

BLACK & WHITE RAG

Edition 2033

BRINKWORTH

January 2022

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(Private Community Group; membership on request)
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Above: Marian Wicks receives a Red Cross National Emergency Medal

Copied from Red Cross Facebook post:

"Last week on International Volunteer Day 2021, Emergency Services team hosted an award ceremony to recognise their volunteers followed by morning tea.

They handed out the Red Cross service award for 5 years and 10 years of volunteer service to the organisation.

This year some of our Emergency Services volunteers also received a National Emergency Medal – a special award from the Governor General Department of Commonwealth. This award recognises the unique contribution and commitment of those who have provided sustained or significant service in response to the nationally significant-emergencies."



Aiden Sczesny, seen here accepting his prize from Geoff Brock, was delighted to be awarded second prize in the Christmas Lights Competition.

His whole-house display, which changed colour regularly, is shown above.

Unfortunately the other winners weren't present at the Christmas party but have now been given their prizes.

MID NORTH FIRE BANS
November 15 - April 30



From the Editor:

G'day all.

I hope you enjoy this edition and manage to stay cool as summer weather hits us.

Hope to see you at the Australia Day Community Breakfast on January 26th.

Please be careful out there and stay safe.

Cheers,

Anne. ph 0427968846, on Facebook or aragreen@bigpond.com or PO Box 2, Brinkworth

Pool Fundraising Report

At the school concert last month I announced that with fundraising, successful grant applications and generous donations made, we have raised \$55,000.

Our aim is to get to \$69,000. We're still waiting on one more State Government grant application to come though, but we're hopeful works will start on our pool by April 2022.

Once again, thank you to everyone who participated in this auction. Feel free to support the businesses that supported us during this fundraising event.

Have a safe and happy New Year.

Beck Wundke

Governing Council Chairperson

Condolences

to families and friends of Debbie Grigg: Died December 6th

Des Krieg: Died December 11th

and

To Phil, the visiting gardener from Yacka, on the sudden death of his partner and best friend Theresa on December 27

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Please remember the **Black and White Rag**, a Progress Association project, is a voluntary effort from ALL concerned.

Thank you to the community members who take the time to supply information and to all our sponsors.

If you have any suggestions, requests or information, please contact

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

JANUARY

Barbara Hahn,	2
Luke Smith,	3
Justin Wundke	6
Raelene Green,	14
Cathy Goss,	15
Jazz Middleton	21
Josh Heinjus,	23
Lily May Klemm,	26
Ciarna Grace Klemm,	26
Emma Goss,	29
Chloe Goss,	31

FEBRUARY

Toni Meyer,	2
Eden Collins	5
Amanda Spencer	6
Leo Krieg,	10
Tyler Davis	18
Nhi Huynh	20
Sheryl Welke,	21
Leanne Whitehead,	28

SACountry Women's Association

Brinkworth Branch

Norma Hardy, President

Raelene Green, Secretary. Ph 8846 2083



A donation to CWA from Beryl Krieg and family will be given to the School Pool Fund.

NEXT MEETING March 2nd 1.30 pm

Norma Hardy, Chair

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BRINKWORTH PROGRESS ASSOCIATION INC

Meetings are *usually* on 1st Monday of the month,

7.00 pm @ the RSL Club Rooms .
All welcome

Current Office Holders:

Chair: Norma Hardy, Deputy Chair: Lin Holdsworth

Secretary: Anne Green 8846 2260
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Treasurer: Brenton Hardy
Hi all



Newcomers Tracey and John Grundler were among those enjoying the sausage sizzle.

the fire truck but a welcome sight to the excited kids. Once Santa was seated the children sang Jingle Bells with "help from the adults" Santa then gave out presents; was good to see the kids play with their gifts around the playground. As was also seeing children racing behind Santa to see him off as he was driven away.



Geoff Brock was welcomed. Geoff does the judging of the lights plus other events through the year

The winners of the Light Competition:

- 1st Prize went to Travis White and family \$100
- 2nd Prize to Aiden Sczesny and Renee \$50
- 3rd Prize to Sandy Lepoidevin \$25.

Geoff had 18 houses to judge this year. He found it a hard task with so many great displays. We had to drive around a few times for him to get this done. Was so good to see so many getting into the Christmas spirit.

Stocking Raffle: This was won by new comers to the town, Cory & Natalie Weatherall. Congratulations



Santa's arrival by elf cart

guys.

Welcome to Brinkworth: Progress has now taken on the Welcome Pack with help from the council so from now on people that move to the area will receive this. Some new residents received theirs on the party night, others will be given theirs shortly. A booklet was made to help new people see what happens in our town: events, groups etc. We are a busy community; updates will be done regularly.

Geoff gave a very emotional speech of the past 15 odd years he has been coming to Brinkworth. It is certainly going to leave a hole in this community when he moves on to another phase in his career. He has supported Progress through those years always giving his time, help and advice.

So, another year has come to an end. But in the New Year we have a few things coming up: next will be **Australia Day Breakfast celebrations. 26th January**

The Brinkworth Country Fair 9th April: Planning is well on the way for this event with a good line up of entertainment with band Outback Over Drive, Stalls, Magic Show, Face Painting, Classic Cars, Stationery Engines, many Stalls and much more.

Stalls are coming in quite fast so if you wish to have one, please send an email to me to get your placing. We hope to see another great turnout.

Special thanks to all who helped with Christmas Party. Helen and Roy Tate for loan of Golf Cart, Santa for making an appearance and my Progress Team.

Please all keep safe and will see you in the New Year.

Happy New Year

Norma Hardy

Chairperson of The Brinkworth Progress Association Inc.

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**NEXT MONTH'S MEETING:
Monday February 7th**

BRINKWORTH BOWLING CLUB REPORT

Brinkworth Bowls season is well underway with our First division doing well in 2nd place on the ladder. Second division has had a few problems due to a shortage of players some weeks but still bringing home a few wins.

During a lull in home games in Nov, the green was scarified (breaking up the old lawn thatch on the surface). A lot of work was done by members with carting 21 wheel barrows of lawn material off the top and then the green was top dressed with 2 1/2 tonne of loam. It looks great.

We have several weeks of home games in Jan from the 8th starting at 1.30pm til around 5.30pm.

The bar is open on Thursday evenings and Saturday home games.

Anyone interested in playing, even on a very casual basis, just turn up to training on Thursday evenings from 5.30pm for an hour or two, there's plenty of members happy to give you some playing tips if you want. We have spare bowls at the club for those who want to have a roll.

Our players are aged from Teens, 20's, 30's, etc into the 70's, it's no longer just an 'old person's sport'. All ages and genders welcomed anytime.

-Helen Tate



Paul
Holliday's
16-year old
grand
daughter
Karleah
Holliday



Paul Holliday



Zack Heinjus



Stewie (Greg) Martlew

It was on
for young
and old!



Helen Tate



Happy New Year

Caltrop seedlings are appearing and I've seen a really big plant in a garden on E Terrace.
If you let them flower and set seed you'll be sorry!-Ed.



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Brinkworth Hall Supper Room
Wed 12th and Thurs 13th January,
9 am - 5 pm daily.

Fruit and veg stall will be here on Thurs 13th.



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So....whilst we watch and wait to see how much more the cases blow out, we will be takeaway only.

Food...5-8....Wednesday to Sunday. Please feel free to call anytime to lock in your time slot and tell us what you want. In fact pre-orders are totally welcomed to help us manage wastage.

Takeaway alcohol 2pm onwards, Wednesday to Sunday.... Call ahead to minimise interactions.

We are also trying to come up with a workable solution by utilising the beer garden. We'll keep you posted

Anyone genuinely isolating, please reach out to discuss your needs ♥

Anyone too lazy to drive....call Uber Eats. :)

Remember your masks and check-in.

Brinkworth Management Committee

Please put in your vote for the Brinkworth Local Hero, to be awarded on Australia Day. Voting closes on January 7th and can be done at the post office or pub. This is a chance to recognise people who have contributed to our community, formally or otherwise, and helped make Brinkworth a better place for all of us. Who do you know who has gone above and beyond in the interests of our community?

The BMC is seeking the services of a volunteer to become our Treasurer. Training and support provided. A vital role in a vital group. Come on Brinkworth!

Next Meets on 15 February at 7:30pm at the Hall.

Brinkworth Special Projects Group

Ride on Lawnmower Racing – confirmed date is April 9, 2022. The date is set by the S.A. Ride on Lawnmower Association. We will be looking for helpers in the new year to make this a great event.

Summer Wood Raffle – draw deferred to February. Proceeds will go towards Hall upgrade.

Next Meets on 19 January at 7:30pm at the Junction Hotel. All welcome.

Brinkworth Soldiers' Memorial Hall Committee

December was a busy month for the Hall as various groups used it for events. Events are being lined up for the coming year. The Show must go on.

We have a gym and an I.T. Hub available for use at low rates (conditions apply). The Hall and its facilities are available for hire, special rates apply to local groups. Use it or lose it. Contact Mark or Nancy 8846 2243 for details.

The Committee next Meets on 17 January at 7:30pm at the Hall.

A Note from all our Volunteer Groups

Joining a committee is a great way to meet people, learn new skills, become active in the community and know that you are making a difference. Work on a committee can be used to offset centrelink requirements if that is relevant. Importantly, every new member is a new perspective, new ideas, new energy. If interested, please contact Mark 8846 2243.

We all hope you had a good festive season and look forward to seeing you in 2022!

Snowtown Surgery



Please let the staff know when booking, if you require a fast track appointment. Remember these visits are subject to change.

January

Mon 3 Public Holiday

Wed 5 Dr Kuruppu

Thur 6 closed

Mon 10 Dr Kuruppu

Wed 12 Dr Beath

Thur 13 Dr Owen

Mon 17 Dr Beath

Wed 19 Dr Kuruppu

Thur 20 Dr Owen

Mon 24 Dr Beath

Wed 26 Australia Day

Thur 27 Dr Koo

Mon 31 Dr Kuruppu

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AUSTRALIA DAY

**Sat 26th Jan.
Stockyard Reserve**

**8.30 am
FREE COOKED
BREAKFAST**

by Brinkworth Progress Association

9.30 am (Or earlier if its hot)
**FLAG RAISING
and
presentation of
LOCAL HERO AWARD**



G'day!

**Next
Black**

**& White Rag deadline:
Midnight January 31st
Editor: 0427968846
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Amanda Spencer 2020 winner

Residents of
Brinkworth
WHO IS YOUR

**LOCAL Volunteer
HERO?**

Voting is extended to
January 7th

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The church will reopen on Sunday January 30th.

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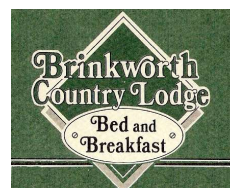
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'Quandong' painted by
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Australian PLANTS Society Brinkworth Group

Secretary Heather Hancock
0447462085

Anyone is always welcome to come to our meetings. There is no need to book and no charge :) Covid Safe rules apply.

NEXT MEETINGS

Wed 2nd Feb 2022

Planning meeting at John and Cathy Giersch's home, 15 Hope Street, Clare from 5.30 pm for drinks and nibbles followed by BBQ. BYO drinks, nibbles, meat, salad, dessert, plates, cutlery, glasses and chairs. Bring ideas for new programme for 2022.

Wed 23rd Feb 2022

AGM – 7.30 pm followed by 5 minute spot by members 'show and tell'.

No Strings....

We meet Monday mornings at the Uniting Church Hall from 10 to 11 am except public holidays.



Everyone is welcome to join us for a friendly chat. We are observing social distancing.

If you haven't seen many people lately, then this is for you! Come when you want, if you want; no apologies or explanations needed; no strings attached ☺

Due to Covid restrictions, please bring your own mug, thermos, snack etc

Christmas Eve at Brinkworth



A Christmas Eve service was held in the Brinkworth Hall with Pastor Greg Vangsness leading the service. Pastor Greg asked for some helpers to hold up his two signs – either "That's Good" or "That's Bad" whereby the audience read the words at the appropriate time according to what was being read and where these words fitted.

The story of the birth of Christ, the visit of the Magi (the wisemen), the escape to Egypt and then the return to Nazareth was interspersed with Christmas hymns with music supplied by Rhonda Klemm.

All those attending abided by the current Covid rules and greeted each other appropriately after the completion of the service. A retiring offering was taken to be given to the Clare Valley Christian Outreach.

Above: Pastor Greg with younger participants on the night. From left is Ruby (Andrew Wilkins grand child?), Joshua Wundke, Brodie Wundke, Rebekah Wundke and Imogen Wundke. Josh and Rebekah are Beck's kids cousins and were visiting from Horsham



Above: these children had fun at Clown School on December 15 at the Memorial Hall.
Photo by Renee Augier

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Mid North Community Passenger Network "Getting You There with Care"

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IN AND AROUND BRINKWORTH JAN - FEB

1	Sat	Sport
2	Sun	Lutheran Church 9 am Uniting Church No service
3	Mon	"No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall
4	Tues	RSL 7.30 pm
5	Wed	
6	Thur	Bowls practise
7	Fri	
8	Sat	Sport
9	Sun	Lutheran Church .9 am Uniting Church No service
10	Mon	"No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall
11	Tues	
12	Wed	Pop Up Market @Supper Room 9.-5
13	Thur	Bowls practise Pop Up Market @Supper Room 9.30-5.30
14	Fri	
15	Sat	Sport
16	Sun	Mid North Christian Fellowship 9.30 am at Memorial Hall. Lutheran Church 11 am Uniting Church No service
17	Mon	"No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall Hall Committee 7.30 pm @ Memorial Hall
18	Tues	
19	Wed	Special projects group 7.30 pm at pub
20	Thur	Bowls practise
21	Fri	
22	Sat	Lutheran Church 9 am
23	Sun	Lutheran Church 9 am. Uniting Church No service.
24	Mon	
25	Tues	
26	Wed	AUSTRALIA DAY HOLIDAY COMMUNITY BREAKFAST 8.30 am @ Stockyard Reserve
27	Thur	Bowls practise
28	Fri	
29	Sat	Sport
30	Sun	Lutheran Church Parish Service 9.00 am at Blyth with MNLM AGM to follow Uniting Church No service.
31	Mon	RAG deadline SCHOOL STARTS No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall
		February
1	Tues	
2	Wed	
3	Thur	Bowls practise
4	Fri	

Blyth Cinema Program (*subject to possible change*)



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- the weekly column in the Plains
Producer,
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1. When one door closes and another door
opens, you are probably in prison.
2. To me, "drink responsibly" means don't spill
it.
3. Age 60 might be the new 40, but 9:00 pm is
the new midnight.
4. It's the start of a brand new day, and I'm off
like a herd of turtles.
5. The older I get, the earlier it gets late.
6. When I say, "The other day," I could be
referring to any time between yesterday and 15
years ago.
7. I remember being able to get up without
making sound effects.
8. I had my patience tested. I'm negative.
9. Remember, if you lose a sock in the dryer, it
comes back as a Tupperware lid that doesn't fit
any of your containers.
10. If you're sitting in public and a stranger takes
the seat next to you, just stare straight ahead
and say, "Did you bring the money?"
11. When you ask me what I am doing today,
and I say "nothing," it does not mean I am free.
It means I am doing nothing.