

Secret Harbour Volunteer Fire & Rescue Service

What a start to the fire season and with months of the season still to go, it is looking like “the worst season in 10 years” predictions may be right!

The fire that occurred in the dunes between Jade Court and Pension Road, Singleton, on Friday 11 February burnt through approximately 10 ha and is being treated as suspicious. It was however controlled quickly once around 45 career and volunteer firefighters arrived and before any damage could occur to houses and to the Bowling Club.

People are sometimes blasé about scrub fires in the area and develop a mindset that either it won't happen here, or a fire truck will turn up and provide protection if required.

The events at the beginning of December and now in February have highlighted that it can happen here and there are not enough fire appliances or personnel to provide protection for everyone, nor will there ever be.. When a fire is minutes away from impacting your land or home, it is too late to start thinking about how you can protect your house and family from an oncoming fire. It is vital that you develop or implement some of the measures highlighted in a bushfire survival plan.

The events that have occurred this summer also highlight the huge



Fire threatening Secret Harbour in December

commitment that volunteers make to the local and broader community. The vast majority of fire fighters that have been fighting the fires in our area are volunteers. Protracted events such as those that have occurred recently place a huge burden on the volunteers, their families and their employers. So to you all, well done and thank you for your commitment and sacrifice.

I would also like to thank all of the people who have showed their support to the Brigade through either just saying thank you, sending us thank you cards and letters or helping in other ways. It is appreciated by all in the Brigade.

In situations such as those that have occurred, we often get people ringing the station wanting information or advice about the fires. Unfortunately at these times we are too busy to provide this information, however information is available to you by listening to **ABC radio on 720AM** or going on to the FESA website at www.fesa.wa.gov.au. You can also ring the FESA information line on **1300 657 209**. The FESA website also has information regarding bushfire survival plans. Unfortunately there is suspicion that the recent fires were deliberately lit. So please, if ever you see someone light a fire or suspect that someone has, please report it to Crime Stoppers on **1800 333 000**.

Arson is a crime, with very serious penalties. Parents, you need to teach your children that lighting fires is a crime, even camp fires on the beach. There is still a lot of unburnt bush in our area, with houses that back directly on to this bush so we all need to remain vigilant for arsonists.

Let the rest of 2011 be a prosperous, quiet but uninteresting year!

Stay prepared.

Brendan Privilege

Captain, Secret Harbour VFRS

Singleton Community BBQ 30th April 3pm

Please RSVP for catering purposes to Roger Jefferson on rogerjef@bigpond.net.au or **0409 537 103** by the **15 April**.

Sponsored by City Safe so that we can create a safer Singleton.

Neighbourhood Watch are still seeking a Suburb Manager for Singleton - please let Roger know if you are interested.

Next Community Meeting

**Monday 14th March
7.00pm at the
Community Centre**

President's Pen

Hello Singleton,

A sad day – on the 11th February John Gilbert, a good friend and a good community supporter, passed away after a long battle with diabetes and its complications.

John retired to Singleton in late 2003 and joined the SRA committee in 2005. In 2006 he took on the role of editor of this Newsletter, tackling the job as if it was a business which saw the paper grow to a massive 28 pages. John's background in business systems and quality control was readily evident in the way he approached the task and he worked tirelessly to try to make each edition a product he was happy with. The SRA and the community benefitted from his efforts by way of increased advertising revenue and from a wider range of articles about things that affect our lives. Illness finally caused him to resign, but he continued to have Singleton's best interest at heart until the end.

John well deserved our many thanks for his good efforts for his community – I will miss him.

On Saturday 12th February the City of Rockingham hosted a community open day at Golden Bay to seek community attitudes, inputs and concerns about how the future development of Rural zoned land along Mandurah Road between Secret Harbour and Madora should

best be approached, so as to maintain those visual aspects of the land that we collectively consider important, and one of the reasons we choose to live in the area.

The dense development currently underway in Golden Bay and the much denser one being proposed for the same area means that we could see high rise buildings and small building lots crammed into an area with very little space and a loss of open green space, including space for kids to play in. High costs and population increase, and changing lives styles, means that change must take place, but that change must be introduced in such a way that does not unnecessarily or unreasonably impact on those who came to the area because of its space and natural beauty. The recent open day was intended to give our communities a say in what they want as space and view for the future – a landscape that we can continue to enjoy or the very real potential of a landscape of walled communities. The public comment period for this Visual Landscape Study ended on Friday 4 March- if you have signed up to the www.singletonwa.com you would have received emails reminding you to comment.

Only people power will sway governments, so if you do not want to see new crowded and fenced communities, or to lose our hills, or our green spaces along the roadways and foreshores, then have your

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say – visit the Council's website, www.rockingham.wa.gov.au, and read up on planning aspects for the area and then add your name to a NO list when the need and opportunity arises.

The SRA will continue to make you aware of things that do or could affect our community, but only your participation will make things happen

'Till next month.

Morris Kinley

Singleton Primary School News

Firstly, welcome back to Singleton for the 2011 school year, and a very special welcome to all of the new families who have joined us for the first time. I'm sure you'll find this school will provide your children with everything they need to make their schooling a success. The first week saw children return to their school routine very quickly and it was great to see everyone happily going about their business.

Building Program

Everything appears to be on schedule for a completion date some time in April. This will mean a reshuffle of classrooms for the start of term two, but it will be worth it as we open a state of the art early childhood facility for our four and five year olds, and a covered assembly area adjoined by two classrooms that will be fully enclosed, making it an all weather facility for performing arts, physical

education, incursions, and so on. As we get closer to the day we will let parents know which classes will need to change. As we get closer to the time of handover, the perimeter fence will also be completed. During the summer break we had some vandalism with youths cutting the chain link on the Harmony Park side to gain access. If anyone has seen anything that may help us in identifying the culprits I would be interested in speaking with you.

Kitchen Garden News

A very exciting year ahead for us with the implementation of the Stephanie Alexander Kitchen Garden Program. It is through this program that students in this school will also be engaged in languages (LOTE) which just adds another dimension to their learning. The garden produced truck loads of zucchinis over the summer break that the children will be cooking with this term.

We have eggplants, tomatoes, cucumbers, capsicums, melons, lettuce and an array of herbs growing like crazy at the moment. Lots to keep us all busy and plenty more fruit and veg to plant this term also.

Currently we are in the process of extending our existing garden. We are on the hunt for any unwanted /donated materials that can be used to make garden beds i.e rocks, pavers, bricks, stones pallets, timber etc If you think you can help please contact the school with your details on 9537 3199. Also if you are keen to help out in any way with the garden, we would love to hear from you.... As they say, many hands make light work and there is plenty of that to be done. Next time you are walking by, come and have a look at our wonderful garden and take some time to see what we are growing. We would love to see you.

Singleton Update from Cr. Brian Warner

Landscape Evaluation Consultation

The public consultation date for the Landscape Evaluation (the hills adjoining Mandurah Road) on 12th February at Coastal Community Centre, Golden Bay was well attended and the general response was overwhelming support for the retention of the landscape. All the study questionnaires will be collated and a final recommendation put to Council sometime in the future.

Overgrown vacant blocks

As a response to the complaints received regarding overgrown vacant blocks the Council have issued significant amount of work orders in both rural and urban areas this year utilizing the provisions of the Bushfire Act 1954. It is anticipated that these work orders will improve the overall situation in the future. Some landowners have not been addressing the ever amount of fuel developing in the centre of their land which is building up to unacceptable

levels. This also has an indirect effect on snake problems in some areas.

Mosquitoes

Several complaints have been made to me about the amount of mosquitoes in the area.

In twenty three years of living in here, like you, I have never seen them so bad. The mosquitoes are not coming from Council water features but as mainly salt marsh mosquitoes breeding near Serpentine River, due to the high frequency of easterly winds and high tides they are being blown towards us. They like to "hide" in dark places such as under bushes and in trees. There has been a large amount of spraying however the insecticide is only 80% effective. To use anything stronger is not environmental friendly when aerial spraying takes place.

I was recently talking to councillors from Mandurah and Murray (Pinjarra) and, at this time of year mosquito traps usually collect between 80 to 100 per day;

currently they are trapping thousands.

The best advice is to wear clothes that cover the skin as much as possible and use an insect repellent until the unusual weather and tide conditions change.

'til next time, take care

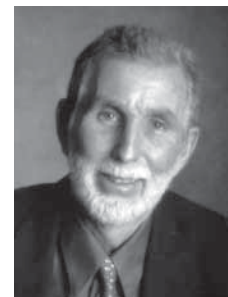
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Singleton Anglican Op Shop

This terrific volunteer run Op Shop donates the proceeds from sales to a range of community projects including the Biggest Morning Tea, Samaritans Purse Christmas Shoeboxes, K9 Dog Rescue and the Secret Harbour Church.

Unfortunately the volunteers have had to make many tip runs and are now having to pay for rubbish dumped on them- this means less money going towards the causes they work so hard for. If you have any Tip Vouchers (that came with your rates) that you are not going to use please donate them to the Op Shop on Singleton Beach Road- they will be going to a good cause. You can drop off your tip passes during opening hours- 9am to 3pm weekdays.

Please keep in mind that they can only take clean, good condition materials, furniture, clothes and books. They **cannot** take (and will have to dispose of):

- Stained mattresses
- Too much mismatched china
- TVs
- Old, dirty baby prams
- Bad condition couches (holes etc)

It is your responsibility to dispose of unwanted goods, please do not put any more pressure on the volunteers at the Op Shop.

New volunteers are always welcome, please call **Avril Roberts on 9537 3473.**

Roadwise News

Mobile Phone Laws Are Changing

New laws relating to the use of mobile phones and visual display units while driving will come into effect from 1 March 2011.

Drivers will only be able to use a mobile phone to make or receive a call if the phone is secured in a mounting affixed to the vehicle or can be operated without touching it (eg. voice activation, bluetooth hands-free car kit, ear piece or headset).

It will be an offence for drivers to create, send or look at a text message, video message or email while driving regardless of whether the phone is secured in a mounting or can be operated without touching it.

For more information visit the Office of Road Safety website www.ors.wa.gov.au

for answers to frequently asked questions.



Global Road Safety Plan

The U.N. Road Safety Collaboration has developed a Global Plan for Decade of Action for Road Safety 2011-2020, with input from many partners through an extensive consultation process. The Plan is based on the five pillars: Road Safety Management; Safer roads and mobility; Safer vehicles; Safer Road Users; Post-Crash responses.

Government agencies, private organisations and other road safety stakeholders are invited to use the Plan as a guide for initiatives they will support as part of the Decade of Action for Road Safety.

The Singleton Community remembers John Gilbert who sadly passed away on the 11 February 2011.

John gave a lot to Singleton and we will miss him.

More Owners Needed for Adoption Program

Story adapted from *The Mandurah Mail*, Melissa Bloomley

Greyhound Adoptions WA is a charity dedicated to finding new homes for retired racing or unwanted greyhounds.

Lyn and Greg Thomas adopted a greyhound, Sookie, eight months ago from Greyhound Adoptions WA and described it as the "best thing we ever did and she is the best dog. She suits our lifestyle and is so easy going," Mrs Thomas said. "I'm expecting grandchildren soon so I wanted a dog that was ok with children. If you start to annoy her she'll just get up and walk away."

Mrs Thomas said despite common misconception the dogs didn't need to be exercised very often and aren't hard to maintain as pets. "They are couch potatoes these greyhounds," Mrs Thomas said. "We walk her morning and night".

Greyhound Adoption WA is currently seeking foster families as well to look after the dogs before they become adopted. "The more we can foster the quicker they get use to living in house because they come from kennels," Mrs Thomas said.



Max needs a home

Singleton News will be featuring a different Greyhound each month that needs to be adopted. This month's feature Greyhound is 3 year old Max who is being fostered at the moment by the Thomas family. Lyn Thomas says that he loves new experiences as this is the first time he has been out of a kennel. He is very friendly, happy and gets along well with other dogs. For more information call **0438 601 492**.

Singleton Coastcare: WA beaches dirtiest in nation

Story adapted from *The West Australian*, Alex Massey 15 February 2011

WA beaches are the most polluted in the country with an average of about 1100 rubbish items found per site, according to Clean Up Australia's annual rubbish report.

Singleton Coastcare is attempting to remedy this situation in Singleton with a Clean Up day to be held on Sunday 6 March 2011, many local residents have signed up to come and help on the day.

While WA recorded the lowest amount of plastic in the country, an above average amount of both metal and glass were removed by volunteers last year.

Clean Up Australia founder and chairman Ian Kiernan, in Perth ahead of the national clean up on March 6, said 18 per cent of waste found in WA was metal, well above the national average of 12 per cent, while the amount of glass was twice the national average at 10 per cent.

He said these materials were a serious danger to people, wildlife and the environment. "The people of WA are being left with a real mess," Mr Kiernan said. "You have one of the most beautiful coastlines in the world, attracting local, national and international tourists. It is unacceptable that your beaches and coastal areas are considered to be giant ashtrays and rubbish bins."

Last year in WA, an estimated 42,462 volunteers removed approximately 1,179 tonnes of rubbish from 536 sites on Clean Up Australia Day.

The State, which generates over five million tonnes of waste every year, sends 77 per cent of its waste to landfill, higher than any other State in Australia. This makes WA a serious rubbish offender, Mr Kiernan said.

"The large amount of rubbish

Snakes on the Move

At this time of the year snakes are on the move hunting for rats and mice and may venture into people's homes and gardens in search of food.

If you find a snake on your property, please contact either **Allison Dixon on 0401 314 701** or **Wendy Jackson on 0421 082 694**. These ladies are DEC licensed to relocate venomous snakes and do not charge for their services.

Keep an eye on the snake and know its location at all times, once the snake moves out of sight it is often impossible to find where it has gone. Move all pets and children to a safe, secure place and keep watch until the relocater arrives.

Snakes are naturally shy and skittish creatures, and residents should not startle them as they may act defensively. Please remain calm but cautious.

Under no circumstances should you attempt to capture or kill the snake. Most snake bites occur when people are attempting to kill a snake and ALL native fauna (including snakes) is protected under the WA Wildlife Conservation Act 1950.

If you have any queries please phone Allison or Wendy direct.

accumulated by WA that ends up in landfill highlights the need for immediate and serious action," he said. "It's time for WA to stop sweeping your rubbish

problems under the rug and take responsibility to recycle and dispose of rubbish more responsibly. The State has already taken great steps to introduce tough illegal dumping laws and the same consideration needs to be given to littering. We also need to introduce measures to improve and encourage recycling. This will mean less rubbish heading to landfill or ending up in our environment."

Top five rubbish items in WA: Cigarette butts, Glass pieces, Alcohol beverage cans, Alcohol beverage bottles, Bottle Caps and lids.



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Osker Collects for the Environment

Local 15 year old Singleton resident Osker Critchlow woke up one day and decided he wanted to do his bit to help the world. Since he was young he was always fascinated by collecting things and pulling them apart, something his parents weren't always that happy about because he hadn't yet learnt how to put them back together again.

However since his dad showed him how to use tools when he was 11 he hasn't stopped collecting and recycling scrap metal into useful products for his family. He thinks his early obsession with things that other people might consider rubbish came from the Sesame Street character of the same name, Oscar the Grouch, who lives in a trash can.

Now Osker has turned this obsession into something he hopes will help the community and a hobby he really enjoys. "I want to help the world and I enjoy doing this. I like the feedback I get from working with the community, people always see me around" Oskar says. He collects metal objects from verge



Osker in front of a fence he helped construct from recycled materials

collections or people who contact him and then either uses it for his projects or sells for scrap metal. What money he makes from selling scrap metal he is pouring in to his car, a 1970's Beatle that he is rebuilding himself. Oskar has also built fences, worm farms, veggie gardens and trailers from materials collected.

Osker credits his skills and success to his dad, local resident Tricia Beasley and the school programs he has been involved in that have given him practical knowledge. The Halls Head Community Support

Centre program gave him confidence, practical skills, involved him in Coastcare and meant he had the opportunity to meet Mandurah Mayor Paddi Creevy who is a great supporter of the program. He is now in the Careers and Enterprise Centre at Mandurah Senior Campus and is happy with their hands on approach and he has already been given a work experience opportunity.

So if you have any scrap metal, car batteries or aluminum cans give Osker a call on **040 423 6168**.

Always pick up after your dog

There has been an increasing amount of dog poo on Singleton beaches and the walkways lately. Always pick up after your dog, there is no excuse to leave it and burying it in the sand does not make it go away.

Dog poo is a health risk to children playing in the sand (harmful bacteria, E. Coli risk & roundworm), it ruins the beauty of our beach and although you may think the ocean is big the amount of pollutants & excess nutrients going into it (including dog poo & fertiliser) is a major contributor towards oxygen deprived "dead zones" where sea life can no longer exist (Search "Ocean Dead Zones" on the NASA website for more information).

As a reminder the penalty for not picking up after your dog is a \$100 on the spot fine.

Friends of Paganoni Swamp

Volunteers from Friends of Paganoni Swamp plus a Green Corp crew spent the morning collecting dumped rubbish from the reserve. The first lot to be collected was greenwaste. Greenwaste dumped at reserves is a real risk because it inevitably leads to weed infestation.

The waste was predominantly trimmings from palm trees but also included grass runners and clippings. Continual monitoring and weeding of the site will now be required for a couple of years.

We had to walk about 400 metres to retrieve a number of plastic containers that had been dumped well inside the reserve, some still containing liquid. It was only by luck that they were discovered in the first place, but it was a significant find as any chemicals leaching from these containers would pose a real threat to the environment and groundwater.

Our final collection was a number of iron poles and bed frames, glass and

tin containers and car parts. Our one ute-load of rubbish turned into two ute-loads just after a few hours' work, and we were thankful for the efforts of the Green Corp crew who shouldered most of the load.

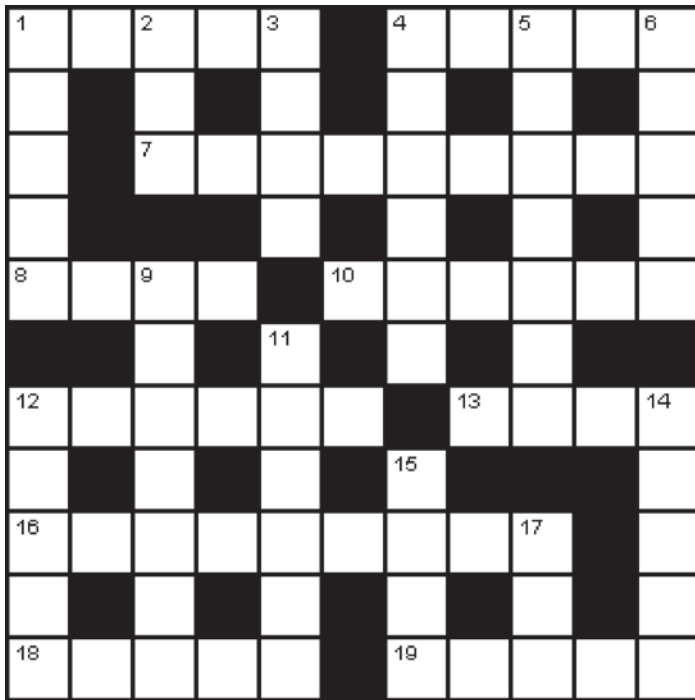
Whilst there was a sense of achievement at the end of the morning's work our group's plea is please don't dump your rubbish – dispose of it responsibly through the City's rubbish collection services or take it to the Millar Road Landfill Facility. We'd much prefer a walk in the park!

For any information on our group's activities, please call Leonie on **0439 921 298**.

SHARK SPOTTING

There have been two sightings within the last two weeks of a 6 foot Bronze Whaler shark just offshore the Singleton and Golden Bay Beaches.

Quick Crossword



Solution on page 12

Down

1. Journal (5)
2. Menagerie (13)
3. World's longest river (4)
4. Secret or hidden (6)
5. Bustling (7)
6. Abated (5)
9. Placed a bet (7)
11. Thinner (6)
12. Consumed (5)
14. Proficient (5)
15. Female relative (4)
17. Part of a circle (3)

Across

1. Twelve (5)
4. Hoard (5)
7. Unaware (9)
8. Gape (4)
10. Wore away (6)
12. Birds of prey (6)
13. Notion (4)
16. Large spider (9)
18. The lowest point of anything (5)
19. Implied (5)

Singleton Golden Bay Playgroup



Happy New Year to everyone. Playgroup has recommenced this year in the Singleton Hall on Cavender Street.

We have a lot of new families join us so far, and we welcome them all to our group and look forward to getting to know them throughout the year. We are also excited about the new baby boys, congratulations to Jess and Kristy.

We always welcome new families to playgroup. We meet on Mondays from 9.30 til 11.30 in the Singleton Hall, all you need to bring is a piece of fruit to share with the other children. You are more the welcome to just turn up and see what it is all about. The first visit for new families is free.

Each week there is usually a craft activity for the children as well as lots of free play with both indoor and outdoor toys. For the parents there is a coffee and morning tea provided.

Any more information give Diane a call on 0410 738 246.

KIDS KLUB

Hello!

Check out this month's competition! You could win movie tickets! Can you figure out the code??

There is an email address to send news, pictures, jokes, stories, so don't be shy, drop me a line at singleton_kids@live.com.au. Fiona



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First correct entry to decipher the Secret Code wins 2 kids movie tickets to Reading Cinemas. Drop entries to Kids Klub, 6 Reilly Street, Singleton before 18/3/11.

CRAFTY COWS

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Comet Bay Bowling, Social & Recreation Club

Lawrie Stanford Reserve, Cavender Street, Singleton

Community Bowls

On Friday 4th February the second series of Community Bowls was started with 14 teams nominating.. Bowls are provided, the bar is open and a sausage sizzle is available. There is room for more teams to join in so if interested please ring Mal Bound on 9537 2428.

Club Championships

The last of the club championships has been played with the Novice winners Keith Ody and Sylvia Parsons, and Vets winners Gloria Amos and Bill Young. Congratulations to all.

Presentation Dinner

This will be held on Saturday 30th April in the form of a midday dinner catered by WA Spit Roast. All members are invited to attend, and to bring along visitors. Trophy winners are requested to attend.

AGM

This will be held on Saturday 7th May at 9am, so members please put this date in your diaries. All Management positions are open and so members please consider nominating to keep our

club vital and developing.

Night Bowls

The Night Bowls on Mondays starting at 6pm has been well attended, and so while numbers are good it is planned to keep it running through the off season. All club members and members of the Community are invited to join in with the cost of \$5. Ring Wendy 9537 2029.

Ladies Gala Day:

Many thanks to all who helped make this a great success, and thanks go to the Sponsor, **Golden Bay Pharmacy**.

Events Coming up:

Open Mixed Split Fours – 26th March
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Men's Open Triples - 13th April
Sponsored by Chippers Funerals

Ladies Open Triples - Friday 15th April
Sponsored by Peel Hearing Services

Family Open Day – Sunday 17th April
Sponsored by Paul Papalia

For further information ring
President - Kevin Bowlay 9537 3542
Secretary - Wendy Kirkby 9537 2029

SINGLETON CRICKET CLUB THE BLUES

**PLAYERS NEW & OLD
WELCOME**

The Oval on

Saturdays & Sundays

- Juniors & Seniors

Senior Training

- Tuesday & Friday 5pm

**Juniors vary according
to age**

For more info call

Scott 0422 274 828

<http://singoblues.wa.cricket.com>.

**All grades should be in the
finals which start on Saturday
19 March.**

**The Annual General Meeting
is on Saturday 2 April 6pm at
the hall and will be followed by
the windup.**

In district club news the
Rockingham-Mandurah Mariners
1st, 2nd and 4th grades are
looking good for the finals.

Comet Bay Bowling,
Social & Recreation Club

Open Day & Family Day

**10am Sunday 17th April
Cost \$5**

**Bowls provided, bar
facilities, sausage sizzle.**

We welcome members of the
Community to have a go at
bowls. Casual dress and flat
shoes or bare feet.

Phone Brian 9537 3063
Wendy 9537 2029

Sponsored by Paul Papalia



SINGLETON &
GOLDEN BAY

TENNIS CLUB

**Social Tennis Played
every Tuesday**

(Women & Men)

8.30am in Summer

9am in Winter

Morning Tea Provided

CASUAL PLAYERS WELCOME

Courts for Hire \$8 per hour

*Courts not for hire during
Social Tennis hours*

**FOR ALL ENQUIRIES
& COURT HIRE**

PHONE 0406 816 813

CAVENDAR STREET, SINGLETON



SINGLETON NUMBER PLATES

The plates are available for
sale and there are only 18 sets
left. They are \$150 per set and
only available as long as people
continue to buy them.

If none are sold for six months,
the series will be discontinued and
no more will be available (except
remakes for damaged plates).

**If you would like a set
contact Karl on
9537 3996**



From the Editor

I hope everyone has enjoyed this bumper edition of the Singleton News. Thanks to everyone who writes articles and to all our volunteers for making this newsletter happen.

If anyone is interested in helping out in helping collate the articles and organise the volunteers please let me know, I

will need a hand for the May and June editions of the Singleton News, as I will be busy having my first child! Please email singleton.editor@gmail.com if you can help or with any interesting articles about our community.

Thank you, Natalie.

Season ends on a high

With the season coming to an end it looks like there has been lots of PB's broken and the club is in a great position, I don't know but we could be close for Champion Club (fingers crossed.) We are not the largest but we have shown what a strong force we are even in our 1st year.

I like to take this opportunity to thank all our club families for their help and support this year, the Committee members for without their behind the scenes effort this club wouldn't function and all of the club sponsors for their generous donations, Their support is vital to the club and we Thank You.

Club sponsors are :
· ENSCO group

- Chevron
- McDonald's
- Marsh Civil
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- Whistling Kite
- Alcoa
- Mullane family



A big thank you goes out to Damien Ziegelaar, Bev & Regan, Karen Hindes, Debbie Nella, Brett Blanco, Bev Cambell, Tim & Lana Hunter, Mel Mullane, Amanda & Darren Ahern, Gary & Simone Leggett and all the others for their extra help during the year. We really appreciate it.

All the best for Centre Champs, Zones & States

Lee Dwyer
Singleton Sharks Little Athletics Club

- Cain Evans - 70m - 11.88 sec
- Brodie Patroni - Discus - 18.51m
- Dharia Mullane - 800m - 26.27
- Griffin Besci- 1500m - 43.54

Personal Best STARS

- Brody Ziegelaar - 100m - 22.12 sec
- Ebony Blanco - Mini Hurdles - 16.37 sec
- Kiara Besci - Hurdle - 14.09 sec

SINGLETON SOCIAL CLUB

SUNDOWNERS will hopefully be starting soon.

If you wish to hire the Community Centre for that special function then our prices are very competitive. Members can also hire crockery and cutlery.

For further information & hire rates, please contact the following committee members
Booking Officer - Heather Venn 9537 1791
President - Colum Venn 9357 1982
Secretary - Shaaron Kent 9537 3408

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

- EMERGENCY 000**
(Police, Fire, Ambulance)
- POLICE ASSISTANCE 131 444**
- CRIME STOPPERS 1800 333 000**
- School Watch Security Patrol 1800 177 777**
- Graffiti Hotline 1800 44 22 55**
- City Safe Resource Centre 9592 4166**
- Ranger Services 9528 0303**
- Alinta Gas (Emergency) 13 13 52**
- Synergy (Electricity) 13 13 51**
- Water Corporation 13 13 75**
- Justice Of The Peace Lindsay Ginbey 9537 2160**
Ken Holman 9537 3432
- WildLife Assist Rescue Hotline 0400 904 016**
- WILDCARE: 24 hr Emergency Number 9474 9055**

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