



# Loch Sport Link

Aug - Sept 2011

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YOUR COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER - THE 'LINK'

Your bi-monthly newsletter the LOCH SPORT LINK began its life as the LOCH SPORT RAG, around 1980. We have no information as to the exact date. The community was small in those days, but the need for communication and information was very important. The RAG gave the community the opportunity to share their personal milestones and inform other residents of upcoming events and community activities.

Today the LINK is produced for you by the Loch Sport Community House and we need you to become involved. Producing a bi-monthly newsletter requires a huge amount of hours, searching for material that will have meaning and enjoyment for our readers.

The "Our Community" segment of the newsletter is sadly lacking content from our readers, especially the important moments you celebrate. As a community; we need to share these important milestones; the celebrations - weddings, 21st birthdays, 20th - 70th wedding anniversaries; and the losses.

These "Our Community" pages are also yours to place "For Sale" or "To Buy" notices at a minimal fee. Use the pages to share your thoughts - positive or negative; share a funny joke or event ; in these economical times friendly banter is one way of putting smiles on the faces of your Loch Sport neighbours.

The younger members of our community; the children also need to have somewhere to display their feelings and talents. The Link is well situated to fulfil these aspirations. A section in the LINK will be set aside for children to submit stories, photographs, drawings etc. It will be their space, we need them to tell us what they want from their newsletter, please help them to become involved.

## Enterprise Cruise

On Monday 28th November the L.S.C.H. will once again set sail on the Enterprise for an enjoyable day cruising the Gippsland Lakes. As yet the destination and price have not been set. Please contact the office on 5146 0145 as seats are filling fast.



## L.S. Primary School Trivia Night

**Where:** Loch Sport Public Hall  
National Park Road

**When:** Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Sept

**Time:** 6:30pm for 7:00pm

**Cost:** early bird

- \$10 per Head

on the Night - \$15

(8 to a table)

Bookings essential please

call Kylie on 5146 0920

Don't miss out!!!

## New Look Newsletter

In line with Vision Australian Disability Action Guidelines for the vision impaired we are now producing our newsletter in the recommended font Arial size 12



**Loch Sport  
Community House Inc.  
A.G.M.**

**Monday September 12th  
10:30am**

**All Residents Welcome**

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- Online -www.lochsport.org.au
- Tourist Information Centre - Sale
- Golden Beach Foodarama

**LINK CONTRIBUTIONS:-**

Deadline for articles & advertising for Oct/Nov 2011 issue is

**August 15th 2011** and can be lodged by the following means:-

- Text:** - email  
word 97 doc\*  
(not word 2007)  
- memory stick/disk

**Photo/artwork:**

- physical prints of artwork
- memory stick/disk

in one of the following computer graphic formats: BMP, GIF, JPG\*  
Please limit file size to under 1 meg

**Please no handwritten or typed articles**

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**COASTAL BUS SERVICE**

	Mon/Fri	Wed
<b>Departs</b>		
Sale GCS	08:40	<=
Loch Sport (Wallaby St)	09:30	9:30
National Park Gate	09:35	09:35
General Store	09:45	09:45
Golden Beach	10:10	10:10
Longford	10:30	10:30
Sale Centre	10:40	10:40
Sale - Hospital	10:45	10:45

<b>Return</b>		
Sale - Hospital (from)	4:15	1:20
Sale Railway	4:20	
Sale Centre	4:30	1:30
Longford	4:40	1:40
Golden Beach	5:00	
Loch Sport Turn-off	5:10	2:10
General Store	5:25	2:25
National Park	5:35	3:35
Swan & Wallaby	5:40	3:45

**Paradise Beach Passengers**  
**MUST BOOK Little's Coaches**  
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**ALL WELCOME**

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Mon ~ 12 pm - 4 pm  
Fri, Sat, Sun ~ 12 pm - 5 pm



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National Park Rd  
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please phone  
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**Loch Sport  
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Nurse available - Mon to Fri

**Administration Hours**

Mon - Thurs 8:30am - 12:30pm  
for nurse or doctor appointments  
& payment of accounts  
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**5146 0349**

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Red Cross 5146 0637  
SES Loch Sport 5146 0263  
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Sale Police 5143 5000  
Sale Hospital 5143 8600  
Sale Shire Council 1300366244  
Poisons Info 13 11 26

**CHURCH SERVICES**

**Loch Sport Assembly of God**

10:00am Every Sunday  
Meeting in Public Hall.

**Catholic Mass**

10:00am Catholic Church  
Mass 1st Tuesday  
at Community Church

**St Marks's Anglican &  
Community Church**

10:00am Services 2nd & 4th  
Sunday

**ALL WELCOME**



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is available online

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**www.lochsport.org.au**



### Community Luncheon

The House will be holding a community open day barbeque as soon as the weather improves; notices will be around town.

This will be an opportunity for all residents to meet and greet other community members, the Community House Committee of Management, Volunteers and staff. We will also be show-casing current programs, activities and events.

The Community House would like to find out what skills are available in the community. With this knowledge we can then target programs and activities to use these skills.

We are always looking for new programs or one off events and need your input to ensure we are providing the services and activities that you wish to participate in. Please feel free to contact us regarding any of the above.

### Kids Club

This last term we have been playing around with dress ups & starting to make our paper mache masks ( for Halloween). Thank you to Kylie & Emma for the kind donations of dress ups & play clothes for the children. A big Thank you goes out to Tracey for donating the children's afternoon tea. In October we are going to have a Funny Scary Halloween Fancy Dress Sleepover for the children involved in kids club, ages from 7 to 12 only. The cost will approximately be \$10 per child with dinner, snacks, movies & breakfast. If your child is interested please phone the office 51460145.



### Model Ship Building

We have the offer from a local resident to teach model building; this includes ship, plane etc in all mediums. Adrian has a long history of this craft and is willing to share his knowledge and skills with interested parties.



### Music Jam

Bring your voices and instruments and join in our community "noise".

There are many local residents who would like to meet other like minded people to sing, play and/or learn a musical instrument.

A karaoke machine has been offered to get this musical happening off the ground.

Loosen your vocal chords, get your guitars and drums out of the cupboards and sheds and bring them along.

**The above activities can only commence with your participation; sufficient numbers are necessary to make them happen. Dates and times will be decided by participants & facilitators. Please phone the office on 5146 0145 if you are interested**

### Loch Sport Community House Inc. Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday & Friday  
9:30am - 3:00pm

#### Fees and charges

Classes carry a \$3.00 activity charge  
All House users are required to pay a \$2.00 annual membership fee.

#### Services available

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- colour	30c
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- colour	\$1.00
Internet	\$2.00 per hour
Emails	\$1.00 send/receive
Fax	\$1.00
Resumes/CV's	\$5.00



### LSCH Inc. Programs

- After School /Holiday Program
- Ancestry Group
- Art Group
- Awesome Foursome
- Book Club
- Calligraphy
- Chronic Pain - Self Management Group
- Computer Class
- Community Kitchen
- Craft Group
- Dance Club
- Exercise Group
- Quilting Group
- History Group
- Holiday Program
- Line Dancing
- Mobile Phone
- Movie Group
- Music Jam
- Swimming Group
- Tai Chi
- Walking for Fitness

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Sudoku



**Where the Bitumen Ends**

At the far eastern end  
of this estate  
Where the national park  
and lake reeve meet  
Where progress  
by gravel lane  
A better spot  
you'd seek in vain  
I share this lot with kangaroo  
Occasional deer  
and odd emu  
Where lorikeets fly in  
on the wing  
And martins come to breed  
each spring  
Where a large blue gum  
casts its shade  
While underneath  
some rabbits graze  
Where on the lake  
can oft be seen  
Natures waterfowl serene  
Pelicans cormorants  
black swan and more  
Tis such a spot  
you can't ignore  
Where mostly  
only natures heard  
The roar of surf  
and singing bird  
Where a million stars  
at night be seen  
This tranquil spot  
a natures dream

*D.J.Button*

**Depression**

Pastoral expansion continued until the early 1920s, when first the European currency collapse and later the depression caused prices for agriculture products to plummet. During this period stock numbers decreased due to the worsening economic conditions, which made it difficult to maintain much of the less fertile country that had been cleared using low cost labour. The gradual loss of much of the light grazing country was offset by the advent of topdressing and sown pastures in the 1930s. Production of prime lambs became more common.

Since World War II, development has been concentrated of increasing productivity and numbers of stock rather than expansion into new areas.

In 1890, the first water supply scheme in the study area was inaugurated in the Bairnsdale region. However the construction of a weir on the Mitchell River was plagued by floods and problems with foundations and although the completed in 1893, the scheme never operated because of repeated flood damage. Subdivision of land into small holdings in the rain shadow area between the Macallister and Avon Rivers brought demands for reliable water supplies, which resulted in the construction, in 1926 of a dam on the Macallister River (Lake Glenmaggie). Irrigation works were then extended throughout the area between the Thomson and Avon Rivers. After World War II they were further extended to service the Nambrok, Denison Soldier Settlement Scheme south of the Thomson River.

From its beginnings supplying building and fencing to the infant pastoral industry, the timber industry expanded rapidly in the late 1800s, with the demand for mining timbers, fuel wood and construction timbers created by the gold mining boom, the expansion of the railway system, and the resultant ready access to the Melbourne market.

Sawmilling increased to meet the demands for timber during World War II and reached a peak during the post war building boom which continued into 1960s. subsequently timber output declined to the current, more stable level of output.

*Courtesy of V.E.A.C.vic.gov.*

We now have a gap between the end of this history and the late 1940's.

If you have any knowledge, including photos please let the office know on 5146 0145.

Remember when



The Barton jetty before 1990's



The Marina before the hotel

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Members of the LSCH dance group wrapped up the last dance of the calendar with an excellent dinner at the Sanctuary Cafe, and then went on to dance to the music of "Family Ties" at the Loch Sport public hall.

The group is now in Winter recess and will start up again in September.

A small group is conducting Old Time dancing lessons 7:30 - 9.00pm Wednesday evenings at the Loch Sport Public hall, if anyone is interested ring 51460422.

**2011 Calender**

**September - Saturday 24th**

BYO, Shared Supper  
Band – Eddy

**October Saturday 22nd**

BYO, Band – Harmony Plus

**November Sunday 27th**

1.15pm – 4.00pm.  
Shared Afternoon Tea  
Band – Eddy

**December Friday 16<sup>th</sup>**

Dinner TBA, Shared Supper, Band – Russell & Adam

**Thursday Afternoon**

*Revision of Dances & Social*

Held every week at 1.15pm, at public Hall September/ December.

Dance with friendly people with lots of help if you need it, time for a cuppa and chat.

Entry - \$4.00



**Annual Membership fee \$5.00**



**LOCH SPORT  
HEALTH CENTRE  
COMMITTEE**  
**Monday, 15th August 2011**  
**1:00 - 2:00pm**  
at the Loch Sport  
Community Health Centre  
Interested members of the Loch Sport community are invited to attend the Health Centre Committee meeting. The meeting is an opportunity for you to raise and discuss any matters relating to the health service with Central Gippsland Health Service representatives.  
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POST OFFICE GALLERY LOCH SPORT

Every three months the Gallery changes its display of work.

This winter we have on show Paintings by Stan Nickolic, Joan Cooper, Fiona Venables, Gwen Stewart.

Pastels by Wendy Butler.

Jewellery by Donna Marcius, Debbi Simkins.

Textile Art by Dinah Barton.

Pottery / ceramics by Lisa Timms.

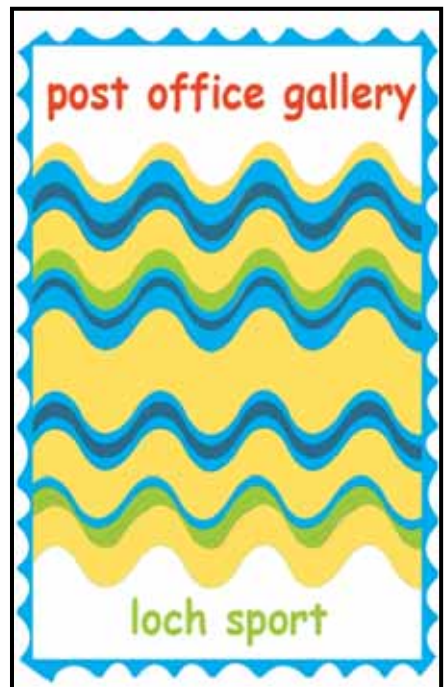
Photography by Ken Hodge, Carey Hammond, Trish Madelay.

Craft work by Margaret Klein, Judy Oldfield, Doreen Nichols, Peg Lown.

Woodwork by Judy/Bill Feldman, Ian Cook.

Thanks to the volunteers who continue to mind the Gallery on Saturdays 11am-3pm. Anyone interested in being a volunteer or displaying their work please contact Dinah Barton on 0425 762 277 or Lisa Timms 51460 0943.

No commission is taken or charges for being on a waiting list. Next changeover will be in September.



*Dinah Barton and Lisa Timms  
Volunteer Gallery Operators*

Sea-Eagle bravery can be clearly seen before egg-laying. We rose before dawn this morning, blissfully oblivious of what awaits us out on the lake. A cool film of mist licked our faces as we motored down the icy lake. Languid dark green waters lapped the sandy banks and surf hollered somewhere in the distant background from burly winds the previous night. All pairs of eagles everywhere were hungry. Maybe the surf beach had not been as fruitful for them the preceding day as we had thought. Usually after significant surf and high winds, the eagles would have plenty of carrion to choose from on the beach.

Rain clouds swirled like curling smoke stacks up into the clear, pale blue air, brooding and ominous, adding to the thrill of the lake expedition. Its perimeters outfitted in small puffs of white foam, left over from last night's squall, but now suspended in a surreal fashion on a mirror-like surface.

Then there were birds. At first, as we turned the point of the National Park, ubiquitous regiments of pelicans rose, dipping and gliding around us. Interrupted black swans with white-tipped wings followed quickly, leaner and more elegant in flight as they skimmed the surface. Cormorants, terns and herons darted, weaving and soaring, cramming the sky around us, like a glorious moving cloud.

Our plan was to make extended one day boat forays into the Sea-Eagle feeding territories over the egg-laying and breeding season, then document all the results of prey weight lifts into our scientific study and discuss at night what we had found. This would be the first time in Australia that this behaviour of the White-bellied Sea-Eagles had been authenticated and indeed, the second only in the world with the Fish Eagles species. As almost nothing is known about the capacity of the eagles to lift heavy weights from the water, we hoped that something very substantial would spring from recording such a wide spectrum of data over winter, when temperatures were plummeting and boat travel was less than desirable. The information would be valuable in its own right and would contribute to the greater scientific community.

The eagles were attempting some of the biggest lifts as egg laying season approached. We saw the male of the pair attempt to lift a deceased salmon weighing over 1700g, probably discarded by local fishermen, off the glassy surface, the fish totalling over 70 per cent of his body mass. With much labouring he managed to use his powerful grey wings to lift it nearly one third of a metre into the air, only to lose it again. In time the unresponsive meal drifted in near the sandy shore and he took the opportunity to utilise a small stretch of beach rimmed by tangled tea tree, dragging it through the shallow water 10 metres and then finally flicking it onto the sand where a feed could transpire.

Black pirating crows stood by in readiness to seize pickings. The female Sea-Eagle in a tall nearby mahogany overlooking the proceedings paid no attention to his catch, nor did she come down for her division. Being dissatisfied with his dining position, the male, with one talon over the salmon, tried with fiendish ingenuity to move it, dragging it further up the beach. Sea-Eagles have a strong preference for dining on elevated branches rather than ground level but heavy prey weights usually inhibit this. Eventually he was forced to remain on the flat sand where he began to dismember the stomach of the fish. Many assumptions about the weight eagles in general can lift have been spurious and our study has now established this.

Spurred on by hopeful expectation of what we might see, we decided to visit the second pair, a further 10 kilometres down the Park edge. The male of this pair was known to defend his fishing territory far out into the Aurora Chanel, but stinging droplets of cold spray now hit our faces and crept into every crevice of our gear and coats, running down our necks unrelentingly; the lake had changed in a very short time with a blasting pre-frontal wind whipping up white peaks as far as the eye could see. Lake Victoria is notorious for changeable weather that can swamp an unstable tinny in frigid waters, so we stick close to shore. Same as the animals do.

Soon, all sense of ordinary time was left behind and life was suddenly reduced to the basics: Motor. Steer. Cover up. And hold on! It was a gamble; knowing just how wet we would get, but we were rewarded turning past the Pt Wilson jetty to watch, transfixed, the female Sea-Eagle of



*Beauty of Lake Victoria*



*Hungry Sea Eagles in winter*

**Contact of the scary kind**

I had a good walk along the beach and on my return journey I decided to have a sit in the sun and read my book for a while.

After half an hour or so, I was getting too hot so I moved from the bush I was lying in front of and went partly under it to shade my head. I dozed off quickly then woke to find a long forked tongue flicking in and out just near my eyebrows. I knew I was in trouble, big time, but I didn't panic. I couldn't get out of the way without putting my arms in front of me and becoming a moving target for the snake to strike at, so I just lay still, while we stared at each other. After what seemed to be a long time, but was probably only about thirty seconds, the red bellied black snake flicked his forked tongue at me one more time, then turned and slid away from me.

I am so glad he didn't fancy me and I will be more aware of what could become your beach buddy when you are relaxing in the dunes.

**Lake Reeve**

A young sea eagle flying over Lake Reeve swooped down to the water and caught a good sized fish then flew high into the air only to be attacked by another young sea eagle. The fish fell back into the lake and both eagles kept trying to catch it again.

After a number of attempts, the fish was caught again and quickly lifted high in the air and over on to the shore of Lake Reeve. The second eagle followed, but the trees blocked my view so I don't know if the fight went on or not. I did not see either eagle again, so I guess they were busy tucking into their dinner.

**Lake Victoria**

After very high tides and rough dirty water, the weed and grasses washed up on the shore had a nice surprise for all our local birds. Millions of tiny pink beetles with black spots on their backs were moving along in the grasses and climbing up most of the growth along the shore. I didn't see any in the water but there were millions all along the shore within a metre of the water. I went from the boat club where I first saw them, down to the National Park end of the lake and it was the same all along the lake. The birds were having a feast. Next day, some were still alive and a lot were dead but about 95% were gone.

*Lesley*

**Going for the impossible con't**

that pair foraging out near the channel light. She attacked a small mullet in a shallow glide, brandishing huge, shiny black talons, scooping it up without submerging any of her body, leaving a trail of silvery droplets in the air.

Later, as the boat noisily motors toward home, the feeble sun in a quiet overture descends sneaking behind the clouds until it emerges again to crash riotously yellow-pink into the low blue, Gippsland hills, painting everything in a violent fire. It is dusk, the serenest hour in the Lakes; the eagles are all back, silently tranquil perched on their arctic roost trees for the night and we watch as a fingernail moon sails through a sea of glittering stars overhead to emerge like a diminutive beacon of eternity in a velvet blue sky engulfing a hushed lake.

That night, curled into the comfort and security of our warm beds we wondered if we had bitten off more than we could chew. How many more days of freezing temperatures out on blowing lakes would we have to endure to get the information we needed?

"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines, sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." - [Mark Twain](#). No, we tell ourselves, leaving home's a cinch. It's the staying, once you've found it, that takes courage.

We have a new website with an abundance of eagle stories: [jennyhodge.com](http://jennyhodge.com).

To join the Sea-Eagle Association of Gippsland and to receive the free news letter, just email: [khodge07@bigpond.com](mailto:khodge07@bigpond.com)



*Red Bellied Black Snake*



*Jenny with Canon*

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### **The Loch Sport Boat Club is now in winter recess**

The club will reopen on Saturdays instead of Friday nights, starting on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September opening from 4.00 to 8.00pm. Call in and say hello, bar prices are very reasonable.

**One new event** on the calendar is the "Catamaran Challenge" sponsored by Pulse Credit Union.

This event will be conducted on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 2011 (Melb Cup weekend) it is to be a 20/30 km event for off the beach catamarans. So cat sailors dust off your cats and be in it.

**End of season sternchaser** was disappointing that only two boats turned up for the event so we rigged one boat and went out. The weather was cool, but there was a good breeze, we were well rugged up and enjoyed the sail.

**The end of season dinner** was a very successful night: the "Blues Brothers" set the theme, plenty B/B look a likes, even the "Penguin" was there. With the B/B DVD on the big screen and good food, everybody had a great time. Thanks to everybody for providing a great dinner.

AGM was held in June, thanks to the outgoing committee.

### **2011/2012 Committee:-**

**Commodore** – Peter Nikitin. **Vice Commodore** – Trevor Jones. **Rear Commodore** – Mary Jones. **Secretary** – Barry Phillips. **Treasurer** – Kaye Hogben.

**Committee** – Mal Griffiths. Graeme Hogben. Jenny Newton. Lance Patten. Patrick Tanti. Carol Walsh. Ray Walsh.

New members are very welcome, come and meet us Saturday September 10<sup>th</sup> 4 – 8pm.

**Loch Sport Boat Club** has been recognised this week for its longstanding commitment to reducing alcohol problems, as part of the Australian Drug Foundation's Good Sports program. While stories about sports stars struggling with alcohol problems, or behaving badly after a big night out, are rife in the media these days, clubs such as **Loch Sport Boat Club** are managing alcohol responsibly through the assistance of the Good Sports program and GippSport.

Joining the program in **2001**, the **Loch Sport Boat Club** achieved Level 3, the highest level of Good Sports accreditation, **five** years later. The club has been rewarded this week for its long term commitment to Good Sports, which requires adherence to liquor licensing laws; club members to be trained in Responsible Serving of Alcohol; policies to be implemented relating to safe transport, smoke free clubrooms; changing the way functions involving alcohol are conducted and an end to the use of alcohol for fundraising and prizes. This framework encourages a safer, healthier and more family-friendly club.

Victorian Good Sports Manager, Rod Glenn-Smith, is proud of all the clubs that achieve Level 3 Accreditation, but staying at that level for five years and remaining committed to the principles of the program is an especially impressive achievement.

"I'm very excited that **Loch Sport Boat Club** has achieved this significant milestone. The club has consistently demonstrated, over a number of years, that it is committed to promoting responsible attitudes towards alcohol, attitudes which are then passed on to players, supporters, and their families, benefiting the whole community."

**Secretary** of the **Loch Sport Boat Club**, **Mr Barry Phillips**, believes that the Good Sports program has advantages that go beyond just managing the provision of alcohol at the club.

"We have found that, by ensuring our club manages alcohol responsibly, we have created a better environment that everyone can enjoy. Our club is now a more relaxed, family friendly and fun place to be, and we couldn't have done it without the support and encouragement provided by GippSport and Good Sports."

Rod Glenn-Smith emphasises that "the program is a 'win-win' for everyone. Clubs grow and prosper, the communities are safer places and the club is a more attractive place to be for its members."

Good Sports is a nationwide program that supports sporting clubs to become safer, healthier and more family friendly through the responsible management of alcohol.

For further information contact Good Sports Victorian State Manager, Rod Glenn-Smith on 1300 883 817 or email [rod@adf.org.au](mailto:rod@adf.org.au) Information is also available through GippSport on 51358335 or [info@gippsport.com.au](mailto:info@gippsport.com.au)

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Winter time in Loch Sport is a time when many people head north for warmer pastures. However a staunch core group of devoted members braved the elements and met in the Community Health Centre at 1.30pm for the monthly meetings which are held every second Wednesday.

The new Police Station is still in the process of being built but there is definite progress on the site next to the Primary School. We look forward to the Police presence being back in the town. Till the new police station is completed all *Absence from Residence* forms should be left at the Sale police Station.

**Important reminders**

The **Annual General Meeting** will be held on Wednesday the 9<sup>th</sup> August at 1.30pm. New members are invited to join and be a part of 'looking after this special town'.

**Christmas Day Dinner** at the Loch Sport Public Hall.

For a traditional roast, pudding and good company the cost will be \$12.

The aim is to involve people who may not wish – or be able – to travel to be with family and friends. Bookings are being taken at the Loch Sport Community House office Mon, Tues and Fri, 9.30am to 3pm.

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### A.G.M.

9th August  
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LOCH SPORT FISHING REPORT

Rough and windy weather has prevented most surf fishing from happening lately, with big seas, side wash and much movement of sand off the beach.

Fishers have been rewarded with some good catches of large salmon on the days when the water has settled enough to fish, but on the few days when the water has become very calm, draughtboard sharks and crabs are all that has been reported.

*Helen*

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If you would like to be a t-shirt sponsor please send \$100 to the School's office by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August. T-shirts sponsors will have their company name printed on the back of the t-shirts.

The Trivia Night will be held Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September 6:30pm at Loch Sport Public Hall. The cost is \$10 per person, for tickets purchased before 1st Sept or \$15 for tickets purchased on the night. A light supper will be provided and drinks will be available to purchase. Please contact Kylie 5146 0920 for tickets and book yourselves in for Loch Sport Primary School's biggest fundraiser of the year!

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Living in such a small community as ours we are confronted with the knowledge of our age as life is. We just recently sent Dottie Hanson on her final journey with the service held at the club rooms. The family asked if we could have her send off there as she was a **STALWART** of the Women's Auxiliary. Dottie was an institution with her involvement with various groups and clubs in town. I would often tease her about her real name in Dorothy Rose. I'd call her Dorothy and she would get annoyed at this. Even when I called her Dottie, she would belt out "Don't you Dottie me" with her unique laugh.

Dottie never complained about anything and had a wonderful aura about her and how she carried herself even to the end is admirable. WE will all miss her terribly with her persona and style. Always on hand to help the club where ever and whenever we needed help in one way or another. She would often drive the Courtesy Bus against Sgt's wishes. She did this for years! At times she would have her family visit from out of town and she would always put the club before them. The family would ask her why she didn't have someone else to do what she had to do to the reply "I just have to do what I have to do". We'd always see her in front of the Lodge selling badges for the R.S.L. and even had time to knit or crochet her scarves, or hats. Her whole life evolved around the love of her life in Graeme (Sarge) and the club.

She got the greatest farewell any loyal servant of the club anyone could ever have. The service held at the club was packed with various speakers telling stories about her antics and funny episodes.

Since her passing on her path and journey, her beloved husband Graeme sadly passed away a week later. A blow to us all, but mainly to her loving family. It is one of those unique times that something like this would ever occur in ones life time. I have never known anything as tragic as this in my life. But, I suppose, the love that those two shared was eternal love and respect for each other. The service was held at the club rooms on the 15<sup>th</sup> of July one week after Dottie's send off.

The Sarge and Dottie are founding members of the club. From the beginning, they were out there digging the foundations of the club. Such was the love they shared together. Even when the club was built, the Sarge would come and clean the place out just about every day. What dedication!! On behalf of the club, the Committee of Management and the entire community, I applaud and salute you both for your dedicated and loyal service to the R.S.L. What more can one say. Grateful is another word that can be used to identify such love for our club.

May their final journey together be forever remembered by us who knew them. An old Native American saying "A person is never forgotten until the last one that knew them is gone on the same journey we all have to travel in life".

A big thanks to all the ladies of the Women's Auxiliary and others who contributed in one way or another with food and other goodies. We can't thank you enough for your wonderful deeds to help the way you did. Thanks to Carmen Francis for her skills in the garden and the external areas of the club and its surrounds and to Matty and Sheryl for all you do at the club. We are truly thankful for all the assistance all of you that care and what it means to us. For those who contribute in other ways, like my Committee, words fail me to tell you of my appreciation of standing by me and doing what you do. A strong team makes the place happen. I'm truly grateful.

The Club wants to congratulate Col and the now Mrs. Cheryl Bates on their wedding day which was on the 16<sup>th</sup> of July. The Sub-branch want to wish you all the very best life has to offer to two great people.

### **Future events**

Vietnam Veterans Day on the 18<sup>th</sup> of August service starting at 11 A.M.

We will have some of my Melbourne brothers in attendance for the day.

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> of October is the Dinner Dance. Music will be supplied by "I.C. Rock".

Only 90 tickets available so get in quick and avoid the rush.

### **"O Great Spirit"**

*Help me always to speak the truth quietly,*

*To listen with an open mind when others speak,*

*And to remember the peace*

*That may be found in silence.*

The Bowls Club members are flat out giving the clubroom a face lift by painting the interior and exterior with paint donated by "Dulux". Whilst painting the exterior of the building we will be protected from our arch enemy the "mossie" by applying plenty of "Rid" which was also donated. We thank our sponsors Dulux Paints and Thorley Labs for their donations.

#### Future Functions:

*Barefoot Bowls* will once again commence with the onset of daylight saving hours and will be held on every Saturday from 4pm to 8pm. Bring the kids, grandma, grandad or whoever as everyone is welcome.

*Indoor Bowls and other Games* will commence on Friday nights starting at 7pm commencing October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2011. This is a social get together. You don't have to be a member or participate in any games. This is intended to be a social get together; just have a chat and get to know your fellow residents and visitors. Snacks will be available, bar will be open and our prices are the cheapest in town.

#### Fathers Day Raffle

The Bowls Club is holding a monster Raffle to celebrate Fathers Day:-

1st Prize – Dinner for 2 at Ceek's Restaurant.

After enjoying their gastronomical food you will stay and relax in a luxury apartment at the 4 star rated "Bon Accord". The following morning you will wake to a gourmet breakfast.

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize - \$40 voucher to the acclaimed O'Neills Restaurant.

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - \$20 voucher to the highly rated Relish at the Gallery.

We thank the above for their kind donations. This raffle will be drawn at the clubroom on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2011. Winners will be notified.

After their first outstanding performance we received an avalanche of requests for a repeat show; so we are fortunate to again present "Muz & Ms Jones" on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August commencing at 7pm. Ms Jones has appeared on Broadway and was a regular on the stage in Australia. What a voice!

#### "Muz & Ms Jones" at the Loch Sport Bowls Club

7pm – Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> August

**Cost is \$20 per person (includes supper).**

On a serious note, the Loch Sport Bowls Club mourns the passing of 2 great Loch Sport icons. Dorothy (Dot) and Graham (Sarg) Hanson. They will be greatly missed and our condolences go to the families.

*Bill Klein*  
President

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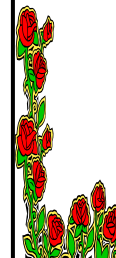
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Loch Sport Lions Club is a bit thin on the ground as many of our members have headed north for the cold winter months.

The weather has caused many problems with our wood program as the dates selected have been washed out several times. We apologise to those who have been inconvenienced but we are doing the best we can with what we have at this time.

Our new fundraising venture "Pick-A-Box" is underway and if successful we will introduce it from time to time to help swell the coffers for our community needs and other worthwhile causes. The inaugural event was held at Marina Hotel on 23rd July and was enjoyed by all.

The roadside cleanups will still happen but have been put on hold until the weather improves and our travelling Lions return to the fold. There are 93 groups around Victoria cleaning up roadsides under the Adopt-a-Roadside program and more than 7000 hours is put in each year by 600 plus people. We will provide information on our next cleanup by putting notices on the notice boards around the town so if you are over 16 years of age and would like to join us you would be most welcome. A sausage sizzle is held at the end so you will be well fed and looked after.

*Judy Cox*  
*Publicity Officer*



## L. S. COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVE GROUP

The CRG has been successful in their last budget submission to Council regarding the shared pathway on National Park Road from Cliff St. to Park St. Work is envisaged to commence within the next few months.

The CRG is also in the process to bulk buy a purchasing scheme which will benefit many people within the community by ensuring they have access to group discounted energy rates over the short and long term. The scheme encompasses fair and open competition and is supported by the retail energy industry. It is a 'win win' for both the energy retailer and the Loch Sport Community and is about generated value with the concept of selecting and supporting a preferred product (energy deal).

The community of Somers and most recently Grantville and district have taken on this opportunity and according to them are saving up to \$700 per year on their power bill. All relevant details and forms will be made available shortly. For those who do not reside in Loch Sport on a permanent basis, they can also be include as a permanent resident anywhere in Victoria.

### **Passionate about Loch Sport?**

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### **Does Your Club Send A Representative To The Meetings?**

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*Bill Klein*  
*President*



Hello everybody, at this point of time the brigade is quiet but that's the way it should be.

Recently the brigade held its annual elections for its officers and management team.

There has been a couple of changes to the team and I wish to thank the officers who didn't wish to stand for re-election for all their time and hard work with the brigade, These members are not leaving us just standing aside to let somebody else have a go. Results of the elections are as follows:-

- Peter Connell - Captain,
- Dennis Berg - 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant,
- Kerry Marston - 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant,
- Tom Spykers - 3<sup>rd</sup> Lieutenant,
- Peter Bink - 4<sup>th</sup> Lieutenant,
- Noeleen Brown - Comms,
- Ken Griffiths - Treasurer.

And at the time of going to print the brigade hasn't filled the role of secretary but that will shortly be fixed.

Feel free to contact any of the above officers if you have any enquires about the brigade.

New members are always welcome at the brigade, and the latest to become operational with the brigade is Tyson Winchcombe having recently passed the basic Fire-fighter training course.

Over the past few months across the state there has been a spate of house fires, these fire have occurred not only in the cities but also the country regions.

In some cases the causes have been blocked chimney flues, so please do yourself and your family a favour and get the chimney clean and looked at /serviced. I don't mean get up on the roof and do it your self, look in the local phone book under 'chimney sweeps' or 'local handyman' I'm sure that someone out there that can help you.

In these days of high energy costs some people have resorted to using candles for lighting and other uses around their homes. Please be careful in the way that they are used and located because depending where you place them they could quiet easily set alight nearby objects. You could possibly end up with a major problem. Think about the way they are used. Is it worth it? Thank-you

*Pete Connell  
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To find out more about this exciting program contact; **Clare Adams on 5144 9339 or 0408 132 044**  
[cadams@berrystreet.org.au](mailto:cadams@berrystreet.org.au)





**Non-Mains Water Concession  
2010-2011**

Assisting card holders who are not connected to mains water with the costs of water usage.

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**LOCH SPORT SES**



One of the Deputy Controllers of the Loch Sport SES Unit is currently completing a Marine Coxwains Course with Seamac, which will give the Loch Sport SES a very experienced boat person – a major asset for the SES and the Community of Loch Sport.

There is a lot of training available for the members of the SES in the East Regions – which includes Loch Sport – Chain Saw, 4x4, OH&S, Traffic Management just to mention a few.

Loch Sport together with Wellington Shire, CFA and the Community of Golden Beach are doing the ground work in preparation to open a Shed for the SES at Golden Beach, several people have indicated that they are very interested in joining the SES. This shed will come under Loch Sport SES and anyone who joins from the Golden Beach area will be members of the Loch Sport SES. Training will be held at both Loch Sport and Golden Beach.

Loch Sport SES is looking for members – both ladies and men. Training is held each Tuesday Night at 19.00 hours (7.00pm). Please contact Helen on 0448 323 100 or Gordon on 0428 888 312.



**LOCH SPORT RAV**

After two years as Team Leader, Barnett Winton is stepping down and Lyn Sayers will become our new local Team Leader.

Friday 29th July will see the erection of a windsock at the Charles Street Reserve. The windsock is a new product from Avlite and is designed for Cyclone stage 1 conditions.

When the windsock has been tested and operational there will be an official opening of the Charles Street Oval Emergency Helipad for the AV HeliMed Medical Transport Helicopter.



Golden Beach Surf Life Saving Club is now looking forward to our 2011-2012 season.

We now have five qualified Life Savers from the current season, and will be looking for new members who would like to gain Life Saving qualifications later this year for the coming season.

**The requirements for training are:**

Nippers aged between 5-13 years of age. The emphasis for Nippers is Fun, Play and Participation, and to be able to join in and gain water safety knowledge.

Surf Rescue Certificate aged between 13-15 years, be able to swim 200m in 5 minutes (or those prepared to train to achieve this level).

Bronze Medallion aged 15 years plus, be able to swim 400m in 9 minutes (or those prepared to train to achieve this level).

We also have four current members who following an assessment in early December are qualified to commence a Nippers program this coming season.

The Nippers program was much requested last season and we are very pleased that we will be able to run the program this year. This should potentially bring us some new members (parents) who may then decide to gain life saving qualifications themselves.

The requirements for us to maintain our affiliation with Life Saving Victoria is to continually increase our membership in all capacities, so all new members would be very welcome. We have positions for all membership types, active, coaching boat & equipment maintenance, administration, publicity, fundraising & general help around the club.

The essential ingredients for these new members is enthusiasm a commitment to water safety and enjoyment on our beach.

**All members over 18 years of age must obtain a Working with Children Certificate.**

All enquiries to Sue Parratt; Secretary/Treasurer  
email: [surfclub@goldenbeachgippsland.com.au](mailto:surfclub@goldenbeachgippsland.com.au)  
phone: 5146 3119



**AROUND LOCH SPORT**

Our Loch Sport coastline has certainly taken a beating over the last month. Although we have not experienced any major flooding here both the Ninety Mile beach and Lake Victoria foreshore, including pathways, have suffered some damage.

The new Loch Sport Police Station has the unusual requirement of being small enough to be manned by one officer during the year and yet capable of expanding to accommodate four officers during holiday periods.

It will be built in the traditional police station style incorporating a muster room/main office, a couple of interview rooms, meeting room, holding room and kitchen and bathroom facilities. There will be no cell on the premises as they require twenty-four hour monitoring.


The inclement weather has slowed work down but hopefully the building will be ready for occupancy and it's grand opening in September 2011.

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Pathway in Victoria Street



L.S. Police Station Underway

~ What's Happening ~



Dinah with her 2 entries

**Successful Artists**

Local artists Lira West and Dinah Barton were successful entrants in the 2011 Australian Cotton Fibre Expo held in Narrabri N.S.W. In the Spinning and Weaving section Lira received a Highly Commendable Certificate for her *Dreamtime Figures* featuring aboriginal motifs. Dinah won the Hand Embroidery Section of \$750 for *Spoonbills on Lake Reeve* with a Highly Commendable for *Coral Reef*.

This Exhibition is held every two years attracting entries from all over Australia. The Cotton Industry retains the selected winner for display in their business centre in Narrabri. The Acquisitive Award this year hailed from Queensland.

*Dinah*



Lira's - Dreamtime Figures

**Loch Sport Says Farewell to Marj Hamshaw**

We sadly farewelled Marj at a dinner held at the Marina Hotel on Tuesday 14th June.

Marj finally made the permanent move to her 'other' home in Croydon after her Loch Sport home was sold. She assures us she will not disappear off the face of the earth; she has too many close friends still living here in Loch Sport.

Marj will be sadly missed as she was not only an integral part of so many local service clubs; but was also there for so many people on a private basis in times of need.

~ Have Your Say ~

**Loch Sport Exercise Class**

Loch Sport Community House Exercise class is NOT for "Gym Bunnies & Tarzans"! It is NOT led by a "Fitness Fanatic" screaming commands atop pumping music.

Mature men and women, we gently exercise to retain or regain some of the flexibility of our earlier years. Some of us are heavily into "pain management".

We exercise because it keeps us laughing, in the company of like-minded people, and we gain the health benefits that "keep us going".

More able people are not excluded, our activities are designed for the 55 and older group. Those of us hampered by disabilities and health limitations are the very people who **MUST EXERCISE GENTLY & SAFELY**. Our properly qualified, over 55 Karen, ensures that.

Enrol at the Community House. Pay \$3.00 each week. Arrive Mondays at 1:15pm to meet with Karen.

Class runs from 1:30 - 2:30pm with as many breaks as you may need.

*Anne O'Connor*



Marj with her Red Cross hat



**Silver, Cotton & Clay**

13th October  
- 7th November

**Showcasing works  
by local artists:-**

Donna Marcius,  
Dinah Barton  
& Lisa Timms

**Mossies**

I know Loch Sport has a mosquito problem. I found a plant in a plant garden in Kalimna (Real Plant Hire & Garden (5155 4504) near Lakes Entrance. The plant is supposed to repel mosquitoes and is called a Teatree citronella, the botanical name is *Leptospermum liversidgei*. A friend of mine who lives in Lake Tyers beach used this plant and the mossies would not go near the plant. Ask your garden supplies to get some in.

Try it. Good Luck.

*Peter Kearley*

~ Congratulations ~



**Marriages**

Family and friends of,  
local resident Mathew Parsons & Tracy Featherstone travelled to Vanuatu for their wedding on 26th May 2011. Guests spent a week together enjoying the sights. The bride was escorted to the ceremony by an honour guard of warriors to the sound of a conch shell. Their reception at La Rendezvous, on the waterfront at Port Vila; culminated with a fireworks display over the harbour.



**Marriages**

Colin Bates and Cheryl Prior were married on Saturday 16th July at the Loch Sport Community Hall. Over 100 guests travelled from Latrobe Valley, Queensland and the Mornington Peninsula. Purple, gold and black colours filled the Community Hall. What a wonderful venue; we would recommend it to anyone. Thank you to Jill & Alan from the Marina hotel for transporting guests around town. We are a small town with a big heart



**Pat & Ken Smith ~ 50th Wedding Anniversary**

Spent this special milestone in ICU at Central Gippsland Hospital. Ken is home recovering.

~ We say Farewell ~



**Dorothy (Dot) and Graham (Sarg) Hanson.**

We would like to thank everyone who attended the services of our parents. We appreciate you taking the time to come and share in the remembrance of Dot and Graham Hanson. Although this is a sad time for all of us, we find comfort in knowing how fortunate they were to have worked and lived life and in some cases just crossed paths with all of you. Dot and Graham made Loch Sport their home since August 1986 and enjoyed all it had to offer, they both made their stamp on the community and people. We ask that the next time you are at the RSL or simply driving down or around Wilhelm Street Loch Sport, you share a fond memory.

We would like to make special mention of AB (Loch Sport RSL President), The Women's Auxiliary, The Loch Sport RSL staff and committee, Bob Taylor, Sale ICU staff and St Vincent ICU staff, Scott and Warren of Gippsland Funeral Services, The Piper, Robert Boyd who added that special something at the services, Neville Boyle from Easy Funeral Supplies to mention a few people without whose help and support, we don't know how our family would have got through. A special thank you to Lea & Naomi for the hours spent on those wonderful video presentations and pouring through the old photos, reviving those treasured memories.

A special thank you also to Bluey and Faye, who looked after mum & dad when we were unable to be there.

*Deborah Chester, Tracey Skelton and families.*



We would like to thank the Loch Sport Lions for their kind donation of fire wood after Ken's recent hospital stay.  
*Patricia & Ken Smith*



Dot & Graham Hanson



**Luis Hammer**

~~~~~  
**Wellington Shire CEO - Tim Johnson**



**Loch Sport Neighbourhood**

**Safer Place A Place Of Last Resort During A Bushfire**

After the 2009 Victorian Bushfire Royal Commission a number of recommendations were made including the establishment of Neighbourhood Safer Places - Places Of Last Resort during a bushfire (NSP-PLR) in communities where a high level of fire risk exists.

Loch Sport was identified as being one of the towns in need of having such a place.

Neighbourhood Safer Places are **places of last resort** when all other bushfire plans have failed. They are designated community areas that may provide some protection from radiant heat, the biggest killer during bushfires. Going to an NSP-Place of Last Resort won't guarantee your safety - the safest option is still to leave early.

Wellington Shire Council is now working to implement an NSP-Place of Last Resort within the Loch Sport township.

Following a study by CFA, an investigation by a State Government task force and a thorough assessment of the areas in and around Loch Sport; the Lions Park, adjacent to Lake Street, was found to be the most suitable location.

In order to meet the strict criteria for the area to be declared an NSP-Place of Last Resort some work needs to be undertaken along sections of National Park Road and Cliff Street. These works include the removal of low lying vegetation and shrubs in some areas.

Site assessments are being conducted to determine precisely where works need to occur.

Property owners adjoining areas of works are being notified directly.

On Sunday 30th October, Council will attend the Sunday Market to provide information on Loch Sport NSP-Place of Last Resort during a bushfire.

It is important for the local community to fully understand the purpose and intention of an NSP-Place of Last Resort, please refer to the C.F.A's Questions and Answer document on the C.F.A. website at [www.cfa.vic.gov.au/firesafety/yourcommunity/nsp-questions.htm](http://www.cfa.vic.gov.au/firesafety/yourcommunity/nsp-questions.htm)

For further information, please call Wellington Shire Council on 1300 366 244.

**Below is an sample of the information on the website:-**


**What is a Neighbourhood Safer Place?**

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- places of last resort when all other bushfire plans have failed.

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- locations that may provide some protection from direct flame and radiant heat, but they do not guarantee safety.

- designed at a range of different locations, for example recreational reserves, football ovals, streets, car parks, foreshores, tourist centres, and shopping strips. Where a location is approved as an NSP it is identified with a sign and listed on the CFA website.

- not an alternative to planning to leave early or to stay and defend your property; they are a place of last resort if all other fire plans have failed.

- an existing location and not a purpose-built, fire-proof structure.

**Who should use a Neighbourhood Safer Place?**

- NSPs should only be used as a last resort, by those who have been unable to implement their Bushfire Survival Plan, or whose plans have failed.

- People who are travelling, and who find themselves in an area affected by bushfire may be able to shelter at an NSP as a place of last resort.

- The aim is to provide shelter during the passage of a fire, when all other plans have failed. NSPs should not be considered as places to relocate to when leaving early.

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|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Monday</b>                  | 10:00am        | Community Health Centre | Tai Chi                         |                       |
|                                | 1:15pm         | Bowling Club            | Carpet Bowls                    | Names by 12:15pm      |
|                                | 1:30pm         | Public Hall             | Exercise Class                  |                       |
|                                | 7:30pm         | RSL                     | Darts                           |                       |
| <b>1st Monday</b>              | 1:00pm         | Mini Golf               | CHC Support Group               |                       |
|                                | 6:00pm         | Various Venues          | Book Club                       |                       |
| <b>2nd Monday</b>              | 10:00am        | Public Hall             | Community House General Meeting |                       |
| <b>3rd Monday</b>              | 10:30am        | Public Hall             | Loch Sport Senior Citizens      |                       |
|                                | 2:00pm         | RSL                     | Womens Auxiliary Meeting        |                       |
|                                |                |                         |                                 |                       |
| <b>Tuesday</b>                 | 9:30am         | Public Hall             | Craft Group                     |                       |
|                                | 10:30am-1:00pm | Lake Street             | Mobile Library                  |                       |
|                                | 2:00pm-4.30pm  | Lake Street             | Mobile Library                  |                       |
|                                | 12:00noon      | Public Hall             | Ancestry Group                  |                       |
| <b>1st Tuesday</b>             | 10:00am        | Public Hall             | Community Representative Group  |                       |
|                                | 10:00am        | Community Church        | Catholic Mass                   |                       |
|                                | 10:30am        | Public Hall             | Red Cross Loch Sport            |                       |
| <b>2nd Tuesday Bimonthly</b>   | 10:00am        | Ambulance Station       | Ambulance Victoria              | February-December     |
|                                | 7:30pm         | Public Hall             | Lions Club                      |                       |
|                                | 1:00pm-2:00pm  | Community Health Centre | Health Centre Rep Group         |                       |
| <b>4th Tuesday</b>             | 7:00pm         | Public Hall             | Lions Club                      |                       |
|                                |                |                         |                                 |                       |
| <b>Wednesday</b>               | 9:00am         | Sale Pool               | Wednesday Swimming              |                       |
|                                | 9:30am         | Private Venues          | Fellowship & Bible Study        | 5146 0795             |
|                                | 9:30am         | Golf Club               | Players with ALGU/AGU handicaps | Bar service available |
|                                | 12:30pm        | Bowling Club            | Lawn Bowls                      | Names by 12:15pm      |
|                                | 1:00pm         | Public Hall             | Lions Bingo                     |                       |
|                                | 3:00pm         | Public Hall             | After School Program            |                       |
|                                | 7:00pm         | Public Hall             | Quilting Group                  |                       |
| <b>1st &amp; 3rd Wednesday</b> | 10:00am        | Bowling Club            | Jackpot Bowls                   | Book by 9.30am        |
| <b>2nd Wednesday</b>           | 1:30pm         | Community Health Centre | Neighbourhood Watch             |                       |
| <b>1st,2nd,3rd Wednesday</b>   | 7:30pm         | RSL                     | Carpet Bowls                    |                       |
| <b>Last Wednesday</b>          | 7:30pm         | RSL                     | Karaoke                         |                       |
|                                |                |                         |                                 |                       |
| <b>Thursday</b>                | 9:00am-noon    | Tennis Club             | Tennis Club                     |                       |
|                                | 10:30am-1:00pm | Lake Street             | Mobile Library                  |                       |
|                                | 2:00pm-4.30pm  | Lake Street             | Mobile Library                  |                       |
|                                | 1:15pm         | Public Hall             | Social Dance & Dance Classes    | Cuppa & Chat          |
|                                | 6:00pm         | RSL                     | Happy Hour                      | Draw & Raffles        |
|                                | 6:00pm-8:00pm  | RSL                     | Meals                           |                       |
|                                |                |                         |                                 |                       |
| <b>Friday</b>                  | 9.30am         | Mini Golf               | Walking Group                   |                       |
|                                | 12:00noon      | Public Hall             | Art Group                       |                       |
|                                | 4:00pm-8:00pm  | Bowling Club            | Barefoot Bowls                  |                       |
|                                | 6:00pm-8:00pm  | RSL                     | Meals                           |                       |
| <b>Saturday</b>                | 9:00am         | Sale Pool               | Saturday Swimming               |                       |
|                                | 9:30am         | Golf Club               | Players with ALGU/AGU handicaps | Bar service available |
|                                | 1:00pm         | RSL                     | Bingo                           |                       |
|                                | 1:30pm         | Bowling Club            | Social Bowls                    |                       |
|                                | 4:00pm-8:00pm  | Bowling Club            | Barefoot Bowls                  |                       |
|                                | 6:00pm-8:00pm  | RSL                     | Meals                           |                       |
| <b>Saturday Fortnightly</b>    | 8:00pm         | Public Hall             | Social Dance                    |                       |
|                                |                |                         |                                 |                       |
| <b>Sunday</b>                  | 9:00am-1:00pm  | CFA Station             | Garage Sale                     | 5146 0967             |
|                                | 9:30am-1:00pm  | Tennis Club             | Relaxed Social Tennis           |                       |
|                                | 12:30pm        | Bowling Club            | Bowling Club                    | Names by 12:15pm      |
|                                | 10.00am        | Public Hall             | Assembly of God                 |                       |
| <b>2nd &amp; 4th Sunday</b>    | 10:00am        | Community Church        | St Marks Anglican & Comm Church |                       |

**ARIES ~ Mar 21- Apr 20**Colour: Cream Day: Monday  
Numbers: 9.6.2.3. Lotto: 9.12.23.36.34.45.

Be clever - right time & company equals gains. Choose your company carefully. Future plans should go well, care for health. A time to learn & gain faith in your abilities. Things you must have been waiting to happen will finally get under way. New romantic experiences. More time spent with loved ones will bring more satisfaction & long distance projects or travel brings the unexpected. Most will make a lot of progress and unusual gift should bring pleasure. Good fortune should bring a bonus; someone close by however could try your patience. Money should come a lot easier and something owed should finally turn up. Socially a busier and more quality period. Most will meet someone in a position to further their ambitions.

**TAURUS ~ Apr 21- May 20**Colour: Peach Day: Tuesday  
Racing: 5.6.2.3. Lotto: 5.12.24.40.26.33.

Plenty of excitement in your love life; don't go overboard emotionally. Keep home & work separate; they don't mix. A rather stressed & strained period; you may need rest & recreation to recharge batteries. Career affairs may bring changes; most will improve. New people & new experiences. A past contact may repay a favour owed. Good luck will play a more visible role in career; most may have more money to spend. Don't let little problems stop you from your chosen path. Good health & energy making you ready to tackle anything. Surprisingly busy period in your working environment and your expertise is often called upon. Rewards will be fast and soothing and will compensate for the extra time you have been putting in.

**GEMINI ~ May 21 - June 21**Colour: Yellow Day: Wednesday  
Racing: 9.6.5.3. Lotto: 9.15.26.35.36.3.

Personal life happy; increased responsibility. Think before you speak don't rush into things. **Some might have to confess that you are right.** News from afar may surprise & delight; your future plans may change. Money matters may worry but the solution is simple. Slow down as socializing could take too much of your time & energy; you should be still able to enjoy yourself. Get important jobs done; you will have a good time to enjoy the company of friends. Some unexpected luck coming up. Getting back to the old routine will be easy for you and more interest is taken of your opinions. Improvements in your domestic sector are also evident very soon and better relationships with loved ones.

**CANCER ~ Jun 22 - Jul 22**Colour: Blue Day: Thursday  
Racing: 4.6.2.5. Lotto: 4.12.25.29.8.4

You may be in the public eye. Don't trust your hunches. Financially a fairly good period. Plans may be disrupted unexpectedly; go with the flow. Money for effort you already put in could be more than you expected. Travel to far away places is indicated. An emotional and tense period is indicated. Most will need to spend more time or relaxing pursuits. Money coming in; however you may need to discuss things with your partner before deciding what to do with it. More money is indicated and a past love could re appear on the scene. And some could realize the old feelings are still there. Take care you don't go overboard on the spending to impress. Also spoiling those you love will make you feel good. A social occasion could bring an exciting new friend to you.

**LEO ~ Jul 23 - Aug 22**Colour: Violet Day: Monday  
Racing: 4.6.5.2. Lotto: 4.7.12.26.35.36.

Keep cool and you will achieve what you want better than losing your temper. Career & business should prosper. Interesting travel in the pipeline but don't worry about changes to plans. An important matter may need your honest advice or approval. Taking a softer approach to your loved ones could achieve more than force. For the singles romance could bring more pleasure and the soul mate you have been searching for. For the doubles more happiness in the present relationship. For more money in the purses is indicated. Relatives or friends that you haven't seen for a while should bring a lot of pleasure and a few surprises. Work or money trends bring lucky breaks and a financial opportunity with very good gains.

**VIRGO ~ Aug 23 - Sep 23**Colour: Orange Day: Sunday  
Racing: 3.6.9.5. Lotto: 9.5.12.24.45.40.

Possible interesting interlude with old flame. Increased career responsibilities; family may be of help. People may not agree but do your own thing. Support may be slow from those you rely on. Property redecorating or improvements may cause relationship stress. Do not rush into anything new it's a good idea to pursue all documents very carefully. You could be very lucky with someone born in February or March. Improvements in your working situation or a noticeable rise in your take home income. Good vibes also in personal relationships. Planning is very important now. Anything well planned will succeed. Travel is one of the aspects that could change during this period and improvements in finances likely.

**LIBRA ~ Sep 24 - Oct 23**Colour: Green Day: Tuesday  
Racing: 8.6.5.2. Lotto: 8.12.26.35.40.22.

Future plan may change after chance encounter. Many reasons to celebrate in your family very soon. To avoid frustration don't try to rush things; you will gain in the long run. You better just get stuck into the unpleasant chores they will have to be done eventually. But you should be able to enjoy a very happy and satisfying love during this period. You might have to confront the same problems you had a few years ago. Hopefully you have learned from your mistakes and do things differently now. Some luck with a Libra person. You could be asked to use your ability to pacify people to help out a friend. Be fair and do not take sides if you can. With a little patience you should be able to get what you want.

**SCORPIO ~ Oct 24- Nov 2**Colour: Mauve Day: Wednesday  
Racing: 5.2.3.1. Lotto: 5.12.23.32.20.3.

Read the fine print and be clear re official matters. Employment will give better returns & enjoyment. Excellent ideas surface; ensure the right people get them. Unexpected events may be enjoyable & profitable. Delay decisions as you are currently changing your mind a lot. An energetic and vital time. Don't get drawn into an argument you don't really want to get into. This should be one of the best times to start a new venture or improve and add to the old one. Love life might not prosper so well but your charm should help. Your judgment might not be up to par at the moment so defer decisions of importance till a later date. You might not get too much sympathy from work mates so keep your problems to yourself.

**SAGITTARIUS ~ Nov 23 - Dec 20**Colour: Green Day: Saturday  
Racing: 5.6.2.1. Lotto: 5.12.45.40.9.7.

Exhausting time, socially and at work. Ensure your time is correctly paid for. Don't get into any arguments over the weekend as your tongue could cause problems. With a positive outlook you could enjoy almost anything at all. A sense of freedom will sit well. If you let yourself get strung up emotionally you could be down for the rest of the week. Unexpected events could make you bright and cheerful and raring to go. Perhaps some change of opinion could change the uneasy domestic situation. Try not to be snappy as you could say something you don't mean. An unexpected visitor could arrive. Quick thinking could give the solution to a problem you've been worried about. Be careful what you sign even if it's only a raffle ticket.

**CAPRICORN ~ Dec 21 - Jan 19**Colour: Dark Blue Day: Wednesday  
Racing: 1.3.2.5. Lotto: .12.15.26.36.37.

If caring for children ensure safety. Entertaining at home will prevent additional expenses. Increased awareness in self or beauty. Many may start new ventures. Travel indicated. Lucky period after initial hurdle. It is a good time to push your luck what you try should work out. Many will be offered a past opportunity a past job at better odds and someone you know may need a favour returned. Long distance travel could be in the pipeline. Lots of social activity new friends can change your lifestyle. Love, marriage and children are all indicated. If you plan well a financial venture will succeed. Health will be improving and worry should lift off your shoulders. Most important is your attitude to money is positive and successful.

**AQUARIUS ~ Jan 20 - Feb 19**Colour: Silver Day: Thursday  
Racing: 4.6.5.2. Lotto: 4.12.26.35.5.1.

Planned changes or travel indicated or a visit from family; beware of jealousy. Support from friends & neighbours; popularity at an all time high. Invitations and a romantic overture may delight. News received may bring more travel. Your outside activities may conflict with love life. A lucky period, keep activities above board. A past hobby may temp. Keep ideas to yourself. It is a good time to begin any well thought out ventures. However, your love life could present a problem may be through too much of a choice. A very close friendship could be formed under present aspects. Keep your social plans flexible as there will be many changes. Some good news plus some good luck is the way for most. Career activities picking up.

**PISCES ~ Feb 20- Mar 20**Colour: Red Day: Monday  
Racing: 4.6.8.9. Lotto: 4.12.26.39.8.33.

Surprising travel plans, pack for exotic places. Luck financially may increase your income. Career advances are in the pipeline. Ensure you pace yourself. Domestic and love life getting more interesting. There could be some major changes looming in your love life. Long distance travel is indicated. However, do not expect too much from people you work with. The rekindling of an old flame is indicated plus the return of many old friends. The chance to rectify errors made in the past. For most there will be more to celebrate than to regret. Your financial affairs show fortunate trends and more career opportunities are about. Property dealings look good or present values increase. Romantic ventures could be a definite plus.

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|-------|---------|-----|--------|---------|-----|--------|---------|-----|--------|---------|-----|
| Mon 1 | 3:57am  | 0.2 | Tue 9  | 5:19am  | 1.2 | Wed 17 | 4:54am  | 0.4 | Thu 25 | 5:48am  | 1.1 |
|       | 10:03am | 1.4 |        | 10:40am | 0.6 |        | 11:09am | 1.4 |        | 11:04am | 0.7 |
|       | 3:39pm  | 0.5 |        | 5:25pm  | 1.7 |        | 4:59pm  | 0.6 |        | 5:42pm  | 1.6 |
|       | 10:00pm | 1.9 | Wed 10 | 12:30am | 0.4 |        | 11:05pm | 1.5 | Fri 26 | 12:40pm | 0.4 |
| Tue 2 | 4:40am  | 0.2 |        | 6:24am  | 1.2 | Thu 18 | 5:23am  | 0.5 |        | 6:38am  | 1.2 |
|       | 10:50am | 1.5 |        | 11:41pm | 0.6 |        | 11:44am | 1.5 |        | 11:59am | 0.6 |
|       | 4:33pm  | 0.5 |        | 6:23pm  | 1.7 |        | 5:43pm  | 0.6 |        | 6:32pm  | 1.7 |
|       | 10:49pm | 1.8 | Thu 11 | 1:22am  | 0.3 |        | 11:42pm | 1.4 | Sat 27 | 1:23am  | 0.3 |
| Wed 3 | 5:23am  | 0.2 |        | 7:16am  | 1.2 | Fri 19 | 5:55am  | 0.5 |        | 7:23am  | 1.3 |
|       | 11:38am | 1.6 |        | 12:37pm | 0.6 |        | 12:22pm | 1.5 |        | 12:52pm | 0.5 |
|       | 5:30pm  | 0.5 |        | 7:13pm  | 1.8 |        | 6:32pm  | 0.6 |        | 7:20pm  | 1.8 |
|       | 11:40pm | 1.7 | Fri 12 | 2:06am  | 0.3 | Sat 20 | 12:24am | 1.3 | Sun 28 | 2:04am  | 0.2 |
| Thu 4 | 6:07am  | 0.3 |        | 8:02am  | 1.3 |        | 6:29am  | 0.6 |        | 8:07am  | 1.4 |
|       | 12:27pm | 1.6 |        | 1:27pm  | 0.6 |        | 1:03pm  | 1.5 |        | 1:43pm  | 0.4 |
|       | 6:31pm  | 0.5 |        | 7:58pm  | 1.8 |        | 7:26pm  | 0.7 |        | 8:07pm  | 1.9 |
| Fri 5 | 12:33am | 1.6 | Sat 13 | 2:45am  | 0.3 | Sun 21 | 1:11am  | 1.2 | Mon 29 | 2:44am  | 0.2 |
|       | 6:53am  | 0.4 |        | 8:43am  | 1.3 |        | 7:10am  | 0.6 |        | 8:50am  | 1.5 |
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|       | 7:39pm  | 0.5 |        | 8:40pm  | 1.8 |        | 8:30pm  | 0.7 |        | 8:55pm  | 1.9 |
| Sat 6 | 1:33am  | 1.4 | Sun 14 | 3:21am  | 0.3 | Mon 22 | 2:10am  | 1.1 | Tue 30 | 3:26am  | 0.2 |
|       | 7:41am  | 0.5 |        | 9:22am  | 1.4 |        | 7:59am  | 0.7 |        | 9:35am  | 1.6 |
|       | 2:16pm  | 1.6 |        | 2:55pm  | 0.5 |        | 2:45pm  | 1.5 |        | 3:28pm  | 0.3 |
|       | 8:53pm  | 0.5 |        | 9:18pm  | 1.7 |        | 9:41pm  | 0.7 |        | 9:43pm  | 1.8 |
| Sun 7 | 2:42am  | 1.3 | Mon 15 | 3:53am  | 0.3 | Tue 23 | 3:25am  | 1.1 | Wed 31 | 4:08am  | 0.2 |
|       | 8:36am  | 0.5 |        | 9:58am  | 0.4 |        | 8:58am  | 0.7 |        | 10:22am | 1.7 |
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| Mon 8 | 4:02am  | 1.2 | Tue 16 | 4:24am  | 0.4 | Wed 24 | 4:44am  | 1.1 |        |         |     |
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Moon Phases - 1st Qtr - 6th Full - 14th 3rd Qtr - 22nd New - 29th

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**Sudoko Answer**

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