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Usual Service times:

9.00am on the 2nd & 4th Sundays
of each month.



Bible Thought

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

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Service Times: Presbyterian Congregation

Skipton / Lismore

- * Week One 10 am Skipton
- * Week Two 10 am Skipton
- * Week Three 10 am Skipton
- * Week Four 10 am Skipton
- * Week Five 11am Lismore.



Proverbs ch.16, v 1 , 2.



St John The Baptist Catholic Church, Beaufort

- * Week One Sunday LLA 10:00am
- * Week Two Sunday Mass 8:30 am
- * Week Three Sunday LLA 10:00am
- * Week Four Sunday Mass 8:30 am
- * Week Five Sunday LLA 10:00am .



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For Linton Parish enquiries contact

Fr. Con Bagoisan

The parishes acknowledge that the Aboriginal people of Australia are our first nation people and the traditional owners and custodians of this land.

redan **Parish Mass Times**

St. Aloysius, Redan St. James, Sebastopol Thursday 9.30am Friday 9.30am Saturday 5.00pm

Sunday 10.30am Sunday 9.00am

St. Brigid's, Snake Valley St. Peter's, Linton St. John's, Skipton Saturday 6.30pm Sunday

9.00am Sunday 10.30am

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Sun 18th August 2024

Wed 21 August 2024

Sun 1st September 2024

Wed 24t September 2024

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SKIPTON PROGRESS ASSOCIATION EVENTS COMMITTEE

Up coming events:

Bingo every 1st Wednesday in the month at **Skipton Bowling & Golf Club.**

Spring Festival Saturday 9th November, bigger than last year, with added attractions, car show, best scones (Melbourne Show Judge), art/craft workshops, open mike stage, photographic show, usual free children's entertainment etc etc.

UP Coming Events

Trivia Night at the golf & Bowls Club.

Mad Hatters High Tea Skipton Mechanics Hall

More info: eventskiptonpa@gmail.com

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Memorabilia on display

ALL WELCOME!!

ABOVE : Great opportunity to go along and support our Football & Netball Teams for round 17, against Waubra on Saturday 17th August 2024. See page 21 for this weeks football results.

BELOW: Skipton Netball Club results for round 15 Skipton V Daylesford on 3rd August 2024 as supplied by Indy Burke.

Here are the results for todays matches of Skipton v Daylesford at Skipton. Great day out on the court for all netballers with the sun coming out to show its face. Shannon Palmer played her 150th club game today.

U/13 B Skipton 15 defeated Daylesford 2 Awards: Isabella Vincent, Viv Barr

U/13 A Skipton 12 defeated by Daylesford 13 Awards: kaylee pratt, Tess Liston

U/15 Skipton 19 defeated by Daylesford 24 Awards: bridgett Mulcahy, Liv Kennedy

U/17 Skipton 29 defeated Daylesford 7 Awards: Sophie read, clara Phillips

D grade Skipton 7 defeated by Daylesford 43 Awards: Kiera hoogland, Ruby Bingham, Liv black

C grade Skipton 46 defeated Daylesford Awards Bec walker, Bec smith, Georgia Burt

B grade Skipton 44 defeated Daylesford 32 Awards: Charli Ross, Rosie Weatherley, abbey Wallace

A grade Skipton 42 defeated by Daylesford 70 Awards: Sophie Draffin, Phoebe Godden, Clare banwell

See page 21 for this weeks Football results.

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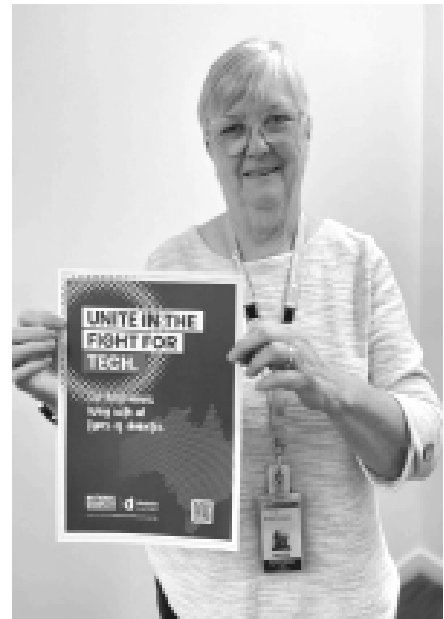
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BSHS NEWS BULLETIN

DIABETES EDUCATION SERVICE

At Beaufort and Skipton Health Service we are committed to supporting individuals through our Diabetes Education service.

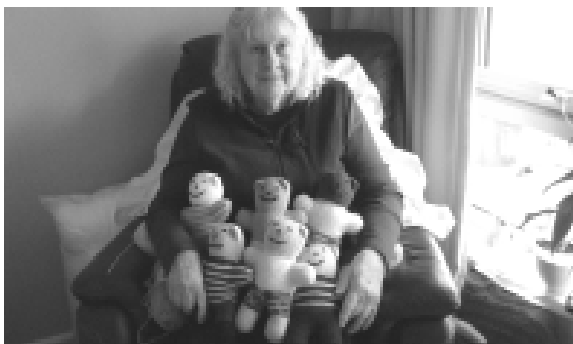
Leonie, our Diabetes Education, works with individuals to educate, coach, and guide them in managing their diabetes effectively. By setting goals and providing support, we aim to help individuals and their families understand that diabetes does not have to hinder the ability to enjoy life to the fullest.



To book your appointment please call 5349 1610 (Beaufort) or 5340 1100 (Skipton).

URGENT CARE TRAUMA TEDDIES

Some of our Skipton residents, with support from our Leisure & Lifestyle team, have recently been enjoying knitting and crocheting 'Trauma Teddies'.



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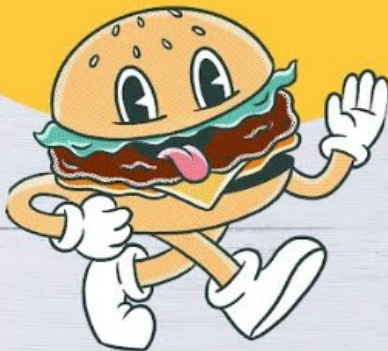
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Submit your interest: tinyurl.com/CSC-DadsMatter

For more information about the group contact Tracey on 0483 312 047 or email dadsmatter@corangamite.vic.gov.au

Lights and Sirens

7.30 - 10.30 pm, Saturday 17 August
Theatre Royal, Camperdown

Corangamite Lights & Sirens is a celebration event for our emergency services in Corangamite. Come and join members from Victoria Police, Country Fire Authority, State Emergency Service and Ambulance Victoria to enjoy the Bee Gees Revival band.

More information and tickets available here:
corangamite.vic.gov.au/lights-and-sirens

Draft Victorian Transmission Plan Guidelines

Public feedback is being sought for the Victorian Government's draft of their Victorian Transmission Plan Guidelines, a document that explains how they will prepare the Victorian Transmission Plan - a new long-term strategic plan for renewable energy and transmission development.

Consultation will close on **Sunday 25 August**. For further details please visit: engage.vic.gov.au/vicgrid

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Drop-in sessions to help older residents

Friendly faces are out and about in the Corangamite community, helping older residents access the services they need.

Corangamite Shire Council's Positive Ageing & Inclusion team are visiting libraries across the Shire.

"So far we have been to Camperdown, Cobden, Derrinallum and Skipton," Service Navigation Support Officer Lesa Best said.

Two more visits are planned for each of those towns, in August and September.

"We are having a great time meeting our wonderful senior residents and sharing information on the assistance that is available to them," Ms Best said.

"A whole range of aged care and assessment services are provided by a range of different organisations across the Shire.

"At times that might be confusing or intimidating but we're here to help our residents get the support they need."

Ms Best said the team could help residents

- understand the aged care system including eligibility, access, assessment and how to find a service provider;
- link in with other agencies including social services, health and community participation opportunities;
- join in with active aging programs and activities to keep them healthy, active and connected; and
- access food relief.

"We can also link carers to support services and networks, and advocate for the community," Ms Best said.

"Getting to know our residents face to face means we know their needs and can advocate for our community.

"The Navigation Support Program is free and confidential. Come along to one of the sessions below to learn how the Navigation Support Program can help you."

"If you can't get to any of the library sessions, you can call us on [5593 7100](tel:55937100), email servicenav@corangamite.vic.gov.au or fill in a form at corangamite.vic.gov.au/Community/Ageing-and-Inclusion

"We can come to your home or arrange for an appointment at a location that suits."

Contact Chris Roddo, Communications Officer
Tel 03 5593 7111 Email chris.rodde@corangamite.vic.gov.au
corangamite.vic.gov.au/latestNews



Upcoming sessions:

Camperdown: Tuesdays August 13 and September 10, 1.30-3.30 pm.

Cobden: Wednesdays August 21 and September 18, 1-3 pm.

Derrinallum: Thursdays August 29 and September 19, 1-3 pm.

Skipton: Tuesdays August 20 and September 17, 10 am-12 pm.

Terang: Wednesdays August 7, September 4 and October 9, 1-3 pm.

Timboon: Thursdays July 18, August 15 and September 12, 10 am-12 pm.

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Wednesday 7th August 2024



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2 books of 10 games \$4 etc.

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Moreton Hill Wind Farm

The proposed Moreton Hill Wind Farm is located on Wadawurrung Country, about 35 kilometres southwest of Ballarat. The wind farm will have up to 62 turbines, producing enough electricity to power around 260,000 homes and prevent almost 350,000 tonnes of emissions annually.

The wind farm is proposed to connect to the electricity network via a new underground 220kV powerline to the Berrybank terminal station about nine kilometres south of the wind farm.

For the latest updates on Moreton Hill Wind Farm and to sign up for our community updates, please scan the QR code or visit: www.moretonhillwindfarm.com.au



SQUADRON ENERGY

BELOW ARE SOME EXTRACTS FROM 1934 FROM THE SKIPTON STANDARD
& STREATHAM GAZETTE FROM 90 YEARS AGO
LOCATED IN THE SHS POLICE HOUSE MUSEUM, MONTGOMERY STREET, SKIPTON.

These extracts are researched and provided by:
Terry Gosling (Treasurer of Skipton Historical Society)

TO BUILD PYRAMID.

If American builders were called upon to-day to erect a counterpart of the Great Pyramid of Cheops, how long would it take? How much would it cost? Would they recommend the same structural design? When these questions were suggested the other day to New York architects and builders, they proved so interesting that three of them volunteered to make the necessary calculations. To reproduce the Great Pyramid in stone blocks like those of the original would be an engineering project requiring five and a half years. The cost would be 156,000,000 dollars (normally £21,200,000). The labor needed would amount to 2,250,000 man-days, each of these units representing the work of one laborer during a working day. According to this estimate, the use of modern machinery would cut by nearly 99 per cent. the labor required in ancient times, since historical accounts indicate that the Great Pyramid took 180,000,000 man-days to build. However, modern architects could produce a durable pyramid at a much greater saving in labor and cost by substituting a skeleton of reinforced concrete, faced with limestone. Such a pyramid would cost 15,000,000 dollars (£3,000,000), and would require 750,000 man-days to erect.

THE GREATEST HAPPINESS.

Once lived a man who wished to know
the height of happiness.
He sought it first from money and he
sought it from success,
But happy though he was at times
with all his labor gained,
Somehow he felt unknown to him a
greater joy remained.

It puzzled him at times that he with
everything he had
Still suffered from heart emptiness
and oftentimes was sad;
Nor skill nor power which he pos-
sessed could drive away the thought
That somewhere, somehow, he had
failed to gain the joy he sought.

One morning as he walked the street
he heard a stranger say:
"I'm hungry, sir! I haven't had a bite
of food to-day."
A thousand such he'd passed in scorn.
This time unto the plea
He answered (and 'twas strange he
should), "Come on and dine with
me."

He watched that hungry stranger
gaze with joy upon his plate;
He listened to repeated thanks the
while the poor man ate,
And this he thought as on he went:
At last I've learned to live!
I've found man's greatest happiness!
It's not to gain, but give!

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Enrol now for the Corangamite Shire Council election

Electoral Commissioner, Sven Bluemmel, has issued a call to state- and council-enrolled voters to be ready to cast their vote in the upcoming local council election for Corangamite Shire Council.

The Corangamite Shire Council election will be conducted by post – a safe and completely secret method of voting.

Electoral Commissioner Sven Bluemmel issued a call to Corangamite Shire residents and ratepayers to be ready to have their say.

'Make sure you're enrolled correctly by the close of roll, which is **4 pm on Wednesday 7 August**. As this is a postal election, it's important to check your address details are correct – this includes any alternative postal address,' Mr Bluemmel said.

'If you're an Australian citizen and recently turned 18, or moved and haven't updated your address, or if you've just closed your post office box with Australia Post, you can enrol or update your details online at vec.vic.gov.au/enrolment'

People living outside Corangamite Shire who pay rates for a property they own in Corangamite Shire, non-Australian citizens who occupy and pay rates on a property in Corangamite Shire, or a representative of a company or business operating in Corangamite Shire can apply to the council to enrol by calling 5593 7100.

Mr Bluemmel also reminded voters that the rules for council enrolments have recently changed.

'Voting in local council elections is now compulsory for all state- and council-enrolled voters. In previous elections it was not compulsory for council-enrolled voters to vote – now everyone must vote if they are on the voters' roll.'

Voters who will be away during the election period can have their ballot pack redirected to an address of their choice by completing a redirection form online at vec.vic.gov.au by Monday 9 September.

More information is available by calling 131 832 or at vec.vic.gov.au, where state-enrolled voters can also sign up to the free VoterAlert service to receive important election reminders by SMS and email.

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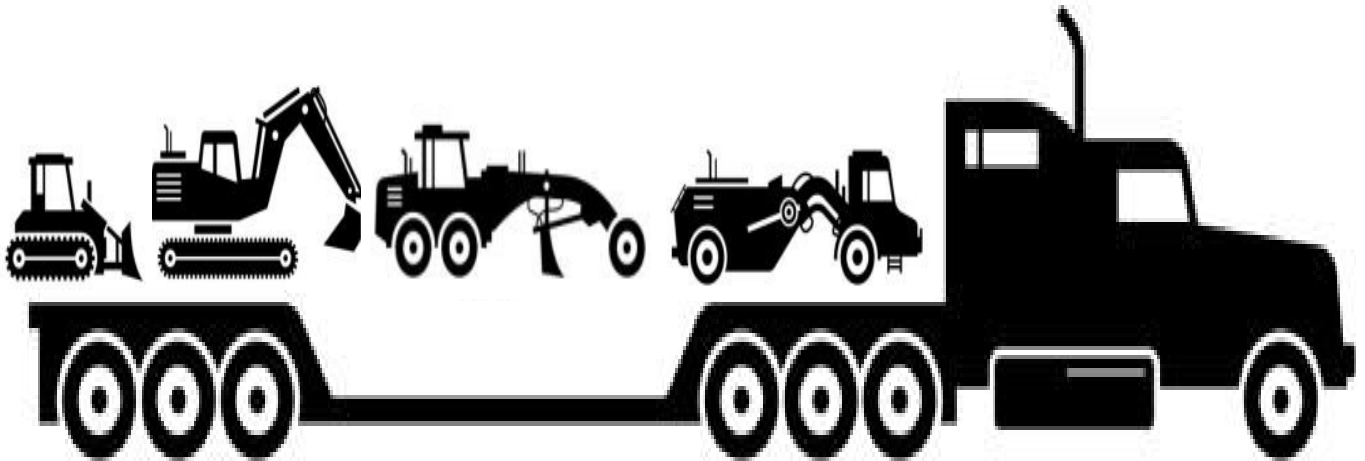
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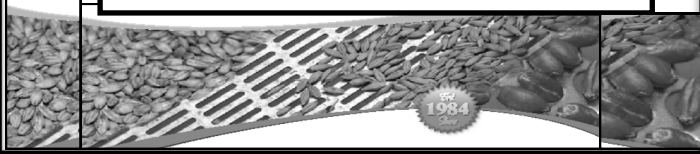
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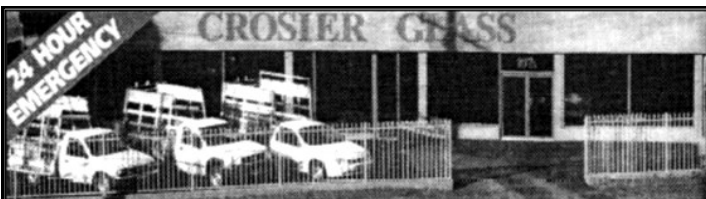
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- Reserves 73** defeated **Daylesford 44**
- U18 71** defeated **Daylesford 70**
- U15 79** defeated **Daylesford 0**
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Further information please contact: Natasha on 0435 894 546

Saturday 10th August. Skipton Market will celebrate trees and the glorious wattles all around us, the Market is in the Skipton Mechanics Hall, Anderson Street, Skipton, from 9.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m., under cover and out of the cold! Featuring all our regular stalls and more, and a visit from the Victorian Ambulance Service staff, with safety and first aid demonstrations and advice. For stall bookings and more information, ring Skipton Progress Association Market Co-ordinator, Jan, on 0422 785 017.

Saturday 10th August Skipton Football & Netball Club Round 16 Playing away at Buninyong.

Monday August 12th. Stewart Park Committee of Management will meet for their regular monthly meeting at the **Skipton Mechanics Hall**, in the small meeting room, at **6.00 p.m.** Visitors welcome, and we always need volunteer help, please ring Victoria, Chair, Stewart Park CoM, on 0437 565 404 for further information or contact.

Saturday 17th August Skipton Football & Netball Club Round 17 Playing at home against Waubra

Sunday 18th August: FIREWORLD DISCOVERY CENTRE & MUSEUM (Streatham) open from 11:30am until 4:30pm
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Sunday 18th August Skipton Historical Society open day 2-4pm at the old Courthouse and Police House Museum Montgomery Street Skipton. All Welcome. Contact Secretary on 0407310990 Or email skipton.history.au@gmail.com

Sunday 18th August Friends of the RSL Skipton Branch, Commemoration service to mark **Vietnam Veterans Day** and the anniversary of the **Battle of Long Tan at the Skipton War Memorial Anderson Street at 12noon** followed by an informal BBQ at the Skipton Mechanics Hall (inside if necessary). All welcome.

Tuesday 20th August. Working Bee in Stewart Park, we welcome any help, there's always something to do in our lovely Park, from **10.00 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.** Meet at the red gum picnic bench in Stewart Park, Montgomery Street, make sure you wear sensible clothes, boots or closed toe shoes, and gloves help with the cold! Coffee and cake to wind up, everyone welcome, please ring Victoria on 0437 565 404 for further information, or just come along.

Saturday 9th November 2024 Skipton Spring Festival. Bigger than last year.