

CUMMINS CONNECTION

JUNE 2011

106th EDITION

This month's Sponsor:

Cummins Takeaway & Deli

It has been nearly three years since the Cummins Takeaway & Deli re-opened. The Deli is open from 7am - 8.30pm 7 days a week and 8am - 8pm on Public Holidays.

The Kitchen Closes at **8pm** so please make sure get your orders in before this.

PIZZA is available Thursday - Saturday 5.30pm - 8pm.

We offer many more services:

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- ◆ Bank SA Agency
- ◆ Phone Credit
- ◆ Drop off Point for The Big Wardrobe
- ◆ Caravan Park & Cabin Bookings



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CUMMINS TAKEAWAY & DELI ARE PROUD SPONSORS OF:

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- * KFC Kids Club
- * Cummins Basketball
- * Great Flinders 100 year Celebrations
- * Cummins Golf Club
- * Cummins Bowling Club
- * Southern Eyre Team Penning
- * Cummins Gymnastics Club



Happy Customers Kirk Kelly & Rodney Harder



Staff Member Bronwyn Kelly

We look forward to seeing you. Tom, Deb & Staff
Phone: 08 86762011

CUMMINS & DISTRICT ENTERPRISE
COMMITTEE HAPPENINGS

Pat on the Back

This month we have had quite a few suggestions for a Pat on the Back. Anyone can nominate a business, individual or group. To nominate please contact Caro Miller at Council 86762106 or email carom@dclep.sa.gov.au.

AGM

The Cummins & District Enterprise Committee AGM will be held on Tuesday 9th August, 2011

More details will be advertised in next Connection and Cummins LINC.

This meeting is a great opportunity to find out what our Committees and Sub Committees have achieved over the last year.

Sub Committees include:

Cummins Hall

Cummins Caravan & Cabin Park

Tidy Towns

Water Committee

Cummins Traders

Pat on the Back



5 Loves Bakery

The Bakery is a highlight for visitors to our town with many stopping in for a coffee or meal. It is becoming well known with many people now making Cummins a stop off point in their holiday.

Along with this the Bakery is a great supporter of our Community.

Caravan Park Cabins

The Caravan Park Cabins have proven a great success with the occupancy rates greater than anticipated. They have been hired by Business Rep's, Short Term Staff employed in the town, Family Members attending weddings, birthdays etc. & travellers.

Feedback has been positive and since opening in September we have taken over \$10,000- in bookings.

Famous Five Volunteers

Have you noticed the new garden opposite the Chemist?

Five Tidy Town Volunteers spent a Sunday finishing this garden which has given us more room on the Footpath.

Well done Sandy, Barry, Roger, Yvonne & Trevor.

CAS Year 10 students

As in other years the Year 10 students from Cummins Area School have been doing volunteer hours in our Community. Some of the jobs they have undertaken have included: Cleaning, Pool Bottle Drive, Waiting on Tables, Gardening, Umpiring, coaching & canteen for sporting groups & helping at the Youth Week Event. Our Community Groups thank them and encourage them to continue volunteering as this is what makes our Community strong.

Pat on the Back



Cummins Newsagency

Cummins Newsagency have been selling the Cummins History Book for the past twenty years. The supply of these books is nearing an end and the Cummins History Group would like to thank them for their support.



Cummins & Districts Financial Services
have a parcel of shares available to
purchase
please contact Share Registrar
Darren Kelly if you are interested in
purchasing these
via email darren@cumminsiga.com or
Phone Mobile 0408762928

CUMMINS BOWLING CLUB
Friday Night Tea

On the first Friday of each month during winter the Bowls Club has a tea night.

Our next tea will be on 3rd June at 6.30pm and we have asked Phil & Amanda Porter from "Wilderness Wanders" to speak about travelling to Lake Eyre, Birdsville, Innamincka and the way the country has changed since the rain.

The meal will be a mixed grill.
Cost \$10
Everyone Welcome



Since 2003 the Cummins District Community Bank[®] has been profitable thanks to customer support, and the contributions to our community have been awesome! For an example.....

Events / Projects: \$223,007
Mt Hope Soldiers Memorial Hall
Kalamazoo
Wildeloo
Cummins Weather Station
Cummins District Community Bank Airshow
Cummins Hall Upgrade
Cummins Caravan Park



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Self Contained Unit for short term rent
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complex

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- All you have to bring is your own **sheets** and **towels**.
- \$55 per night
- \$180.00 per week
- For further information contact the District Council of Lower Eyre Peninsula.

Ph: 8676 2106

Email: mail@dclep.sa.gov.au



WINTER Check List

- ◇ Remove dead vegetation from around the home and prune lower limbs of trees
- ◇ Burn off or mulch garden waste
Check for any Council regulations before burning
- ◇ Inform your neighbours before burning off
- ◇ Ember-proof your home, check roof space for gaps or loose tiles & repair as necessary

Prepare
Act
Survive

Website: www.cfs.sa.gov.au

GREAT FLINDERS FOOTBALL LEAGUE

100 Year Celebration

21 May 2011

Saturday May 21st dawned dusty and windy. The Great Flinders day had arrived and the celebrations began. It was a wonderful day for such a proud League, and after the months of preparation, all went according to plan (Except for the gale force winds that whipped up around the oval and netball courts for most of the day). It was a pleasure to see the Lincoln football and netball girls come to compete on our patch.

All of the GFFL Clubs brought their memorabilia and set up their displays in the Cummins Bowling Club on Friday night (very late) and very early Saturday morning. Thanks must go to everyone involved in that display and to Louise and Dennis who sold the newly released GFFL books and Port, (tagged with “Real Men wear maroon”!)



Marrett Secker was the main enthusiast and co-ordinator for the weekend. His knowledge of the GFFL, his contacts, his talented writing and personal approach was invaluable.

The Club's appointed delegates did their work and that meant all went to plan with all volunteers doing the hard yards. Many thanks to all concerned.



**Max Treloar wearing his
Grandfather Brian Treloar's
Rambler Guernsey.
Jack Green wearing his
Grandfather Peter Green's
Kapinnie Guernsey**

Several old time friendships were renewed throughout the day as they watched the presentation of commemorative medals for the Great Flinders Footballers competing on the day, tossing of the coins, etc, and at the conclusion of the sporting fixtures.



Elizabeth Howell catching up with Tom and Fay Fergusson from Western Australia, who used to live here and owned the butcher shop in Cummins.

Marrett and his committee hosted a dinner. The Cummins Hall committee and helpers had set up the tables, which included tiny lights and place mats detailing the past teams of GFFL. Credit must go to the volunteers who set up the Cummins Hall, cooked and served the delicious three course meal, cleared the tables, served drinks and cleaned up that night. They deserve a place on the honour roll.

The Hall was filled with past and present players, some of whom belonged to the victorious Caltex Cup winning team of 1972. When Captain/Coach Bob Fuss spoke on how and why they won that great match those present were invited to stand for all to see the old heroes. 15 men from that team were present that night.

Rod Pearson was an excellent M C for the evening, giving us a back ground of the GFFL. Don McSweeny proposed a toast to the Great Flinders Football League. Marrett Secker spoke, Bob Fuss replayed the Caltex game, guest Speaker Shaun Rehn related some of his experiences when playing AFL footy and lastly but not least, Tom Penna, who was born and grew up on the E P. Tom is well known to many from his past involvement on the Eyre Peninsula and his auctioneering abilities.

Joe and Tracey Dahlitz had donated the Heritage Guernsey, which were worn by the GF players for the A grade match. These Guernseys were auctioned by Tom at the end of the evening. Bidding was fast and entertaining. Several people had bids taken from them, they no doubt wondering just when they HAD put in a bid. Great fun! and after the Guernseys, other jumpers, a football and items of interest were auctioned including the famous Sheedy print which was sold to a bidder from United Yeelanna Football Club.

In all it was a great weekend of celebrations, a renewal of old friendships and a clear mandate for the younger generations that Great Flinders Football and Netball Leagues will go on well into the future.



Did You Miss out on
Purchasing a
GFFL History Book???

Books are still available from
Cummins Post Office
Cummins Newsagency
All Great Flinders Clubs
\$20 each

Cummins Art Group Progressive Auction

A collection of paintings created and donated by the Cummins Art Group will be available for a "progressive auction".

They will be displayed at :
5 Loaves Bakery from 2nd to the 16th May
Cummins Post Office from 17th May to the 2nd of June

The successful highest bidders will be revealed at the biggest morning tea held at the Cummins Bowling Club on Friday 3rd of June.

All moneys to be donated to the
Anti Cancer Foundation



Scrap 'n' Chat 2011

9am-3pm

Wednesday 15 June, 2011

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



Australia's
**BIGGEST
MORNING
TEA**

FRIDAY
3rd June 2011
10am

Cummins Bowling Club
Raffles Drawn
Lots of Prizes

Bring a Tea Cosy for
competition
Please bring a plate of
Morning Tea
TRADING TABLE
Enquiries
Grace Coombs 86762769

Cummins Art Group
"progressive auction"
Final Day
Highest Bidder revealed

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Cummins and District Living with Cancer Support Group



- Cancer Survivors
- Carers
- Health Care Professionals

or any one touched by the diagnosis of Cancer
This is the group for you !

Monthly meetings 7.30 pm at Cummins Hospital Boardroom
Every Second Thursday of each Month
Starting February 2011

Monthly guest speakers and advice on all cancer related topics
provided.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

The Cummins Living with Cancer Support Group are having an information evening regarding the register4 program as per below.

**Our meeting will be in the boardroom of Cummins Hospital on the
2nd of June at 7:30 pm.**

Can you please forward this info on to all community members and I encourage many people to attend. Please see the link to register4 as it will explain all about the program. It is open to men and women over the age of 18 years and you do NOT need to have had cancer, purely an interest in prevention. !!

I hope to see you all there so that we can make it worthwhile for Yvonne.

<http://www.register4.org.au/>



Photographic Exhibition

Samara Harris



Studying Stage 2 Community Studies - Arts in the Community

6 June 2011 to 18 June 2011

At the 5 Loaves Bakery

Opening night 6 June 2011

7 pm 5 Loaves Bakery

All Welcome



Draft Coffin Bay Foreshore Vegetation Management Plan

A draft vegetation management plan for the Coffin Bay foreshore has been prepared for the District Council of Lower Eyre Peninsula, and is available for public comment until 24 June 2011. The report is available from the Council website at www.lowereyrepeninsula.sa.gov.au, for viewing or purchase at the Council offices or for viewing at the Coffin Bay Library and Coffin Bay Post Office.

Royal Flying Doctor Service

The Port Lincoln Auxiliary of the RFDS would like to thank all who contributed on the Badge Day in Cummins on April 29. An amount of \$539.25 was received.
David & Jane Smith

CUMMINS SHOW HANDICRAFT EXHIBITION

THE Cummins Show is celebrating its 100th anniversary on the 8th October this year. Planning has begun on a 3-4 day exhibition of vintage and modern day handicrafts to be held in the Cummins Hall to coincide with this event.

The patchwork, scrapbooking, craft and stitching groups have been invited to contribute and we are inviting any individuals who have any handiwork, vintage or modern , done by themselves or deceased family members to exhibit and become involved.

Each display will require a framed photo of that crafter to be placed amongst the craft to create an atmosphere of celebration and memory of that individual and their talent.

Some suggested crafts are: all needleworks (hand & machine), artwork, weaving, and any CWA crafts.

Anyone willing to display their items please contact me at any time.

This exhibition promises to be a truly memorable event.

Grace Coombs
Co-ordinator
86762769

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SKILLS FOR LIFE



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Cummins Homes Committee will be held on Wednesday 15 June 2011 at 9.30 am in Council Chambers.

Nominations for the Cummins Homes Committee will be accepted prior to and at the AGM.

The Committee can consist of up to eight members of the community and two Councillors. The current Committee is: Cr P Pedler (Chairman), Cr J Quigley, Mrs A Colbert, Mrs P Speed, Mrs M Maloney, Mrs J Blacker, Mrs G Hall, Mr B Coombs, Mrs J Goosens and Mr A Phillips.

For any further information please contact Karla Telfer on 8676 2106 or email:
mail@dclep.sa.gov.au

Lower Eyre Health Service and Cummins Hospital
Presents

“LIVE LONGER, STAY STRONGER, DON'T BE A FALL”

DATE: Wednesday 8th June 2011
VENUE: Outside Cummins Pharmacy
TIME: 12:00pm to 3:00pm

YOUR HEALTH TEAM TAKING HEALTH INFORMATION TO THE COMMUNITY

- Nursing Staff Falls Risk Screening
- Physiotherapist Balance & Mobility Assessments
- Occupational Therapist Home Safety
- Dietitian Healthy food samples
- Fitness Co-ordinator Falls Classes information
- Podiatrist Healthy shoes = healthy feet
- Pharmacist Medication advice
- Eyre Mobility Equipment supplies

“Come and visit your local health team, to live longer, stay stronger, walk safely and don't be a fall”

Nativity @ Yallunda Flat

Well it happened last year and plans have started on this year's production. Yes we are talking about the Nativity Re-enactment with community carol singing and entertainment. Plans are well under way for this year's Nativity and Christmas celebration on Sunday 18th December at the picturesque Yallunda Flat. Gates will open 6pm.

Highlights so far are that Graeme Hugo, well known Country Singer will head up the entertainment. Food and drink stalls will be available and families and friends are welcome to bring along a picnic hamper, rug and chairs to enjoy the atmosphere. The Nativity Re-enactment follows at nightfall with over 100 actors, narrators and animals involved in this amazing story.

Improvements made last year such as the lighting and stage areas are here to stay and fine tuning to build on any feedback received continues. The planning committee meet regularly to fine tune and build on last year's event. The organisers welcome any community members who wish to attend planning meetings and add their expertise and input. Next meeting is on Tuesday 21st June at Tumby Bay Uniting Church. Any enquiries or suggestions can be made to Marie Lally 8688 2272.

The planning committee look forward to another beautiful starry night at the Flat witnessing the nativity re-enactment and the wonder of Christmas.



The Plant People

Will be in Cummins

Thursday 2nd June

9am - 5pm

Railway Triangle

For sale: Natives, Exotics, Bulbs And more

Enquiries:

Phone 0438855159

Email frankie@theplantpeople.com.au



WESTERN EYRE UNITING CHURCH

NEW SERIES STARTING THIS MONTH

This month we kick off a new series called *Bodyworks* - exploring the unique ways God has created and gifted us, the power of God's Spirit in our daily living, and identifying ways to serve using those God-given gifts. *Bodyworks* will extend far beyond our weekend church services, with the opportunity to



explore weekly themes in a daily devotional booklet and regular small groups. Groups will meet weekly and be kick starting across the district at various times and locations from mid-June. If you would like to participate in *Bodyworks* in any way, please contact us. We invite you to our launch service in Cummins on Sunday June 12th. *Rev Matthew Carratt*

CUMMINS / YEELANNA CONGREGATION SERVICE TIMES

Sunday June 5th

Cummins - 10:00am Scott Mickan

Yeelanna - 5:00pm Rev Matthew Carratt

Sunday June 12th

Bodyworks—Week 1: The Uniqueness of You

10:00am Combined Western Eyre Service @ Cummins

Rev Matthew Carratt, HC

Sunday June 19th

Bodyworks—Week 2: The Power To Serve

Cummins—10:00am Judy Hurrell

Yeelanna—10:00am Ben Pugsley

Sunday June 26th

Bodyworks—Week 3: Discovering Spiritual Gifts

10:00am Cummins/Yeelanna Combined @ Yeelanna

Rev Matthew Carratt

Sunday July 3rd

Bodyworks—Week 4: Unwrapping the Gifts

Cummins - 10:00am, speaker TBA

Yeelanna - 5:00pm Rev Matthew Carratt

Note: The Bodyworks series will take a 2 week break over school holidays before recommencing on Sunday July 24th and concluding Sunday July 31st.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE...

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) - school terms fortnightly, 9:30-11:30am

Wednesday June 8th - *'Sparks in the Laboratory'* - Erma Mayes

Wednesday June 22nd - *'Crazy Hormones?'* - Jeanette Pugsley

Wednesday July 6th - MOPS in the Railway Triangle

For more information contact Mary-anne Mickan on 8676 2689 or 0428 514 312



XRoad Kids Club - school terms fortnightly, after school 'til 5:30pm

Friday June 3rd

Friday June 17th

Friday July 1st



Youth Group - for Year 8+. Supper provided.

Friday June 3rd - [Reverse] Bunny Chase. See notice >

Friday June 17th - Movie Night 7:00-10:00pm

Friday June 24th - Regional Youth Service—more details soon

Friday July 1st - Op Shop Formal/Progressive Tea 7:00-10:00pm

[Reverse] Bunny Chase

The chase is on, and this time you become the bunny!

A great night out for all youth in Year 8+.
Meet 7:00pm this Friday (June 3rd) at Cummins Uniting Church, return by 10:00pm.
Supper provided. Bring warm clothes and a torch.

A Cummins & Tumby Bay Youth Group event.
Contact Matthew Carratt on 0438 856 167 for more information.

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 Julie Maxwell (Office Administrator) / 8676 6008 / weyreuc@bigpond.net.au



Southern hairy-nosed wombat community workshops

A public workshop to present information on the ecology and management of local wombat populations, and collect information from local landholders about wombats and agriculture in their area.

Speakers include researchers and land managers from Zoos SA's Conservation Ark, The University of Adelaide, the Department for Environment and Natural Resources.

All landowners, managers and residents are invited to attend:

Your input is important to find solutions and enable co-existence between wombats and agriculture

Elliston: Monday 20th June 2011 @ Elliston Football Club; 5pm – 8pm

Cummins: Wednesday 22nd June 2011 @ Cummins Hall; 5pm – 8pm

Includes BBQ dinner

please RSVP for catering purposes

For more information please contact Dr Elisa Sparrow:

esparrow@zuossa.com.au or (08) 8230 1321

If you cannot attend the workshops and interested in this issue and how you can assist please contact Elisa



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Cummins Connection

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carom@dclep.sa.gov.au

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carom@dclep.sa.gov.

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