

ABOUT

EDITION 178 september 2019

Boort Netball Club are excited to have 5 teams, A & B Grade, U16A's U16B's and U13A's make it through to the 2019 finals campaign.

Irrespective if they have made it to finals or not, every player in the club gave 100% this season! The following players have been acknowledged at our annual vote count.

- U16B Best & Fairest - Annie Perryman
- U16B Runner Up - Alice Lanyon & Camilla Moresi
- U16B Coaches Award - Camilla Moresi
- U16A Best & Fairest - Sophie Cockerell
- U16A Runner Up - Emmerson Doyle
- U16A Coaches Award - Izzy Coutts
- C Grade Best & Fairest - Richelle Knight
- C Grade Runner Up - Toni Watts
- C Grade Coaches Award - Courtney McOrist
- B Grade Best & Fairest - Kristen Gooding
- B Grade Runner Up - Grace Hosking
- B Grade Player's Choice Award - Kristen Gooding
- A Grade Best and Fairest - Roxy Aldrich
- A Grade Runner Up - Carly Isaac
- A Grade Player's Choice Award - Roxy Aldrich



Izzy Coutts, Annie Perryman, Emmerson Doyle, Sophie Cockerell, Camilla Moresi and Alice Lanyon



Courtney McOrist, Richelle Knight, Roxy Aldrich, Carly Isaac and Kristen Gooding.
(Absent: Grace Hosking and Toni Watts)

Special acknowledgement and thanks was given to Life Member, Leanna Moresi.

We wish Leanna the very best for her new adventures.

Marj Potter received a very deserving **Life Membership** for her volunteering, dedication and support of the club over many, many years. Congratulations Marj!

**CONGRATULATIONS
MARJORY POTTER**





133rd Boort A & P Society Show Saturday 12th October

The A & P Society of Boort is pleased to announce the upcoming annual Boort Show. This year the show is shaping up to be another amazing community event.

The Boort show commenced 133 years ago, in 1886, when none of us were even born. It has endured through much adversity and continues to provide our community a day of wonderful generosity of spirit. Everyone has a particular show memory that is unique and special to them. Something to think about when planning your day.

This year the show is fortunate to have the following attractions:

The Heath Saunders' organized TRUCKSHOW & SHINE,

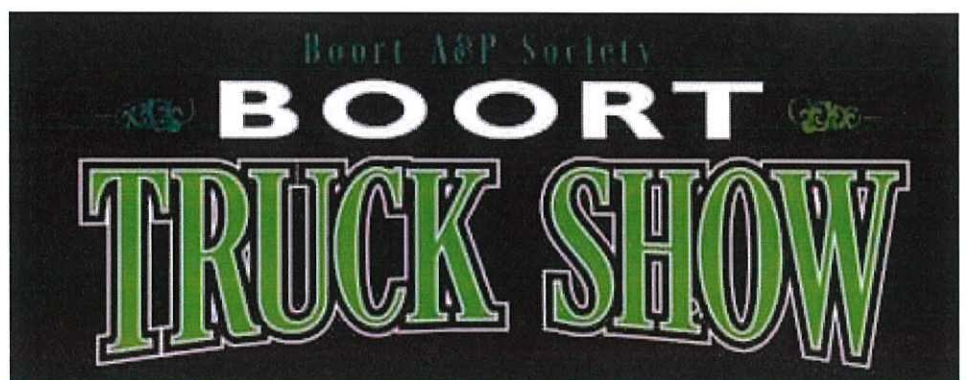
The Annual Shearing Competition, featuring a Blade Shear as well as a machine shear. All grades of shearers most welcome, from the novice to the professional.

The amazing Sculpture competition & the fabulous poultry pavilion.

There will be Dodgem Cars, the Cyclone and the Kiddie Carousel. Face Painting, a Roving Magician & Balloonist, show bags & fairy floss, coffee van, food stalls and an amazing array of market sites.

Funfarm2you is returning for all you baby animal lovers, there are a multitude of horse events as well as an exciting Dog Trial.

The pavilion, full of wonderful cooking, preserves, children's art, craft, gorgeous flowers and succulents. The dog jumping is back and the tiny tots through to Miss Show Girl. We look forward to seeing you on the day! **(Remember to get your entries in).**



Boort Historical Society Inc.

A Brief History of the Boort Agricultural and Pastoral Society Show

The first district show was held in October 1879 at the Catumnal Wesleyan Church, which is about 10 miles west of Boort. This first show attracted an attendance of around 500 people.

In 1880 the Boort District Pastoral and Agricultural Society was formed and the Inaugural Show was held on the 22nd October, 1880, at Boort in the newly erected Pound Yards – that is down the west end of Boort on the old salt flats.

By 1881 the attendance at the Boort Show was estimated at 2,000 people- visitors attending from Inglewood, Bridgewater, East Charlton, Sandhurst, Melbourne and Ballarat.

1882 saw the first appearance of the Boort Brass Band. A special train from Sandhurst brought 500 people, and the show crowd of over 1500 came from a radius of over 40 miles – this of course in horse and buggy, riding horses, or walking with exhibits of preserves and breads and home baked goods and livestock in hand.

By 1885 the Show held 56 entries in home-made bread, 60 entries in fresh butter and an attendance of 3,000 people resulted in a £70 gate.

In 1888 Boort had a Grand National Show – attendance was 4,000 and gate takings were £94. Two special trains were required to accommodate traffic between Korong Vale and Boort and there were 1,700 exhibits – imagine bringing chooks, pigs, sheep, etc. on the trains to exhibit them at the Show. The Governor His Excellency Sir H B Loch attended the Boort Show in that year and there was a Guard of Honour from Durham Ox Mounted Rifles.

The Boort Trotting Club is Australia's oldest and you will still see a 3 race Trotting Event at the Boort Show – a great spectacle.

Horses have always played a large part in the Boort Show with a well deserved reputation for running a large program in four or five rings – Show Jumping and Olympic Jumping. In 1911 it was moved that ladies be allowed to ride astride as well as side-saddle!

The price of a cup of tea with sandwich or bun had risen to sixpence to meet rising costs!

In 1889 prizes were given for the most sparrow heads and eggs collected (two eggs to count as one head), sparrows being of pest proportions.

By 1919 special prizes were again offered for sparrows and starlings heads and eggs, five eggs counting as one head, and the Secretary to do the tallying. Very politically incorrect these days!

In 1927 the showgrounds were flooded and the Show postponed to November 10th when His Excellency, the Governor of Victoria Lord Stradbroke opened the show and toured the district.

Parking fees of two shillings for motor cars was introduced in 1924.

In 1929 the building and Grandstand were relocated to the area known as Boort Park where the Show continues to be held these days, and incidentally Boort Show is the only Show still being conducted in the Loddon Shire – something for the Show Committees and volunteers over the years to be very proud of.

In 1943 the Pyramid Hill Pipe Band and the Boort Band played at the show to the crowds great enjoyment, and the average cost of growing a bushel of wheat was 3/10 ½d or 39c.

During the war years the Show was not held, but a combined Carnival and Gymkhana and Ball were organised and the proceeds donated to the War Effort and the Red Cross.

It is pleasing to see the sixth and seventh generation descendants of the original committee taking an active part in organising and conducting the Show, which has proved of so much value to the district since its beginnings.

The community of Boort survives on the work of volunteers and they are all to be commended on the continuing success of the Boort Agricultural and Pastoral Society Show. The Boort Show has an interesting and colourful history – I hope you have enjoyed this reminder of the way things were.

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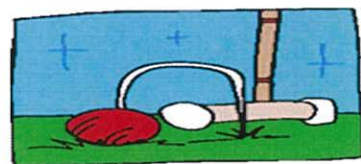


This year we are pleased to exhibit some of the very earliest TROPHIES & MEMORABILIA from Boort District A & P Society Shows. We will feature a silver tray presented in 1882 for a Thoroughbred Entire. The tray was recently posted back to the Society from Dunsborough, W.A. after being found in an Op Shop. There will be early Show Posters, Prize cards, Photographs, Show Schedules and Memorabilia on display, taking you back in time.

Boort Lakeside Croquet Club

The Annual Murray Valley Croquet Winter Round Robin Social Days

began with the first event at Charlton on June 15th, second event at Swan Hill on July 20th and final event at Boort on August 17th. Scrumptious food served on chilly days was appreciated by all players. At Boort on the 17th August sun peeped through the clouds and warmed the atmosphere to create a most enjoyable day of play.



Boort Croquet Club is ready to celebrate our OPEN DAY on Saturday 14th September starting at 1.00pm. We, the Croquet Club at Boort, welcome everyone who is interested and keen to be part of this social day. Come along and watch or enjoy a game or two. Wear casual clothes and hopefully enjoy some sunshine near our lake. Our Club will make you most welcome. At Boort, Golf Pennant Croquet play has begun and the Association Pennant Croquet team is ready to play in September. As teams are preparing for the new season of Pennant, we wish our Boort players the very best for the 2019 season.

Boort Croquet Club is hosting the Association Croquet Tournament on the Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th October 2019. Interested players please contact Ian Potter on 0427 554 252 to register for this event. Early accommodation booking is also advisable for players who are travelling to Boort.

Any enquiries – Kindly contact President – Alan Puttick 0439979485 or Secretary – Julie Puttick 0432996965



President, Alan Puttick contemplates the success of the round robin day.



Denise Lang enjoys the game



Julie Puttick organises scrumptious food.



Boort Bowls Club News

The Boort Bowls Club will be holding their Opening Day for the 2019-2020 season on Sunday 22nd September starting at 1.00 pm. All members and anybody who would like a game of bowls is very welcome to come.

There are sets of bowls held at the Club for use by anybody who wishes to play. Names need to be in by 1.00 pm to Boort Bowls Club No. 54552280.

Casual Dress.
Thelma Moresi

Dates

Sunday 22nd Sept – Open Day
Thursday 26th Sept. Division Opening
Tuesday 1st October Mid-Week Pennant
Saturday 5th October Saturday Pennant

BOORT GOLF CLUB

Boort Golf Club held a successful 90th Annual Tournament in July over 4 days on a well presented golf course. There were a number of visitors that came back which resulted in much reminiscing and good competition over the 4 days. The Club would like to thank all the businesses that supported us with their Sponsorship as it was very much appreciated. The winners of the Club Raffle were 1st Margo Forbes, Kerang, 2nd Bethany Lanyon, 3rd Kevin Sutton, 4th Peg Mitchell, 5th Kate Perryman.



The winners in the new Club event, the D&A Lanyon monthly Stableford Aggregate for July were Jamie Sutton who played every Saturday and Di Johnston for the Ladies playing every round in the month.

The Club Knockout Singles was very competitive in the Ladies with Di Johnston defeating Gill Tweddle and Phyl Baker winning the points from Margaret Nelson in the Semi Finals leaving a final between Di and Phyl which when 18 holes were completed scores were level so the ladies continued onto the 19th Hole with Di Johnston ending up the winner. Congratulations Di.

The Men have two competitions, the men's Singles Knock-out and the Men's Pairs Knock-out with both of these up to the Semi-finals. These results will be available next month.

The Ladies will be playing the Kara Kara District Shield Day and Association Event this coming Thursday (22nd August) on the Boort Golf Course. The Shield Day events are team of best 5 Scratch scores from one club and the best 5 Handicap Scores from a Club. We look forward to seeing a good number of ladies on the golf course Thursday. The men will play their Shield Day completion on Sunday at Berriwillock. Best of luck to all players.

The Club Closing Day will be on Saturday 14th September and is open to both the Lady and Men players, but the time and event is yet to be decided and may be determined by the weather and the number holes to be played. Please contact either Stuart Tweddle 0413 482385 or Andrew Kane 0428 378738 for correct information.

The End of Season trip to Barham is 21st September and those interested in going please contact Andrew Kane on the above phone number as he will need to let Barham Club know the number of people coming.

The playing numbers at Boort are down as members are travelling to play at other Clubs to support their Special Days and Tournaments. Some members are bringing home the occasional trophy or raffle prize while others are just having a nice social day on another golf course.

Thanks to all who are travelling and supporting the Boort Club.

Margaret Nelson

Dates

Saturday 14th September – Club Closing Day
Saturday 21st September – Club Trip to Barham
Wednesday 9th October – Club AGM

BOORT AMITY present's FOR BREAST CANCER

"GIRL'S NIGHT IN "

DATE.... FRIDAY 18TH OCTOBER

TIME.....6.30 pm

PLACE....BOORT PARK

PRICE.....\$20.00 per head. INCLUDES LIGHT DINNER &
FREE DRINK....(WINE, BEER or SOFT DRINK)

EARLY BIRD PRIZE..for tickets purchased before 11/10

Tickets from....Kathy 0427409079 Sandra 0428552156

Boort Post Office

Boort Newsagency

LOTS OF FUN HAPPENING.....

BEST PINK OUTFIT

SPINNING WHEEL

RAFFLES

SILENT AUCTION

DOOR PRIZE

MUSIC

Contact Centrelink Farm Household
Assistance

Phone 132 316

Centrelink Bendigo have 2 staff
members ready to assist anyone who
needs help.

Drop in and see
them or phone the
above number.



JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

Please note that Alister McDougal will not be
available to witness signatures or certify copies of
documents in his role as a Justice of the Peace
from 25/07/2019 to 30/09/2019 inclusive.

If you require a Justice of the Peace during this
time, you can make contact with either
Wayne Pappin (0488 710 254) or Kim Clough
(0414 935 288).



Fishing & fun for all the family



LAKE BOORT CARP ERADICATION AND FAMILY WEEKEND

Great environment, Friendly atmosphere, Lots of Prizes and Giveaways.

Spinning Wheel Saturday Evening and Sunday Lunch time.

Saturday 19th October 8.30am till 5.30pm

Sunday 20th October 8.30 till 11.30am
Followed by presentations at Club House

ENTRY FEES

Adult \$25 | Family \$50 | Juniors (under 16 years) Free.

Entry Includes: Saturday night dinner, breakfast on both days and puts you in the draw for the TINT CENTRAL MAJOR PRIZES.

Adult Prizes. 1st, 2nd, 3rd. Total Value \$1000 | Junior Prizes. 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th. Total Value \$1000

SNOOZE EARLY BIRD PRIZE (for entries received before 16th Sept) Value of \$640

'Conditions apply: All participants must be present on Sunday to be eligible to claim their prize'

Donations
Welcome

No Dogs
Allowed

For Information contact-Rod Stringer Mobile: 0428 513 888 • Email: boortanglingclub@yahoo.com

- TINT CENTRAL Bendigo • STRINGERS STEEL FABRICATIONS Boort • SNOOZE Bendigo • BOORT TYRE CENTRE Boort
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We wish to sincerely thank our sponsors and encourage you to support them.



Sculptor John Piccoli
Deer #102



Naturally Loddon Festival Launch: Father's Day at Piccoli's Star Spanner Sculpture Gardens

Enjoy a relaxing Father's Day - Sunday 1st September

Come celebrate at the Piccoli's; wandering around the manicured gardens, filled with John's amazing spanner sculptures.

Barbeque, afternoon tea and refreshments will be available all day.

There will also be a jumping castle and face painting for the kids. The official launch of the Naturally Loddon Spring Calendar is at 2pm.

Cost: Adults \$5



Sculptor John Piccoli
Buck-Jumper No# 84

Internationally renowned Martial Artist Derek Upward is on his way to Boort again. Derek runs his own Taekwondo school in Melbourne, as well as being Australia's foremost Instructor in the Smart Safe system. Derek enjoyed his trip to our fair township last year and was extremely impressed with our tight knit community.

The Boort Self Defence Group have forged close ties with Derek and his team. We are pleased to offer two opportunities for people to come along and participate. We have several Black Belts visiting plus some ladies who have recently gained their qualifications in the Smart Safe system.

Saturday 19 October - 5.00 to 6.30pm

Taekwondo/Hapkido/Self Defence
All welcome to attend.

Sunday 20th October - 10am to Lunchtime

Smart Safe For Women

Ladies/Girls welcome a great mother and daughter opportunity.

Both events are at the Lakeside Dojo (James Boyle Hall) and are FREE!!



Kids and Worry

Boort



During this workshop we will explore the reasons why children worry and ways parents and carers can support them. It will include ideas as well as practical tools to assist children to manage their worries.

Term 3, 2019

When: Friday 13th September
Time: Arrival and registration 9.45am
 Session: 10.00am - 12.30pm
Where: Boort Resource and Information Centre (BRIC)
 191 - 121 Godfrey Street, Boort
Cost: Free
Childcare: Child minding available, please advise when booking if required
Facilitators: CCS Family and Relationship Services

Groups are subject to maximum and minimum numbers determined seven working days prior to start date. Please register early



Bookings and enquiries contact Loretta on Ph: 5455 2716



Knowing your Teenager

Boort



Parenting teenagers is not easy, it requires creativity, determination and patience! It's a tough phase for everybody, but you're not alone.

Join other parents and carers in this workshop that aims to provide information, improve understanding and explore strategies that focus on the strengths and challenges of this stage of development

Term 3, 2019

When: Monday 16th September
Time: Arrival and registration 5.45pm
 Session 6.00pm - 8.30pm
Where: Boort Resource and Information Centre (BRIC)
 191 - 121 Godfrey Street, Boort
Cost: Free
Child Care: Sorry, no childcare provided
Facilitators: CCS Family and Relationship Services

Groups are subject to maximum and minimum numbers determined seven working days prior to start date. Please register early



For bookings and enquiries contact Loretta on Ph: 5455 2716

Conversational Spanish Classes

Free - at BRIC

Starting Monday 26th August - Time 7.30 to 9 pm

If you would like to participate in fun classes learning Spanish and a little bit about Argentina, please come along on Monday night and find out more or contact BRIC - call in, email

bric.boort@bigpond.com



BOORT DISTRICT SCHOOL & BDS PARENTS' CLUB



ART
SHOWCASE

Save the date!

25 - 27
OCT
2019

FRIDAY EVENING - GALA OPENING
SATURDAY & SUNDAY - EXHIBITION

BOORT MEMORIAL HALL

Made with PosterMyWall.com

Tuning in to Kids

Boort

Want to learn how to help your child manage feelings and emotions (emotional intelligence)?

Children with emotional intelligence ...

have greater success with making and keeping friends

are more able to calm down when upset or angry

have better concentration at school



In this program you'll find out how to help your child understand and manage feelings such as frustration, worry and anger.

Term 4, 2019

- When:** Thursdays, 21st, 28th November & 5th December 2019 (3 weekly sessions)
- Time:** Arrival and registration 9.45am
Sessions 10.00am - 2.00pm (Lunch & refreshments provided)
- Where:** Boort Resource & Information Centre (BRIC)
119 - 121 Godfrey Street, Boort
- Cost:** Free
- Child Care:** Child minding available. Request when booking
- Facilitators:** CCS Family and Relationship Services



For bookings and enquires contact Loretta on Ph: 5455 2716

Groups are subject to maximum and minimum numbers determined seven working days prior to the commencement date. Early registration is encouraged

CONGRATULATIONS

Angus Verley

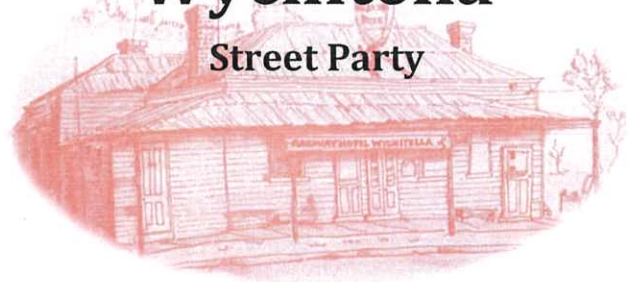
Rural Reporter with the ABC was recently awarded Young Leader by the International Federation of Agricultural Journalists.

Photo courtesy of ABC Mildura Swan Hill of Angus collecting his Award in Minnesota USA



You are invited to

Wychitella Street Party



Saturday 21st of September 2019 at 2:00pm

Railway Hotel Wychitella

This is an opportunity for past residence, family and friends of the Wychitella community to get together and reminisce on the golden times.

Please pass on this invitation to family and friends of Wychitella to join us.

Please bring photos, memorabilia items and stories you may have of Wychitella to show.

Tea and coffee provided please bring a plate of food to share for afternoon tea.

Evening meal options available (Cash Only):

Adults:	Steak Sandwich	\$15
Kids:	Sausages	\$7.50

RSVP required for evening meal by 10th September. Please contact:

- Joy Minster Phone: (03) 9069 6351 Email: joybellminster@gmail.com
- Julie McGrath Phone: (03) 5491 2484 Email: gehalinzy.mcgrath@bigpond.com

Accommodation options:

Wychitella Railway Hotel Wychitella Borung Road, Wychitella Victoria 3525 P - (03) 5492 7533	Vale of Avoca B&B 16-18 Mildura Way, Charlton VIC 3525 P - (03) 5491 1353 E - bookings@valeofavoca.com.au	Kurracaburn Heights 1 Hospital Street, Wedderburn Victoria 3518 M - 0427 943 596
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Boort Senior Citizens

Would like to invite all past and present members to our

50th Birthday

Wednesday 4th September

At 1pm

RSVP to

Julie Dean 54947398

By 26th August

The Boort Seniors Citizens
are hosting

Blumes Fashions

Monday 23rd September

2.pm start

At Boort Seniors Citizens
Hall

\$5. Entry



CALL
for Articles



Articles for "About Boort"
newsletter need to **arrive by**
9.00am on the 20th of the
month for inclusion in the
next newsletter.

Email to :

bric.boort@bigpond.com



UNITED MINDS
COMMUNITY SERVICES

United Minds is offering a fully bulk billed psychology service to people who live in remote and rural areas across Australia.

What type of support can someone get using the United Minds telehealth service?

The same service you would receive if they were visiting a physical office. We can offer you up to 10 bulk billed psychology sessions with a Psychologist. There are no requirements for a face to face session so all 10 sessions can be completed using our telehealth platform.

What is telehealth? Telehealth is a secure platform that allows is to conduct videoconferencing sessions with people who reside in remote or rural areas.

Who is eligible? You must live in a remote or rural area. To check eligibility, visit

www.doctorconnect.gov.au/ click 'search map' and type in the residential address in the search button and tick the box "Department of Health Custom Remoteness Classification – Modified Monash Model".

Do I need a referral? Yes. You must have a valid Mental Health Care Plan from your GP to receive bulk billed sessions with United Minds.

Who will I see? You will be booked in with a fully registered psychologist. Depending on support needs, this may be a clinical, counselling, educational and developmental or general psychologist.

To find out more or to make an appointment, please visit www.unitedminds.org.au/telehealth or call 03 8692-9949

MAYORAL COLUMN



Stand Up Paddleboard Lesson - Come and learn to stand up paddleboard on 'Little Lake Boort'

Date: **Saturday 19 October 2019 | 1:00PM to 02:30PM**

Little Lake Boort, Ring Road, Boort

This is a fantastic experience. One you will be telling your friends and family about. Combining fun, fitness and nature is the perfect adventure activity. We aim to have you standing upright paddling confidently all while having fun, laughing and learning something new.

This is the perfect session led by our skilled and accredited coaches to learn how to paddle safely and take with you some great skills and techniques to follow on your stand up paddleboarding journey. No experience necessary. Suitable for ages 12 and above with all equipment inclusive.

Please call directly to express your interest as this session requires a minimum of 10 participants to go ahead. If numbers exceed 16 a second session will be offered at 3pm.

Cost: \$65 12 yrs and above

Contact: Stillwater Paddleboards 0419 317 200

Email: enquiries@stillwaterpaddleboards.com.au

Website: <https://stillwaterpaddleboards.com.au/>

E-waste changes and charges

With the introduction of the Victorian Government's electronic waste (e-waste) ban from 1 July this year, there has understandably been some confusion about what constitutes e-waste. I'll try to clarify the new arrangements in this column.

E-waste is classified as anything with a battery, plug or cord. This includes old phones, computers, printers, household appliances (such as clock radios, hair dryers, toasters, food processors), white goods, power tools and even toys and hand-held video games. E-waste also includes lighting products, such as LEDs and fluorescent lamps.

The ban means no e-waste items can be put in your general household kerbside bin. However, Council will still continue to collect e-waste items at its landfill and transfer station sites during normal operating hours.

There are currently fees in place to dispose of certain e-waste items. Televisions, monitors and computers (including laptops) have a fee of \$13.00 per item, and there is a fee of \$17.00 per item for refrigerators, freezers or air conditioners (prices include GST).

There is no charge to dispose of small appliances (including those items mentioned above – clock radios, toasters, toys, hair dryers, etc.).

A number of white good products also do not attract a fee, such as a microwave, which will be processed as scrap metal. Furthermore, there is no charge to dispose of fluorescent light tubes, rechargeable batteries and IT accessories (such as a mouse or keyboard).

Healthy Heart of Victoria funding announcement welcomed

Council has welcomed the announcement from Minister for Regional Development Jaclyn Symes regarding funding for Healthy Heart of Victoria project activities in our Shire.

Council received \$300,000 towards infrastructure and activation initiatives. This includes \$20,000 to recruit and train volunteer lifeguards, \$140,000 for Boort Lake Precinct Activation.

The first initiative of its kind in Loddon, the funding will include the installation of outdoor fitness equipment at Boort and Wedderburn. The initial installation of this equipment is planned for this September. A host of fitness activities aimed to inspire physical activity in the community is also being planned for the launch.

Aboriginal Community Partnership Plan out for comment

A reminder that the draft Loddon Aboriginal Community Partnership Plan 2019-2021 is now out for comment until Friday 30 August 2019. The plan is available online at www.loddon.vic.gov.au by clicking on "Our documents" and then "Documents for public comment". You can provide your comment online by clicking on "Submit your comment" on the page.

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Funding is provided by the Loddon Shire.



INFANT IMMUNISATION PROGRAM 2019

Boort Senior Citizens Centre 30-44 Godfrey Street

Thursday September 12 9.15am Serpentine 11.15am Boort	Thursday November 14 9.15am Serpentine 11.15am Boort
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To make an appointment telephone Loddon Shire – Serpentine Office on 5494 1201. For information regarding immunisation, or to contact immunisation staff during sessions, telephone 0488 095 205

Please bring your Medicare Card and Child Record Book to each Immunisation Session
Please allow 15 minutes waiting time following immunisation



SEE THE LIGHT!!

RECYCLE YOUR LIGHTBULBS & FLOURO TUBES



at BRIC Enquiries Ph 5455 2716

Enjoy old engines, farm machinery and items of yesteryear, all on display as part of the **Wedderburn Vintage Machinery Rally**. Running from 9am on both **Saturday 7 September and Sunday 8 September**, this will be the 29th year of the Rally and features Ruston Hornsby Products and 32 Volt Lightning Plants.

Fully catered with BBQ, pies, pasties, cakes and hot dogs, there is also free entertainment and a quilting display in the old school building on the site. Stay late on Saturday for a bonfire and lighting show from some of the farm engines. Entry is \$5 for adults and children are free.



2019 kindergarten enrolments

Enrolments are now open for 4 year old and 3 year old kindergarten. **Enrolments close Friday 30 August 2019.**

If your child will be 3 years or 4 years of age by 30 April 2020 please contact Loddon Shire Early Years Department for enrolment advice.

You can now complete your child's enrolment form online at www.loddon.vic.gov.au

Paper based forms are available from:

- Council's website
- Loddon Shire Offices: 41 High Street, WEDDERBURN or 37 Peppercorn Way, SERPENTINE
- Your local Preschool or Maternal and Child Health centre
- Call the Loddon Shire Early Years Department on 5494 1201 to get a copy posted to you

Prompt return of your child's enrolment form is recommended to assist in the planning for programs that will run in 2020.

Boort Preschool	Dingee Preschool	Inglewood Kindergarten	Pyramid Hill Preschool	Wedderburn Preschool
5455 2292	5436 8401	5438 3533	5455 7230	5494 3183
0498 707 799	0498 606 345	0498 505 277	0498 606 023	0498 707 005



BOORT DISTRICT SCHOOL
Parents' Club
Alone we can do so little – Together we can do so much



GINGERBREAD HOUSE FUNDRAISER

All profits go directly to BDS Parents' Club!!



BDS Parents' Club will be running a new fundraising event in Term Four. We will be selling Gingerbread Houses in complete kit form. This means EVERYTHING is included!! The gingerbread house, icing, lollies, baseboard, cellophane to wrap your house and a ribbon to tie it all together!! All you need to do is the fun part of assembly and decoration. Once completed the kits will make the perfect gift or look fabulous on your Christmas table.

Parents' Club will also be hosting a 'decorating event' to be held after school on Friday 22nd November 2019 (exact time and details will be advertised shortly). We hope to see many students and their families attend this event to create their masterpieces together!!

Please note you can order the kits without attending the event.

Each kit will cost \$40.

Remember EVERYTHING is included – The Gingerbread House, Icing, Lollies, Baseboard, Cellophane to wrap your house and a ribbon to tie it all together!

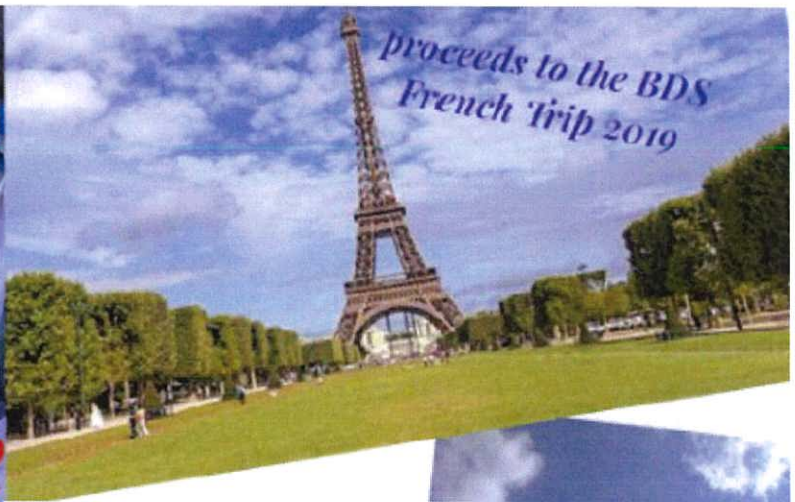
For more information about our supplier (Gingerbread Folk) including nutritional details and information, please view product info at www.gingerbreadfolk.com.au

- delicious gingerbread made with the finest pure ingredients
- all natural and free from added colours, flavours and preservatives (not applicable to lollies)
- gingerbread is dairy, egg-free & nut free (all vegan)
- gluten free option available
- Gingerbread Folk products are made in Sydney's Blue Mountains

For any enquiries regarding this event, please contact Kelly Henderson (Parent's Club Treasurer) on 0427280583 or khenderson7311@gmail.com

Order forms available by contacting Kelly Henderson (details above)

Please ensure your order is placed by Thursday September 12th 2019.



Please contact
Greg Boyd
for more
details

0428 328 928



MEDIA RELEASE

Peter WALSH
MEMBER FOR MURRAY PLAINS | LEADER OF THE NATIONALS

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HAVE YOUR SAY ON NEW SAFETY STANDARDS FOR BACKYARD POOLS AND SPAS

The Leader of The Nationals and Member for Murray Plains Peter Walsh has encouraged all homeowners with swimming pools to have their say on the drafted Building Amendment (Swimming Pool and Spa) Regulations 2019.

Mr Walsh said the proposed regulations include the mandatory requirement for owners of private swimming pools and spas to register them with their local council, as well as to engage a registered building surveyor or inspector to inspect and certify the compliance of safety barriers every three years.

“The new regulations will commence on 1st December 2019 and the proposed implementation period will require owners of existing swimming pools and spas to take action by 14th April 2020.”

Mr Walsh said the regulations, as well as a Regulatory Impact Statement (RIS) that examines the costs and benefits of the proposed regulations and alternative options that were considered, are now available for public consultation.

“This is an opportunity for anyone interested to have their say on the proposed regulations before they are finalised.

“Given the vast numbers of home pools across the Murray Plains electorate and the significant requirements that are proposed for those pools, I urge all stakeholders to take part in the public consultation process.”

The Exposure Draft, the Regulatory Impact Statement, and the submission document are all available online at <https://engage.vic.gov.au/new-safety-standards-private-swimming-pools-and-spas>

Submissions will be accepted until 5 pm on 6th September 2019.

Calling All Tennis Players

The Tennis Season is about to start!
The “Boort Lawn Tennis Club” are calling all
players who are interested to sign up.

We Play in Boort on Saturday Afternoons



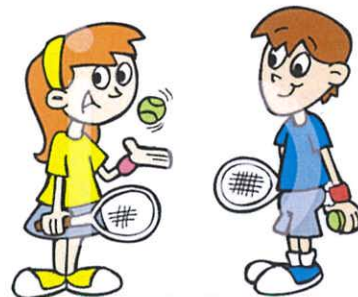
Tennis Season starts on Saturday 19th October. Once again, Junior and Senior Tennis will take place on Saturday afternoons.

There are three Tennis programs being offered:

- A Seniors Competition for Adults and older Juniors;
- A Junior Competition
- Coaching Groups for kids from Prep and onwards.

Contact:

Greg Boyd	0428 328 928
Lee Lanyon	0427 654 250
Stephen Field	0425 756 067



TENNIS COACHING WITH PETER BEWLEY

Tennis Coaching with Peter Bewley will once again be offered during Term Four 2019 in Boort

– from Wednesday 23rd/Thursday 24th October 2019 through to Wednesday 11th/Thursday 12th December (8 weeks).

For further information or to provide names, please make contact with Alister McDougal after 1/10/2019 on 54 552 595 or 0427 22 10 98.

Cut-off date to give names will be Saturday 19/10/2019.



COMING EVENTS

August

- Mon 26 Aug** Free Spanish Classes @ Bric
Wed 28 Paediatric First Aid @ Boort
Thursday 29 Storytime at BRIC
Friday 30 Kindergarten enrolments close

September

- Sun 1 Sep** **Father's Day - Spanner Man**
Wed 4 Boort Senior Citizens
50th Birthday Celebrations
Thursday 12 Storytime at BRIC
Friday 13 Kids and Worry
Saturday 14 Boort Croquet Open Day
Boort Golf Club Closing Day
Monday 16 Knowing your Teenager
Saturday 21 Wychitella Street Party
Sunday 22 Boort Bowls Club Open Day
Monday 23 Blumes Fashions in Boort

October

- Wed 9th Oct** **AGM - Boort Golf Club**
Saturday 12 Boort A & P Society Show
& Boort Truck Show
Friday 18 Amity **PINK** Night
Saturday 19 Opening—Boort Tennis
Saturday 19 Learn to Paddleboard in Boort
Sat/Sun 19/20 Taekwondo/Hapkido/Self Defence
Smart Safe for Women
Sat/Sun 19/20 Carp Eradication Weekend
Boort Ass Croquet Tournament
Mon 21 BRIC AGM
Fri/Sun 25-27 BDS Art Showcase

November

- Thurs 21 Nov Tuning in to Kids
Thurs 28 Tuning in to Kids

December

- Thurs 5 Dec Tuning in to Kids

See inside for more details

Storytime at BRIC

**Thursdays: 29th Aug
12th September
10.30am—11.00 am**



Boort Resource and Information Centre Inc. Call for Nominations for the BRIC Committee of Management

Do you want to be part of a group who can help make a difference in the Boort Community? Do you have ideas about services that the Boort community needs? BRIC is looking for new members on their committee of management who can bring these ideas to fruition.

For further information and nomination forms contact Anne Canfield 54552716 or drop into BRIC. Nominations close 3.30 pm, Monday 30th September 2019.

Paediatric First Aid Session

PARAMEDIC COMMUNITY SUPPORT COORDINATOR

A **free** health education session run by a local Paramedic.

This session will provide you with essential first aid knowledge and skills, specific to the 0-8 year old age group.

WHERE: Boort District Health Service
31 Kiniry St, Boort

WHEN: 7.00pm-9.00pm
Wednesday 28th August 2019

OR

WHERE: Inglewood & Districts Health Service
3 Hospital St, Inglewood

WHEN: 7.00pm-9.00pm
Wednesday 18th September 2019

Please RSVP, including which session you are attending, to Susie Hawke, Early Years Facilitator, Strong Families , Strong Children – Loddon on 0418 811 414 or email s.hawke@ncllen.org.au

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Victoria**