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FROM THE MAYOR OF WALKERVILLE



Walkerville RSL Vice President Richard Trotman-Dickenson AM and Walkerville Mayor Elizabeth Fricker at the ANZAC Dawn Service.

The darkness of the night faded on the cold morning of 25 April 2022 as the sun arose and the community gathered to pay their respects to those who made the ultimate sacrifice by going to war.

As I stood in the beautiful Memorial Gardens at the dawn of a new day to make my address at the ANZAC ceremony, I took the time to reflect on our unsung heroes – those 300 men from the Town of Walkerville

who had fought on the battlefields and the five women from the Township who enlisted as nurses more than 100 years ago, as well as the many others who still serve today.

I recited a quote by Irishman Patrick MacGill, who served during the First World War with the London Irish Rifles.

MacGill was a poet and author, who wrote a book about the Australians in France, which was published in 1919, where he documented his recollection of the Australian spirit.

“Stories of deeds accomplished by Diggers, the capturing of dug-outs, the rushing of machine-gun positions are spoken of, but as the Australian is one of the most modest of men, many stories of desperate deeds and high enterprise will never be known beyond the limits of camp and the field of war. Of her record in the war, Australia may well be proud.”

In the dimmest darkest times in history, and in the face of adversity and potential defeat, the Australian spirit triumphed. This spirit did not go unnoticed by soldiers of other battalions, countries and nationalities.

It led me to think about the Aussie spirit that lives on in our community today – our existing superheroes, without the capes, if you will. Those who create joy without expecting anything in return. Those who go out of their way to bring a smile to the face of a stranger. Those who give up their time when others need it the most. These people may seem few and far between in modern day society, but our Township holds many.

It was an honour to see a few of these people acknowledged at our Annual Volunteer Awards earlier this month. Walkerville Rotary committee member **Chris Richer** was named **Volunteer of the Year** for coordinating its annual art show, which raises thousands of dollars each year to contribute to programs including an Indigenous scholarship,

birthing kits for women in underdeveloped countries and adventures for young people at risk. He also provides Justice of the Peace services at Council on a weekly basis.

The resilient and independent 12-year-old **Nomiki Rebecca Thomas** was awarded **Young Volunteer of the Year** for her sense of social responsibility and regular involvement in a vast range of fundraising activities, as well as her role in various leadership positions at St Andrew's Primary School. I also wish to thank nominee Penny Trappel, Year 4 student at Walkerville Primary School, who has been actively involved in her local community by assisting in events organisation, teaching crafts to children and collecting donations for charity.

The **Community Event of the Year** went to Walkerville Uniting Church for the Death Across Cultures forum as part of the “Dying to Know Day” national campaign, which encourages discussions around death, dying and bereavement. A group of seven women, members of Walkerville Uniting Church,

who have promoted similar conversations over many years, saw this as a great opportunity to attach to the national campaign providing broader opportunities for their local community.

The Friends of the Walkerville Library received the **Mayor's Choice Award** for their outstanding and significant contribution to the community. Since their inaugural meeting on 12 May 1987, they have donated approximately \$460,000 for items or experiences that better the library and therefore, better our Township. From humble beginnings, the Friends has become its own close-knit community with the purpose of advocating for and representing Walkerville Library users, as well as raising funds for specific projects and initiatives by Customer Experience Officers. From all walks of life, the members of the Friends have enriched and promoted the library's collections, publications and treasures for public interest and education.

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 **St Andrew's**
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Saturday 4 June, 10am
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St Andrew's School 22 Smith Street, Walkerville, South Australia. standrews.sa.edu.au

FROM THE MAYOR OF WALKERVILLE cont...

They have donated a huge array of items, including adult fiction and non-fiction, Lego for children, books for toddlers, DVDs and audio books, PCs and computer games. As the Friends begin to wind down, I wish to thank all of the members – both past and present – for making a fabulous contribution to the library for 35 years.

As we think about the members who give meaning to the phrase “Walkerville”, **I would like to thank Peter Golding** (pictured right) for

his involvement in bringing absolute happiness to thousands of children and families – including my own – over the past two decades. Peter and his army of dedicated volunteers have



designed, built and presented an incredible display of mini floats as part of the Miniature Christmas Pageant. It brings me sadness to confirm that the event will no longer proceed this year due to Peter’s ill health. Despite this, I hold great pleasure remembering the memories he created. Seeing the joy on my daughters’ faces (who are now 20 years old – as old as the pageant has been running) as they slowly walked past dozens of floats, mesmerised by the detail and character instilled in

each one, is a vision I will never forget. Not only has Peter selflessly given his time and energy to bring a smile to many people in our community, but he has also raised thousands of dollars for Telethon SA through gold coin donation entry costs. I believe I can speak for the entire community when I say “thank you Peter”.

When you consider the above examples, it is clear that the Australian spirit is alive and well in the Town of Walkerville.

As in April we saluted the legend of ANZAC and in May we acknowledged our volunteer community, we now also take the opportunity to uphold their finest qualities of courage, mateship, endurance and selflessness – and in doing so, we uphold the Australian spirit that Patrick MacGill so fondly recounted more than 100 years ago.

I encourage you to read the inside of this newsletter to find out more about our Township, including the

upcoming Annual Business Plan process, the latest reserve upgrade and our new “Your Say Walkerville” engagement site.

I look forward to seeing you around Town!

Elizabeth Fricker

Mayor of Walkerville

Women of Walkerville
 Foundation



CEMETERY TALK

Join local historian Lyn O’Grady for a virtual tour of the Walkerville Wesleyan Cemetery.

It is hard to believe that our small heritage cemetery is home to many souls, some with notable family names and others whose lives were a struggle. Take a glimpse into the history as Lyn shares pictures and stories from the past. All funds raised are for the charities of the Women of Walkerville. Enjoy the talk with a beverage and snack on arrival.

Wednesday 8 June 2022
6pm – 7pm, Walkerville Town Hall.
\$12.50 per person

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/tour-walkerville-cemetery or 8342 7100 during business hours.



All enquiries from businesses for paid advertising to Sarah Spencer: sspencer@walkerville.sa.gov.au

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A TOUR OF THE HISTORIC AND SCENIC GROUNDS OF MARBLE HILL

Come on a tour of the historic and scenic grounds of Marble Hill.

Built in 1878 by Governor Sir William Jervois, Marble Hill was the Vice-Regal summer residence for 75 years from 1880, until it was destroyed by the Black Sunday bushfires on 2 January 1955. The main structure remained a ruin until the property was purchased in October 2009 by Patricia and Edwin Michell, residents of Medindie. The Michells have started a massive restoration project, which has included the extensive grounds, stables and lastly the main house. Patricia Michell has previously spoken twice at Women of Walkerville events, giving us the history and the challenges of this project. We now have an opportunity to see for ourselves! Please note the main house is still a construction site and there will be no access as part of the tour.



Join us for a guided trip to the hills, a tour of the property and afternoon tea with a glass of rosé in the historic stables. We advise that this tour is for attendees who do not have mobility limitations. All funds raised are for the charities of the Women of Walkerville.

Wednesday 22 June 2022
Bus pick-up from Walkerville Civic and Community Centre at 1pm, tour 2pm – 4pm, return bus drop-off at 5pm.
\$80 per person, plus booking fee.

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/wow-marble-hill-tour or 8342 7100 during business hours.

Dog and cat registrations

Are your dog and cat registration details up to date?

Have you purchased a new dog or cat recently?

Have your contact details changed (i.e. do you have a new mobile number or have you changed your email address)?

Have you moved residential address?

Has your dog or cat changed ownership?

Has your pet died?

Has your pet been de-sexed or microchipped since last year?

If any of these have occurred since August 2021, please visit www.dogsandcatsonline.com.au and update your pet’s details or email Council at regulatory@walkerville.sa.gov.au

This will ensure your renewal notice finds you from July 2022.

Have you registered your cat?

In South Australia, cat microchipping and desexing is mandatory and owners must register this information in Dogs and Cats Online. Registering your cat on the State register will help you get it back if it goes missing because Council officers, RSPCA, Animal Welfare League and vets all use Dogs and Cats Online to identify and reunite pets



with owners. It is the most frequently used and updated register for South Australian dogs and cats and you are sent annual reminders to keep your contact details current. To register your cat, visit www.dogsandcatsonline.com.au

How do you register a dog or cat?

1. Visit www.dogsandcatsonline.com.au
2. Select register/renew
3. Select register my new animal
4. Enter microchip number, desexing ID or transfer code and your surname.
(If you have not been given these details, select unknown)
5. Check if you have an account. If so, select it and proceed without logging in, or continue as a new owner
6. Ensure your details are correct
7. Complete registration and pay any applicable fees



If you have any difficulties, contact our Customer Experience Team on 8342 7100.

COUNCIL NEWS

Annual Business Plan

The draft 2022/23 budget signifies the beginning of another great opportunity to connect our community through a new hub of activity.

Thanks to the commitment of \$5 million from the Labor Government, Council is embarking on a new project this coming financial year to redevelop the 39 Smith Street site.

As part of the Draft 2022/23 Annual Business Plan, we are planning to continue our excellent maintenance of parks and gardens, progress our road and footpath renewal program and create new opportunities for public art and murals within our operational budget.

In addition, we will progress with the Walkerville Oval redevelopment and finish major park and streetscape upgrades – including Crawford Reserve and Alfred Street.

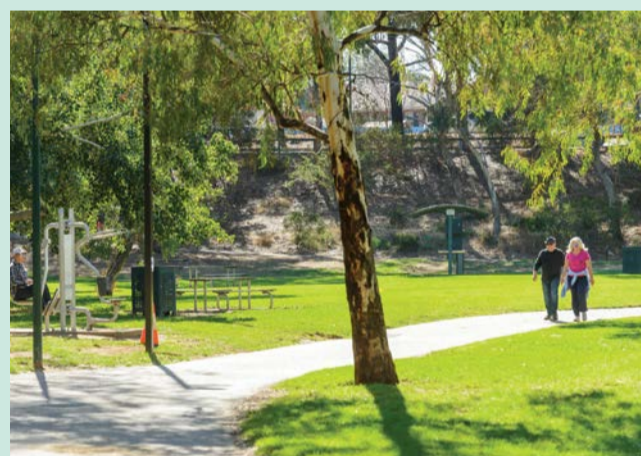
Council is expecting to begin consultation on the draft budget in June 2022. There are a range of ways you will be able to find out more and have your say, including online through Your Say Walkerville and providing a hard copy written response.

Updated information will be provided to the community by mail, as well as via Council's website.



Walkerville Oval redevelopment

Stay up to date with the latest Walkerville Oval redevelopment updates by scanning the QR code:



Keeping our parks green

Did you know that many of the Township's parks and reserves are kept green by ERA Water?

The Eastern Region Alliance (ERA) Water scheme is a joint venture between the City of Burnside, the City of Norwood, Payneham & St Peters and the Town of Walkerville in the provision of recycled stormwater for use to irrigate reserves and open spaces in the eastern suburbs of Adelaide.

Spaces in Walkerville include Hamilton Reserve, Willow Bend Reserve (pictured), Levi Park and Walkerville Oval. ERA Water has recently launched a new website and logo in order to keep the community educated and informed on its latest updates.

To view the website, visit www.erawater.sa.gov.au



Your Say Walkerville

The Town of Walkerville has a new online engagement site – a space for you to share ideas, discuss important topics and provide feedback on matters that contribute to the future of the Township.

Your Say Walkerville is an online hub where you can share ideas, discuss important topics and provide feedback on matters that contribute to the future of the Township. By participating, you can actively contribute and inform Council's decision making.

Watch this space as we continue to update this site to give you a chance to have your say on new projects.

Registration is free, easy to join and it allows you to create your own account to comment. We invite you to register and be involved!

If you do not have the ability to provide feedback online, our friendly staff will be more than happy to help you submit your responses in person at the Civic and Community Centre.

Details:
yoursay.walkerville.sa.gov.au

Venue hire

Did you know that the Civic and Community Centre has a variety of spaces for hire?

Whether you need a meeting room for business, an outdoor space for a market or a hall for a social function, there is a space for almost anything:

- Walkerville Town Hall
- 1855 Meeting Room
- Library Meeting Room
- Theresa Walker Gallery

- Foyer
- Kitchen
- Portico
- Carpark area

Discounted rates for not-for-profit groups apply. To find out more about the function spaces, call 8342 7100 during business hours or visit www.walkerville.sa.gov.au/community/venue-hire



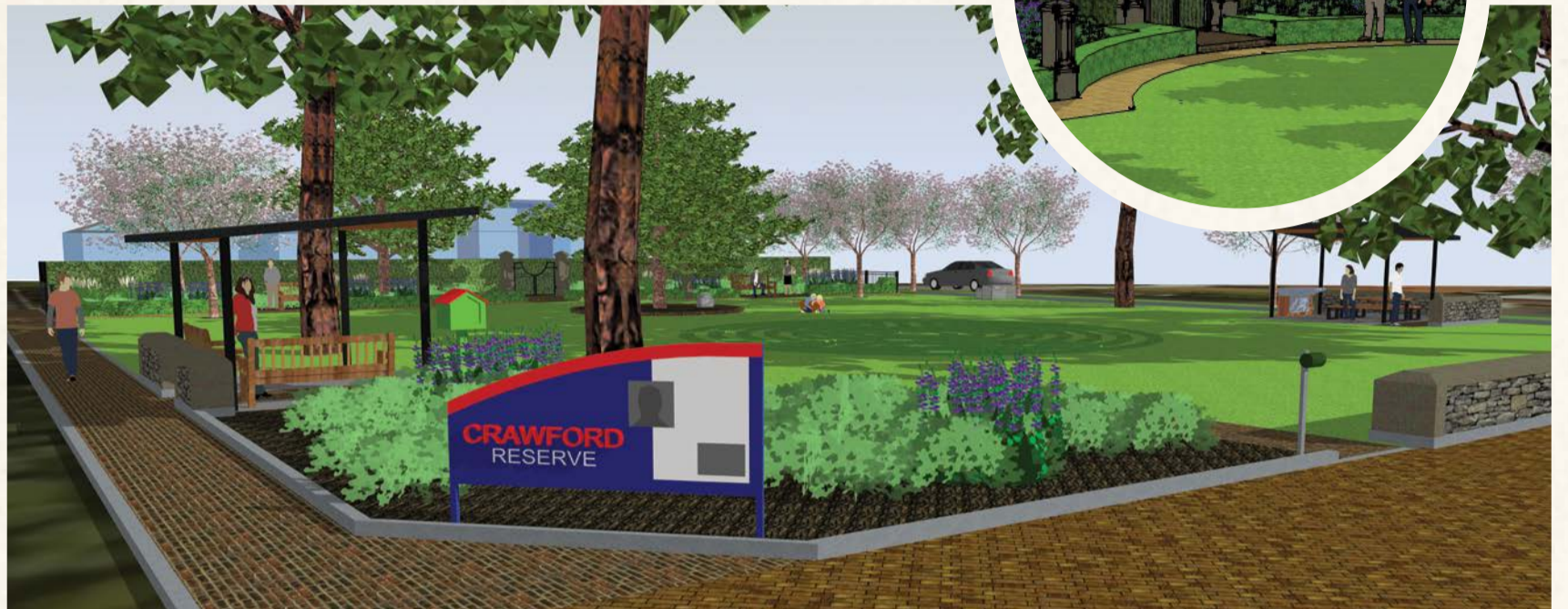
Works about Town

Crawford Reserve

From the magnificent tall Royal Oak tree that was donated by the family of a local surgeon born in 1873, to the intricate cast iron gates of one of the Township's historic estates – a Walkerville park will pay homage to pieces of the past as part of new upgrade beginning in June 2022.

Crawford Reserve, on Walkerville Terrace, will be receiving a mini redevelopment to become a vibrant and engaging green space for the community to relax, as well as gather with family and friends. Works will include a barbecue and picnic table, a reading nook shelter with community street library, additional bench seating, an irrigation system upgrade to increase efficiency and disability-friendly paths surrounding the reserve.

Nestled in between Hay Lane and Horn Court, this reserve is home to the Henry Simpson Oak. The 15ft-high tree was planted on the 80th birthday of Sir Henry Simpson Newland at his Burlington Street residence on 18 November 1954. In 1970, Lady Newland's niece Mrs Wreford advised Council that the property was going on the market in two



weeks and suggested they transplant the tree to a public place. Council sought advice on the best method of moving the Oak to ensure the survival of the tree. Crawford Reserve was selected and the tree was successfully rehomed. As part of the upgrade, uplighting will be installed to highlight the tree, along with the planting of an additional four Oak trees to act as companions to the original Oak, which still stands in remembrance of Sir Newland – a remarkable surgeon with a long list of accolades, including honorary service to the Royal Adelaide

Hospital, transforming faces of men that were battered during in WWI and founding the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons.

In addition, the rear of the park will be planted to resemble a "faux" formal garden entrance to the Holmwood Estate. The property, which now can be found on Devonshire Street, once occupied the entire area where Crawford Reserve sits today. The design will include the installation of a cast iron gate with stone pillars either side. It will create an interesting and ornamental backdrop to the reserve and

a pleasant space to pass the time, particularly for those residents from Allity Aged Care, opposite the park.

The reserve will continue to be watered by ERA Water and the grass labyrinth will remain.

With its understated, yet functional design, the upgrade is expected to cost approximately \$140,000 and be completed by August 2022.



State Library of South Australia image of the Holmwood Estate. Written on back of the photo: "Holmwood, built by W.A. Horn, c. 1880. 20 Devonshire St., Walkerville". Source: SLISA B75307/46-48.



Street tree planting

The planting of a new range of street trees will be underway from this week through to July 2022.

As part of the Urban Forest Strategy, Council aims to replenish its tree canopy each year in order to keep the Township looking green.

Our urban forest (public and private land) covers approximately 25% of the Township and we



have about 28 different species, which account for more than 4,000 street trees in the area.

This year there will be more than 100 trees planted across several streets in the Township, including Park Terrace and James Street.

Council's Beautification Team endeavour to water the trees every three weeks and provide ongoing care, such as formative pruning.

You can assist in caring for your street trees by providing additional water in summer, refraining from damaging the base of the tree by brushcutting and contacting Council if your tree is vandalised.

Why do we love our street trees?

- Reducing energy costs for buildings shaded by trees;
- Increasing property values for houses on leafy tree-lined streets;
- Contributing to stormwater management by filtering rainwater and slowing run-off;
- Absorbing odours and air pollutants;
- Increasing native habitat and supporting wildlife conservation;
- Enhancing wellbeing – spending time around trees can reduce stress and anxiety, and increase happiness and productivity.



Works about Town

Mural Mural on the Wall

From Fairy Wrens and River Red Gums to planet earth and duckling habitats – the importance of flora and fauna has been brought to life through the completion of a 100m-long mural in Vale Park.

As part of the “Mural Mural on the Wall” project, Council initiated a first-of-its-kind mural venture in the district.

Artist Marciano Arents partnered with Vale Park Primary School students to capture their thoughts regarding the area and transformed their ideas into a stretch of art along Ascot Avenue.

This project brings a sense of pride and ownership for the students who have been involved in this venture, and fosters a link to health and wellbeing in our community.

Research has long shown that the arts offer many benefits – including health, social and economic outcomes – which offer both private and public value.

After receiving multiple complaints over several years in regards to graffiti along the sound barrier wall, the mural aims to discourage vandals.

Marciano is the man behind Senman Creations.



He is a self-taught artist specialising in large scale murals, street art, design and canvas. He also painted the mural in Council’s pocket reserve on the corner of North East Road and Smith Street.



Street artist Marciano Arents, of Senman Creations, with Year 4 Vale Park Primary students Asher, Layla and Ethan – who were some of the 100 students who provided drawings that inspired the 100m-long mural.



New entrance statement at Willow Bend.

The mural is part of a wider facelift for the Ascot Avenue precinct, which includes upgrades on the opposite side of the road at Willow Bend Reserve. A new banner frame – measuring 6m x 2.2m – was lifted into place by crane in May 2022. Designed by Council’s Group Leader Landscape Design &

Beautification Services, this stylish frame matches the structural theme of Council’s Civic and Community Centre building, along with the Walkerville Oval Smith Street entrance. It complements the new footpaths, irrigated garden areas, public toilet, resurfaced tennis courts and basketball ring.



Resurfaced tennis courts at Willow Bend as part of the Ascot Avenue precinct upgrade.

Rotary in our community

Birthing kits

The Rotary Club of Walkerville held a very successful birthing kit assembly afternoon on Sunday 10 April 2022 at Walkerville Town Hall. Approximately 800 birthing kits were assembled to assist in

maternal and new born survival in developing countries. These will now be sent abroad to countries such as Ethiopia and Zimbabwe.

The afternoon would not have been possible without the help of the many volunteers from the

community who helped assemble and pack the kits, along with Adelaide Quality Care for their generous donation for the contents of the kits and organising volunteers.

The amount of support was wonderful, the Walkerville Rotary Club thanks all who contributed.

tree propagation house in Fuller Street to thin out the 650 seedlings that they planted in November 2021.

Each year, Walkerville Rotary Club seeds more than 4,000 trees and has done so for the past 25 years.

The tree program is completed with help from students at St Andrew’s School and Wilderness School. The trees will go to various properties around South Australia. Tree thinning is the selective removal of trees, primarily undertaken to improve the growth rate or health of the remaining trees and avoid overcrowding.

Tree thinning

St Andrew’s School students participated in a morning out to experience the Rotary’s tree growing program – and they quite enjoyed getting their hands dirty. On Friday 8 April 2022, students met at the Rotary



St Andrew’s School students thin out seedlings.



Rotary members cooking breakfast for the ANZAC Day breakfast.

ANZAC breakfast

Walkerville Rotary Club members cooked up a storm for the traditional ANZAC breakfast on Monday 25 April 2022, in partnership with Walkerville RSL. Cooking for more than 200 guests is no easy feat, however, the Rotary did a wonderful job in feeding guests from all branches of the armed

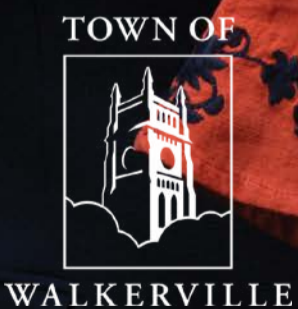
services, veterans and the general public. The club responded to the call in remembering the sacrifices of the many men and women in conflicts, which involved our country. Great team effort by all involved.



Volunteers assembling birthing kits.

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COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2022

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History behind the street

Bardini Street nomenclature

An underground tunnel to the Torrens, an aspiring olive oil estate and a home hosting musical soirees – the land on which Bardini Street currently sits, holds a wealth of interesting history. The below is a snapshot of the tales that make up the strip today.

An early colonial resident, George Hutton Barnard (1805-1867), had built a



Plan of Gilberton drawn by H M Addison, June 1871 (*The Walkerville Story*, John Lewis).

substantial eight-roomed homestead in 1846 on the banks of the River Torrens in the vicinity of what is now Walkerville Lawn Tennis Club on Creswell Court in Gilberton. Barnard's initial land holding – named Bardini

Estate – extended from Walkerville Terrace to the river and totalled 15 acres.

The homestead was surrounded by vineyards, orchards and almond groves. The Barnard home was the focus of cultural activities, such as musical soirees. George Barnard was a scholar and musician, who played the flute and had a large collection of books on technical and classical subjects. A tunnel from the house to the river was used for storage and a

windmill brought water up from the Torrens. There was a swimming hole nearby in the Torrens with the nickname "Barneys", after Barnard.

George Lloyd Barnard (1852-1935) inherited the estate and planted olives so he could export olive oil to the 'mother country', however, the Bardini olive oil industry was not an ongoing success. From 1881, with the promise of a tram service to the city, the land was subdivided



BARDINI, the old Barnard home on the river, below the present Bardini Street (*John Walker's Village* by Marjorie Scales).

and houses were built for rental income.

The old homestead was demolished after George died in 1935. The remaining estate was carved up to make Ponder Street – named after politician William David Ponder

(1855-1933) and Creswell Court – named after Walkerville Mayor John Creswell (1891-1975), who was the son of the famous cricketer.

Information and images provided by local historian Lyn O'Grady.

2022 LOCAL GOVERNMENT PERIODIC ELECTION

ENROL

Until 5pm on 29 July 2022

Voters must be enrolled on the Council voters roll by 5pm 29 July 2022 to be able to vote in the 2022 Local Government election.

Voters are eligible to vote in Council elections if they are 18 years of age or over, at the time of voting; and

- a ratepayer in the Town of Walkerville; or
- a resident in the Town of Walkerville (you do not have to own a house or property to enrol to vote - tenants have those rights too); or
- an owner of a commercial property, including body corporates or groups, in the Town of Walkerville.

How to get on the Council voters roll

Voters will automatically appear on the Council voters roll and receive a postal ballot pack if you are already on the State electoral roll (House of Assembly Roll), which means you vote in State Government elections. However, if you have changed address recently, you will be required to update this information with ECSA.

A landlord, business lessee or non-Australian citizen will no longer be automatically included on the roll. If you wish to vote in Council elections, you are now required to enrol by completing a form found on the link to the right.

Councils are part of the democratic framework of Australia. The community elects its Council Members every four years, with the next Council elections being held in November 2022.

Elections provide an opportunity to vote for candidates who will best represent their community.

The Town of Walkerville district is comprised of Gilberton, Medindie, Vale Park and Walkerville.

Council has a total of nine elected members, including the Mayor.

The 2022 Council elections are held by postal vote through the Electoral Commission of South Australia (ECSA).

The three key stages of the election are enrol, nominate and vote.

NOMINATE

9am on 23 August 2022 –
12pm on 6 September 2022

Eligible voters can also nominate to stand for election as a Council Member.

Candidate briefing sessions will be held in the following locations during August 2022:

8 August 2022

Norwood, Payneham & St Peters Council Civic Building

10 August 2022

Campbelltown Council Civic Building

17 August 2022

Burnside Council Civic Building

18 August 2022

Unley Council Civic Building

22 August 2022

Walkerville Council Town Hall

More information will be made available closer to the timeframe on the link to the right.

VOTE

9am 14 October 2022 –
5pm on 10 November 2022

The 2022 Local Government elections are held only by postal vote. This differs from previous elections.

Only electors who are enrolled on the Council voters roll by 5pm on 29 July 2022 will be eligible to vote.

Voting in the Local Government elections is not compulsory, but is encouraged for the Town of Walkerville community to have their say.

Ballot material will be sent directly to electors on the Council voters roll between 14 October 2022 and 20 October 2022.

Votes MUST be posted via the included reply-paid envelope and received by ECSA prior to 5pm on 10 November 2022.

Scrutiny and Count will occur from 9am on 12 November 2022.

Further information and forms can be found at www.walkerville.sa.gov.au/council/council-elections and will be updated as required.

Giving you a big high five for doing Plastic Free July

With 140 million people participating last year across the world, isn't it time that you joined the challenge to 'choose to refuse' single use plastics?

Here are five ways you can help protect the environment from plastic landfill and litter.

1. AVOID

Plastic bags. Remember to BYO re-usable bags!

Polystyrene foam packaging.

Pre-packaged fruit, vegetables and other food items. Bring your reusable containers and purchase food from a bulk food store, or the bulk food section at your local supermarket or fruit and veg store. You will save waste and money too.

Purchasing items with excess packaging. Choose items with minimal packaging, recyclable and recycled packaging.

Pre-packed meat and fish. Support your local butcher or fishmonger and bring your own reusable container or request cuts to be placed in a compostable bag and wrapped in paper. Compostable bags and paper can then go in the green bin.

Disposable takeaway coffee cups. BYO reusable cup. Some cafés (check out responsiblercafes.org) offer discounts for using a re-usable takeaway cup.



5. COMPOST

Compostable items are made from plants – not plastic. Look for the seedling logo or home composting symbol to confirm that it is compostable. These items can go in your green bin or home compost bin.



Use certified compostable bin liners. These are used to line kitchen caddy/food scrap baskets and are available for free at Council.

Use compostable dog poo bags. The poo and compostable bag can be placed into your green bin.

Use compostable takeaway food containers, plates and cutlery which can go in the green bin after use.



2. REDUCE

Bottled cleaning products. Purchase products from bulk stores using refillable containers, use soap and shampoo bars. Why not try making your own cleaning products these school holidays?

The AMOUNT of things you buy

Especially plastic items! Choose durable reusable items made from wood, metal and fabrics made from cotton or wool.



3. RE-USE

Choose to re-use. Use a re-usable takeaway coffee cup or dine in.

Use a refillable water bottle. Plastic bottled water is 2,000 times more expensive than tap water (choice.com.au/food-and-drink/drinks/water/articles/bottled-water).

Store food in re-usable containers.

Choose re-usable, washable cleaning wipes instead of disposable wipes.

Choose re-usable washable sanitary items.

Toys. Join a toy library and borrow quality toys and books. **Purchase wooden or metal toys** instead of plastic.



4. RECYCLE

Rigid plastic containers and packaging. Check the Which Bin website for what can and cannot be recycled.

Purchase products & packaging made from RECYCLED PLASTIC



Plastic Free July information session

Find out how you can go plastic free for July and beyond!

Did you know that almost every piece of plastic ever made is still around? – YES, even the biodegradable plastic. It can take hundreds of years to degrade, if ever, leaving a huge impact on our environment.

This is why we are inviting you to take the challenge of going plastic free this July and beyond. Learn practical, easy solutions to replace single use plastic items with more sustainable options.

Seats are limited, so register today!

Monday 4 July 2022, 6pm-7.30pm, Walkerville Town Hall, FREE
 Bookings: plasticfreejulytow4072022.eventbrite.com.au

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COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD



St Andrew's School Tours

You're about to make one of the most important decisions in your child's life. It won't be easy and it will take time. You'll consider who your child is today, who they could be tomorrow, and what it will take for them to become a happy, confident, resilient, and respectful global citizen.

Join Principal, Ms Jackie Becher, on one of our School Tours and gain an insight into her vision for St Andrew's students' education and 21st century learning environments.

Saturday 4 June, 10am and **Thursday 9 June, 4pm**, 22 Smith Street, Walkerville. **Free.**



Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Concert

Walkerville Rotary Club presents Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Concerts for the community. A variety of music ensembles from Wilderness School will be performing, including flute ensembles, clarinet ensembles, string quartets, piano trios and a guitar ensemble playing a wide range of musical genres

and styles. Come along to the Walkerville Town Hall to enjoy the concert, followed by a supplied afternoon tea.

Sunday 19 June 2022, 2pm – 4.15pm. Doors open at 1.30pm. **Gold coin donation.** For more information, contact Peter Sowden on 0402 491 255.

Walkerville Uniting Church

All activities are at 17 Smith Street, Walkerville



Playgroup @ Walkerville UC

Walkerville Uniting Church offers a weekly playgroup during the school term. For children aged up to five years with their parents/carers, each session includes structured activities and guided play. Please bring your own healthy food for snack time.

9.30am – 11am, Thursdays, \$2 per family. **Bookings:** 8342 5875 or admin@walkerville.ucasa.org.au

Seniors exercise

Come along and enjoy a safe and gentle chair exercise class for seniors. **10.30am – 11.30am, Tuesdays, \$10** per class. **Contact** Mia on 0404 368 318.

msg@5 Family Service

Family friendly craft and activities based on bible stories, concluding with a meal together. All welcome. **5pm – 6.30pm, Sunday 19 June 2022, gold coin donation** for dinner.



Walkerville Probus Club

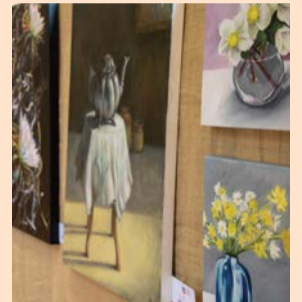
For active retirees where members enjoy friendship, fellowship and fun. Membership is open to retired or semi-retired men and women to enjoy social interaction, listen to interesting guest speakers and participate in fun outings. Meetings are held in the Walkerville Town Hall on the **third Tuesday of the month, 10am – 12pm.** For information contact Ross Fletcher on 0422 189 909.



Walkerville Rotary Art Show 2022

The Walkerville Art Show is a premier event on South Australia's art calendar and showcases original works from some of the State's leading artists. The Art Show is presented by the Rotary Club of Walkerville, with all profits donated to various charitable projects. The past two years' events have been highly successful, despite the limitations of the pandemic and we are hoping for a similar result this year.

We will be hosting a ticketed opening night with drinks and nibbles commencing at **6pm** on **Friday 7 October 2022** at the St Andrew's School Gymnasium & Performing Arts Centre, Church Terrace, Walkerville. It is always a fun night, so get a ticket early for the best purchases. The art show runs from **Friday 7 October 2022** to **Saturday 15 October 2022.** **Bookings** through walkervilleartshow.com.au



Walkerville Rostrum Club 35

The Walkerville Rostrum Club has moved. We now meet at St Andrew's Church Parish Hall at 43 Church Terrace Walkerville and we are inviting everyone within the Walkerville area to visit us to see how we present and discuss ideas in a relaxed and convivial environment. But we are more than a discussion group. Members focus on how best to express their views clearly and succinctly and to be persuasive when speaking to anyone ranging from individuals to large groups (very useful skills when being interviewed!). Additional bonus activities include learning how to chair meetings, prepare agendas and write minutes.

An accredited coach helps us to increase our confidence and improve our communication by

offering encouragement, feedback and advice on ways to improve the way in which a speech is delivered, and helpful hints and suggestions on how to attract and hold the attention and win over an audience.

When and where: We meet for one hour from **12.30pm to 1.30pm** in a friendly, welcoming atmosphere at St Andrew's Church Parish Hall, 43 Church Terrace, Walkerville on **every second and fourth Wednesday of the month**, after which those participants who are able to, enjoy lunch together at the nearby Nest Café.

For further details or enquiries please contact Club President Stan Livissianos on 0402 844 357 or livissianos@bigpond.com



African Dance for Everyone

Move to the rhythm of African dance with weekly classes presented by Ibina Cundell. African Dance for Everyone provides a simple two-hour class of exercises and dance steps with music selected from Reggae, Gospel and African genres.

Tuesdays, 10.30am – 12.30pm, Walkerville RSL Hall, 98 Walkerville Terrace. **\$10 per class.** Parking beside the hall.

Teacher Ibina was a founding member of the Australian Dance Theatre. Two retired doctors and three retired nurses are amongst students in her African dance classes.

Study shows: "More effective than fast walking – dancing over the age of 40 halves your chances of a heart attack".

ENROLLING NOW

TERM 3 RECEPTION 2022

No tuition fees Term 3 & 4 2022

St Monica's Parish School
 Walkerville

More information
8344 2384
www.stmonica.catholic.edu.au

Calling for yarn

Walkerville Craft Group is calling for donations of yarn. Any colour or ply is welcome. This will allow the group to continue knitting projects with Lyell McEwin Hospital, Women's and Children's Hospital, Anglicare, Vinnies and many others. All donations can be left at the Town of Walkerville Civic and Community Centre Concierge.

If you are a local community organisation and would like an event added to our Community Noticeboard, email sspencer@walkerville.sa.gov.au or add your event to our online Community Calendar at: www.walkerville.sa.gov.au/community/events/event-submission



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Native bees in your backyard

Join Jenny Deans for this **family-friendly workshop** to learn about the many varieties of native bees and how to attract them to your garden. Explore the special role of these fascinating creatures in our environment and make a "bee hotel". Jenny Deans from Cosmophylla Garden Services and

Advice is a passionate gardener and land carer with a love for exploring the wonders of the natural world with children. This event is supported by Green Adelaide.

Event suitable for adults and families (children aged 5+ with accompanying adult).



Each **\$5** booking includes one "bee hotel". If families want to make an additional hotel, please purchase another \$5 ticket.

10am – 12pm
Saturday 18 June 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Bookings: events.humanitix.com/june-native-bees-workshop or 8342 7100 during business hours



Coding for kids!

It's time to learn some basic coding during Term 1. Coding is the art of telling a computer how to perform complex tasks. Coding is a skill that improves problem solving, creativity and communication. The hour of code offers many activities where you will PLAY, LEARN and CODE.

3.45pm Tuesdays

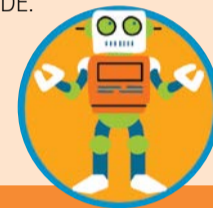
7, 14, 21, 28 June
5, 26 July
2, 9, 16, 23, 30 August 2022



Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 5+

FREE, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/coding-for-kids-play-learn-and-code or 8342 7100 during business hours



Movie Matinee

Join us for a movie matinee – *The Drover's Wife: The Legend of Molly Johnson*. Heavily pregnant and alone, Molly is caring for four children on a remote Snowy Mountains homestead while her husband is droving cattle. When an Aboriginal man on the run, intrudes on the sanctuary she

has carved out, the brutal hardships and secrets that have followed them throughout are confronted.

Rating: M
Genre: Drama
Duration: 49 minutes

10.30am – 12.30pm
Wednesday 29 June 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Adults

Free to book, **gold coin donation** on arrival

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/movie-matinee-the-drovers-wife or 8342 7100 during business hours



Lego exhibition

Visit the Civic and Community Centre to be inspired by the wonderful world of Lego. This exhibition by HayTan Bricks will showcase Lego from their 200,000 plus piece collection. You will see sets of a variety of themes from different eras. This is an exhibition the whole family will enjoy.

The Lego exhibition will be on display from **1 – 30 June 2022** during **Civic and Community Centre business hours**.



Home fire safety information session

SA Metropolitan Fire Services Community Engagement Officer Phil Evans will be discussing different ways that house fires start and how to reduce the risk of a fire starting in your home. Subjects he will cover include smoke alarms, fire blankets, fire extinguishers, a home fire escape plan and the process of ringing 000. The presentation will include photos and a discussion about fire safety.

10am – 11am
Saturday 6 August 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
All ages **FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/home-fire-prevention-information-session or 8342 7100 during business hours



Fun with Obie



Big Math

Join us for interactive and competitive beginner math games using Walkerville Library's new technology device, called Obie. While your monsters face off against each other, you will need to select the correct tooth that he needs.

1.30pm – 2.30pm
Monday 18 July 2022
Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 5+

FREE, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for accompanying guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/big-math

Brain Challenge Games

Join us for adult mind games while you share and interact with a fun technology device, called Obie. An experience similar to a large version on your tablet or device. This game will challenge you to memorise the position of the blinking object appearing on the tiles. Train your brain and improve your memory skills as this gets harder each round.

1.30pm – 2.30pm,
Tuesday 9 August 2022
Walkerville Town Hall
Adults **FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/brain-challenge-games

Author Talk: Nomiki Rebecca Thomas

Join Nomiki Rebecca Thomas for her author talk about her book *Goodbye*. Nomiki, 13, chose to write a book as a part of her personal project in Year 7 at St Andrew's School. *Goodbye* has been published and is available at Dillons Bookshop – all proceeds will be donated to the Indigenous Literacy Foundation. *Goodbye* is about Anne – a public school student, who is told her father has died when it is not actually the case. Anne's adventure begins when she finds a letter addressed to her. Join Nomiki as she talks about what it means to her to be able to publish her first book. We hope that she inspires you too.



10am – 11.15am
Wednesday
13 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
All ages **FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/authors-talk-nomiki-thomas or 8342 7100 during business hours

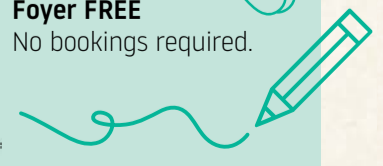
Winter weather colouring

Wanting to escape the cold and wet weather? Come into the Civic and Community Centre and colour up a storm with our special worksheets.

Civic and Community Centre opening hours

1 – 29 July 2022

Foyer FREE
No bookings required.





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Lego Club

It's time to get the club back together... we will provide the Lego - YOU bring the imagination.

4pm - 5pm Thursday 23 June and 25 August 2022



Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 5+

FREE, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free admission for accompanying guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/legoclub or 8342 7100 during business hours

Winter rocket science workshop



SciWorld's resident Rocket Engineer will teach children not only how to make and launch your own low pressure rockets, but learn about the dynamics behind rockets, forces - balanced and unbalanced, air pressure and predictions. Who can make their rocket fly the farthest? What factors affect the flight of the rocket?

11.30am - 12.30pm Tuesday 12 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 8 - 13

\$3 per child, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/winter-rocket-science-workshop or 8342 7100 during business hours



Fun food art with 3D pens

Come and build a burger or cookie stamp! Work on your doodling skills and join in the fun of drawing a 3D food model. During our workshop, learn how to draw with 3D pens and take your cool creation home with you this July school holidays.

9.30am - 10.30am Monday 11 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 5+

FREE, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for accompanying guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/fun-food-art-with-3d-pens or 8342 7100 during business hours

3D printer design competition

Did you know that items can be printed in 3D? Send us your idea for a cool 3D printer design entry in the competition to win a Dymocks gift voucher!

Can you think in 3D and let your imagination run wild. What will you design to enter the competition? **Competition runs from 1 - 29 July 2022.** All ages.

Send your 3D design or sketch to library@walkerville.sa.gov.au with the subject line "3D printer design competition" to enter.



Robotics fun and play workshop



Join this interactive session where you will have the opportunity to learn and play with Walkerville Library's many robots, including Meccanoid, Cozmo, Ozobots, Dash and Dot, Osmos, BB-8, Ollie, and Spheros. All coding skill levels are welcome!

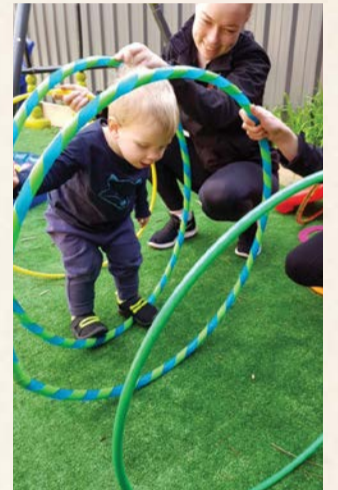
Come and interact with these friendly robots and explore the possibilities!

9.30am - 11am Thursday 14 July 2022

Room 1855
Children aged 6 - 13

FREE, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/robotics-fun-and-play-workshop or 8342 7100 during business hours



Hula hoop and play - circus workshop

Come along to this introduction to the world of circus play in a supportive and fun environment. Learn the skills of balance and motor development, while plate spinning, hula hooping, playing with scarves, ribbons and more. This class encourages social interactions and is designed to inspire the imagination through touch, sound and movement.



10am - 11am Thursday 21 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 18 months to 4 years

\$2 per child, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for accompanying guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/hula-hoop-and-play-circus-workshop or 8342 7100 during business hours

Let it rain craft workshop

Let it rain this winter with the Walkerville Library craft workshop. Have fun creating something crafty that resembles a winter rain to you. At the end of the session, enter your creation for your chance to win a Dymocks gift voucher.

10.30am - 11.30am Friday 15 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children of all ages **FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/let-it-rain-craft-competition or 8342 7100 during business hours



Introductory table tennis workshop

Through a safe and fun introductory session, children will be introduced to the sport of table tennis using a progressive range of engaging activities.

Children will learn about ball control, forehand and backhand strokes and serving.



1pm - 2pm Tuesday 19 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 5 - 8

\$3 per child, must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for guardian)

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/children-introductory-table-tennis or 8342 7100 during business hours

Animation workshops



Lego animation 2pm - 4pm

Following the popularity of recent Lego films, children will be able to make their own movie in this practical, hands-on workshop. We will watch clips from the films to analyse and learn from. Lego sets and colourful-themed backdrops are provided. Children welcome to bring in Lego from home.

Wednesday 20 July 2022

Walkerville Town Hall
Children aged 8 - 13

\$25 per child, per workshop.

Claymation 10am - 12pm

Watch GooRoo's film *Animal Instincts* and find out how claymation was used to make the movie. Children will then create their own clay characters and animate them using the Stop Motion Studio app, before watching their films at the end of the session.

Must be supervised by an adult guardian (free for accompanying guardian)

Bookings: www.trybooking.com/BYZWP or 8342 7100 during business hours



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Online hobbies Be Connected course

Learn how you can build your family tree, travel to places far and wide without leaving your chair and how to create your very own blog to share your experiences and knowledge. Be Connected aims to empower everyone to use the internet and everyday technology to thrive in our digital world.

**9.30am – 11am
Tuesday
14 June 2022**

**Room 1855
Adults FREE**



Bookings: events.humanitix.com/be-connected-course-online-hobbies or 8342 7100 during business hours



U can uke term 3

**Beginners Ukulele
4pm – 5pm**

This course introduces participants to learn the ukulele in a fun way. Basic chords and strums are included for new beginners and those who have just begun to play. Course material included. Bring your own uke or borrow one of ours.

**Beyond Beginners
5.30pm – 6.30pm**

The course is for ukulele players who have mastered the basics and want to move on. The course content varies to accommodate skill levels of participants. Course material included. Bring your own uke or borrow one of ours.

**Mondays 2022
1, 8, 15, 22, 29 August
5, 12, 19, 26 September**

**Civic and Community Centre
Adults and children aged 10+**

Eight weeks

\$45 per person

\$35 concession

\$6 per person for a single session

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/u-can-uke or 8342 7100 during business hours



Stretch, Meditate and Relax

This age old practice enables us to calm the mind, relax the body and ease away stress and tension, which improves both physical and mental wellbeing. Learn some simple, easy to apply, and effective meditation and yoga practices to achieve a deeper sense of peace in your daily life.

**6pm – 7pm
Tuesdays**

21, 28 June

5, 12, 19, 26 July

2, 9, 16, 23, 30 August 2022

**Walkerville Town Hall
\$5 per person
Bookings:** events.humanitix.com/stretch-meditate-relax or 8342 7100 during business hours

Activity packs for ages 65+

Are you a resident aged 65+? Would you like an activity pack to challenge your mind, body or just for some fun? This season's pack includes games, puzzles and more!

Town of Walkerville residents only
FREE
Call 8342 7100 to have a pack sent to you.

Walkerville Walkers breakfast & talk

Remedial massage presentation

The Walkerville Walkers meet at 9am on Mondays at the carpark next to the tennis courts on Stephen Terrace and Creswell Court to set off on their walk. Council is hosting a breakfast with a presentation and demonstration from Walkerville Physiotherapy on remedial massage. Come along to our next Walkerville Walkers breakfast & talk and learn

more about the health and wellness benefits of remedial massage.

**10am – 11am
Monday
15 August 2022**

**Council Chambers
Adults FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/wwb-and-talk-remedial-massage or 8342 7100 during business hours



DIY cleaning and personal care products workshop

Many common household products are easy to make yourself with simple, everyday ingredients. Reduce plastic use and the chemicals in your home, while saving money. In this hands-on workshop, participants are able to make their own samples to take home.

Please bring along six jam jars (250g-300g) to create your products.

**6pm – 7.30pm
Wednesday
29 June 2022**

**Walkerville Town Hall
Adults FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/diy-cleaning-and-personal-care-products-workshop or 8342 7100 during business hours

Live in the Lounge Room

Attention pro-singers, shower singers and all singers in between! Make yourself free for a good ol' sing (in three part harmony) on the first Tuesday of every month. No audition, no commitment, no homework. Come along and learn a new song each month from Morgan Bramble – singer, vocal educator and choral conductor.

**7.30pm – 9pm
First Tuesday
of the month**

**7 June, 5 July,
2 August 2022
Walkerville Town Hall
\$10 per person**

Bookings: morganbramble.com.au/live-in-the-lounge-room



Poor sleep presentation

Join Dr Amy Reynolds – a Senior Research Fellow in Epidemiology at the Sleep Health College of Medicine and Public Health at Flinders University – for this presentation, which aims to help you gain a better understanding of sleep and how to improve your sleep.

Dr Reynolds will cover a basic understanding of poor sleep and effective sleep, the sleep cycle,

practical changes you can make to improve your sleep and much more.

**6pm – 7pm
Monday
29 August 2022**

**Walkerville Town Hall
Adults FREE**

Bookings: events.humanitix.com/understanding-poor-sleep-presentation or 8342 7100 during business hours

COVID-19 guidelines will be followed during all programs and events. Events are subject to change based on these guidelines.