

# CUMMINS CONNECTION

APRIL 2011

104th EDITION

## ANZAC DAY



Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April

Dawn Service

7am

Garden of Remembrance,  
Tumby Bay rd, Cummins

Followed by a

March

To the RSL Hall, Bruce Tce.,  
And  
Breakfast  
(Gold Coin Donation)

ALL WELCOME

enquiries to the Secretary: 0428 365 470

*Lest We Forget*

CUMMINS & DISTRICT ENTERPRISE  
COMMITTEE HAPPENINGS

The Cummins and District Enterprise Committee would like to thank Bill Harris for his many years of volunteer work at the Caravan Park. Bill has now retired and we wish him all the best. Tom Hull has taken on the job of being our maintenance man with help from Barry Boyce who does the mowing and gardening jobs.

Cummins Connection  
**SPONSORS NEEDED**  
for 2011

Any business or organisation who would like to sponsor the Cummins Connection in 2011 can contact Caro Miller at the Council Office 86762106 or email [carom@dclep.sa.gov.au](mailto:carom@dclep.sa.gov.au)

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**ANZAC Appeal**

**BADGE DAY**



*The Cummins-Yeelanna RSL Sub-branch  
will hold the annual ANZAC Appeal Badge Day, on  
Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April.  
Members will be situated outside  
Cummins IGA / Five Loaves Bakery*

*Your on-going support for the Sub-branch is  
greatly appreciated – thank you.*

# Pat on the Back



A BIG thankyou to  
**Mick Broad**  
out going President and  
**Suzie Millard**  
out going Secretary  
for all their hard work within the  
**Cummins & District  
Basketball Assoc.**

Your efforts have kept this  
Association strong with over  
150 members playing each  
week.



### AUTUMN Check List

- ◇ Remove undergrowth and dead vegetation
- ◇ Check for ANY fire hazards and remove
- ◇ Seek Council permission for a burn-off
- ◇ Monitor any fire restrictions

**Prepare  
Act  
Survive**

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## 100, NOT OUT!

After 100 years, Yeelanna Uniting Church remains a vibrant, growing community that is teeming with life. **This was highlighted at the church's centenary celebrations on Sunday March 20th, seeing roughly 150 people from as far as Adelaide gather for worship, a barbeque lunch and an afternoon focussed on past, present and future.**

**The wet weather couldn't dampen the enthusiasm of those who gathered, with the church building full and overflowing into an outside marquee.** The team of talented musicians and singers led the service with a range of hymns and recent favourites, plus a song from the children who make up a strong percentage of the current congregation. A skit by the youth brought to life the first meeting of pioneer church members as they planned the original building. Guest preacher for the day was Rev Rob Williams, current Moderator of Uniting Church SA.



Some of the Yeelanna congregation, 2011

After morning tea celebrations moved to the Yeelanna Hall, with lunch followed by a series of stories and interviews led by Peter Glover and Ian Pearson. These included reflections on activities for children over the years, from a Sunday School started in 1913 to the now 35-strong group of children still attracting young families from Ungarra to Kapinnie and even south of Cummins.

The day concluded with brief reflections on the future by current Minister, Rev Matthew Carratt. Mat then acknowledged the changing shape of the Yeelanna township over 100 years, yet the strength of **the current church community in 2011. He highlighted Yeelanna's involvement in running or aiding many ministries making a positive impact in the wider district beyond Sunday mornings - including but not limited to Mothers of Preschoolers (MOPS), Youth Group and XRoad kids club.** The church still has a central place in the life of this area, and has a very bright future indeed. It looks forward to another 100 years of exploring the deeper questions of life with you.

*Yeelanna is a congregation of Western Eyre Uniting Church meeting weekly at 10:00am, or 5:00pm on the first Sunday of each month (school terms only). The Sunday School runs each week during school terms. At times Yeelanna gather in Cummins or Lock, so see the Cummins Connection or Port Lincoln Times for most current service details.*

A DVD of the service, afternoon, and photo presentation will be available from Marie Glover for \$10 in the near future (8676 5007).



CUMMINS & DISTRICT MEMORIAL  
SWIMMING POOL



**CAN & BOTTLE DRIVE**



Thankyou to all those that have  
donated their recycling for our  
Can & Bottle Drive.

So far we have made approx  
\$1,300 so thank to those that  
supported our Fundraiser it has  
been a great success.

Bottles & Cans can still be dropped off at  
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the Can & Bottle Drive.

Heather Norton  
President

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***Cummins School Community Library  
Temporary Closure Notice***

The Cummins Library will close on Sunday April 3rd and will reopen  
on Tuesday April 19<sup>th</sup> 2011.

The library will be shifting to new premises on Firth Avenue, opposite the  
Ag block.

During the closure, community members may return books to the school  
reception area.

The library apologizes for any inconvenience and looks forward  
to you visiting our new premises.



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## Marble Range CWA Group Table Day

Marble Range Country Women's Association Group Table Day will be held in the Karkoo Kooplex on Thursday, 5th May 2011. The six branches will be competing for the Betty Ashman Memorial Shield, with a "Pioneers" theme.

The afternoons programme will be opened by Australia Day Citizen of the Year for the District Council of Lower Eyre peninsula, John Treloar.

There will also be a competition for three articles displayed on a chair, this is open to members and non members. For more information please contact Gladys Hall or Ronda Glover. On display will be articles depicting the pioneer days as an extra attraction.

There will be a trading table and raffle.

Admission \$5 includes afternoon tea. Doors open at 1pm. Opening 1.30pm.

In the morning while the judging is being carried out, anyone is invited to the Kooplex to hear Lisa Fitzgerald speak about her interesting cook book. This is open to members and non members, starting at 10.30am until 11.30am.



## **FREE TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN**

“Partners in Grain” is a national program providing professional development opportunities for all partners in grains businesses. In South Australia Partners in Grain has a very strong focus on working with women and young people in the business and has a network of 13 groups across the state. Many of the people in these groups have non grain enterprises within their business including livestock.

Partners in Grain has identified the Cummins area as a region where we would like to offer women the opportunity to come together to participate in some professional development / training.

Partners in Grain also realise that women are busy and often have children and off farm work to juggle so training days are always at a time that suits the group, usually avoiding school holidays and being during school time.

Partners in Grain would like to offer women in the area the opportunity to participate in three training activities over the 2011 year. We have funding support from EP NRM Board to be able to provide an introduction workshop to gauge interest in being involved.

The group decided the training they want to do and can include:

Introduction to agronomy	Understanding the share market
Grain marketing	Myers Briggs personality styles
Succession planning	Communication Skills
Personal and community resilience	Office Management

**When:** Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2011 from 9.00 am to 12 noon

**Where:** Cummins Hotel Meeting Room

### **REGISTER NOW**

Register to attend the meeting to set the training topics by the 31st March 2011, please call:

**Elizabeth Burns** on 8685 2135 or

**Kim Blenkiron** Partners in Grain State Coordinator on 8536 8258 or 0427 592

## Scrap 'n' Chat 2011

9am-3pm

Wednesday 4th May 2011

*(note there is no Scrap 'n' Chat in April due to the Retreat & Easter)*

Cummins Hall Supper Room



Anyone welcome to come and scrap or have a look, bring your knitting, or stitching, have a coffee and a chat

Ally Harris & Brigette Hall have scrapbooking supplies for sale

More information contact Ally Harris 86876037 or Brigette Hall 86762087

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***No longer called  
CUMMINS RECREATIONAL GROUP  
Name change to L.E.A.P.  
Lower Eyre Activity Program***

Friendly get together for people 50Years and older on Lower Eyre Peninsula  
L.E.A.P Lower Eyre Activity Program offers entertainment and Companionship

Come along and have some fun

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month

At

Recreational Room, Miroma Place Hostel

***Starts*** at 1.30p.m.

***Guest Speaker*** at 2.00p.m.

***Homemade afternoon tea*** at 3.00p.m.

If you would like to know more about the group please contact  
Lee-Ann Reid at West Coast HomeCare on 8682 2177 or call into the office at  
21 Washington Street, Port Lincoln

1<sup>st</sup> April – Bev Branson singing and visit from Lock Recreational Group  
15<sup>th</sup> April – Royal Wedding Theme



**PREPARE**

**ACT**

**SURVIVE**



**Be Fire & Emergency Safe**

1. Fire Danger Season ends 15<sup>th</sup> April - unless otherwise announced - check before lighting up.
2. Check Smoke Alarms, and change battery if necessary at the end of daylight saving.
3. DEH may commencing during this month, so be aware of smoke / fires in National Parks.
4. Going away for the School holiday / Easter period ?  
Don't forget to check:  
your vehicle / trailer, first aid kit, camping / boating equipment and any other safety  
before you leave.
5. Fire restrictions may still apply for the School holiday / Easter period, so check before you light that campfire.
6. Check road conditions before travelling, especially for flooding and road closures.

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## GREAT FLINDERS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

*CELEBRATING 100 years of FOOTBALL*

WHERE? CUMMINS OVAL  
WHEN? SATURDAY MAY 21<sup>st</sup> 2011

FOOTBALL AND NETBALL SIDES FROM PORT LINCOLN WILL PLAY AGAINST THE GREAT FLINDERS LEAGUE TEAMS

A DISPLAY OF MEMORABILIA WILL BE SET UP IN THE CUMMINS BOWLING CLUB ROOMS.

CANTEEN AND BAR FACILITIES WILL BE AVAILABLE ALL DAY.

A LAUNCH OF THE GREAT FLINDERS HISTORY BOOK.

A CELEBRATORY GUERNSEY WILL BE WORN BY PLAYERS AND AUCTIONED OFF AFTER THE MATCH.

A DINNER WILL BE HELD IN THE CUMMINS HALL AFTER THE MATCHES.  
(Tickets Available in April)

EVERY FAMILY WHO HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN FOOTBALL OR NETBALL  
over the past 100 years is welcome to attend the day and the dinner.

Please indicate your interest in attending the dinner by leaving your names at the Cummins Post Office with GFFL Treasurer K Nicholls. : 86762020

PLEASE COME ALONG AND SUPPORT OUR LOCAL TEAMS AGAINST THE OLD RIVALS, PORT LINCOLN.

# WESTERN EYRE UNITING CHURCH

## CUMMINS / YEELANNA CONGREGATION SERVICE TIMES

Sunday April 3rd

Cummins - 10:00am Graeme Fisher

Yeelanna - 5:00pm Rev Matthew Carratt and  
Youth [*Harvest Thanks*]

Sunday April 10th

Cummins - 10:00am Bevan Hancock

Yeelanna - 10:00am Glen Habner

Sunday April 17th

10:00am Combined @ Cummins

- Rev Matthew Carratt [*Palm Sunday, HC*]

Sunday May 1st

Cummins - 10:00am Rev Matthew Carratt

Yeelanna - 5:00pm Rev Matthew Carratt



**HUNGRY** for **MORE?**

Good news. There is.

Satisfy more than your tastebuds this Easter.

Rediscover Jesus.

## EASTER SERVICE TIMES

Passover Meal - 6:30pm Maundy Thursday (21st) @ Lock

Good Friday - 10:00am @ Yeelanna, Rev Matthew Carratt

Easter Sunday - 9:00am @ Cummins, Rev Matthew Carratt

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE...

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)  
9:30-11:30am Wednesday April 6th  
"Breast Feeding" - Lauren Foster



Next XRoad Kids Club:  
After school on  
Friday May 20th



Youth Group

Friday April 1st - Games at Tumbay Bay. Meet 6:30pm @ Cummins takeaway, return by 9:30pm.

Look out for a bonfire night, progressive tea, movie night and more coming up in Term 2! For Year 8+.



XRoad, MOPS and Youth Group are based at the Cummins Uniting Church property and run by volunteers from various local churches.

WESTERN EYRE UNITING CHURCH: Serving the Cummins, Yeelanna and Lock districts  
For more information contact Rev Matthew Carratt / 8676 2013 / minister.weyreuc@bigpond.com

### Cummins Connection

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