm
Monday	5:50am	8:32pm	5:45am	9:21pm

LOWER SOUTH EAST WATERS

Winds: Variable about 10 knots. Seas: Below 0.5 metres. Swell: Southwesterly 1 to 1.5 metres.
Weather: Partly cloudy.

OBSERVATIONS

South Australian Observations Wednesday:

	*Max	Min	**Rain
Cape Jaffa	25	12	0
Coonawarra	31	11	0
Hindmarsh Is	22	16	0
Keith West	34	11	0
Lameroo	35	17	0
Mt Gambier	28	9	0
Naracoorte AP	32	8	0
Padthaway South	32	10	0
Robe	25	12	0

Victorian Observations Wednesday:

	*Max	Min	**Rain
Cape Nelson	19	14	0
Cape Otway	19	13	0
Casterton	27	11	0
Dartmoor	27	12	0
Hamilton	27	8	0
Horsham	32	13	0
Port Fairy	19	14	0
Portland	na	na	na
Warrnambool	22	9	0

*Maximum temperature to 3pm

**Rainfall totals 24 hours to 9am

THE WORLD

World conditions yesterday

City	Weather	Max	Min
Athens	showers	15	9
Bangkok	fine	31	23
Beijing	fine	5	-6
Berlin	drizzle	10	3
Christchurch	showers	23	9
Denpasar	rain	30	25
Dublin	rain	14	11
Hong Kong	sunny	19	14
Honolulu	showers	26	21
Jakarta	rain	30	25
Johannesburg	storms	25	13
Kuala Lumpur	storms	33	24
London	cloudy	14	12
Los Angeles	showers	13	9
Madrid	fine	15	4
Moscow	mist	-7	-13
New Delhi	fog	20	7
New York	rain	9	8
Paris	cloudy	15	13
Rome	cloudy	16	6
Seoul	fine	-1	-7
Singapore	storms	33	24
Suva	storms	31	24
Tel Aviv	fine	19	11
Tokyo	fine	15	3
Vancouver	snow	-3	-8
Wellington	fine	20	13

TIDES

Port Macdonnell

Today:		
H:	12:52am	1.0m
L:	3:05pm	0.4m

Tomorrow:

H:	1:22am	1.1m
L:	3:43pm	0.3m
H:	4:16pm	0.3m
L:	4:44pm	0.3m

Sunday:

H:	1:58am	1.2m
L:	5:34pm	0.3m

Monday:

H:	2:35am	1.2m
L:	6:21pm	0.2m

Tuesday:

H:	3:12am	1.2m
L:	7:06pm	0.2m

Wednesday:

H:	3:45am	1.2m
L:	7:49pm	0.2m

Beachport

Today:		
L:	3:51pm	0.2m

Tomorrow:

H:	12:29am	1.0m
L:	4:31pm	0.2m

Sunday:

H:	1:04am	1.1m
L:	5:10pm	0.1m

Monday:

H:	1:38am	1.1m
L:	5:50pm	0.1m

Tuesday:

H:	2:10am	1.1m
L:	6:29pm	0.1m

Wednesday:

H:	2:39am	1.1m
L:	7:07pm	0.1m

NEW SUBARU OUTBACK

BY CHRIS RILEY,
MARQUE MOTORING

WITH Liberty's departure, Outback is now flagship of the Subaru range but not the most expensive. That dubious honour goes to the hard-edged, high-performance version of the WRX sporty - the STI spec.R.

But I know which one I'd rather have. My wife reckons the latest Outback is a corker too. About the only thing missing is a third row of seats.

In fact, there's no seven-seater in the entire Subaru range which is a bit strange - not since the Tribeca people mover in 2013.

We drove the bare bones Outback a few weeks back.

This time we're enjoying a tilt in the top of the range Touring model. Which begs the question: is it worth an extra \$8140?

STYLING

More like a wagon than high-riding SUV, Outback has continued to evolve over the years, getting better and better with each outing.

There are three grades and even the entry Outback is well equipped, priced from \$39,990 plus on-roads. Next up is the Sport priced from \$44,490, followed by top of the range Touring from \$47,790 - or an advertised \$52,928 drive-away.

They all get the same engine, transmission and wheels. Subaru has done the right thing too and standardised safety systems across the board, apart from a side view monitor for the Sport and Touring grades.

The Touring model ups the ante with minor cosmetic differences, leather instead of cloth trim, dual zone climate air with rear air vents, rear privacy glass and auto power up for all windows.

There's also 18-inch alloys, push-button start, auto lights and wipers, auto dimming mirror, auto high beam, rear park sensors, self-levelling, daytime LEDs, steering-responsive LED headlights and adaptive cruise control.

Other differences include a sunroof, power tailgate, heated steering wheel, heated seats front and back, power adjustment for both front seats, with dual memory for the driver's seat, auto dipping side mirror, and the icing on the cake, the nine-speaker harman/kardon sound with subwoofer and amplifier.

INTERIOR

Without a third row of seats, the cabin is spacious and comfortable, with leather and heating front and back, not to mention a heated steering wheel but alas no cooling for the front seats.

The big touchscreen is impressive, and this model does come with built-in satellite navigation.

You can also hook up your phone to navigate, but as seems to be the norm, our phone would not connect to Android Auto at first and when it did, the system refused to cooperate until the vehicle came to a stop.

The big portrait style screen can be configured to show one large portrait-shaped huge map, or tiers of information - map at the top, audio and air controls below.



ALL-WHEEL-DRIVE: The perennial Subaru Outback just keeps getting better.

The drivers instrument cluster is old school with two analogue dials separated by a small info panel where speed can be displayed digitally and the speed limit is shown.

We're big fans of the large, physical blind spot warning lights that never fail to capture attention.

INFOTAINMENT

There's a nine-speaker harman/kardon sound system. Don't know about you, but I reckon you can't spend too much on car audio.

The car is a place you spend a lot of time and a large percentage of this is spent listening to music.

The huge 11.6-inch portrait style touchscreen brings satellite navigation and a CD player this time around, along with DAB+ digital radio, Carplay and Android Auto, with 2 x 12v and 2 x USB ports.

ENGINES / TRANSMISSIONS

The four-cylinder direct injection boxer layout delivers 138kW of power and 245Nm of torque, the latter from 3400-4600 rpm -- about 7 per cent more power and four per cent more torque than before.

It's paired with a continuously variable auto, with a greater spread of ratios for improved take-off and better fuel economy.

The transmission comes with paddle shifts and 8-speed manual mode, as well as sport and intelligent drive modes.

SAFETY

Safety includes eight airbags, a reverse camera and the latest generation EyeSight Driver Assist system, with Lane Centering Function and Autonomous Emergency Steering.

There's also Emergency Lane Keep Assist, and Lane Departure Warning with steering wheel vibration.

Lane Departure Prevention and Pre-Collision Braking System, with expanded support for collision avoidance at intersections are also fitted, along with Speed Sign Recognition with Intelligent Speed Limiter,

Vision Assist includes Blind Spot Monitor (BSM), Lane Change Assist (LCA), Rear Cross Traffic Alert (RCTA); Reverse Au-

tomatic Braking (RAB), and EyeSight Assist Monitor.

DRIVING

As mentioned previously, all grades are powered by the same 2.5-litre naturally aspirated four-cylinder petrol engine.

The diesel has gone to heaven and there's no word yet on a hybrid, which has already found its way into XV and Forester. Subaru claims the flat four is 90 per cent new and like the BRZ, it seems to be better than the figures suggest.

Drive is to all four wheels, but only part of the time. Although described as Symmetrical all-wheel drive, it is in fact an active split system with torque distributed between front and rear wheels as required. In short, it remains front-wheel drive most of the time.

Dual function X-MODE offers set-and-forget throttle control in mud, snow and steep unsealed surfaces, with 213mm of ground clearance, and active torque vectoring that brakes individual wheels to maintain control during cornering.

Auto Stop-Start now incorporates "Change of Mind Control" which as its name suggests, restarts the engine within 0.2 of a second - if you change your mind.

Suspension is Mac strut at front and double wishbones at the back and it rides on 18-inch wheels with 225/60 series rubber, with a full-size spare. Shame about the diesel which offered 350Nm of torque, but it is what it is and for the most part, performance is fine.

It's only when you become demanding and punch the accelerator, that you're reminded it's a four and a naturally aspirated one at that.

Subaru has access to turbocharged units and very good ones, which have the potential to replace low end torque.

So, why it didn't opt for one of these is mystifying?

Bear in mind too, that maximum torque, in this case 245Nm, is produced from 3400-4600 revs - which means it needs a few revs to get going. In its quest for torque, the CVT transmission makes the car sound tinny and raucous, with the noise that makes these style

trannies objectionable.

At other times, in fact most of the time, the drive experience is just right, with a cabin that is quiet and ride that is super smooth.

With a 63-litre tank, it takes standard 91 unleaded and like the previous model is rated at 7.3L/100km.

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SPECIFICATIONS (Subaru Outback AWD Touring, 8sp CVT)

ENGINE:

- Capacity: 2.5 litres
- Configuration: Horizontally-opposed Boxer 4-cylinder, petrol engine
- Maximum Power: 138 kW @ 5800 rpm
- Maximum Torque: 245 Nm @ 3400-4600 rpm
- Fuel Type: Unleaded petrol (91 RON or higher)
- Combined Fuel Cycle (ADR 81/02): 7.3L/100km
- CO2 Emissions: 168 g/km

DRIVELINE: Lineartronic Continuously Variable Transmission with 8-step manual mode, all-wheel drive

DIMENSIONS, WEIGHT AND CAPACITIES:

- Length: 4870 mm
- Wheelbase: 2745 mm
- Width: 1875 mm
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- Turning Circle: 11.0 metres
- Kerb Mass: 1661 kg
- Fuel Tank Capacity: 63 litres

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2022 FORD MUSTANG HITS THE ROAD WITH PACKAGE

BY EWAN KENNEDY,
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BASED on the 2022 Mustang GT fastback and convertible models, the latest California Special Appearance Package pays respect to the original version's blacked-out grille, lower bodyside accent stripe and rear fender scoop.

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The California Special wears new design five-spoke 19-inch painted machined wheels. Interior appointments include rich black Miko suede door trim inserts and suede-trimmed seats with the embossed "GT/CS" logo and red contrast stitching.

The instrument panel is finished in carbon hex aluminium with a signature California Special script badge on the passenger side.



APPEARANCE PACKAGE: The blacked-out grille on this Mustang Special pays respect to the original Mustang.

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Much loved husband of Irene.

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Great granddad of fifteen great grand children. In lieu of floral tributes a donation to the South East Animal Welfare League PO Box 2143, Mount Gambier, SA 5290 would be appreciated.

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Deaths

JOHNS Thelma Margaret (Thelma)

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Aged 92 years

Loved wife

John (Ned) (dec).

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Special Nan to Mitch

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KIRBY

Beverley Anne

Passed away peacefully at the Hawthorn Grange Aged Care Service on 24th December 2021

Aged 85 years

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Deaths



NORMAN Will

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Our thoughts and prayers are with Luke, Renae, Ava and Thomas and extended to the greater Norman and McQuade families at this tough time.

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PALAMOUNTAIN

(nee Pumpa) lola Veronica

Passed away peacefully, with family by her side, in the Mount Gambier Hospital on Tuesday, 21st December 2021. Aged 79 years.

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JOHNS

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KIRBY

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SPORTS QUIZ



Daniel Ricciardo

- At what Winter Olympics is the 1993 movie *Cool Runnings* set?
- What A-League team plays home games at Coopers Stadium?
- What wicket-taking milestone did Nathan Lyon achieve in the First Ashes Test in Brisbane?
- Which team won the inaugural AFL Women's Grand Final?
- In what regional city does the Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race start and finish in?
- What name is the NFL's all-star game known by?
- In order to bowl a perfect game in ten-pin bowling, how many pins do you need to knock down?
- Which AFL team currently holds the longest Premiership drought, which is at 55 years?
- Who has won the most A-League Men titles?
- And in the A-League Women, Brisbane Roar, Canberra United and Sydney FC jointly hold the record for the most titles at how many each?
- At the Gabba, Australian batsman Travis Head scored his third Test century from how many deliveries?
- And how many wickets did Pat Cummins take in his first Test match as the new Australian captain?
- True or false: the middle colour hoop of the Olympics rings logo is black?
- Which venue will host the Fifth Ashes Test due to Perth's Optus Stadium not being able to due to border restrictions?
- Which Australian soccer star bizarrely received a yellow card while playing for Chelsea for flooring a pitch invader with a bump?
- And which cricketer famously did the same in Australian colours in an ODI back in 2008?
- In 2021, Sébastien Ogier won his eighth drivers' title of which global motorsport series?
- How old is tennis ace Roger Federer?
- And in which year did he win his first grand slam title?
- In which position did Australian Daniel Ricciardo finish the 2021 season in the F1 drivers' championship?
- Which Perth-born cricketer holds the Big Bash League record for highest score, with an innings of 147 not out?
- After a change to eligibility rules, Israel Folau seems set to represent which country's rugby union team?
- Which US Open champion had to pull out of an exhibition match in the United Arab Emirates recently after testing positive for COVID-19?
- Melbourne Storm player Brandon Smith has signed with which team for the 2023 NRL season?
- Which Tasmanian sporting ground has been confirmed as the venue for the fifth Ashes Test in January 2022?
- New Collingwood coach Craig McRae won three consecutive premierships playing for which VFL/AFL team?
- A private equity firm from which country has reportedly purchased a 30 percent stake in the A-Leagues?
- The 13th 'Throwdown' match was recently played between which two rival NBL teams?
- Who was recently crowned the 2021 Formula One World Drivers' Champion?
- The Finke Desert Race (a two-day off-road race for motorbikes, cars, buggies and quad bikes) is held in which Australian state or territory?

The Border Watch encourages readers to submit photographs from events not covered by a Border Watch photographer. Send photos and captions with the name of the event to editorial@tbwtoday.com.au

MOUNT GAMBIER BOWLS CLUB’S HOLIDAY FOURS

A BEAUTIFUL day was enjoyed at the Mount Gambier bowls club under the new cover for its Invitation Fours last weekend.

Fun was had by all except for some had better days than others, it is always perfect under the cover to play bowls with visitors welcome for a game said club president Ian Von Duve.

The winners for the day were Neil Tobin, Robert Corner, Brian Roper and Michael Fox.

Second were Barb Milstead, Marika Heaver, Ron Cox and Gary Widdison.

With third place going to Mick Ashby, Sara Ross, Brad Errock and Wayne Ross.



- 1: Ian Von Duve, Mount Gambier Bowls Club.
- 2: Peter Gregory and Glen Wright of Robe celebrating a game win.
- 3: Eddie Hann from Millicent.
- 4: Maraka Heaver from Mount Gambier Bowls Club.
- 5: Daniel Langdon from Mount Gambier RSL.
- 6: Simon Attiwell from Mount Gambier RSL.
- 7: Gary Bowering, Mount Gambier RSL.
- 8: Mick Jennings from Portland.
- 9: Brian Roper from Millicent.
- 10: Leon Fox from the Mount Gambier RSL Club.
- 11: Barb Milstead, Mount Gambier Bowls Club.



Hellyer turns heads in golf

CHRISTMAS came early for veteran golfer Max Hellyer last week when he recorded 50 stableford points to take out Thursday's competition at the Mount Gambier Golf Club.

The 78-year-old was pleased with the highest stableford score of the year, beating a fantastic 48-point haul turned in by Gordon Big-nell just a few weeks earlier.

"I was really happy about it," Hellyer said.

"When I walked into the clubhouse everyone applauded which was nice.

Then they said I needed to be drug tested ... jokingly of course."

The result was a far cry from his form about three months ago when he was struggling with his drives and his short game.

After being told he was not getting his weight through on his drives, Hellyer was on his way back to form when his handicap was as low as 14.

"I've been practicing every Tuesday and Wednesday for three months, trying to make sure I get that weight through, and now I'm getting on some of the par-fives in three" he said.

When you're playing off a 33 handicap, as Hellyer was on Thursday, that brings four-point holes into play.

Hellyer kicked off his extraordinary round, picking up a four-point par on the par-five first hole.

He followed that with a three-point bogey on the second hole, adding two more on the third and then two more four-pointers on the fourth and fifth thanks to consecutive par fours.

Three more two-pointers kept the scorecard ticking over before another four-point par on the par-four ninth hole saw him make the turn with 27 points already.

"I was thinking this is pretty good, just don't do anything stupid," Hellyer said.

He built up 14 more points on the first six holes on the back nine before arriving at the par-three 16th.

Left with a birdie putt of about 30 feet after finding the green with his tee shot, Hellyer calmly knocked it straight in for five points, taking his tally to 46 with two holes remaining.

A triple-bogey for just one point on the par-four 17th hole was his only blemish of the day,

but he rectified that and reached the 50 mark, with a three-point par on the 18th.

Hellyer's score blew everyone else away, Nicholas Morony taking second place on a count-back from 11-year-old Blake Schroder after they finished with a very credible 44 points.

Schroder, who beat Hellyer in the D Grade Club Championship final earlier in the year, shot an excellent 83 off the stick, showing how far he has come this year after breaking 100 for the first time back in April.

Nic Clayton turned in an impressive round, shooting an even-par round of 72 to finish with 41 points.

Three players managed to notch up the day's high score of 38 points, Setio Prajogo-Shanahan taking out A Grade, Tony Geddes with B Grade and Jack Jennings with C Grade.

Playing off a one handicap, Prajogo-Shanahan turned around some recent up-and-down scores to shoot a one-under par 71 off the stick.

"I only had 25 putts for the day ... it was one of those days where the putts just went in," he said.

In an eight-hole stretch from the fifth hole through to the 12th, he needed just nine putts, the only two putt-holes coming on the par-four 9th.

Starting his round on the 10th hole, Prajogo-Shanahan had two birdies and two bogeys on the back nine for an even-par 36 off the stick and 19 points and maintained that pace until the par-five seventh hole.

After having to punch his second shot back onto the fairway after hitting his drive behind a tree, he produced a miraculous 180 metre four-iron to four feet and calmly knocked in the birdie putt to move to one-under for the day.

Two pars to finish meant a sub-par round and top place on the leaderboard, later saying club pro John Martin deserved some of the credit for making sure he "stuck to the process" despite those indifferent recent scores.

Matt Knowles finished second in A Grade with 37 points, Mitch Broome was runner-up in B Grade with the same score and Declan Kenny also signed for 37 points to take second place behind Jennings in C Grade.



FESTIVE SPIRIT: Members of the Robe Bowls Club on board their float in the Robe Christmas parade.

Robe bowls puts in Christmas float

ROBE Social bowls last week was sponsored by the Robe Caledonian Inn.

Eighteen players participated and played two games of 12 ends, two bowl triples.

There were 2 x 2 game winners, with second place going to Dean Rob Hooper, Robbie Dahler and Dean Burgoyne on 56 points and winners on 57 were Nola Peel, Rob Lawrie and Peter Roachock.

The Christmas raffle was drawn and won by Mark Murphy, Ken Smith took second prize who also won third but had it redrawn to be won by Peter DeLaine.

The club put in a float for the Robe Christmas parade, The Night before Christmas.

The club women's and men's championship fours will be played on January 2.



PEAK PERFORMANCE: Max Hellyer shot 50 points to easily win last week's stableford competition at the Mount Gambier Golf Club.



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Streak of outs finally broken

AS far as owner-trainer Garry Harding was concerned, Tiggerlong Red's time-graded win last week at Tara Raceway in the Tracksides Meats 1-4 Wins Stake 512 metres had been a long time coming.

"By the time I took him over in February this year Tiggerlong Red had won only a maiden at Wagga over 320 metres in May 2020 for breeder Michael Finn," said Harding, who is based just down the road from Horsham at Laharum.

"Then, due to injury, he was off the scene until May this year.

Realistically, he is certainly better placed here at Tara Raceway behind the finish-on-lure but border restrictions have made things tough for everyone" he added.

Chasing his second win in 18 months, Tiggerlong Red put himself into last week's race when railing through on early leader Aston Mateo down the back straight.

From then on the red fawn dog was always travelling like a winner, eventually running out a 1¼ length's winner over King Smiley in 30.67 seconds.

By Dyna Double One out of 20-race winner Tiggerlong Dot, he boasts an illustrious brother in the form of the Group 1-winning Tiggerlong Tonk who all told has raced on 94 occasions for 42 wins and more than \$760,000 in stake money.

For Harding, the win was his first as a trainer at Tara Raceway in almost two years when Incy Valley had been successful.

However, he is also associated with recent winner Minnie Banjo who he sent over to local trainer Tracie Price.

"She's raced by a group of us in the name of the Giant Crows Syndicate.

I trained her when she won a couple of races in quick time over 410 metres at Horsham



STREAK BROKEN: Garry Harding at Tara Raceway with Tiggerlong Red after he broke a long run of outs last week. **Picture: SUBMITTED**

earlier in the year," Harding said.

"But after a few issues, I reckoned she also would probably be better suited behind the finish-on-lure.

With the constant uncertainty surrounding the borders I approached Tracie to see if he would take her."

On December 16, Minnie Banjo, a daughter of Banjo Boy and Navada Flame, made her Mount Gambier debut with a dashing 5¼ length's win over Educate in a best of day time of 22.98 seconds.

Meanwhile, Langhorne Creek trainer Tony Hinrichsen's Filthy Phantom brought up his 27th win when finishing over the top of Aston Noah for a half length win in 23.18 seconds in the Hyland Fox 5+ Wins Stake over 400 metres.

With 262 starts accumulated in the space of four years, Filthy Phantom, is generally regarded as the greyhound to have raced the most number of times on Australian tracks.

His time last week was equal best of the day, matching that of Educate – almost four years his junior.

Filthy Phantom then lined up in Monday's Gordon Refrigeration Masters Stake over 305 metres.

Masters races are for greyhounds 3¼ years and upwards – the oldest nominated receiving priority in regard to receiving a start.

Whelped in April 2016, the son of Loch-invar Marlow and Ruby Swift went into the race with 12 months to spare over Cawbourne Cross, who had gone around on 130 occasions and was the second-oldest runner.

It was a busy Christmas Day out at David Peckham's Allendale East Bourne Kennels when Sweet On Me whelped a litter of four dogs and six bitches to the US sire Superior Panama KC And All x USS Ceremony.

By Barcia Bale out of Call Me Gee with 11 wins and \$53,000 in stake money, Sweet On Me won 21 races on the circle and straight for Ross Schurgott's Nineofus Syndicate when trained by Peckham and Ben Rawlings.

One of her bigger wins at Tara Raceway was the 2020 Summer Classic over 512 metres when she led all the way to defeat Andy Graham's Bay Me and her littermate Call Me Billy in 29.83 seconds.

Trebles to Tara Raceway's leading trainers, David Peckham and Tracie Price, at Monday's holiday meeting was probably a fitting manner in which to wrap up Category 2 racing for the year.

Peckham, of Allendale East, won both heats of the grade 5 series over 400 metres with Educate and Aston Marlon while Out Of Gas

brought up his eighth local win for the year – and the trainer's treble – in the Metal Worx Open Stake over 400 metres.

Peckham will have three runners in Sunday's final after Midnight Blast finished third behind Educate.

The Compton-based Price will have four finalists after Compton Ruby, Simba, Right Way and Compton Casey all finished in the first four in their respective heats.

Price was off to a flying start when winning the first two races – both run over 305 metres – with Starlight Nelly in the Winning Post Supplies Maiden in 18.01 seconds and Charley Davidson impressing with a four lengths win in the Gordon Refrigeration Masters in 17.63 seconds.

His treble came up nearing the end of the 12-race card when Minnie Banjo once again impressed over the 400 metres with a dashing display in the Klaassens Contractors Stake.

Leading all the way from box two, the black bitch followed up on her recent initial win when defeating Worms Are Biting by 7½ lengths in 22.91 seconds.

With the 2021 season concluding yesterday at Tara Raceway with a time-graded meeting, it was Peckham who finally gained the upper hand after Price had led for much of the year.

This will be Peckham's third consecutive Ian Badger Leading Trainer award, named after the Mount Gambier Greyhound Racing Club's inaugural leading trainer of 1979.

Price won the 2018 Ian Badger Leading Trainer award.

The Cap Abbott owned and trained Another Pick hung on to win the 2021 Greyhound of the Year award over John Little's Bungalow Anne who closed the gap to three points on Monday but will not race again at Tara Raceway this year.

GREYHOUNDS TARA RACEWAY - MOUNT GAMBIER

Official box draw for Mount Gambier (TAB)
greyhound meeting to be held on Sunday, January 2, 2022

Race 1				12.47pm	Race 4				1.45pm	Race 7				2.46pm	Race 10				3.47pm
EXCHANGE PRINTERS MAIDEN STAKE					NELLIE NOODLES NEW YEAR'S GIFT					PROGREYHOUNDTIPS.COM STAKE PR1					COMMERCIAL HOTEL Grade 5 Series				
S305m, \$880-250-125-0					732m, \$1890-540-270-0					400m, \$940-270-135-0					400m, \$1300-370-185-0				
Box	Last 4	Greyhound Trainer	Best Time T/D		1 - 6634	SONIC SAMMY	Tracie Price	NBT		1 - 1132	EMERLEY AUSSIE	Jack Tregrove	23.25		1 - 1732	RIGHT WAY	Tracie Price	23.00	
1-X2	LUCA MATAYO	William Wilson	18.19		2 - 2311	CROWN SUZIE	Shelley Tregrove	44.15		2 - 6422	WORMS ARE BITING	Scott Blacksell	23.35		2 - 1211	EDUCATE	Dave Peckham	23.10	
2-4	LOCKY'S EAGLE	Dita Mitchell	18.68		3 - Vacant					3 - 5422	SHIMMY SHARNA	Richard Clayfield	23.26		3 - 2644	SIMBA	Tracie Price	23.09	
3-Vacant					4 - 3533	BORN A RUNNER	Clint Tregove	43.90		4 - 5134	COMPTON BANJO	Tracie Price	23.39		4 - 1151	ASTON MARLON	Dave Peckham	22.82	
4-3422	VELOCITY CONNIE	Jason Newman	NBT		5 - 6331	MICK'S KIMMY	Peter Crawley	43.91		5 - 2612	LEKTRA VIOLET	Melissa Freitag	23.18		5 - 1163	BUNGALOO ANNE	John Little	23.07	
5-Vacant					6 - Vacant					6 - 1716	QUEEN OF FIRE	Clint Tregove	NBT		6 - 2613	MIDNIGHT BLAST	Dave Peckham	23.03	
6-3453	TROUBLESOME FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	18.60		7 - 2117	WHOLE WAY	Tracie Price	43.47		7 - 1223	VELOCITY ALIBI	Dean Fennell	23.18		7 - 5464	COMPTON CASEY	Tracie Price	22.94	
7-Vacant					8 - 4111	FRANKIE BOY	Clint Tregove	43.68		8 - 1578	MILLIE MILLIONS	Peter Crawley	23.87		8 - 2312	COMPTON RUBY	Tracie Price	23.18	
8-5267	BOLT FOR BIERIS	Peter Crawley	18.53							9 - 2544	BLAZING STRINGS	Tony Hinrichsen	23.36		9 - 2365	TANGELO FIRE	Tracie Price	23.53	
										10 - 4636	TWO GEARS	Jack Tregove	NBT		10 - 1565	UPRISE	Tony Hinrichsen	23.87	
Race 2				1.07pm	Race 5				2.06pm	Race 8				3.07pm	Race 11				4.12pm
WILLIAMS CRANE HIRE JUVENILE					GAMBIER VETS STAKE PR1 Division 1					GREG MARTLEW AUTOS OPEN STAKE					HYLAND FOX STAKE PR1 Division 1				
S940-270-135-0					512m, \$1075-310-155-0					400m, \$1300-370-185-0					400m, \$995-290-145-0				
1 - 7316	LOGAN'S HERO	Clint Tregove	17.70		1 - 4653	BUNGALOO DANNI	John Little	30.16							1 - 4111	MINNIE BANJO	Tracie Price	22.91	
2 - 4644	IRISH BRANDY	Clint Tregove	18.11		2 - 3327	COMPULSORY HERO	Clint Tregove	NBT							2 - 2161	BRAZEN CROW	Jeffrey Guy	23.25	
3 - Vacant					3 - 5253	EMERLEY RED	Jack Tregove	30.58		1 - 1125	ASTON NOAH	Dave Peckham	23.06		3 - Vacant				
4 - 2543	MAJOR TOM FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	18.19		4 - 3276	TAPERING OFF	Raymond Mahony	29.90		2 - 3185	CRYPTIC SIGNAL	Peter Crawley	23.24		4 - 1184	TOORA ZARA	Richard Clayfield	23.00	
5 - 7372	LET'S GO FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	NBT		5 - 4425	PUMPING AIR	Garry Harding	NBT		3 - 8318	IT'S SMUDGY	Clint Tregove	23.00		5 - 1116	MAYBE WRONG	Shelley Tregove	22.89	
6 - Vacant					6 - 7153	BUNGALOO YVONNE	John Little	30.72		4 - 6517	GLENNVILLE ROSE	Richard Clayfield	23.12		6 - Vacant				
7 - 3536	THIEVING FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	18.75		7 - 7653	LOCKED	Jason Newman	NBT		5 - 8637	NUMINOUS	Jeffrey Guy	22.85		7 - 6335	BANJO BERT	Garry Harding	NBT	
8 - 6525	MARCO FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	NBT		8 - 2265	ATTUNED	Tracie Price	30.19		6 - 2173	ASTON DIJON	Dave Peckham	23.00		8 - 6471	SHIM CAM	Dave Peckham	23.04	
9 - 4446	SOL FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	NBT		9 - 7567	TWEET IT SWEET	Jeffrey Guy	NBT		8 - 1221	OUT OF GAS	Dave Peckham	22.90		9 - 1226	SEE NITRO	Andrew Graham	23.14	
10 - 3563	MEMPHIS FURY	Tony Hinrichsen	18.36		10 - 4887	PRESIDENT PEGGY	Peter Crawley	NBT		9 - 5634	CRYER'S SPRING	Nicole Stanley	22.98		10 - 2433	JABBA BOLT	Jeffrey Guy	23.19	
										10 - 151X	BAY ME	Andrew Graham	23.22						
Race 3				1.24pm	Race 6				2.27pm	Race 9				3.27pm	Race 12				4.27pm
TODD'S PHOTOGRAPHICS (N/P) STAKE					KLAASSENS CONTRACTORS STAKE PR1					ROCK'S TAVERN MIXED STAKE PR1					TRACKSIDE MEATS STAKE PR1				
305m, \$995-290-145-0					400m, \$940-270-135-0					600m, \$1305-380-190-0					512m, \$1150-330-165-0				
1 - 6634	SONIC SAMMY	Tracie Price	NBT		1 - 2332	SHRINKING	Jack Tregove	23.34							1 - 4546	ZIPPING COLA	Dave Peckham	29.52	
2 - 2311	CROWN SUZIE	Shelley Tregrove	44.15		2 - 1162	LEKTRA MOON	Melissa Freitag	23.38		1 - 2365	TANGELO FIRE	Tracie Price	NBT		2 - 2122	CURIUSER	Jack Tregove	29.77	
3 - Vacant					3 - 6361	MINTARO BALE	Jack Tregove	NBT		2 - 1723	STARLIGHT DUSTY	Tracie Price	35.32		3 - Vacant				
4 - 3533	BORN A RUNNER	Clint Tregove	43.90		4 - 6787	KING CUJO	Peter Crawley	NBT		3 - 1126	JAFAR BALE	Jack Tregove	NBT		4 - 3756	RHONDA LILY	Tracie Price	NBT	
5 - 6331	MICK'S KIMMY	Peter Crawley	43.91		5 - 3621	SANCTIONED	Jeffrey Guy	NBT		4 - 3332	BLAKE'S CROSSING	Dean Fennell	35.88		5 - 3254	COMPTON BRETT	Noel Perry	29.75	
6 - Vacant					6 - 4431	STARLIGHT NELLY	Tracie Price	23.76		5 - Vacant					6 - Vacant				
7 - 2117	WHOLE WAY	Tracie Price	43.47		7 - 8452	JOHNNY DEEDS	Dean Fennell	23.41		6 - 2242	DEPARTURE GATE	Jason Newman	35.38		7 - 3221	ROUGH BOY JAY	Noel Perry	30.20	
8 - 4111	FRANKIE BOY	Clint Tregove	43.68		8 - 2331	AWESOME ALPACA	Melissa Freitag	23.50		7 - 6458	FUGACIOUS	Jeffrey Guy	NBT		8 - 2428	AMORPHOUS FIRE	Tracie Price	30.11	
					9 - 3464	BUNGALOO ERIN	John Little	23.58		8 - 5111	VICTA JESS	Clint Tregove	35.06						
					10 - 6356	COOKIE DEEDS	Andrew Graham	23.70											

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WHEN a trainer only has one horse in work, to that a galloper can win a race or two each year is somewhat of a god-send.

That is the scenario for Millicent trainer Krystal Trembath who can rely on the veteran performer Brobak keeping her bank account ticking over.

Since arriving at her stable from New South Wales back in the spring of 2017, Brobak has had a win or two to his credit every year since and, following his first up win at Naracoorte last Monday, has now won six races for Trembath.

Some horses have a habit of winning at a certain time of the year and Brobak, who is raced by Trembath and her partner Dom Montuori, is a classic example.

Now a nine year old, Brobak has brought Christmas joy to the Trembath stable in recent years with three wins in the week between Christmas and New Year.

Last Sunday, Brobak resumed from a six month spell and he would have been a good thing beaten had he not won the 1100 metre BM 58 handicap.

"He's a good old boy and I work him down the beach at Southend and occasionally at the Millicent racecourse," Trembath told The Border Watch.

Brobak was bolting with nowhere to go on the home turn before Hong Kong born apprentice Ellis Wong found some space through a needle eye opening at the 200 metre mark to ensure a narrow victory.

For Wong, who does not speak great English, it was his second ride on Brobak after finishing second on him earlier this year.

"I've been watching him ride and he's not scared, that's for sure," Trembath added.

"He (Brobak) is getting old but I'd like to have a go at a suitable race in Adelaide before he retires."

With a winning double on the program (Last Dream and Our Ellie Rose, both ridden by Kate Walters), the Mount Gambier stable of Bob and Kane Post now find themselves in second spot on the trainer's premiership.

Mount Gambier trainer Lee Creek supplied the opening winner when Atomic Wizard led all the way, and he has a two win buffer at the top of the premiership ladder.

Meanwhile, there were some chuffed owners in the Millicent and Penola area last Sunday when the first starter Aitch Two Oh (\$3.20 fav.), trained by David and Chantelle Jolly, breezed home to score by more than four lengths at Morphettville.

On the same program, local apprentice Jacob Opperman combined with Strathalbyn trainer Kym Healy to win the 1200 metre maiden plate when Starlite Valley raced wide throughout but still proved far too strong for her rivals.

IMPROVING ALL THE TIME

The good run for local harness trainer Steve Fennell continued with a winner at Globe Derby Park last Friday afternoon.

With no trots last Saturday (Christmas Day), the usual Globe Derby Park Saturday night fixture was moved forward by more than 24 hours.

His much improved pacer Catch The Shark won his first city race to make it three wins from his past five starts with a tough win in the two year old pace.

From barrier five, Catch The Shark (\$1.80 fav.) had to do plenty of work outside the leader before drawing clear to win by four metres



FIRST CITY WIN: Following recent wins at Horsham and here at the Greenwald Paceway, two year old colt Catch The Shark won his first city race at Globe Derby Park last Friday afternoon for local trainer Steve Fennell.

with Samantha Pascoe in the sulky.

At Ararat last week, young trainer Zac Pearson found himself in the winner's stall again after Miradero (\$3.40) made it a hat trick of wins in the NR 51-54 pace.

INLAND WAS THE PLACE TO BE

A gale force south easterly wind and cool, overcast conditions earlier this week meant the ideal place for holiday makers was an inland destination.

Nhill in western Victoria was one such place last Sunday for that club's annual race meeting as clear skies and a light breeze made it perfect for relaxing outdoors.

The locals responded accordingly with a very good crowd, much bigger than that which attended two years ago which was the last time a crowd was allowed to go to Nhill before COVID entered our world.

In a very promising sign for club officials, the majority of the Boxing Day crowd were the younger generation who were home for Christmas and in a carefree mood.

The much travelled Bob and Kane Post stable took the honours their recent run of success by being the only South Australian stable to win at Nhill.

That was with the seven year old gelding Unlimited Ability (\$2.50), an all the way winner of the 1150 metre BM 58 handicap.

Stable jockey Kate Walters had the mount, and Unlimited Ability showed plenty of tenacity to thwart the challengers in the final 300 metres.

Up and coming Stawell trainer Andrew Bobbin took the honours with a winning treble on the seven race card, including back to back success in the Nhill cup with Dubai Dominion.

Special mention is made of Jason Gordon who has done the on course announcer duties at Nhill for many years.

Gordon, who is also president of the Kaniva Leeor football club and is never stuck for a word, volunteers his services to the Nhill club and does an excellent job.

He looked after the winning owners and kept patrons up to date with the various activities taking place during the afternoon.

Praise also to the four bookmakers at Nhill who, last Sunday, often gave better prices on



YOUNG GUNS BACK IN THE TOWER: Following an absence of a couple of years, experienced judges/timekeepers/photo finish operators Luke Manser (left) and Jake Connell are back in their old roles each meeting at the Greenwald Paceway.

the local races than those offered by fixed odds and the tote.

REPRIEVE FOR LOCAL LADS

For many years, the Mount Gambier harness racing club employed probably the two youngest judges/timekeepers/computerised photo finish operators in Australia.

Local lads Luke Manser and Jake Connell were only teenagers when they started working in the judge's box earlier this century.

"I was 15 years old when I started out as the timekeeper at the trots when Mike Robinson was the judge at the time," Manser said.

"Then, when Mike decided to give it away, I was promoted to judge and I got Jake Connell, who is younger than me, to come on board as timekeeper."

That was around 2008, and the youngsters did the job with diligence and keenness of operators well beyond their years for around a decade and, along with their friendly disposition, won plenty of praise.

A few years ago, they were suddenly replaced following some issues with Harness Racing SA.

Their replacements, in my opinion, were not in the same class as Manser and Connell.

The good news is that Manser and Connell have had a reprieve and their smiling faces and happy-go-lucky attitude are again part of local harness racing in the judges box this season.

FREEBIES AT THE TROTS

Holiday makers with a free afternoon may like to take advantage of a rare afternoon harness racing meeting here at the Greenwald Paceway.

It is the only day meeting for the season and it will be held here next Monday (the public holiday), however the starting times and race fields were not released before this edition went to print.

There will be incentives for the younger ones to attend with (COVID permitting) a treasure hunt and free icy poles.

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Big night at the speedway

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EARNING the title of 'hard charger' at the Borderline Speedway on Tuesday night was Limestone Coast racing legend Steven Lines who came back after two seasons off.

Lines came from 17th to 5th in the Sprint Car A Main race, working his way through the field this season with spectators, fellow drivers and club members expecting the success to continue into the season.

About 1500 spectators attended the races on Tuesday night.

They were treated to thrills and spills throughout the night including one major crash between two cars in the Sprint Cars final which caused a red light stoppage with cars craned off the track.

The race continued and finished with local favourite James McFadden taking the top spot.

McFadden finished ahead of Carson Macedo and Luke Dillon.

The Super Sedan Feature showcased the talent of Jamie Collins who took out the top spot over Dave McKenzie and Paul Blenkiron.

Michael Miller overtook Scott Webb and Anthony Grillett in the Modlite Feature.

Anthony Beare took out the top spot in the Street Stock Feature followed by Jason Duell and Steve Gartner.

Speedway Club president Cary Jennings said the club had lost a number of Super Sedans due to their location and the inability to receive a Covid-19 test in the required 72 hours prior to arriving.

"They were a depleted field but we still ran and had a good final," Jennings said.

"We had around 14 Street Stocks with Anthony Beare, Jason Duell and Steve Gartner on the podium in the final and they seemed to enjoy themselves."

Originally there were 40 sprint cars nominated for the night but this ended up with only



SPRINTCAR RACE: Carson Macedo races around the track, coming second to James McFadden in the final stretch.

23 due to Covid testing requirements.

Jennings said it was disappointing so many were not able to get test results back in time for the race, but with recent changes to the interstate travel testing requirements he hoped it would make it easier for others to come across.

"The next event is a major event for us and we will encourage people from interstate to attend," he said.

"It will be the State Title for speed cars but we also have the Summer Slam which is a race between Mount Gambier, Simpson and Warrnambool coming up which we are hoping to have around 90 cars in the pits for.

"We are hoping that Covid won't affect us anymore and we can get these shows up and running because we have a good car count as well as patrons on the hill."

The State Title will be held on January 7 with the annual Kings Challenge held on January 20.



SPEEDWAY SUCCESS: James McFadden celebrates his successful win on Tuesday night.

Blue Lake archers practice for tournament

AT this time of year, tournament practice and set up are traditional priorities for Blue Lake Archers.

With Covid restrictions beginning to tighten with each day, preparations are continuing unabated.

The club faced the same challenge for the last tournament and successfully managed to run the weekend of events and are working with similar precautions and optimism for the upcoming tournament in mid January.

Local competition last Sunday was billed as a Christmas recovery, the breezy conditions on the day pushing the planned outdoor event into a much less frustrating indoor event.

A pair of Australian 18 metre rounds were selected as the substitute rounds.

Fine tuning of equipment is a must before the tournament weekend and round one had lower scores for the established archers present as they finessed their tuning.

Round one was a cake walk for Peter Donhardt as his rivals fiddled with tuning.

A new Personal Best of 271 points off the

bow by Donhardt translated to a benchmark busting 312 points in the adjusted scores, giving him a 23 point walk over of runner up Paul Freeman.

As the second round commenced it was obvious the equipment tuning was settled for Ben Kilsby and Freeman as their scores were on an upward trajectory.

Kilsby poured on the accuracy to bounce back to the front of the group, leading home Donhardt by two points with Freeman just four points further back at the end of the day.

Upcoming events include indoor archery at Blue Lake Gymnastics Club, Malseed Park Friday at 7.30pm followed by outdoor archery at Corriedale Park 12.30pm Sunday.

Australian Indoor 18 metre, Round 1, handicap scored, benchmark 300 points

- Peter Donhardt 312 (off the bow 271 PB)
- Paul Freeman 289 (276)
- Ben Kilsby 288 (287)

Australian Indoor 18 metre, Round 2, handicap scored, benchmark 300 points

- Ben Kilsby 297 (off the bow 296)
- Peter Donhardt 295 (260)
- Paul Freeman 291 (278)



BULLSEYE: Ben Kilsby's accuracy is peaking right on time for the annual tournament in mid January.



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Young cyclists win medals

THE Mount Gambier Cycling Club was well represented by five riders at the recent South Australian Junior Track Championships at the Superdrome in Adelaide.

They participated in a variety of track events including an individual pursuit, teams pursuit, teams sprint, individual sprint, individual time trial, a points race and a scratch race.

Jami Buckley, Kai Arbery and Patrick Langsmith attended the championships for the first time, competing in the Under 17 male division with Niel van Niekerk.

They combined to finish third in the 3000m team's pursuit race, where a group of four riders work together to try and catch another group over 12 laps of the velodrome.

Van Niekerk, Langsmith and Arbery also combined in the team sprint to take out second place.

In good team spirit, Buckley joined with another two riders from different clubs so all could participate.

Individually, Van Niekerk came home with an additional five medals, third in the 2000m Individual Pursuit, third in the 500m Time Trial, second in the 50-lap (12.5km) Points race, second in the 7.5km (30 lap) Scratch race second in the Individual sprint.

Arbery finished just outside the podium in the 500m Time Trial.

In the points race, a sprint occurred every 10 laps, with points gained for the placings and the rider with the most points at the end of the race was declared the winner.

In the scratch race, all riders started together and the winner was the rider who crossed the finish line first.

In the individual sprint, qualifying times were taken from a single 200m flying lap, then the top riders had a sprinting duel on the track to determine the placings.

In Junior racing, a key component to factor in is the roll-out of the gearing, meaning each revolution of the pedal could only send the bike a maximum distance of 7m for Under 17 males.

Van Niekerk was pedaling at an average of 145rpm for the 200m sprint.

Molly Opperman also competed at the Championship in the Under 13 Girls division.

Under 13 riders are allowed a roll-out of 5.5m with their gearing.

Both boys and girls raced together in the Points race and Scratch race, showing their strength and skills to match each other.

Opperman finished first in the 3km (12 lap) Scratch race, 500m Time Trial (1st), 1500m Individual Pursuit and second in the 15 lap (3.75km) Points Race.

She also rode a qualifier for the 200m Sprint, averaging 142rpm for her flying run and rode in one of the teams for the Under 17 teams sprint.

South Australia's state team will be selected



IMPRESSIVE EFFORT: Kai Arbery, Jami Buckley, Patrick Langsmith, Niel Van Niekerk with their bronze medals from the Team Pursuit.

in the new year, with riders looking forward to finding out if they have made the team.

In the meantime, some riders will continue their track riding in Victoria with their post-Christmas carnivals.

Locally the Mount Gambier Cycling Club look forward to combining with the South Coast Cycling Club for a two day Track Carnival to be held on January 15 and 16 at the Blue Lake Velodrome.



ON THE PACE: Niel Van Niekerk with his medals from the state championships.



SOLID PERFORMANCE: Molly Opperman with her medals.

Historics race this weekend at Mac Park

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While Covid-19 still has the propensity to throw a curve ball, the club is confident of a quality meeting, which has attracted riders from both sides of the border.

Riders will be chasing lap records after last year saw some categories with new records set.

The pre-1945 category boast a strong field

of 12 bikes broken into Period 2, Handshifters and Class C.

If old WL Harleys and Indians are your thing you will not be disappointed, with big grids expected all weekend.

Likewise, the roar at the start of a single cylinder race is something to behold. A big field of singles is set to take on the Bob Jolly Memorial race and will be one to experience.

Pucka bikes like Manx Nortons and G50 Matchless will battle it out for honours.

The Ken Blake Memorial Race has been moved to now include Period 5 machines and will have a full grid.

Saturday January 1 includes qualifying rounds which begin at 9am, with racing to follow after the 18 qualifiers around the middle of the day.

Sunday's racing starts at 9am.

With the 18 qualifying sessions and 40 races there will be non-stop action over the two days

Those wanting to chase down race results can visit Orion-Timing.com.

Internet service is still quite hit-and-miss at McNamara Park so patience is required and do not expect live timing.

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History on the track

OLD, beloved machinery will grace the McNamara Park racing circuit this weekend, with the SA Historic Road racing Championships set down for a big weekend of competition.

The roar of old Indians, Harley Davidsons and everything in between will have memories pouring back as spectators witness machinery of yesteryear face off.

The meeting promises to provide plenty of entertainment, with more than 115 riders registered and close to 200 bikes to be used.

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MEMORIES: Historic machinery will grace the McNamara Park circuit this weekend for the SA Historic titles.

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