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# Welshpool & District Horticultural Society

The Welshpool & District Horticultural Society began 60 years ago and has seen many changes over the years. With our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Spring Garden Show cancelled due to Covid restrictions, we have planned a couple of events to honour the occasion.

On Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> October we held a Market Day and Plant Sale at the Welshpool Hall. This was a HUGE success with over 290 visitors attending over the day, many came from all over Gippsland from Metung to Warrigal, who enjoyed the experience in a Covid-safe way. Thanks to South Gippsland Shire for the provision of Covid safe signage and hand sanitiser. On what was meant to be our 60<sup>th</sup> consecutive Spring Show, it was great to be able to enjoy the day with fellow garden lovers!!

Our second event is something unique for these times and our group. We have created a digital Virtual Show, featuring videos and photographs of Club Members' entries. The Virtual Show presents the beauty of our members' gardens and the importance of family and pets in our life during 2020! A huge thank you to all the entrants for embracing the technology to participate and to Matt Langdon for his invaluable technical support. You can access the Virtual Show via our Facebook Page "Welshpool and District Horticultural Society".









Pictured above Tom Reakes and Arie Bos, two of the participants in the Virtual Show.

#### Disclaimer

This newsletter is an independent self-funded publication produced by staff and volunteers of the RTC and it does not reflect the opinions of the Committee members, South Gippsland Shire, or the Department of Planning and Community Development.



TRADING HOURS

MON - FRI

10.00AM - 3.00PM

- WELSHPOOL COMMUNITY LIBRARY
- BENDIGO BANK AGENCY
- CENTRELINK AGENCY
- V/LINE TICKETING OFFICE
- ROOM HIRE AVAILABLE
- PASSPORT APPLICATIONS
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- Diabetes Clinic 5683 9780
- Gibson Accounting 5176 2031
- Royal Flying Doctors 03 8412 0480



#### Centrelink Website

The Centrelink website (*www.centrelink.gov.au*) has been incorporated into the Department of Human Services website *humanservices.gov.au*. The new site is a convenient, single entry point for health, social and welfare payments and services.

Any questions regarding your payments or entitlements, this would be your first port of call.

- You are able to register online and access details of your account.
- Find out the latest information regarding services.
- Calculations can be done to work out family assistance.
- Access forms and brochures.

A touch screen computer is available at the Welshpool Rural Transaction Centre for your use.

Staff at the Centrelink agency are able to assist you with registration etc.



# VLINE BUS SERVICES

Purchase tickets at the Rural Transaction Centre or collect a VLINE Bus Timetable

# DIABETES CLINIC Wednesday 25th November

If you would like an appointment or have any queries, please contact

Karen on 03 5683 9780



Kieran Olree is at the RTC every Wednesday
By appointment only - (03) 5176 2031
For more information and all the latest tax
updates and handy hints for tax time,
please visit Gibson's website:

www.gibsonaccounting.com.au

# Welshpool Op Shop & Nursery

The weather is improving and the season is upon us for those who like to dabble in the garden. The nursery have plenty of flower and vegetable seeds available to purchase as well as a variety of seedling ready to be planted.

We also have a large assortment of potted plants including flowers, succulents, bromeliads, gum trees, natives and more.

The Welshpool Op Shop is open Monday to Friday 10am to 4pm. Call in and say Hi to our wonderful volunteers and find yourself a bargain or two while you're there. Covid rules apply.





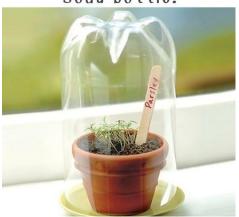




# **Gardening Tips**



Make a mini greenhouse with a recycled, plastic soda bottle.



# **Welshpool RTC**



A wide range of shorts available, get in early ready for Summer Hi Vis and Casual wear **Call in or phone 56881051** 



Welshpool Community Library 'Open for business'

The Welshpool Community Library will be open for browsing and borrowing once again from Wednesday 25th November.

Covid Rules will apply and all visitors must register your name, number and Library membership number

- -All visits are limited to a maximum of 15 minutes.
- -Please use hand sanitiser on entry.
- -Face masks are mandatory.

A Librarian will be available Wednesdays 12 noon to 2pm for any enquiries.

For your safety and ours we cannot deviate from these rules.

Can't come in? Chat to us online www.wgrlc.gov.au or call on 5682 1735. We are here to help

We look forward to having you back!

West Gippsland Libraries

The RTC have a wonderful assortment of locally made crafts available in store. With Christmas just around the corner, call in to view the many beautiful items on offer.





If you would like to donate you can simply drop off donations at any of the locations listed below before 4" December 2020. Volunteers from Vinnies and Manna Gum will

ect the donations and distribute accordingly around our local Gippsland area. Toora Bendigo Bank Branch - Mon-Fri 10am-3pm Foster Bendigo Bank Branch - Mon-Fri 9:30am-4pm

> Welshpool Agency- Mon-Fri 10am-3pm Manna Gum Community House - Mon-Thurs 10am-3pm

Outdoor/Sporting Equip

make-up, perfume/aftershave, tolletries, jewellery

# Games/Toys • lego, puzzles, board games

diaries, colouring books, puzzle books

stationery, sketch books, art pencils/paints

#### Baby Goods

please carefully check age range and only purchase safe & non-toxic Item

~Please Do Not Wrap Gifts

# Voucher Ideas Vouchers enable the recipient to purchase

- something they need, or even a gift for a loved one they couldn't otherwise purchase. 
  ~Local Businesses Preferred~
  - Local Café / Bistro Vouchers Local Store Vouchers
    - o Gift
    - Shoes Clothing
    - Haberdashery
    - Fruit & Veg / Supermarket

    - Stationary
    - Toys Hairdresser / Massage
  - Plant / Nursery Local Mechanic Vouchers
  - Fuel Vouchers
  - ITunes / Google Play Vouchers Department Store Vouchers







# Welshpool & District Horticultural Society

More beautiful photos from the Virtual Spring Show.....

















# Welshpool Memorial Hall Improvements

Thanks to the fund raising efforts of Committee members past and present we have finally been able to repair the Western pathway and doors that have been in a sad state for some time. We were also able to, with the assistance of a grant from DELWP, add in disabled access to this area.

Many thanks to Designed Environments (Toora) for the plans, South Gippsland Concrete, Yarram Engineering, Throckmorton Building Services, and TK Construction for getting this project completed.

We were also able to take this opportunity to thank a couple of outgoing Committee members. Eddie Fowler had given many years service, dedication and resources. Joy Kipps, ledgendary for organising "Elvis" and also organising the catering for many events. The jelly slice will be sadly missed....

If you are interested in giving back to the community by volunteering your time we would love to hear from you, as would other groups around town mentioned on the "Community Group listing" in this newsletter.









\*\*Open Saturday, Sunday & Monday 10am – 4pm\*\*

Phone 0400 110 318

Olive Branch Welshpool

NO MASK NO ENTRY

# STEP BACK IN TIME!

Plenty of Gift Ideas for Xmas

Bike Hire on Hold at the moment - Due to Covid



Drinks and Snacks. Coffee and Cake



Retro, Collectables and Bric a brac We Buy and Sell



ALL visiting the area will be asked for ID



local products
Honey, Jams,
Gift Ideas etc.
Fresh Product
when available



# Easy Traditional Christmas Cake



Start this traditional fruit cake recipe two days earlier to ensure it's ready for your big Christmas feast.

#### **INGREDIENTS**

1 cup (160g) sultanas 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  cups (280g) currants 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  cups (225g) raisins, chopped  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup (85g) mixed peel

1 cup (200g) glace cherries, chopped 250g butter

1 cup (250ml) dark rum or apple juice 1 cup (220g) brown

sugar

1 ½ cups (210g) slivered almonds 4 eggs

34 cup (110g) plain flour, sifted1 tsp mixed spice34 cup (110g) self-raising flour, sifted1 tsp nutmeg ground

2 tsp cinnamon ground icing sugar to dust

#### **METHOD**

Step 1. Combine sultanas, currants, raisins, mixed peel, glace cherries and rum in a large bowl. Cover and set aside, stirring occasionally, for 2 days to macerate.

Step 2. Preheat oven to 170C. Grease and line a 23cm square (base measurement) cake pan or 25cm round (base measurement) cake pan with 3 layers of baking paper, extending paper 5cm above the rim. Step 3. Using an electric mixer, beat the butter and sugar for 5 mins or until pale and creamy. Add eggs, 1 at a time, beating well after each addition.

Step 4. Stir the almonds into the fruit mixture. Add the fruit mixture to the butter mixture with the combined sifted flours and spices. Stir until well combined. Spoon into prepared pan. Bake for 2 hours or until a skewer inserted into the centre of the cake comes out clean. Remove cake from oven. Wrap the pan in a tea towel and set aside to cool completely. Turn cake out of pan and dust with icing sugar to serve.

# Mango Cheesecake Dessert Cups



#### **INGREDIENTS**

250g cream cheese, at room temperature

1 cup thickened cream

125ml double cream

¼ cup caster sugar

1 lemon, rind finely grated

1 tbsp lemon juice

1 small mango, peeled, thinly sliced

passionfruit pulp, to serve

mint leaves, to serve

edible flowers, to serve (optional)

#### **EQUIPMENT**

4 x 250ml glasses



Step 1. Beat cream cheese in a bowl until smooth. Add thickened cream, double cream, sugar and lemon rind. Beat for 2-3 minutes, until thick and creamy. Stir through lemon juice until combined.

Step 2. Dollop some cream cheese mixture in the base of four 250ml glasses. Top with sliced mango. Continue layering and finish with mango slices. Top with passionfruit pulp, mint leaves, and edible flowers if you like.

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#### Welshpool Golf Club

Our Ladies played the final round of their Championship with Rachel Brown the winner and Sue Brown the runner up. Fridays Chicken Run won by P Delaney 19pts, R/U Russel Barwick 18pts. Saturday saw the Mens Foursomes Championship. Scratch winners B MacPherson & M Roberts with 95 on a c/b. Handicap winners R Barwick & H Barlow on 73.5. R/U A Hayes & G Wilkinson n 74.5 with L Pope & P Delaney on 74. NTP went to B MacPherson on the 6th. Sunday was the Mixed Foursomes Championship. Scratch was won by P Delaney & D Stait with 95. Handicap winners R Barwick & D Walker on 70.5 on a C/B. R/U P Delaney & D Stait also 70.5 and H Barlow & T Latch on 71. NTP went to R Barlow on 6th.

Well done to all....



"If anyone rings tell them I'm on a course.

# SCHOOLS ARE BACK TAKE EXTRA CARE DURING SCHOOL TIMES



# Welshpool Op Shop & Nursery

Monday to Friday

10am - 4pm

PH: 0474 591 014







### **RTC Rooms for Hire**

Office Hire: \$11 per hour

\$33 per day

Consulting Room: \$27.50 per day

Meeting Room Hire: \$38.50 per day



Located at the Welshpool RTC

Open Monday to Friday

10am to 3pm





## WELSHPOOL POST OFFICE

20 Main Street Welshpool Phone: 5688 1419 Email: welshpoolpostal@bigpond.com

**Christmas Trading Hours** for November and December.

Monday – Friday 9am – 5pm Saturday 9am – 12 noon.











also available

# Port Welshpool & District Maritime Museum

Now that the restrictions are lifted and we are able to move around more freely with a few restrictions; social distancing and mask wearing along with limited numbers.

#### "WE ASK FOR YOUR HELP PLEASE"

If you're looking for a new interest?

Then look no further.....as

We at the museum are short on volunteers and would like to invite you to join us.

Simple tasks are asked and all at your ability and time.

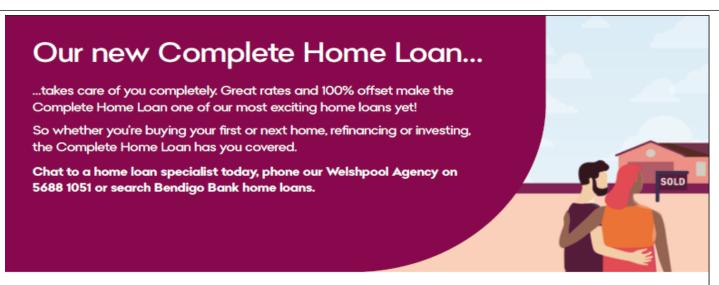
Until now we have been floating along quite nicely, even though you can never have too many volunteers, but, some of our volunteers have left the area and others having family commitments, making us shorthanded.

We invite you to Please give us consideration, you may like to call us on 0481385122 [Fran] or Janet 0413199776 to discuss further, we would love to hear from you. Or call in we are open weekends 12.30 to 4pm.

All in a pleasing environment and you would be "helping to keep history alive".









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Ph/Fax: (03) 56881309



during COVID 19 restrictions.

If you don't have your own transport and need to be somewhere please call Kerry on 0411 334 236 to discuss your travel requirements and get a quote.



# **CROSSWORD**

#### 10 18 19 17 20 24 26 27 30 28 33 35 37 42 43 48 52 55 59 61 62 63 65 66 68 67 69

#### Down

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- 2. Death notice
- 3. Donor
- 4. Avoiding detection
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- 6. Defrauds
- 7. Wooden box
- 8. A task requiring a trip
- 9. Experimental
- 10. Midday
- 11. Remnant
- 12. Collections
- 15. Busybody
- 21. Gambling game
- 23. Lairs
- 25. A flat circular plate
- 27. Resist
- 28. Habituate
- 29. Barbie's beau
- 31. Unity
- 32. Shack

- 34. Zero
- 36. Neat
- 39. Coniferous tree
- 40. Wicked
- 43. Provide
- commentary
- 44. Largest continent
- 46. Quaint outburst
- 47. A small stream
- 49. Kick out
- 50. Vacation
- destination
- 53. Adult male singing voice
- 55. Church alcove
- 56. Add
- 57. P P P P
- 58. Bristle
- 60. Back
- 61. Car
- 64. Timid

# Across

- 1. Lots
- 5. Behold, in old Rome
- 9. Terminates
- 13. Foment
- 14. Apologetic
- 16. Not less
- 17. Connects two points
- 18. Type of drum
- 19. He writes in verse
- 20. Cut of meat
- 22. Team rankings
- 24. Skedaddled
- 26. Go in
- 27. A member of the beat generation

- 30. Light sweet yeastraised roll
- 33. Not selected
- 35. Dash
- 37. Slice
- 38. A cutting tool
- 41. 56 in Roman
- numerals
- 42. Swedish money
- 45. Uniformed
- 48. Found at the end
- of a pencil
- 51. Stiffly
- 52. Stud

- 54. Magma
- 55. Evaluates
- 59. Indian millet
- 62. Entreaty
- 63. Type of retinal cells
- 65. Place
- 66. Cooking fat
- 67. A mutual promise to
- 68. French for "State"
- 69. Being
- 70. Found in a cafeteria
- 71. Apprentice



Sponsored by: Welshpool Supermarket Entries must be received before 10th December, 2020

All correct entries will be put into a hat and the winner will be drawn by Supermarket staff. No correspondence will be entered into etc. Please remember to double-check your spelling.

Remember to include your name, contact number and date on your returned entry, Thank you.

Winner of the October Crossword:



Lynn Gray



#### LAST MONTHS CROSSWORD RESULT

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# **Community Group Listing**

- \*Welshpool & District Advisory Group Contact: Linda Razinger 03 5688 1051
- \*Welshpool Fire Brigade training every Thursday night 7.30pm
- \*Welshpool Recreation Reserve Contact: Madelaine Mason 0409 976 211
- \*Welshpool Basketball Association Contact: Madelaine Mason 0409 976 211
- \*Prom Coast Soccer Club http://www.promcoastsoccerclub.com.au/

Contact: Shellie Cashmore 0419 322 384

- \*Welshpool Memorial Hall Contact: Alan O'Neill 5688 1419
- \*Friends of Agnes Falls https://www.facebook.com/FriendsOfAgnesFalls/
- \*Port Welshpool Fishing Club Contact: Vern Suckling 5688 1554
- \*Port Welshpool Working Group Contact: Alma Mattingley 0427 310 599
- \*Welshpool & District Playgroup https://www.facebook.com/WelshpoolPlaygroup/
- \*Welshpool & District Horticultural Society meeting every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

Contact: Fran Grylls Ph. 5184 1376

\*Port Welshpool & District Maritime Museum – Email: pwmmuseum@gmail.com

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\*Port Welshpool Coast Guard – Contact: Peter Carrolan 0417 372 059

## Remembrance Day 11/11/2020

We had a small gathering at the cenotaph on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> November.

A short pause in our day at 11am to remember those that paid the ultimate sacrifice for our freedoms and a chance to pay our respects.

Many thanks to Barb Daff for cleaning up the garden beds.















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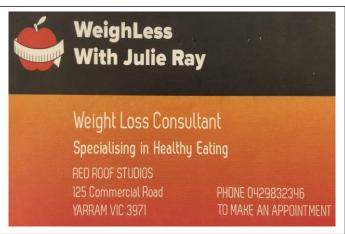
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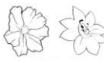
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# Spring



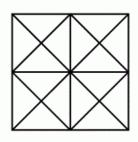
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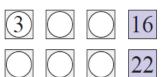
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Number of Squares? \_\_10\_\_

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4	9	3	7	6	5	2	8	1
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#### Addition Fubuki Puzzle

Place the numbers 1 to 9 in the 3 by 3 grid so that each horizontal and vertical line adds up to the given sum. You can use each number only once. Some numbers are already placed for you.



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