

# BLACK & WHITE RAG

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## From the Editor:

G'day all.

I'm writing this on a cool, damp day. Its great for planting things and our community garden at Belling Street is starting to look a bit green. If you can get there for a bit of a look please do—and don't be afraid to pull out the odd weed if you feel so inclined! We're all hanging out for a good soaking though, especially the farmers.

I'm delighted to welcome Lisa Williams to the ranks of our volunteer reporters, as a BSR and Gold Caps sports correspondent. This is a role that's been sadly lacking

Until next time, stay safe, dry and warm.

Cheers,

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



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

### MAY

Alicia Dutschke	2
Barry Goss,	4
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Patsy Weckert,	8
Tim Weckert,	8
Angus Heinjus,	9
Tom Mills,	12
Wayne Weckert,	13
Ben Hahn,	15
Peter Klemm,	16
William Spencer,	18
Rohan Pese,	18
Harry Mills,	18
Betty Mills	20
Helen Tate	25
Abigail Middleton	25
Paul Godden	28
Shane Verran,	30
Michael Whitehead,	30
Coral Dutschke,	30
Jody Klemm,	31

### JUNE

Jake Verran,	1
Brenton Hardy	2
Jodi Verran,	4
Gilbert Welke	5
Robin Holdsworth	5
Nicole Green,	9
Jeanette (Jabba) King	11
Des Krieg,	11
Vernon Dutschke,	12

## 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



**FIRE SEASON IS OVER SO THE TOWN SIREN WILL ONLY BE TESTED MONTHLY NOW, ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH.**

**Please continue to be careful with burning-off and bonfires**



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

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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:

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Treasurer: Brenton Hardy

Hi all

Well, here we are again the months are racing by.

**The Brinkworth Country Fair:** We were very lucky to have great weather for the fair this year once again.

Stepping up with "Out Back Over Drive" was a great way to start the day and certainly enjoyed by all. Magic Show was also a great hit. These will all be back next year. Quite a turnout of Classic cars, Bikes, Utes, Trucks and Unusual Vehicles. These guys always come each year with their beautiful vehicles and Stationary Engine display.

Many Stalls with some great products. Great food from locals; Aiden (Pulled Pork Rolls) CWA with sweets and Cassandra's yummy pastries; Ice-cream, Milkshakes, Kransky's etc. Unfortunately, our Coffee lady cancelled the night before owing to her husband being ill and taken to hospital so we hope he is recovering and see her next year Covid took a bit of a turn, but the Girls organised Tea and Coffee at last minute to save the day.

Without these people it wouldn't evolve.

One rogue stall was found to be not ours by 2.30pm when I went to collect fees, and a small group of Morgan car club that soon realised they were meant to be at the Mower Race and took off there. This is tricky part of having two events on same day this year with a couple of similar attractions causing a bit of confusion. All in all, it was a busy, enjoyable day.

Big thank you to all my helpers for making this a perfect day. People don't always realise all the organising and hard work it is making it work, and some were split in half working at both events.

**Volunteers are the backbone of every community.**

Enjoy the coming month

**Norma Hardy**

**Chairperson of The Brinkworth Progress Ass Inc.**

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**NEXT MEETING : Monday, 2nd May.**

## Your Community, Your Garden

The new Community Garden at Belling Street is under way with five beds now planted with an assortment of vegetables.

Community gardens are places where people come together to grow fresh food, to learn, relax and make new friends.



This one is a community owned and run garden that anyone can access at any time. At this stage there isn't even a committee (although that may be desirable in the future) so its very free and easy and user friendly.

A handful of people have been getting their hands dirty, popping in seedlings and seeds as well as watering them in and giving them a bit of protection from the elements so you can go around anytime and have a potter- planting etc, especially if you would like to enjoy the results in a few months time!

It's easy and satisfying "work" at the raised beds and with almost everything on hand that is needed. Just take hand tools and a watering can if you have them, and the desire to enjoy an hour in the fresh air. You can also take seeds or plants that you'd like to find a spot for - much better to share the work and resources than trying to do it all yourself, at home :)

Big thanks to Matt Stewart (School Principal) for organising much of the ground work- literally.

If you are on Facebook you can join *Brinkworth Community Garden (South Australia)* <https://www.facebook.com/groups/796772621283863> to keep up to date on a daily basis or contact the school or me (Anne Green, Editor) to find out who are the regulars, to make a date to visit, if you like company.

Lettuce Garden  
Good Thymes  
Ahead

Mint to Bee 🐝

(Horrible puns courtesy of Kim Hentsckhe and Facebook "SA Rocks" group member Louise Holla)





**SACountry Women's Association**  
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We were luck to have Paulie Calaby run a pampering workshop at our Girls Night out for April meeting.

We made amazing smelling bath salts and healing calendula oil.

We had lot of fun and laughing and lovely supper including Norma's sponge rolls.

Thank you Paulie. –Raelene Green



### Workmates reunion at Brinky on April 9th:

Nancy White, Lesley Fullick, Helen Tate and Aileen Brennan all worked together over 40 years ago. Lesley and Aileen are from Evanston.



### 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.

**April's meeting** featured a fascinating talk and Powerpoint presentation by Hannah Ling about the work of the Northern & Yorke Landscape Board in researching fire ecology and threats to endangered plants and animals. Cool burns under mature eucalypts on Kangaroo Island were shown to stimulate re-appearance of a rich mixture of native understorey plants not seen there for many years.

**NEXT MEETING**  
**Wed May 25th 6.30 pm**



Guest speaker Ian Falkenberg - Recovery and conservation of the Osprey population in SA.



### RSL update

There will be a meeting on the first Tuesday of June 7th 8 pm at the RSL Hall. If you have an interest in the future of the RSL and are a member or past member please come along.

Acting Secretary Treasure  
 Norma Hardy



**Next Black &  
 White Rag  
 deadline:**

**Midnight May 31st**

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Zac Heinjus acquitted himself well, playing for BSR in this season's first colts match. Photo: Lisa Williams



## Brinkworth Bowling Club

Our Windup was held on 10th April at the Clubhouse.

A delicious char grilled lunch was cooked by President Steve and was enjoyed by all.

Trophy Presentation was held with Barry Goss, our Club Champion absent due to illness. Matthew McElvenny received his Club Champion Runner up trophy

Ricky Christian received the "Most Improved" trophy.

Well done to these players.

It was also Ricky's birthday and birthday cake was enjoyed by all.

**Next Event at the Bowling Club is A.G.M on Thursday 5th May 2022 at 7.30pm in the Clubhouse.**

**All members and anyone interest are urged to attend.**

**All Welcome**

## Swimming Pool News

The pool is closed, ready for our pool renovations!



**Can all pool key holders please return their keys to school during the first two weeks of term 2 (2/5/22 -13/5/22).**

Deposits will be paid back once keys are returned

## Snowtown Surgery

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



### MAY

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Fri 5	Dr Correa	Mon 23	Dr Kuruppu
Mon 9	Dr Koo	Wed 25	Dr Koo
Wed 11	Dr Kuruppu	Thur 26	Dr Correa
Thur 12	Dr Correa	Mon 30	Dr Koo
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**Wednesday 5 onwards.**

**Thursday through Sunday 4 onwards.**

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**Wednesday pizza night. Yiros soon to be added to Wednesday night.**

**Takeaway alcohol available from 2pm  
Wednesday through Sunday.**

**Coming Soon... Chinese night. Will be one Sunday a month. Watch this space.**

### FOOTY TIPPING

It's that time of year again

Same deal as last year....\$70 for the season.

Drinks and food package included at the Grand Final Show, for tipsters.

As if the April Big Weekend wasn't big enough. Patrons enjoyed a night of music and tunes with John & Pat Ramm. By all accounts the pub was rocking!

## SPORTS REPORT – Lisa Williams.



### Brinkworth/ Koolunga Cricket Club-The Gold Caps

On Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> April our club had its Junior end of season wind up at the oval. Featuring our Premiership winning U16 and successful U12 teams both present it was a great afternoon with a BBQ and presentations.



Best bowler and batter of the season was our Captain Darcy Meyer who lead by example at every game. The team were also presented with Premiership Polo tops to commemorate their season.

Proud coach Paul Meyer paid credit to the whole team

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# BRINKY'S BIG DAY OUT

as reported by Anne G. and Mark K. for the Plains Producer.



This year's Brinkworth Country Fair was part of a massive day for the town on April 9<sup>th</sup>.

Held simultaneously, in perfect weather, at Stockyard Reserve and the Primary School respectively, the Fair and the Battle of Brinkworth lawnmower races attracted about 800 fun-loving people of all ages who were able to commute between venues on a shuttle bus.

The short stay RV park and environs at Stockyard Reserve – an area under the management of Fair organisers, Brinkworth Progress Association - provided a shaded "food court" for people to sit and eat while enjoying free entertainment by Lee Brock's Outback Overdrive band or the ever-popular James' Travelling Magic Show. Colourful food, drink and variety stalls around the area and under the shady trees next to the children's playground created a festive atmosphere and kept everyone entertained, fed and hydrated while raising funds for local organizations and businesses.

Sleek and elegant classic cars from clubs at Port Pirie and Morgan and a display of working stationary engines attracted much attention as well.

Brinkworth resident Helen Tate said her grandkids aged 7 and 9 enjoyed the Fair, especially the magic show. "Us grandparents enjoyed sitting down at a table in the shade with a cuppa and a yummy CWA cake, listening to the great live music by Outback Overdrive", she said.

"The lawnmower race was another fun event on the day," she said, "with the thrills and spills of the Ride On Lawnmowers and delicious food. The grandkids loved it all."

Organisers are grateful for the support of Wakefield Regional Council, Mills Freightlines Pty Ltd, Brinkworth Recreation Ground committee and the Plains Producer.

The Fair will be on again next year at the same venue. See you there!

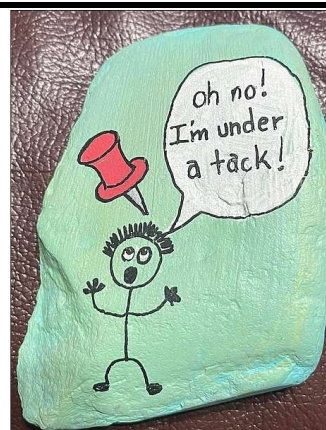
The 2022 Battle of Brinkworth ride-on lawnmower races, hosted by the Brinkworth Special Projects Group, was again held in the top paddock of the primary school oval.

The track was slightly modified from the previous year, principally by the addition of a wider starting grid and the incorporation of a sweeping bend into the main straight. Although depleted by Covid, the field of competition was strong. A number of classifications, ranging from competitive juniors to the Super Modified 450cc class, each battled through several rounds of races. Thrills and spills were the order of the day and no significant injuries were incurred. An inaugural 'hot lap' competition was held, the winner presented with the largest of the hand built trophies for the day.

All food and drink stalls were run by community groups and small local businesses. A licensed bar was organised by the bowling club. If the dust, noise and crowds got too much, a boot sale and impromptu classic car display nestled in the cool shade of some pine trees. From the gate you could catch a lift to the nearby Country Fair on the community bus.

**The sponsor's raffle was won by Billy (aged five) who received his much desired scale model truck and tractor. The wood raffle prizes were won by Roy Tate and Barry Strawbridge.**

The Brinkworth Special Projects Group would like to thank the many local businesses and community organisations who provided the sponsorship and support needed to make the day possible, the many fans old and new who attended, and the South Australian Ride on Lawnmower Racing Association for the excitement. All proceeds from the day will be used for projects in and around the town of Brinkworth.



## Invitation

Wakefield Regional Council values the contribution all volunteers make within the community. Please join us at Wakefield Regional Council's Volunteer Celebration Event on Monday, 16 May 2022 between 6-8pm.

This event is open to all volunteers, volunteer managers and anyone involved in volunteering within the Wakefield Regional Council district. We look forward to seeing you at The Lighthouse Christian Church, Balaklava on Monday the 16 May. Please contact me, Larissa McPharlin, Community Events Officer, if you would like more information, or to RSVP.

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## Mark K's Corner

### Brinkworth Art Show, 27-31 May

The Art Show will take place at the Hall from May 27. Works will be available for viewing and sale. Entry is \$5 adults, children free. Limited catering available.

This year we will hold a **Photographic Competition**. Entry is free and available to all. There will be five categories, with a special children's section. Winners will be determined by the popular vote of those who attend the exhibition. To enter, simply email your photo(s) to [brinkworth.hall@yahoo.com](mailto:brinkworth.hall@yahoo.com) and include 'photo comp' in the subject line. You will need to attach your photo(s) and give us details of your name, contact details and which categories you have entered. Each person can only enter once per category!



The categories are: Pets, Anything Old, Creative, Black and White, Anything Goes and Children's Competition. Please note, no photos featuring children will be accepted.

*Entry to the competition closes on May 25, so get snapping!*

### Brinkworth Management Committee (BMC)

The BMC is the umbrella administrative organisation for many of the community groups of our town. It meets every two months. It met on April 11 for both a Special General Meeting, to revise its Rules, and its Ordinary Meeting. The amended rules will come into effect when they are approved by the Office of Consumer and Business Affairs. The next Ordinary Meeting of the BMC will be in June.

The BMC would like to hear from a person who is willing to take on the job of **Treasurer**. This is an important behind-the-scenes role within our community and ideal for those who have a few hours a month they would like to dedicate to help make this such a good place to live. Please call 8846 2243 if you would like to know more.

The Brinkworth Community Bus is still a work in progress. Our most recent information is that we can expect delivery by June. We will let you know if this changes.

### Brinkworth Special Projects Group (SPG)

The SPG recently hosted the Battle of Brinkworth Ride-on Lawnmower races at the Primary School (see separate article). Despite Covid playing havoc with the number of competitors and track workers, the day was a great success and the SPG thanks all who attended, helped and sponsored us to make the day happen. We hope to have the opening race of the year in 2023 and planning has begun towards this.

The SPG welcomes new members with new ideas for projects within our town. We next meet at the Junction Hotel at 7:30pm on 18 May.

### Soldiers' Memorial Hall Committee

The gym has opened its doors to members again! The I.T. Hub computers, printer and internet are available for use. The Hall and its facilities are available for hire at very reasonable rates. The Committee next meets on 9 May at 7:30pm at the Hall. Please call 8846 2243 if you want to join the committee, hire the hall or use the gym!

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for how they stood up and kept fighting during the finals series with every game hard fought right to the end. With many of our players representing at Zones Cricket this season it shows the depth of talent in our junior ranks.

Junior cricket is played with mixed teams so if you have a boy or girl keen on cricket please contact Paul Meyer for further information.



### BSR TIGERS- (Brinkworth, Spalding, Redhill) Football & Netball

With the cooler days it signifies the start of footy and netball. BSR has a footy or netty team to suit just about anyone. Netball has teams from J5 little ones right up to A1 senior and football has junior mixed teams from sub-mini to U14 (no under 17 currently) and senior A and B grade.

The season commenced on 23 April with the Anzac Day Round against South Clare at Redhill. Our A1 Netball and A grade footballers both triumphed with BSR stalwarts Rebecca Moyne and Lachy Wilson awarded the coveted Anzac Day medals. *(Photo right)*

Being involved in local sport is a great way to meet people and be involved in your local community. To know more or for enquiries about joining please contact:



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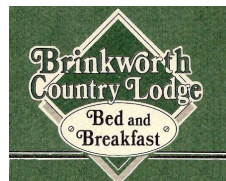
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1	Sun	Mid North Christian Fellowship 9.30 am at Memorial Hall. Lutheran Church .9 am Uniting Church No service <b>Museum open 1-4 pm</b>
2	Mon	"No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall Brinkworth Progress Association Inc. at RSL 7 pm
3	Tues	
4	Wed	
5	Thur	
6	Fri	<b>6.30 pm at Memorial Hall: Family Film Evening celebrating Brinkworth's 130 years. Details on front page.</b>
7	Sat	
8	Sun	Mid North Christian Fellowship 9.30 am at Memorial Hall. Lutheran Church 9 am Uniting Church 10 am
9	Mon	"No Strings" Coffee & Chat 10 am @Uniting Church Hall Hall Committee 7.30 @ Memorial Hall
10	Tues	
11	Wed	
12	Thur	
13	Fri	
14	Sat	Sport
15	Sun	Mid North Christian Fellowship 9.30 am at Memorial Hall. Lutheran Church 11 am. Uniting Church 10 am
16	Mon	Public Holiday
17	Tues	
18	Wed	Special Projects Group 7.30 @ Junction Hotel
19	Thur	
20	Fri	
21	Sat	Sport
22	Sun	Mid North Christian Fellowship 9.30 am at Memorial Hall. Lutheran Church 9 am Uniting Church 10 am
23	Mon	
24	Tues	
25	Wed	APS Memorial Hall 6.30 pm Guest speaker Ian Falkenberg - Recovery and conservation of the Osprey population in SA.
26	Thur	
27	Fri	<b>BRINKWORTH ART SHOW OPENS @ Memorial Hall</b>
28	Sat	Sport ART SHOW
29	Sun	Lutheran - Parish Service at Clare 9.00 am Uniting Church 10 am ART SHOW
30	Mon	ART SHOW
31	Tues	<b>ART SHOW FINISHES</b>
		<b>JUNE</b> <b>Winter has arrived</b>
1	Wed	

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## Ratings information can help you choose the right content for your child.

*(From the school newsletter, edited)*

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**Just like television and movies, video games  
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Some games contain strong, realistic and graphic  
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suitable for them, you might not want them playing  
MA 15+ or R 18+ games for the same reason.

Before downloading or buying a game for your  
child, do some research to decide if it's ok for your  
child. Visit [www.classification.gov.au](http://www.classification.gov.au) to check the  
game's rating, read reviews and talk to other  
parents and carers.

Violent video games are significantly associated  
with: increased aggressive behavior, thoughts, and  
affect increased physiological arousal; and  
decreased prosocial (helping) behavior.

High levels of violent video game exposure have  
been linked to fighting at school and during free  
play periods.