

Returned and Services League Morphett Vale and District Sub-Branch Inc.

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“The Price of Liberty is Eternal Vigilance”

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About Remembrance Day

At 11 am on 11 November 1918 the guns on the Western Front fell silent after more than four years of continuous warfare. The allied armies had driven the German invaders back, having inflicted heavy defeats upon them over the preceding four months. In November the Germans called for an armistice (suspension of fighting) in order to secure a peace settlement. They accepted allied terms that amounted to unconditional surrender.

The 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month attained a special significance in the post-war years. The moment when hostilities ceased on the Western Front became universally associated with the remembrance of those who had died in the war. This first modern world conflict had brought about the mobilisation of over 70 million people and left between 9 and 13 million dead, perhaps as many as one-third of them with no known grave. The allied nations chose this day and time for the commemoration of their war dead.

On the first anniversary of the armistice in 1919 two minutes' silence was instituted as part of the main commemorative ceremony at the new Cenotaph in London. The silence was proposed by Australian journalist Edward Honey, who was working in Fleet Street. At about the same time, a South African statesman made a similar proposal to the British Cabinet, which endorsed it. King George V personally requested all the people of the British Empire to suspend normal activities for two minutes on the hour of the armistice "which stayed the worldwide carnage of the four preceding years and marked the victory of Right and Freedom". The two minutes' silence was popularly adopted and it became a central feature of commemorations on Armistice Day.

<https://www.awm.gov.au/commemoration/remembrance-day/traditions>

Visit our facebook page for the latest news and RSL related issues: www.facebook.com/morphettvalersl
or the RSL web site for pictures and information about Sub-Branch activities: www.rslmorphettvale.com.au

From the President's Desk

Hi! Welcome back. The past few months have been a strain on all of us, as we cope with the Corona Virus 19 pandemic. We ceased to operate as a Sub Branch for nearly 13 weeks and have slowly been rebuilding our activities as the government lead restrictions are eased. We had the unfortunate circumstance, where ANZAC Day services were cancelled for Sub-Branches across the State and the country. We produced and presented a virtual Dawn Service on ANZAC Day with the assistance of our resident I.T. Guru, Rob Winter. With his skills and the input of others we were able to stream a Dawn Service production that was of a very high quality. A job well done by all those involved.



Moving forward, the Sub-Branch was run on a very limited basis by your hard working committee, who ensured that the task of keeping the Sub-Branch going and the bills paid was done in a timely manner. Their sense of purpose and dedication to our Sub-Branch was nothing short of amazing and I thank them for their commitment and effort.

FRIDAY NIGHTS

As we finally re-opened for Friday Night dinners, albeit on a strictly controlled program, we did start getting our members back to the Sub-Branch. It was great to see the old familiar faces coming in through the door. The numbers coming in for dinners was a bit low at first, until people became a bit more confident to come along. We are averaging about 30 meals a night and hope to steadily increase that attendance.

ANNUAL DINNER

After originally cancelling the Sub-Branch Annual Dinner, it was decided that the restrictions had eased enough and the numbers interested made it viable to hold the Annual Dinner. Invitations were sent out and members were notified. The response was better than we had expected, with 65 guests at the dinner. A big round of thanks go to our volunteer serving staff from the Lions Club of Noarlunga-Morphett Vale for their wonderful efforts during the night in serving the meals and clearing the tables afterwards. "Thank You" also to Tony and Leanne and their team for a wonderful meal. The size of the meal meant that no one should have gone home hungry. It was quite the serve. I must also mention the wonderful effort put in by the Women's Auxiliary for their decoration of the tables and the hall, thank you very much Ladies. To the members who gave of their time to assist with the setting up and restoration of the hall - thank you for your assistance it was greatly appreciated. All in all it was a wonderful night and by all reports fully enjoyed by all in attendance.

BUNNINGS BBQ

Our next event was our inaugural Bunnings BBQ at the new Bunning Reynella Store. Jarrad was instrumental in getting this event organized. Training was provided to all the Team leaders at Bunnings by their Supervisor, Shadi. After the training, we arranged for the necessary items to be available, got our volunteer crew together and on August 29 we held our first BBQ. It was a long day for most of us but fun and a bit of a hoot. In all we raised \$835.41 for the Sub Branch and Veterans Welfare. My thanks go to Jarrad, Mark and Sandy, Rob, Steve and Betty, Jim, Dierdre, Lindsay and Judy, Brian and Kerrie for their efforts on the day.

BUILDING AND REPAIRS

Around the Sub-Branch there have been some things happening. We are slowly but surely working our way through lots of small jobs that need to be done around the building and grounds. Our most recent job was the post and rail fence that was erected on the southern side of the building. My thanks go to Rob, Mark, Ray, Gerald, Steve, Lindsay, Brian and Hugh for their sterling efforts on the day. The fence and tables and chairs looked really good and well used on the Khaki and Chrome car show day. Other works that have occurred include repairs to the building brickwork by Steve - thank you Steve for your efforts. Some work was also done on the floor near the passageway by Ian - thank you Ian.

Rob and Mark, have also been active doing minor repairs on the roof, installing a solar motion sensing light in the smoking area and some internal touch ups.

KHAKI AND CHROME

At the time of writing, we have just held the “Khaki and Chrome” car show in conjunction with Adelaide Cruisin’ Classics. It was a great day with a number of classic cars in attendance. The ladies were busy with their Devonshire Teas and Tony arranged serves of hot chips. The Sub-Branch ran a sausage sizzle and raffles. A job well done by all involved with us raising in the order of \$1750.00 for the Sub Branch. The President of the Adelaide Cruisin’ Classics was impressed with the way we conducted our part of the day and has spoken about the possibility of making this an Annual event on both our calendars. Thank you to Hugh and Jim for helping to arrange this event. My thanks also go to Steve, Betty, Julie, Ray, Lindsay, Judy (Tina Turner), Jarrad, Mark, Rob, Elaine, Dierdre, Ros, Bev, Sandy, Beryl, Kerrie and Lance. If by some chance I have missed your name I apologise and thank you for your assistance.

AGM

Once again we are come to “that” time of year when we think about our commitment to the Sub-Branch. Shortly nominations will be called for the new committee for 2021. Please think about your involvement and commitment to the Sub-Branch and what you can offer to our organisation. If you don’t want to go on the committee there are other roles that you can nominate for, that will be of assistance to the Sub Branch. This is a critical time for our Sub-Branch and all members are invited to help to assist in the operation of OUR Sub-Branch.

Yours in Service

President Ron

Anniversary Honour for Wilf

On Sunday 20 September, long-serving Sub-Branch member, Wilf Taylor, was presented with a Commemorative Certificate and medallion, marking the end of World War II.

The medallion and certificate has been made available to every living veteran of the Second World War, like Wilf, by the Australian Government.

While Australia can never repay the debt we owe almost one million Australians who served, this medallion and certificate are a small but meaningful way we can thank living veterans of the largest global conflict of the 20th century.

The medallion obverse design features the Commonwealth Coat of Arms, wording of appreciation and identifies by name theatres of war that saw the significant involvement of Australian Armed Forces. The reverse design utilises the poppy as the central symbol surrounded by the wording ‘Australia Remembers’ and the beginning and end years of the Second World War.

The medallion is presented in a display case, includes a card that explains the design and contains a brief expression of thanks. The theatres of war detailed on the medallion are based on locations identified within the Commemorative Courtyard of the Australian War Memorial (AWM).

The design of the commemorative certificate complements the medallion. It includes the Commonwealth Coat of Arms, ‘Australia Remembers’ wording and the beginning and end years of the 75 year anniversary: 1945-2020.

The certificate is contained within its own folder that allows for independent display, framing or mounting.



Sub-Branch President, Ron Payne, presents the WWII Commemorative Medallion and Certificate to Wilf Taylor.

‘Crafty’ Women

Hidden artistic and creative talents were revealed recently when Women’s Auxiliary members met at Sandy’s home for a little ‘R & R’.

Thanks to Bunnings Noarlunga store, who supplied pots and plants, the ladies created some unique indoor decorator items.



Could this be another income earner for the W.A.? You be the judge.



Annual Dinner Decor

Thanks to members of the Women’s Auxiliary Team for designing and providing the attractive table decorations and place settings and for dressing the tables for the Sub-Branch Annual Dinner.

More Annual Dinner Photos on pages 7 and 10.



Women's Auxiliary Activity Report

Due to the restrictions of Covid, our small band of auxiliary members have been unable to carry out the usual fund raising or catering and have remained dependant on the weekly raffle for any funds.

Our usual Tuesday get-togethers have been reduced but we have ventured to various cafes for coffee and a chat so that we remain in contact.

On the 20th September, we provided and sold Devonshire Teas at the very successful Khaki and Chrome day. That was a start to get us back in the swing of catering.

At this stage, we will be catering in the city for the Annual Conference, giving us a feeling of more normality.

We would also appreciate if members can make donations of items to help us fill our Christmas hampers for the raffle. All items must be in date.

Ros Day

President

Morphett Vale RSL Women's Auxiliary

Now that they were retired, a mother and father were discussing all aspects of their future.

"What will you do if I die before you do?" Dad asked Mom.

After some thought, she said that she'd probably look for a house-sharing situation with three other single or widowed women who might be a little younger than herself, since she is so active for her age.

Then Mom asked Dad, "What will you do if I die first?" He replied, "Probably the same thing."

The teacher said, "Ok class, I'd like you to tell me what you need at home".

Susie said, "We need a computer". Wendy said, "We need a car". Johnny said, "We don't need anything."

The teacher said, "Come on Johnny, everyone needs something?"

"No miss, my sister came home with a new boyfriend and my Dad said, "Well that's all we need!"

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Christmas is fast approaching and therefore, it is the time when the Women's Auxiliary start selling raffle books for our Annual Christmas Raffle.

The drawing of the raffle will be held on Friday December 18th at our RSL Sub-Branch.

Books cost \$10.00, with 10 tickets at \$1.00 each and we ask all members to please support your Sub-Branch by getting some books and selling them to all your family and friends.

Raffle books will be available from Friday night 9th October, either at the Sub-Branch or by contacting Sandy Wheaton on 0417 220 349.

We would also appreciate donations of any kind of non-perishable items, making sure that they are not out-of-date, for inclusion in the Christmas hampers that the ladies put together. Any donations can be brought to the Sub-Branch on any Friday night from 5:30pm, or call Sandy and we will arrange to pick them up.

Come along, collect your raffle books and have a meal with us.

Meal orders start being taken from 6:00pm and the Bar opens at 5:30pm



High Tea



Help us to



LIFT THE LID
on mental illness



Sunday 18th October at 2.00pm

Rotary Hall, Brixton St, Christies Beach

Glass of Bubbles upon arrival

Prize for Best Fascinator for ladies, best vest/hat for gentlemen

Cost \$25.00 pp



All proceeds go to Australian Rotary Health for
Mental Health Research for Young People
Raffle, Silent Auction and Entertainment
Speaker Mrs Lyn Jones (Rotary District 9510)



To join in the fun please go to <https://www.stickytickets.com.au:8020/HRJCI>

For further information please contact

morphettvalerotary@gmail.com



Rotary



**Club of
Morphett Vale**



Annual Dinner 2020 Photo Gallery 1



Remembrance Day Service

This Service will be conducted at the City of Onkaparinga Memorial Gardens, corner of Main South and Flaxmill Roads on Wednesday 11th November 2020 commencing at 10.40 am. Following the service, all present will be invited to attend the light luncheon at the Sub-Branch clubrooms, supplied by the ladies of our Women's Auxiliary. Members with entitlements are requested to wear approved medals to the Service.

Christmas Break-Up

The annual Christmas Dinner will be held on Friday 18 December from 6.00pm.

If you wish to attend please advise Dierdre Owen on **0438 384 729** with your number of attendees, so Covid requirements can be observed.

The clubrooms **WILL NOT** be open on Friday 25 December (Christmas Day) or Friday 1 January (New Year's Day).

South Australian Women's Memorial Playing Fields Trust

Notice of Annual General Meeting Notice is hereby given that the annual general meeting of the South Australian Women's Memorial Playing Fields Trust Inc. will be held at the following date, time and place:

Date: Wednesday, 21st October 2020

Time: Immediately following the conclusion of the special general meeting commencing at 7.00pm.

Place: Women's Memorial Playing Fields, Shepherds Hill Road, St Marys.

Business:

1. Annual Financial Statements and Reports To receive the Annual Financial Statements of the Trust for the financial year ending 30 June 2020 and the reports of the Trust;
2. To appoint the Auditor;
3. Election of Office Bearers for the Trust Committee; 4. Other Business; To transact any other business which may, in accordance with the Constitution, be transacted at the meeting.

RSL Morphett Vale's Got Talent ?

As the Christmas Break-Up Dinner approaches we are again on the lookout for volunteers with 'hidden talents' to provide entertainment on the night. Singers, dancers, story-tellers, musicians ... all welcome.

Do you, or someone you know, have a 'party piece' they could perform this year?

Please contact President Ron to have items added to the program.

Below are samples of previous years' contributions:



Special Note: There have been updates to the Morphett Vale web site at: www.rslmorphettvale.com.au
Visitors may need to click the 'refresh' button to see the current information, particularly on the Calendar page.

November Monthly Meeting

Members should be aware that we will conduct the November Monthly meeting on Monday, 2 November 2020, commencing at 7:30pm.

At this meeting, nominations will be called from those members who wish to be elected to one of the offices on the Sub-Branch Management Committee at the December Annual General Meeting. The offices are President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, six Committee Members plus a representative endorsed by the Women's Auxiliary Committee. Nomination forms for election to office are available from the Secretary.

If more than the required number of nominations are received for any position, an election will be required, otherwise the nominee(s) will be declared "Elected". If sufficient nominations have been received prior to the "Close of Nominations", other nominations will NOT be called for at the AGM.

Remember, any financial member who qualifies for a position is able to nominate. Qualifications, as set out in the following extracts from the Model Rules for Sub-Branches (our Constitution), are included for the information of members.

Nominations by Members for the Sub-Branch Committee:

Qualifications for Office:

President/Vice-Presidents Rule 22.3 – "Any Service or Life Member shall be eligible for election as President or Vice-President of the Sub-Branch, provided that the member has been a Service or Life Member of the Sub-Branch for not less than 12 months immediately prior to the calling of nominations and has previously served at least 12 months on the Committee of a Sub-Branch.

Secretary/Treasurer/Committee Member Rule 22.4 – Any Service, Life Member or Affiliate of the Sub-Branch shall be eligible for election as Secretary, Treasurer, or as a member of the Management Committee provided that member has been a Service, Life Member or Affiliate of the Sub-Branch for not less than 12 months immediately prior to the calling of nominations."

Voting rights for Affiliates in relation to the Sub-Branch Committee:

By-Law No. 3 10.1(a) of the RSL (SA Branch) Inc. By-Laws for Sub-Branches states, in part, that Affiliates "May vote and be elected to the positions of Secretary, Treasurer or Committeeman but may not vote or be elected to the positions of President or Vice-President."

Nominations by Members to Carry out Additional Duties:

Nominations by members for appointment to carry out additional duties will also be called at the November General Meeting in the same manner as nominations for election to office as mentioned above. If you feel that you have something to offer, please consider nominating. Additional duties include - Public Officer, Membership Officer, Hall Hire Officer, Welfare Officer, Pensions Officer, Bar Manager, Assistant Bar Manager, AV and IT Officer, Publications Officer and Social Media Officer.

The above list does not preclude others who wish to contribute in some way as there are a number of other jobs that require willing hands and minds.

Nomination forms for members to carry out the above additional duties are available from the Secretary.

Nominations for office and for members to carry out additional duties will close on **Friday 20 November 2020 at 7pm.**

All positions will be declared vacant at the Annual General meeting. Those who are financial and have been duly nominated and seconded, in accordance with the Constitution, will be subject to the ballot process as described above.

Notice of Annual General Meeting

The Sub-Branch AGM will be preceded by the December Monthly Meeting and held on Monday 7th December 2020, commencing at 7.00 p.m. The quorum requirement for an AGM is 15 financial Service Members. You are reminded that if elected to office at the AGM, you must continue to be financial after 1 January 2021 otherwise you will be unable to remain in office.

All members are requested to support the above meetings where possible.

Annual Dinner 2020 Photo Gallery 2



Hitching Rail Fence Installed

With funds donated to the Sub-Branch, stage one of the 'Beer Garden Project' has been completed.

A pine post and rail fence has been erected to divide the car park from the lawn area on the southern side of the building, still allowing easy access for transferring items to and from the storage sheds.



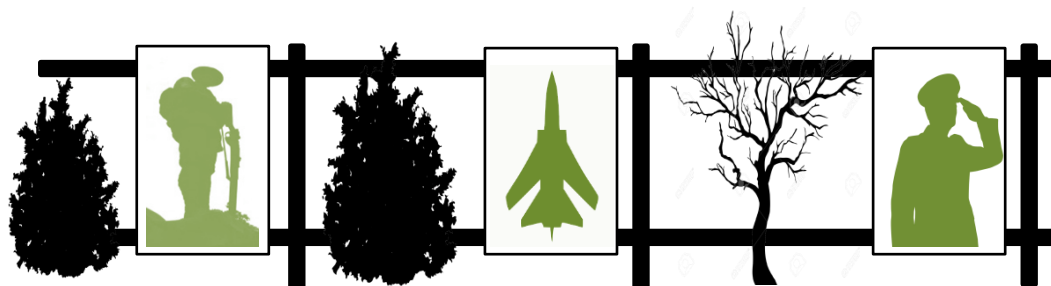
Sheets of recycled corrugated iron featuring a number of silhouettes representing all services including service nurses, are to be affixed to the side fence of the property into the car park to complete the project.

Tables, chairs and umbrellas will be placed outside, in fine weather to provide a pleasant area to socialise.

Our thanks to **Kennards Hire** for loaning the equipment, at no charge, to dig the holes for the posts.

A name for the area has yet to be decided. 'RSL Beer Garden' or 'ANZAC Garden'. Any other ideas?

An impression of what the side fence could look like with the silhouette panels installed.



Vale

Robert Norman "Bob" DOUGLAS

Passed away peacefully at home,
August 21st 2020. Aged 81 years.

Much loved husband of Shirley.

Loving father and father-in-law of Andrew and Kylie, Heather and Tony.

Adored Pa of 6 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

At the going down of the sun We will remember him.

Lest We Forget



Presentation by Craig Kennedy from NJF Wellness

President Ron has recently started doing fitness training with the DVA health programme. His personal trainer, Craig, addressed the membership recently about taking advantage of the fully funded fitness opportunities available for former and currently serving defence forces members. Craig is a fully accredited Exercise Physiologist and is already known to some members of the Sub-Branch.

NJF Wellness Centres are the experts in managing work, Defence Service and lifestyle-related chronic and acute health conditions. Their team of highly qualified allied health practitioners are passionate about seeing you overcome the physical hurdles that inhibit you from getting the most out of your life.

NJF clinics operate out of friendly and non-intimidating health clubs and medical centres Australia-wide, as well as offering a convenient mobile service for treatment in your own home.

Local NJF operation centres include; Sheriff Road Swimming Centre at Reynella, EFM Health Club at Noarlunga and The Hub Recreation Centre.

For more see: <https://njfwellness.com.au/>

Not to be Forgotten

In June 1996, Australia experienced its worst peacetime military aviation disaster when a Black Hawk training exercise went wrong, killing 18 men.

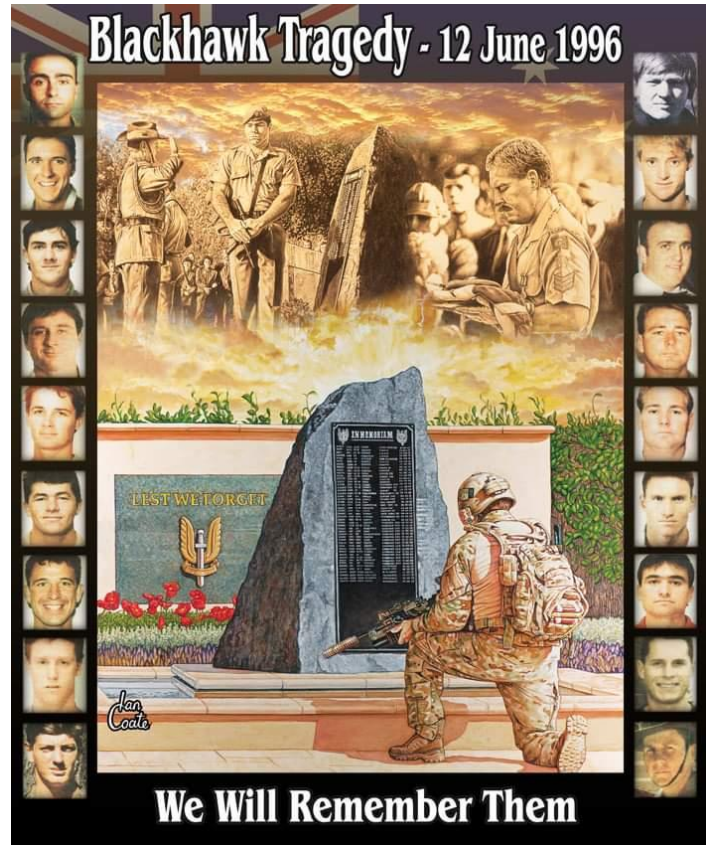
These men were some of the best in the Defence Force. They were training at night near Townsville until it all went wrong and two helicopters collided mid-air and crashed.

The Special Air Service (SAS) Regiment and Army Aviation Corps involved were carrying out a night-time counter-terrorism training operation, in preparation for the upcoming 2000 Sydney Olympics.

The incident significantly changed Australian Army and SAS training protocols.

It also deeply affected survivors and the group of soldiers that was tasked with the transport of the dead bodies from the accident.

Two days was spent doing this and it was horrific and an extremely sad time for many involved. The team had no idea what they were about to do or how it would affect them, they just did what they were told, anything to support those killed. **R.I.P.**



Khaki and Chrome

Although initially the weather threatened, it was a fine day for the Adelaide Cruisin' Classics car club event at the RSL Morphett Vale Sub-Branch, on Sunday 20 September.

Over 20 classic cars, with enough chrome, spit and polish to make any Sergeant Major green with envy, were on display and visitors enjoyed the sun, refreshments and entertainment.



With RSL memorabilia also on display and music supplied by the Rock 'n Rollin' DJ Jess Mallia, it certainly was a day all the family was able to enjoy.

The joint venture between the RSL and the car club was so popular, that is set to be a regular event each year.

For a Gold Coin donation Judy (Tina Turner) welcomed visitors to enter



Some of the cars on display





NEWS from Sub-Branch Meeting Minutes

- A reminder that Women's Auxiliary meetings are now held on the last Thursday of the month, to enable the members to attend and participate fully in General Meetings of the Sub-Branch on the first Monday each month.
- Several posts, messages and emails were received commenting on our Virtual Dawn Service and thanking the Sub-Branch for making the video available. Thanks to President Ron, Nat Cook, Amanda Rishworth, Katrine Hildyard and Rob Winter who were responsible for the production.
- Reynella Medical Centre was given permission to use the Sub-Branch car park to supply flu shots to the public. This was approved by an 'out of sessions' email meeting of the committee, after reference to Clubs SA regarding Covid 19 restrictions on the use of licensed premises.
- The air-conditioner at the stage end of the hall that was not functioning correctly has been repaired by using parts from the pool room unit. A decision about replacement of the pool room unit is to be made.
- Kym Arthur and Lindsay Martin have inspected the welding holding the display bomb at the front of the building on its mounting and have advised that there are no cracks to the hinges, just the outer layer joins, and that it is still 100% safe. They will continue to monitor the situation.
- Committee members have completed Covid Marshal training and at Sub-Branch activities the designated Covid Marshals will be identified with lanyard mounted badges.
- At future commemorative services a Merchant Marine flag will be flown alongside the New Zealand flag at the Memorial Gardens entrance, when the additional temporary flagpoles are present.
- A movement activated and solar powered light has been installed on the rear corner of the Sub-Branch building to illuminate the passageway by the shed and smoking area.
- The Sub-Branch will be using Social Media accounts (like Facebook and Instagram) and associated paid marketing to attract more patrons to Friday Nights and other activities.
- Adelaide Cruisin' Classics and Morphett Vale RSL will conduct a 'Khaki and Chrome' car show event annually at the Sub-Branch on the second Sunday of October.

Change of Address or Personal Information

If you have not already advised the Membership Officer, Dierdre Owen, of any change to your personal contact details please update them on the slip below and either post to, RSL Morphett Vale Sub-Branch, PO Box 239, Morphett Vale 5162 or email the information to deeowen1@bigpond.com

This is the only way we can be sure that you receive the Sub-Branch Newsletters and other communications.

Surname	
Given Names (in full)	
Current (or new) Address (Street, Suburb and Postcode)	
PO Box Address (if applicable)	
Telephone Number	
Mobile Phone Number	
Email Address	

Sub-Branch Supporters

There are a number of businesses in our area that provide on-going support to our Sub-Branch and have done so over a long period of time. We are grateful for this support and would urge our members in return to support these local businesses.

Allbiz Supplies Pty. Ltd. - 1250'SullivanBeachRoad, LONSDALE SA 5160

Phone - 8326 2899 Email - stat@allbizsupplies.biz



Allbiz have been one of our long-standing supporters providing our stationery and printing needs. The staff at Allbiz, headed by Di Bellamy, are always friendly and most helpful. The next time that you require anything in the way of stationery, printing, or even office furniture, then call in and see Di and her team. You won't be sorry.

Buds and Blooms - Shop 5, 17-23 Main South Road, REYNELLA SA 5161

Phone - 8326 3664 Email - budsandblooms@interfloraflorist.com.au



Buds and Blooms, a family owned and award winning florist, has been established for 23 years. For a good many years now they have supplied all of the Sub- Branch wreaths for the ANZAC Dawn Service and Remembrance Day Service as well as other floral arrangements as required. Pop in to Buds and Blooms and speak to the friendly staff the next time you require a bouquet or other floral arrangement

Morphett Vale Butcher - Shop 2, 206 Main South Road, MORPHETT VALE SA 5162

Phone - 8382 3159.



Morphett Vale Butcher is a family owned business which has been operating since 2011. For 75 years it operated under only two owners. In 2011 Chris and Amy purchased the shop which has since been revamped and now sells a larger variety of products. Morphett Vale Butcher supplies the meat trays for our raffles at generously discounted prices. Do yourself a favour and pay them a visit.

Delights Lighting Store - 196 Main South Road, MORPHETT VALE SA 5162

Phone - 8382 3159.



Smarten-up your home with new technology or update your lighting décor. DeLights provide the largest range of lighting and ceiling fans on display in Australia. This includes; living, kitchen, dining, garden, wall, vanity, table, floor or children's lighting. We also wish to thank them for donating items for our annual raffle.

Sub-Branch Supporters

Horndale Distillery & Wine Cellars, 41-45 Fraser Avenue, HAPPY VALLEY SA 5159

Phone - 8387 0033 Email - oldhorndale@hotmail.com (also on Facebook)



Horndale Distillery and Wine Cellars were first established in 1896. The current owners, the Albrecht Family, purchased the business in 1984. Horndale has a fine selection of red, white, sparkling and fortified wines, many MEDAL WINNERS. To find the right wine for that special occasion come in and speak to the wine maker, Phil Albrecht, taste a few from their range and ask his advice.

RSL Members, upon production of their membership card, will receive a special discount.

Crown Inn Hotel, Old South Road, OLD REYNELLA SA 5161

Phone - 8381 1319 Email - info.crown@gmhotels.com.au



Situated on Old South Road, Old Reynella, boasting an atmospheric bistro and outdoor dining area, private function area, spacious gaming room, main bar & convenient Cellarbrations drive through bottle shop, the Crown is a characteristic venue in tune with the community. Monday night is community schnitzel night with \$5 from each one served being donated to organisations like the RSL.

Dates for these are announced regularly on Friday nights at the Sub-Branch.

Visit The Crown Inn and you'll have a great meal and support the RSL.

Oakley Computers

Phone - 0438 951738 (Dave) Email dave@oakleycomputers.com.au

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New, Used, Small & Large Repairs, Maintenance & Upgrades
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www.oakleycomputers.com.au

Phone Dave - 0438 951 738
ABN 96 463 721601



Dave Oakley has been a trusted supplier of computer hardware, IT support and advise to the Sub-Branch for many years and has arranged for new and replacement equipment along donating equipment and providing video conferencing services.

Bunnings Hardware, Corner Goldsmith Drive & Beach Road, Noarlunga SA 5168

Phone - 8329 1000



Bunnings are the leading retailer of home improvement and outdoor living products in Australia and a major supplier to project builders, commercial tradespeople and housing industry. Their ambition is to provide their customers with the widest range of home improvement products in accordance with a lowest prices policy, backed with the best service.

They support the RSL by donating items to the annual raffles and offering fundraising opportunities at their store.

Sub-Branch Supporter

KENNARDS HIRE, 136 Sherriffs Road Morphett Vale SA 5162

Phone - 8392 3200 Email: morphettvale@kennards.com.au

Kennards Hire is the largest family-owned supplier of high quality, hire equipment in Australia, built on strong family values and the persistent determination to be the best. Offering customers high quality equipment, exceptional service and established core values. We thank Kennards for their donation of hire equipment to assist RSL projects.



Debbie Glastonbury, 52 Hillier Rd, MORPHETT VALE SA 5162

Phone - 0432 209 355 Email - debbie@magain.com.au

Many years in sales lead has given Debbie a successful career in real estate with Magain Real Estate.

A promotional graphic for Magain Real Estate. On the left, white text on a dark background reads "FREE HOUSE APPRAISAL". Below this, smaller text says "Maybe you're not thinking of selling but would like an up to date appraisal on your home." and "Get in contact with Debbie to book your no obligation appraisal today!". At the bottom left is the Magain Real Estate logo and "#1 SALES OFFICE AUSTRALIA 2015 REAL ESTATE BUSINESS MAGAZINE". On the right is a portrait of Debbie Glastonbury, a smiling woman with white hair. Below her name, "Debbie Glastonbury", are the contact details "0432 209 355 / debbie@magain.com.au".

"Connecting with people and helping them achieve their success is such a pleasure." From first home buyers to those wanting to downsize, Debbie and Magain Real Estate can assist you every step of the way.

A donation is made to the Morphett Vale RSL for any sales referred by members.

A police officer came to my house and asked me where I was between 5 and 6.
He became irritated when I answered "Kindergarten".

And now for a real groaner...

A frog went into a bank and approached the teller.
He could see from her nameplate that her name was Patricia Whack.
"Miss Whack, I'd like to get a \$30,000 loan to take a holiday."

Patty looked at the frog in disbelief and asked his name.
The frog said his name was Kermit Jagger, his dad was Mick Jagger, and that it was okay, because he knows the bank manager.

Patty explained that he would need to secure the loan with some collateral.
The frog said, "Sure. I have this," and produced a tiny porcelain elephant, about an inch tall, bright pink and perfectly formed.

Very confused, Patty explained that she would have to consult with the bank manager and disappeared into to back office.

She found the manager and said, "There's a frog called Kermit Jagger out there who claims to know you and wants to borrow \$30,000 and he wants to use this as collateral."

She held up the tiny pink elephant and said, "I mean, what in the world is this?"

The bank manager looks back at her and explained

"It's a knick-knack, Patty Whack. Give the frog a loan. His old man's a Rolling Stone.



Dates for your Calendar

October 2020

Monday	5	No Sub-Branch General Meeting - Long Weekend
Tuesday	6	10.30am General Working Bee - All Welcome
Monday	19	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Thursday	29	7.30pm Women's Auxiliary General Meeting

November

Monday	2	11.00am Sub-Branch General Meeting
Saturday	7	Bunnings BBQ at Reynella Store
Saturday	7	RSL State Branch Conference (Adelaide Headquarters)
Wednesday	11	10.40am Remembrance Day Service (Memorial Gardens)
Monday	16	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Thursday	26	7.30pm Women's Auxiliary General Meeting

December

Monday	7	7.00pm Sub-Branch and Women's Auxiliary General & Annual General Meetings
Friday	18	6.00pm Christmas Break-Up - Sub-Branch closes for the holiday break
Monday	21	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Friday	25	Christmas Day - Sub Branch Closed

The Sub-Branch will not be open on Friday 1st January (New Year's Day) or Friday 8th January 2021.

January 2021

Friday	15	7.30pm Sub-Branch Re-Opens
Monday	18	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Friday	22	Australia Day theme night
Thursday	28	7.30pm Women's Auxiliary General Meeting

February

Monday	1	7.30pm Sub-Branch General Meeting
Friday	12	Valentine's Day theme night
Monday	15	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Thursday	25	7.30pm Women's Auxiliary General Meeting

March

Monday	1	7.30pm Sub-Branch General Meeting
Monday	15	7.30pm Sub-Branch Committee Meeting
Thursday	25	7.30pm Women's Auxiliary General Meeting

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