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Community News

LIGHTING THE FUTURE OF STREAKY BAY

Now that the excitement of the first official night game under the lights has settled, we'd like to take a moment to reflect on what an incredible achievement this project has been for our community.

What started as the challenge of replacing ageing and unsafe light towers has become one of the biggest community projects our Complex has undertaken in years.

Thanks to the support of grant funding bodies, local businesses, volunteers, contractors, community groups, and countless community members, Streaky Bay Oval now has a modern lighting system that will benefit our community for many years to come.

These lights are about so much more than football. They create opportunities for night games, training, community events, increased participation, and greater use of our facilities. Community sporting precincts are often the heart of country towns, bringing people together, supporting active lifestyles, and creating lifelong memories.

The first official night game under the lights on Saturday 30th May between the Hawks and Wirrulla was a fitting way to celebrate this milestone. With perfect weather, a fantastic crowd, great football, and a wonderful atmosphere around the grounds, it was a night many of us won't forget. Seeing the oval come alive under lights and the community come together to enjoy the occasion was something truly special.

This project is the result of years of planning, fundraising, grant applications, volunteer labour, and community support. It is proof of what can be achieved when local volunteers, community organisations, businesses, funding partners, and supporters work together towards a shared vision.

A special thank you to the SANFL Infrastructure Development Team and Sports Lighting SA for their guidance and expertise throughout the planning and development of the project. We also gratefully acknowledge the support of the Office for Sport and Recreation SA, SANFL Facilities Fund, District Council of Streaky Bay, Bay Community Op Shop, West Coast Hawks Football Netball Club, and the Streaky Bay and District Community Complex, whose investment and commitment helped turn this vision into reality.

A huge thank you to everyone who contributed their time, expertise, equipment, fundraising efforts, and support throughout the project. Whether you wrote grants, donated resources, volunteered your time, purchased an auction item, or simply supported the project along the way, this achievement belongs to our entire community.

LIGHTING THE FUTURE OF STREAKY BAY

Community Recognition

Behind every successful community project are people who quietly put in countless hours behind the scenes, often without seeking recognition.

As we celebrate the completion of the Streaky Bay Oval Lighting Project, we would like to acknowledge two people whose dedication, expertise, and commitment were instrumental in bringing this vision to life, Penny Williams and Mark Dolling.

Penny spent countless hours researching funding opportunities, preparing grant applications, gathering supporting information, and navigating the paperwork required to secure funding for the project. Her persistence and dedication played a significant role in turning what seemed like an ambitious dream into a reality.

Mark brought invaluable expertise and leadership to the installation phase of the project. From planning and coordination through to overseeing the works, Mark generously contributed an enormous amount of time and knowledge. His willingness to share his skills and lead much of the project ensured the project was delivered to an exceptionally high standard.

Projects of this scale simply don't happen without people like Penny and Mark who are willing to go above and beyond for their community.

On behalf of the Streaky Bay and District Community Complex and the wider community, thank you both for the incredible contribution you have made.

Your hard work has created a lasting legacy that will benefit our community for generations to come.







National Reconciliation Week at Streaky Bay Children's Centre

On Wednesday, May 27th, we gathered as children, families, educators, community members, and honoured guests on beautiful Wirangu Country to recognise and celebrate National Reconciliation Week.

We warmly welcomed our children and families, whose presence reminds us that reconciliation begins with learning, listening, and walking together from the very earliest years.

A very special and heartfelt thank you to Jaylene Ware, who welcomed us onto Wirangu Country, and to Aunty Susie Betts, who guided us through a cleansing smoking ceremony, sharing with us an important cultural practice of healing, connection, and respect.

It was also wonderful to welcome Mayor Travis Barber, whose support—alongside our ever-generous and community-minded council—helped make our flag raising possible. Through council grants, they funded our beautiful new flagpoles and then generously installed them in kind. We are deeply grateful for this commitment to helping us create a space where culture, respect, and belonging can be proudly visible every day.
This year's National Reconciliation Week theme, "All In," is a powerful reminder that reconciliation is not a spectator sport. It asks all Australians to commit wholeheartedly—to be active participants in creating a future built on justice, equality, understanding, and respect.

Reconciliation is not the responsibility of First Nations peoples alone. It belongs to all of us—our families, our schools, our workplaces, and our communities. It lives in our willingness to learn about our shared histories, to listen deeply, to have brave conversations, and to walk alongside one another with open hearts.

At Streaky Bay Children's Centre, we believe this journey begins with our children. Before morning tea, our kindy children began our ceremony with an Acknowledgement of Country, honouring the Traditional Custodians of this land and showing us, that respect can be taught, learned, and lived from a very young age.

Their voices remind us of hope. They remind us that reconciliation is not just something we talk about—it is something we practise, together. As we gathered and celebrated on Wirangu Country, we honoured the oldest living culture in the world and reflected on what reconciliation truly means: truth, respect, and connection.

Community members then continued the day's celebrations with a gathering at Calpatanna Conservation Park, where people came together to further reflect on the meaning of reconciliation through culture, connection, and shared experiences on Country. Everyone was invited to plant a tree, symbolising growth, hope, and our shared commitment to caring for both community and Country for future generations.

Guests also gathered to share roo tail and damper, enjoying the opportunity to yarn, connect, and learn from one another in a relaxed and welcoming environment. We are grateful to National Parks and Wildlife, the Eyre Peninsula Landscape Board, and the Streaky Bay Our Culture, Our Future Committee for their support in creating such a meaningful opportunity for community members to come together on Country during National Reconciliation Week.

The gathering at Calpatanna was a beautiful reminder that reconciliation grows through coming together, sharing experiences, and creating spaces where culture is celebrated, respected, and valued by all.

As we move forward, we encourage everyone to pause and ask themselves: **How can I be all in?**

Thank you to Streaky Bay Area School reception and grade 1 children and Busy Kids children and staff for joining us and for being part of this important journey.









Council support of reconciliation in community

On behalf of Reconciliation Action Plan working group, NAIDOC Committee, Streaky Bay Children's Centre, Streaky Bay Area School and community, we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude for the incredible support Council continues to provide toward reconciliation and community connection within Streaky Bay.

Over the past five years, this support has continued to grow, and we deeply value the genuine commitment Council has shown toward supporting our community on a journey of reconciliation. The funding and in-kind support for the kindergarten flagpoles, including their installation, is a lasting symbol of respect, recognition, and shared commitment to reconciliation. Seeing the flags proudly displayed within our learning environment and our community support important conversations and foster a strong sense of belonging for children, families, and visitors alike.

We are also sincerely grateful for Council's ongoing support of our NAIDOC Week initiatives and wellbeing projects, including:

Commitment to the purchase and installation of A0 signage with steel frame support through the Wellbeing Project.

Contribution of up to $2,000 toward signage and installation of the Susie Betts artwork at Pioneer Par.k
Agreement from the Works Team to install the signage and create a suitable structure for the clay tile display.

Support from the Visitor Information Centre to display the original artwork for public viewing.

Confirmation of $2,000 funding from Council toward NAIDOC activities.

Confirmation of the supper room/hall and kitchen facilities for Community Day activities.

Confirmation of use of the supper room/hall for a future movie night event.

Council staff support for the set up and pack down of the inflatable cinema.

Assistance from the Wellbeing Hub Project Officer during the Community Day activities.

Support toward securing Kevin Kropinyeri for the comedy show and exhibition event, including payment of the $5,000 deposit while external grant funding is pursued.

Investigated further Cultural Awareness training as a request from the committee

Visitor centre meeting space, fee waivers for NAIDOC Committee meetings.

Support and encouragement of Aboriginal artists artwork and artifacts showcased/for purchase at the VC.

These contributions are more than financial or logistical support — they are a demonstration of genuine commitment to celebrating Aboriginal culture, strengthening relationships, and creating opportunities for community learning and connection.

We are especially excited about the Pioneer Park artwork and signage project. Sharing the story and cultural meaning behind Susie Betts' artwork in such a public and respectful way creates an important opportunity for education, reflection, and pride within our community.

Thank you also for advising us of Council's Grants Program opening in July 2026. We appreciate the encouragement and will certainly explore opportunities for future community events and reconciliation initiatives in 2027.

We value the strong partnership between Council, community organisations, and local families, and we are incredibly thankful for the care, generosity, and collaborative spirit shown throughout this process.
With sincere thanks,

On behalf RAP Working Group

Community News

THE BAY COMMUNITY OP SHOP

$62 060 given back

In May we held our annual distribution of funds back to the community. We are so pleased to be able to announce that this year we have given back $62060 to 31 various groups, events and clubs within the Streaky Bay district. A list of recipients is displayed in the shop.

This brings a total of $183 863 for the four years we have been operating.

This is only possible because of the generous donations of time and goods by community members. We sincerely thank everyone who has contributed to the success of the op shop with your support.

Increased space

You may have also noticed that we have increased the size of the shop and therefore have a lot more available for purchase on the shop floor. More space means that we can take small items of furniture (in good condition) and can display more bulky items.

Special thanks to the Colin Brougham, Jim Lange, Jay who mended and painted where needed and the Hawks football fellas who all helped with the heavier items.

This is currently a work in progress as we decide how different areas are best displayed. Please come in and enjoy watching the new area become somewhere special. Thanks to the Men's Shed there is even our original seat to sit on if you are waiting for a friend to complete their browsing,

AGM

Our AGM was held on Monday June 15th at Sue Montgomerie's home.

The new committee members are: President Sue Montgomerie, Vice President Judy Smith, Secretary Wendy Carcuro, Treasurer Caroline Lange, Assistant Treasurer Julie Wild, Committee members - Denise Brougham, Sandy McElligott.

Thank you especially to Chris Williams for her contribution to the committee over the past years.

We all look forward to an exciting year ahead as we see the new space evolve.

Wendy Carcuro is now the contact person for the Op Shop.

Emails go to baycommunityopshop@gmail.com



STREAKY BAY SENIOR CITIZENS HOMES INC.

In 1970 it was identified by the Streaky Bay Community that due to an ageing population, and a trend for retirees to relocate to towns such as Streaky Bay, an urgent need existed for a Low Care facility for ageing citizens within the Streaky Bay Council District area.
A planning Committee was formed and fundraising started. Streaky Bay Senior Citizens Homes Incorporated was incorporated on 11th July 1974.

After 10 years of Fundraising, some generous donations of land, and a subsidy granted by the Department of Social Security, the building of Elmhaven was commenced and the first residents moved in on 27th November 1983.
The board of Streaky Bay Senior Citizens Home Inc (the Board) were entrusted to oversee the management of Elmhaven and develop future directions to meet care and housing needs for ageing citizens of the Community.

In 1990 the need for independent living units for senior citizens and people with disability, strategically located to access care and medical facilities, was identified by the Board.
After several significant donations of land and funds, from the community, individual donors and bank loans, the Board organised the building of 2 independent living units specifically for senior citizens.
In 1999, a significant bequest and funds held in a Resource Investment Portfolio allowed for the building of an additional 2 independent living units.

In 2000 Senior Citizens Homes Inc amalgamated with Mid-West Health to co-manage Elmhaven.
Negotiations with Ausbulk in 2004 resulted in the Board purchasing additional land and subsequently building more Independent Living Units. We currently have 11 Independent Living Units.
In 2008 it was decided that Elmhaven was not considered a Core Business for Streaky Bay Senior Citizens Home Inc and processes were initiated to separate assets.

By 2010, and after the Transforming Health initiative and changes to the Health Act in South Australia, the licence to operate Elmhaven was given Mid-West Health and Aged Care Incorporated.
All the Independent Living Units and land were retained by the Senior Citizens Homes Inc and remain the assets of the Streaky Bay Community administered by the Board and managed under the guidelines of the Retirement Villages Act 2016.

We have an ageing community. The demand for this type of affordable independent living with the added benefits of upkeep, repairs, maintenance and gardening etc, at a small additional cost each week, is now in high demand.

We currently have more than 15 people on our books seeking this kind of living arrangements, but we have no units available.
We are exploring opportunities to acquire suitable land with easy access to the town and facilities to begin building new units as part of ensuring our ageing citizens are able to access affordable, comfortable and purpose-built accommodation.

Our Board has worked hard to keep this village updated, accessible and affordable, and Community engagement and support to identify future needs for these types of accommodation options for the ageing members of our community is vital.

We are open to explore any philanthropic and benevolent bequest opportunities from members of the Community, donations of land, development assistance and co-operative development partnerships.

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MENS SHED

First up the Men's Shed would like to thank the Streaky Bay Hotel board of Directors for allocating some money from recent grants for us to buy new equipment for the Men's Shed. We intend to purchase a new lathe and some accessories for sharpening chisels with this money.
We would also like to thank the Perlubie Sports Day committee for their generous donation.

On the 5th of June we had Damien Carter CEO of the council visit us a to give us some indication of what the councils future plans are for the Men's shed. Damien answered many questions relating to the Shed as well as happenings around the town. This was followed by a BBQ.

On Friday the 12th of June we had one of our best attendances for a long time. 16 members and 2 visitors.

Then on the 19th of June our numbers were down with people away on holidays or out of town for appointments. This day sadly was Jordy Robinsons last day with us as he has found a full-time job with Angel Oysters. Jordy was born in Alice Springs, Family and homeland is Docker River about 3hrs from Uluru towards the WA border. Jordy has been a great help at the shed and will be missed. All the best Jordy.

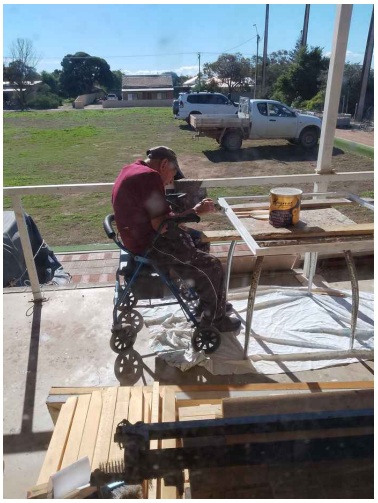
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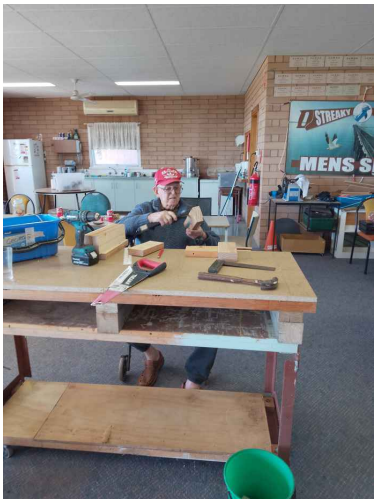
Thanks to members Bernie Evans and John O'Brien for making a new work bench for us to use.
Thanks to Colin Sweet (Havachat) for cleaning up some clamps that we had given to us.
Thanks to Bob and Christine Woolner from the Anglican Church for donating some shelving and other items. Also, Peter Jans for donating a large fridge.

From a work side we have been given some 3 fly wire screens to do up.
We are doing up 3 seats from outside the Catholic church and also been asked to make some Xmas trees for someone else.

Two pictures show two of our oldest persons in Jim Clarke and George Gardner.
Jim does most of our painting while George has been working on a project for himself which is a chair.

If there are any new males in town that would like to visit/join the Men's Shed, we are open each Friday from 9.00am till 3.30pm. Drop in for a coffee. We are located in the old bowls club on Montgomerie Tce.





PROBUS

Vice President Bryony chaired this month's Probus meeting in my absence.

Members enjoyed a fascinating presentation by Bob and Christine Woolner titled "Where Have the Woolners Been?" Their talk, accompanied by a wonderful collection of photographs, shared the many places they have called home throughout New South Wales and Queensland before settling in Streaky Bay. Bob and Christine also spoke about their active involvement in each community they have lived in, making for an engaging and enjoyable presentation.

The club also hosted two Happy Chat coffee mornings this month. The first, with an Autumn Colours theme, was held at the Streaky Bay Hotel and was well attended by members. The second coincided with the community's Biggest Morning Tea, where members enjoyed a delicious spread while supporting a worthy cause. Congratulations to two of our members who were also lucky enough to win raffle prizes on the day.

Both gatherings were a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the Probus values of Fun, Friendship and Fellowship.

The next Probus meeting will be held on Wednesday, 16 July. New members are always welcome.











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THE BIGGEST MORNING TEA

The Streaky Bay community came together on Tuesday, 23 June, for Australia's Biggest Morning Tea, held in the Supper Room and proudly supported by the District Council of Streaky Bay.

Around 100 people attended the event, enjoying an impressive selection of sweet and savoury treats while raising vital funds for Cancer Council Australia's work in cancer research, prevention, advocacy and support services.

The delicious spread was made possible by the many local residents who donated cakes, muffins, slices and other homemade treats, creating a wonderful atmosphere that reflected the caring nature of our community.

The day also featured two raffle prize draws, with prizes and in-kind donations kindly provided by local businesses, organisations and individuals.

Special thanks go to Foodland, IGA, Elliott's Bakery, Drift Café, Morning Tide Coffee and Food Van, OTFS, The Ochre Robe, Move Pilates and Physiotherapy, Gaia Skin, Streaky Bay Newsagency, and Council staff for their valued support.

Thanks to everyone's contributions, the event raised an outstanding $1,487.40 for Cancer Council Australia.

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who attended, baked, donated, volunteered or supported the event. Your contribution helped make the day a great success and will assist Cancer Council Australia in continuing its important work supporting people affected by cancer.





























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STREAKY BAY NATIONAL TRUST MUSEUM

Steady flow of visitors this month. One couple returning to WA after he competed & was injured at Finke Desert Race. They enjoyed the museum, in the pouring rain, with the benefit of a large umbrella!

Recent project has been to digitalize obituaries & put in alphabetic order, under family names, making information easier to find. Also updating faded newspaper articles.
Some enjoyment digitalizing "Footlights Club" plays. It is believed Peter McNicol is the only member still living in Streaky Bay. Museum has a photo of him & other male members in their 'fairy costumes'.

Oh, how language has changed! Article, written by a local correspondent, District Council Jubilee Day Pageant, May 9th 1951. Had a laugh with the author.
A lengthy story, which could possibly have been written by Margaret Lucas, certainly worth a read. It has been placed in a folder marked "Margaret Lucas" should anyone wish to access it.

Maxine Johnson has named a number of classes of Streaky Bay school students from 1940's. We are proposing to have them scanned, names of students listed & laminate.
Small door installed in "Sentinel" shed due to large door too heavy for some of the volunteers to close.
Wendy has liaised with Kindy to do a puppet show possibly next term when the weather is a bit warmer.
Discovered an article "TRADE PRESERVED" about the Mundy boys: Fred, John, Doug, Alf, Dave & Brian building boats. Interesting, initially they walked through local scrub to find suitable timber.

Email from a descendent of John Henry Smith & Elizabeth Bastian looking for information of Helen Smith. Cemetery records show she died in Streaky Bay 1872 aged 43 years. No plot number or any information. Research by Denise Little from Port Kenny did not reveal any statistics. We will keep searching.

Huge THANK YOU to Jude Wilson for updating our site map & organising printing of it.
Thank you Gary Fisher for a fantastic "OPEN' sign for the main entrance.

Thank you Rob Mont for delivering crusher fines for maintenance team.

Next meeting: 13th July 9.30 am

ST AUGUSTINE'S NEWS

Our news this month is about the wonderful Grace Conference we held on Saturday 20th June. The numbers were small (unfortunately 2 people had to pull out at the last minute due to an emergency) but the message was great. The three talks by Fiona Millar were wonderful and encouraging. The talks were centred on The Book of Revelation and the wonderful vision of Heaven and Jesus' Triumph at the end of the world.

Revelation is a very difficult book to understand, but with Fiona's guidance, it was made very clear. It was a great time of fellowship, singing and learning – and eating! As you can see, we ate well! The Grace Conference runs annually in Adelaide in May, and along with several other rural areas, we were privileged to have been able to show the videos of Fiona's talks in a Rural Hub setting.

The Shed in Phillip Street:
Unfortunately, The Shed is now in recess until a future date.
A BIG THANK YOU to all those who have given goods in the past and to those who have engaged in the sorting and selling items to help our community. Your help has been appreciated by many in our town, and further afield, as travellers came through Streaky Bay.

Please do not leave clothing or anything else for the Op Shop at The Shed in Phillip Street.
Our excess stock of clothing has finally found good homes – some to the parents of pre-schoolers and some to the Aboriginal group at Yalata. Thanks to Elese and her friends.
The excess books have been donated to the Streaky Bay District Council to assist with setting up new Book Exchanges in Baird Bay, Haslem, and Wirrulla.

The Men's Shed received bookcases, storage shelves, containers, outdoor table and stools, fish filleting boards (AKA ironing boards) and lots of other bits and pieces.
The Community Garden received climbing frames for vegetables, and The Bay Community Op Shop has received several donations of clothes and shelving.

We are now heading off on a break as part of our month-on month-off routine during which we will be attending a family gathering in Swan Hill.

Rev'ds Bob and Christine Woolner.







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COUNTRY AND OUTBACK HEALTH EVENT

Our Walk, Move & Stay Well event at the Jetty platform held at the Streaky Bay foreshore with Adelaide University students focused on healthy ageing, including falls prevention, foot health, diabetes education, strength and balance activities, and a community jetty walk.

Six community members attended and provided very positive feedback, describing the session as enjoyable, educational and valuable. The small group setting allowed for personalised advice and strong engagement between participants, students and health professionals.








INDOOR BOWLS

Presentation of five birthday cakes in five weeks must be a record for the Streaky Bay Indoor Bowling Club. There were two on 27/5, two on 17/6, and one big, big cake on 10/6.
In between, on 3/6, the club welcomed Jordon Robinson to membership. Previously, Jordy had bowled under the visitor banner.

Bowlers celebrating birthdays were Chris N. (5/5), Joylene (15/5), Nicki (14/6) and Sandy (17/6). See photos.
The fabulous big cake on 10/6 (see photo) was to celebrate 11 years of indoor bowling in the clubhouse. Twenty-five bowlers attended the celebration afternoon, where a choice of three hot soups and crusty bread was served for lunch.

Also on 10/6, the innovation of score cards commenced on a one-month trial period. The idea is to replace the blackboard method and reduce mistakes. Mat play numbers and win/loss results will continue to be noted on the board as usual.

Shots incurring penalties have been on the rise, with as many as 13 recorded on 17/6—almost double the previous total. However, none of the winning teams listed below were beneficiaries. Three teams won all of their games, while two required a shots count to determine the winners.

Winning teams were:
May 27: Tony, Betty, Paul
June 3: Marlene, Sandy, John
June 10: Lyn, Raylene, Jim P., Paul
June 17: Sandy, Nicki, Thip, John
June 24: Marlene, Raylene, Thip, Julie






LONGEST TABLE LUNCHEON

The longest table lunch event will be held again this year on July 26th.

A 3 course meal for $60.00 per person at the Community Complex at 12pm.

Theme of the day is Pretty in Pink

Total runds raised to date in excess of $70,000
All funds go to The Hospital Research Group (Cancer Research)

There will be an online auction on Facebook early July with some absolutely amazing things to bid on, also another auction on the day of the lunch.

The Streakers of Poetry Bay will provide some entertainment on the day of the lunch.

Prizes for best dressed, door prizes, and raffles.

If you would like to attend the lunch please contact me on 0427 266 934 or book through the Facebook link, finding Table name Pretty in Pink in Streaky Bay and quoting luncheon where there is a reference.

Sue Montgomerie

Council News

FROM THE CEO'S DESK

Update on Local Government Election Changes

You may have seen recent announcements regarding changes to the timing of local government elections in South Australia. Understandably, this has raised questions across the community about what has changed, why it has occurred, and what it means locally.

It is important to be clear from the outset that this decision was not made by Council. The change to the election timetable has occurred through State Parliament, following a request from the Acting Electoral Commissioner. Councils across South Australia, including the District Council of Streaky Bay, are now working through what the changes mean in practical terms.

By way of background, the next local government elections were originally scheduled for November 2026. However, following the March 2026 State Election and First Nations Voice to Parliament Election, an independent external review was commenced into the Electoral Commission of South Australia's delivery of those elections.

The Acting Electoral Commissioner subsequently advised the State Government that additional time was needed before conducting the next periodic local government elections. This request was made in the context of ensuring the Electoral Commission had sufficient time to consider the outcomes of the review, address implementation matters, and prepare for the complexity of local government elections.

Local government elections are significant undertakings. They involve many councils, wards, candidates, ballot papers and local arrangements across the State. While councils play an important role in supporting local election processes and providing information to communities, the administration of the election itself is managed by the Electoral Commission of South Australia.

FROM THE CEO'S DESK CONTINUED...

Based on the information currently available, the changes mean:

- Voting for the next local government elections will close at 5:00 pm on Wednesday 7 April 2027.
- The following local government elections will be held in November 2031, with elections returning to a four-year cycle from that point onwards.
- Councils will still be able to undertake the necessary steps to develop and consult on their 2026–27 Annual Business Plans and Budgets, even where this may otherwise conflict with a council caretaker policy.
- Regulation-making powers have been included in the legislation to help manage implementation and transitional matters, including situations where council vacancies may affect quorum.

We appreciate that changes to election timing can create uncertainty, particularly for community members, potential candidates and those who follow local government closely. Council's role at this stage is to understand the legislation, consider any local implications, and ensure our community is kept informed.

As the legislation has only just passed, Council is currently working through the details and what this means for our district. We will provide further information to the community once more information becomes available.

In the meantime, Council will continue to focus on delivering services, progressing local priorities, and maintaining clear communication with the community throughout this transition.

Damian Carter
CEO – District Council of Streaky Bay

Community Dates and Meetings

2nd July	NAIDOC Community Day	FREE – All Welcome – Celebrate NAIDOC Week- 10am to 3pm	Streaky Bay Institute
4th July	Live Comedy Night	FREE – Ticket Required – Funniest Night Out! – 8pm to 9pm	The Knife Shop Distillery
7th July – 8th July	Australian Government Mobile Service Centres Bus	Mobile Service Centre – Information and Support	Post Office carpark, Bay Road
8th July	NAIDOC Movie Night	FREE – All Welcome 4pm - Storm Boy 6pm - Australian Dream 8.15pm - The Tracker	Streaky Bay Institute
30 June - 9th July	Women and Letters Exhibition	FREE – All Welcome – Exploring the Lost and Found – Monday to Friday - 9am to 5 pm	Visitor Centre
15th July	Streaky Bay School Holiday Cinema	The Magic Faraway tree - 2pm	Visitor Centre
16th July		Lilo Stitch (2025) - 2pm	Visitor Centre
17th July		The school of rock - 2pm	Visitor Centre
18th July	Skinny Productions Event	Body Positivity Musical - 7pm	Streaky Bay Institute
24th July	Tea & Walk	Move and Connect	Foreshore
July 25th	Save the Waves Film Festival	FREE Admission – 6pm to 10pm	Streaky Bay Institute

Meals on Wheels Roster

Monday	Jun 29th	C Boylan & A Tivy	Monday	Jul 20th	T & K Johnson
Tuesday	Jun 30th	D Brougham & N Mayhew	Tuesday	Jul 21st	J Smith & F Carroll
Wednesday	Jul 1st	K Brace & A Goddard	Wednesday	Jul 22nd	K Trezona & L Dunchue
Thursday	Jul 2nd	G & M Lee	Thursday	Jul 23rd	K Brace & A Goddard
Friday	Jul 3rd	B Fox & J Hollitt	Friday	Jul 24th	G Banks & B Black
Monday	Jul 6th	K Trezona & G Oswald	Monday	Jul 27th	L & V Amey
Tuesday	Jul 7th	P Pudney & E Williams	Tuesday	Jul 28th	S Male & K Moroney
Wednesday	Jul 8th	N Smith & G Sincock	Wednesday	Jul 29th	P Pudney & E Williams
Thursday	Jul 9th	G & H Georgiou	Thursday	Jul 30th	K Amey & R Fiebig
Friday	Jul 10th	S Montgomerie & K Johnson	Friday	Jul 31st	C Milburn & H Scantlebury
Monday	Jul 13th	K Amey & R Fiebig	Monday	Aug 3rd	A & S Bignell
Tuesday	Jul 14th	B Fox & M Hood	Tuesday	Aug 4th	R Giles & K Trezona
Wednesday	Jul 15th	P Wyatt & K Johnson	Wednesday	Aug 5th	L Lewis & P Hogan
Thursday	Jul 16th	G & M Lee	Thursday	Aug 6th	R Smith & A Kelsh
Friday	Jul 17th	C Boylan & A Tivy	Friday	Aug 7th	N Smith & G Sincock

Please make your own swap or contact Karen on 0427100350 or Email: trezonakaren@gmail.com

JOB VACANCY

Parks and Gardens Worker
(Full Time Ongoing)

The District Council of Streaky Bay is seeking an interested person who would like to join our team as a Parks and Gardens Worker.

The successful applicant will support the maintenance and presentation of Council's parks, gardens, reserves, cemeteries, recreational areas, streetscapes and public open spaces as required. This includes mowing, whipper snipping, edging, weeding, pruning, planting, watering and other routine horticultural and open space maintenance activities.

You will also assist with the general maintenance of Council infrastructure, public facilities and amenities. You will be a valued member of the Infrastructure Team and will positively contribute to delivering safe, clean and attractive public spaces for the community and visitors to the town.

The applicant must be able to work within a diverse workforce and contribute and align with Councils strategic vision and pillars. A Position Description can be obtained from the District Council of Streaky Bay Office or via the Council website www.streakybay.sa.gov.au.

Applications should include:

- Cover Letter: Outlining relevant experience & licences
- Resume: Including details of two current referees.

Closing Date is 5:00pm on Sunday, 12 July 2026.

Please address applications to the General Manager of Business, PO Box 179, Streaky Bay SA 5680 or email hr@streakybay.sa.gov.au and clearly mark with Parks & Gardens Worker

Ph: 08 8626 1001

JOB VACANCY

Parks and Garden Supervisor – Urban Services
(Fixed-Term Leave Coverage Contract)

The District Council of Streaky Bay is seeking an interested person who would like to join our team as a Parks and Garden Supervisor.

The successful applicant will provide leadership and coordination across a range of Council urban services, including parks, gardens, public facilities, infrastructure maintenance, plant and equipment, Community Waste Management Scheme (CWMS) operations and aerodrome compliance and maintenance.

The position provides day-to-day leadership and support to operational staff, ensuring services are delivered safely, efficiently and in accordance with legislative requirements, Council policies and community expectations. The role requires strong technical knowledge, practical problem-solving skills and the ability to co-ordinate resources, manage competing priorities and contribute to the ongoing improvement of Council assets and services.

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THE WEST COAST JUSTICE GROUP NEED YOUR HELP.

The West Coast Justices Group is urgently seeking more volunteer Justices of the Peace (JPs) to serve our local communities across the West Coast — including Streaky Bay, Wudinna, Ceduna, and surrounding areas.

Due to the vast size of our region and a decline in available JPs, many residents are experiencing long delays and travel times just to access essential witnessing and certification services. Our small but dedicated team of JPs is stretched thin — and **we need your help.**

HELP SERVE THE COMMUNITY BY:

- Witnessing documents
- Verifying identity documents
- Taking Affidavits and Statutory Declarations
- and much more!

For more information, please contact:

Chairman John Rumbelow JP:
0400 222 929
johngrumbelow1950@gmail.com

Secretary Susan (Sue) Rumbelow JP:
0427 468 000
susanrumbelow73@gmail.com

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

STREAKY BAY COMMUNITY HOTELS LTD
NOMINATION OF DIRECTORS

Applications are invited for the election of three (3) Directors of Streaky Bay Community Hotels Ltd.
Nominations must be made in writing and be duly nominated and seconded by members of the Company.

To be eligible for nomination, a nominee must:

*Have been a member of the Company for at least 24 months; and

*Be an elector within the District Council of Streaky Bay.

Nominations must be received by the Company Secretary no later than 5.00 pm on Friday, 14 August 2026.

Directors P. McEvoy, G. Redding and C. Boylan retire by effluxion of time. All are eligible for re-election and offer themselves accordingly.

Nominations should be forwarded to:
Company Secretary
Streaky Bay Community Hotels Ltd
PO Box 240
Streaky Bay SA 5680

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

Have your Say

Community Engagement Policy

Council is committed to open, accountable and responsive decision making, supported by effective communication and engagement with the community.

Council is seeking feedback on its **Community Engagement Policy**, which sets out how Council will undertake public consultation and engage with the community in accordance with the **Local Government Act 1999** and the **Community Engagement Charter.**

Community engagement is an important part of good decision making. It helps Council develop informed decisions and policies that reflect local needs, priorities and aspirations.

Council's community includes people who live, work, study, own property, operate a business, visit, or use services, facilities, public spaces and places within the Council area. It also includes communities of place, interest, affiliation, practice or identity, such as industry groups, sporting clubs and community organisations.

The policy outlines Council's approach to providing reasonable, timely and meaningful opportunities for the community to access information, participate in consultation processes and provide feedback on matters where public consultation is required.

Consultation period:
Consultation will open on **22 June 2026** and will conclude at **5.00pm on 13 July 2026.**

How to provide feedback
Written feedback can be submitted by:
Email: dcstreaky@streakybay.sa.gov.au
Post: Council Office, PO Box 179, Streaky Bay SA 5680

For further information, please contact: **Penny Williams, General Manager Prosperity**, on 08 8626 1001.

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

PUBLIC NOTICE

Hard Waste Disposal Week

Attention all ratepayers and residents!
Embrace the opportunity of a complimentary hard waste week happening from:

TUESDAY, 14TH JULY TO SATURDAY, 18TH JULY 2026

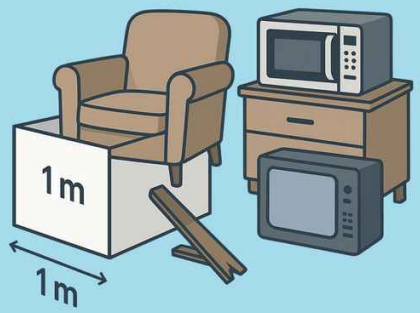
Make use of this occasion to dispose of your hard waste at the Streaky Bay Waste Transfer Station at absolutely no cost. If you require assistance transporting your waste, please call Council on 8626 1001 to discuss alternate options.

ACCEPTED ITEMS FOR FREE DISPOSAL INCLUDE:
- Fridges, freezers, air conditioners (must be degassed)
- Household white goods (e.g. washing machines, stoves)
- Household furniture (cupboards, chairs, bed frames only)
- General household materials (e.g. doors, kitchen sinks)
- Electrical appliances (e.g. TVs)
- Scrap metal and timber
- Rolled-up carpet

ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ACCEPTED:
- General household waste
- Mattresses
- Commercial waste
- Liquid waste (e.g. motor oil paint)
- Concrete, bricks, rock, dirt, sand
- Gas bottles, asbestos
- Ammunition/explosives
- Car bodies, car parts, tyres

KINDLY NOTE:
- Strictly no household rubbish; hard waste items only.
- Please ensure items are sorted appropriately.

PERMISSIBLE QUANTITY:
- Up to one cubic metre (approximately equivalent to a 6 x 4 trailer, without a cage)
- Or, 1x Three-seater sofa
- Or, 2x White goods



TRANSFER STATION OPENING HOURS

MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY	9.00am - 12.30pm & 1.30 - 4.30pm
WEDNESDAY	9.00am - 1.00pm
THURSDAY	CLOSED
FRIDAY	9.00am - 12.30pm & 1.30 - 4.30pm
SATURDAY	8.00am - 1.00pm
SUNDAY	CLOSED



DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

SURPLUS EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Council is selling off surplus equipment from its Waste Transfer Station.



ITEM 1:
Prosort Sorting Table with Wheelie Bin Lifter Attachment.
Unused and excellent condition.

OFFERS BETWEEN $2,500 - $3,000



ITEM 2:
Forklift Bale Clamp Attachment.
In used fair operating condition, has a hydraulic hose leak

OFFERS BETWEEN $3,000 - $4,000



ITEM 3:
4 x Stainless Steel 120litre Bin Enclosures.
In reasonable condition but will require new door locking mechanisms.

FOR SALE BY EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

For further information or to submit an EOI, please contact Michelle Hutchison, Waste Services Team Leader via phone on 08 8626 1001 or email HutchisonMichelle@streakybay.sa.gov.au

EOI CLOSES FRIDAY, 31 JULY 2026

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

Australian Government | Services Australia



Australian Government mobile service centres

Serving regional Australia

Visit the mobile service centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

We can also help veterans and their families connect to the Department of Veterans' Affairs phone line and online services.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

STREAKY BAY

Tuesday, 7 July 2026 11 am to 4 pm

Wednesday, 8 July 2026 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

Post Office car park, Bay Road

For more information, go to **servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice**

IS YOUR PROPERTY...

GAZANIA FREE?



Gazania is a declared weed that spreads quickly, smothering native plants and reducing wildlife habitat. Remove it from your property and help protect our region—and get rewarded for it!

If you live in, or own a home or business within, the District Council of Streaky Bay, you can take part in this **free event and swap your removed gazanias for local native plants** that are waterwise, resilient and attractive to birds, butterflies and other wildlife.

What you need to do

✅ **Remove gazania** from your property (by hand or herbicide – contractors OK)

✅ **Take photos** or keep records (removed plants, invoices, spray records)

✅ **Dispose responsibly** – bag plants and take to the dump or roadside bin (don't move weeds elsewhere)

✅ **Register online** and submit your photos/records

PLANT COLLECTION DATES:

27 July or 3 August

You'll head home with:

🌿 A base pack of sheoaks + groundcovers (numbers are based on property size)

🌱 Additional plants available to suit your property

REGISTER NOW TO SECURE YOUR PLANTS!

Use the QR code or link below to register:

https://forms.office.com/r/pj3NZwmwSf

Contact the Streaky Bay Office for further assistance: 08 8626 1101

LANDSCAPE SOUTH AUSTRALIA EYRE PENINSULA

We're rewarding local landholders with free native plants as part of our revegetation program under the Drooping Sheoak Project and our partnership with the DC Streaky Bay under the gazania management plan 🌱

EVERY STUDENT needs SOMEONE in their CORNER.

Could that someone be you?

STREAKY BAY AREA SCHOOL

MENTORING PROGRAM

Building connections. Changing lives.



JUST ONE HOUR A WEEK
DURING SCHOOL TERM
BETWEEN : 9.15AM -2.55PM

Share an hour & change a student's life

As a mentor you might:

- Share a hobby or skill
- Go for a walk and chat
- Play a game or complete a project together
- Help a student build confidence and social skills
- Learn from each other and create meaningful connections

You don't need teaching experience!

All you need is:

- A willingness to listen and connect
- create a positive & supportive relationship
- One hour per week during school hours

WE'VE GOT YOUR BACK!

We will support you every step of the way.

We assist with:

- Applying for a Working with Children Clearance if you don't already have one
- Provide resources and ongoing support

You'll never be alone — we're here to help you throughout your mentoring journey

Interested?
We'd love to hear from you!

Contact: 8626 1202

Toni Foster
Student Wellbeing Support Officer
Or
Michelle Kelsh
Wellbeing Leader

PAWS UP!

Dog and Cat Registration Both Now Mandatory

Dog and cat registrations for 2026/27 will be available for processing through Dogs and Cats Online after 22nd June 2026. While you can register your dog or cat early you will not receive your Renewal notices before Wednesday 1 July 2026.

CAT REGISTRATION IS NOW MANDATORY within the Streaky Bay council area from 2026/27

As in prior years, registrations for dogs and cats must be completed before 31st August 2026.

- Every dog and cat over 3 months of age must be registered.
- All dogs and cats born after July 2018 are required to be desexed before they are 6 months old or within 28 days of possession. Exemptions do apply.
- All dogs and cats are required to be microchipped prior to 3 months or within 28 days of possession.

Registration fees for dogs have not changed from the previous year.

Registration fees for cats are:

- $5 for standard cats (microchipped and desexed).
- $20 for non-standard cats (not microchipped and/or desexed).
- Concession holders will pay $5 (standard) and $10 (non-standard).

Council partners with the Dog and Cat Management Board and the National Desexing Network to offer owners a heavily discounted rate of $50 to have their cat desexed (conditions apply). Contact the council office for more information.

Dogs and Cats Online (dogsandcatsonline.com.au) is the statewide online system used by all South Australian councils for dog, cat and breeder information. By registering your dog and cat you are helping to keep your pet safe, and our community safe and pet friendly.

Registration only takes a few minutes and can make all the difference for us to re-unite lost pets with their families.

Thank you for your co-operation.

David Francis
General Inspector

DOGSANDCATSONLINE.COM.AU

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay



WOMEN OF LETTERS

Discover a remarkable story of friendship, courage and connection.

EXHIBITION

EXPLORING THE LOST AND FOUND CORRESPONDENCE OF 1947 BETWEEN DAISY BATES AND MARY NORMAN-BAIL

by Christine Goodwin



ARTIST TALK

TUESDAY 30TH JUNE

10.00 – 11.00 AM

Join Christine Goodwin for a talk about the inspiration behind her work.

30 JUNE TO 9 JULY 2026

MONDAY TO FRIDAY
9.00 AM – 5.00 PM
Streaky Bay Visitor Centre

You are invited to a discussion with the artist on Tuesday 30th June 2026 from 10am to 11am at the Streaky Bay Visitor Centre.

Everyone welcome, free and no bookings required

FREE ENTRY

District Council of Streaky Bay

Arts Up

MOVIE NIGHT

Celebrating 50 NAIDOC Week

Wednesday 8 July
Streaky Bay Institute
From 4:00pm



NAIDOC Week Streaky Bay 2026

PROGRAM:

4:00PM - STORM BOY (PG)

6:00PM - AUSTRALIAN DREAM (MA15+)

8:15PM - THE TRACKER (M)

Free Event All Welcome

Streaky Bay South Australia

Bring a chair and/or blanket
Snacks available for purchase

Morning Tide Coffee & Snacks



Save The Waves Film Festival Coming to Streaky Bay

📅 Date: Saturday, 25 July 2026
🕕 Time: 6:00pm – 10:00pm
📍 Venue: Streaky Bay Institute
💲 Cost: Free – everyone welcome

The Fishery Bay Surfing Reserve Committee is excited to bring the Save The Waves Film Festival to Streaky Bay and invites the community to enjoy an inspiring evening celebrating surfing, culture, community, adventure and our connection to the ocean.

The evening will feature a selection of short films from around the world, showcasing incredible waves, diverse cultures, unique coastal communities, and the people whose lives are shaped by the sea. The program will also share the story of Fishery Bay Surfing Reserve and the community efforts that have helped protect and celebrate this special stretch of coastline.

More than a surf movie night, the Save The Waves Film Festival celebrates the places we love and the communities that gather around them. Through storytelling and film, audiences are invited to experience the beauty of our coastlines and the importance of protecting them for future generations.

Whether you're a surfer, ocean enthusiast, environmental advocate, traveller, or simply looking for a great night out, come along for an evening of inspiration, entertainment and connection.

The event is proudly hosted by Fishery Bay Surfing Reserve and supported by the Eyre Peninsula Environment Protection Alliance, Lincoln Surf, and the Streaky Bay District Council.

Bring your friends and family and join us as we celebrate surfing, community, culture and the waves that bring us together.

FREE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

PIZZA MAKING MASTERCLASS

TUESDAY 14TH JULY
TERRACE 24 PIZZA

SESSION 1
5-7years with a parent
(10am to 11.30am)

SESSION 2
5-7years with a parent
(12.15pm to 1.45pm)

SESSION 3
8years +
(2.30pm to 4.00pm)

Call the Streaky Bay Visitor Centre Team at 8626 7033
to book your spot. Limited spaces available

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

adf Alcohol and Drug Foundation
Local Drug Action Team Program

Australian Government

FREE EVENTS

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF Streaky Bay

STREAKY BAY SCHOOL HOLIDAY CINEMA

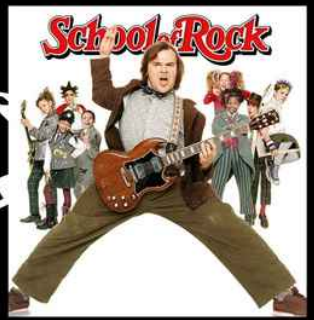
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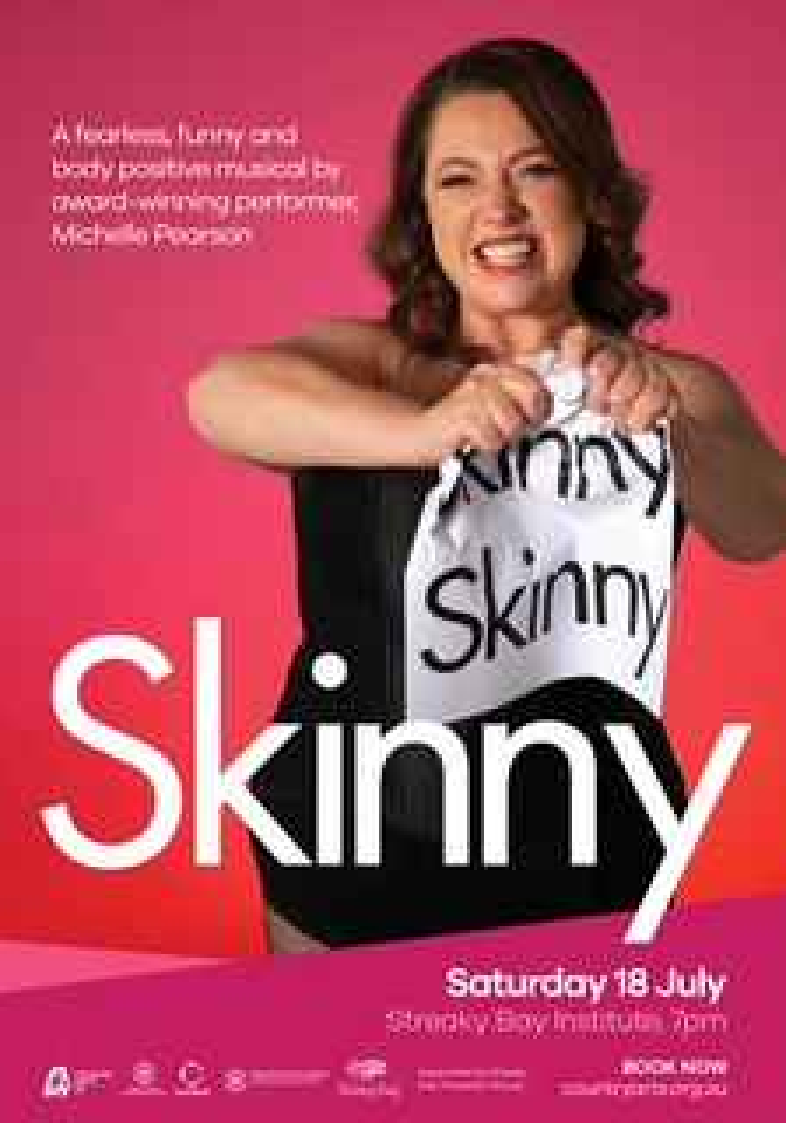
WEDNESDAY 15TH OF JULY
THE MAGIC FARAWAY TREE
2PM



THURSDAY 16TH OF JULY
LILO STITCH (2025)
2PM



FRIDAY 17TH OF JULY
THE SCHOOL OF ROCK
2PM



Government of South Australia
SA Health

SOUTH AUSTRALIA MEDICAL IMAGING

SA Medical Imaging Mobile Bone Density Service

A dedicated Mobile Bone Density Service for rural South Australians.



- NO out-of-pocket expense
- A GP's referral is required for this test

The Mobile Bone Densitometry Service is visiting

STREAKY BAY

31 AUGUST - 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

To make a booking please phone **(08) 7074 5400**

CRAFTERNOON 2026 SCHEDULE

@ THE ART SHACK - 15 SLIDYS RD

SUNDAY - 1PM | 4PM

MARCH - 1ST
CRAFT TASTER | COLLAGE
APRIL - 12TH
MAY- 3RD
JUNE - 14TH
JULY - 5TH
AUGUST - 2ND
SEPTEMBER - 13TH
OCTOBER - 11TH
NOVEMBER - 8TH
DECEMBER - 13TH

Follow ArtsUp on
Insta @arts_streakybay and FB ArtsUp Streaky Bay
to stay in the loop!

46 30

WINDSOR CLUB BUFF LODGE

49 PARK AVENUE STREAKY BAY

BINGO

48

3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

12:30 FOR PROMPT START AT 1 PM

TEA AND COFFEE AVAILABLE
BAR OPEN
SOFT DRINKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE

CASH & MYSTERY PRIZES

48 21

CHILDREN UNDER 18 MUST BE SUPERVISED -
NO CHILD CARE AVAILABLE

FLAVOURS OF STREAKY BAY!

SATURDAY, 10 OCTOBER 2026

COME AND CELEBRATE THE INCREDIBLE LOCAL FOOD, SEAFOOD, AND PRODUCE THAT STREAKY BAY HAS TO OFFER AT THIS COMMUNITY FESTIVAL ON THE FORESHORE.

ENJOY:

~LOCAL FOOD AND SEAFOOD

~DRINKS

~LIVE MUSIC

~KIDS SCAVENGER HUNT

BRING YOUR FAMILY, FRIENDS, AND YOUR APPETITE FOR A GREAT DAY BY THE BAY.

MORE DETAILS COMING SOON

CORAN'S COFFEE 'N' CHROME

In association with

Western Districts Car Club

CHRISTMAS IN JULY



CONTACT CORAN AND TRACY FOR DETAILS

0439 494 344 0447 711 080

Saturday 11th July 2026

9.30am meet across from the Streaky Bay Pub

10am Leaving Streaky Bay for Poochera Roadhouse to meet others from Ceduna

11am leaving Poochera Roadhouse

12 noon Wudinna Hotel for lunch

RSVP for lunch before the 1st July 2026

Save The Date

2026 Art Exhibition

Opening Night

25th September

Entries due Monday 21st September.
More details to come - watch this space.

Arts Up Streaky Bay

STREAKY BAY BUFF LODGE

CAR BOOT SALE

BUFF LODGE

SATURDAY 17th October 2026

Buff Lodge 49 Park Tce

$10.00 Fee per site

Buyers from 10am till 3pm

Sausage sizzle

Cold drinks & Bar facilities

Registration of interest or to pre book a site

PH: Collin 0428 261 715

Geoff 0437 426 196

A Seasonal Guide for Streaky Bay Gardeners

July is typically the coldest month in Streaky Bay, with short days, crisp mornings, and regular winter showers. While growth slows above ground, roots continue developing beneath the surface. It's a great time to maintain the garden, improve soil health, and prepare for the burst of growth that spring will bring.

What to Plant in July

- ool-season vegetables continue to thrive in winter conditions:
- Brassicas: broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, kale
- Leafy greens: spinach, silverbeet, lettuce, rocket
- Root crops: carrots, beetroot, turnips
- Alliums: onions, garlic, leeks, spring onions
- Peas: ideal for winter planting

Tip: Plant in the sunniest part of the garden to maximise winter growth and reduce the risk of fungal issues.

Winter Garden Maintenance

- The combination of cooler temperatures and winter rainfall makes July a good month for general garden upkeep:
- Check drainage after heavy rain
- Top up mulch where needed
- Remove weeds while soil is soft
- Clean and sharpen garden tools
- Add compost to vegetable beds for spring
- Tip: Winter weeds are easier to remove before they establish deep root systems.

Planting Trees and Natives

July is one of the best times to establish trees and native plants:

- Cooler weather reduces transplant stress
- Moist soil encourages strong root growth
- Plants can settle in before spring arrives

Suitable local species include:

- Westringia (coastal rosemary)
- Grevillea
- Correa
- Eremophila

What to Prune in July

Winter is prime pruning season for many plants:

- Roses: complete winter pruning before new growth appears
- Fruit trees: prune deciduous varieties while dormant
- Perennials: remove old or damaged growth
- Grapevines: prune before spring growth begins

Avoid pruning during wet weather to help prevent the spread of disease.

Gardening for Wellness

Winter gardening encourages a slower, more mindful pace. Fresh air, gentle exercise, and time spent outdoors can help improve mood and wellbeing during the colder months. Even simple tasks like weeding, pruning, or planning spring projects can provide a sense of purpose and connection to the changing seasons.

For more information on the wellbeing benefits of spending time in nature, visit the Preventive Health SA website.

Community Wellbeing Calendar - Winter 26

MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
Just Be Pilates 9am On the Fit Side 9:15am Kiddiegym mini VIC 9:00am - 4pm Move Pilates 9.30am	Just Be Pilates 6am, 9am Move Pilates 6am On The Fit Side 6am, 9am (50+)	On The Fit Side 6am, 9.15am Tai Chi 9am Jetty Platform Just Be Pilates 10am, 11am Womens Golf 10:30am	Just Be Pilates 6am, 9am Move Pilates 6am, 10.30am, 11:30am (Pre/Post Natal) Streaky Bay Yoga 8:00am	On The Fit Side 6.00am Move Pilates 9.30am On The Fit Side 9.15am On The Fit Side 10.30am 50+ Just Be Pilates 9am, 10am	On The Fit Side 6.30am Tai Chi 10am Jetty Platform	Yoga Flow 9am West Coast Catholic Parish *Streaky Bay* 8.30am/10:30am Chandada 10.30am/8:30am Minnipa/Calca 11am/Various St Augustines Anglican Church 10.00am Family Life 10am Mens Golf 12:00pm
Just Be Pilates (Over 60s) 10am Move Pilates Pre/Post Natal 10.30am On The Fit Side 3:30pm Move Pilates 6pm On The Fit Side 6pm	Rhyme Time 9:30am CWA Meeting 10:30am (2nd Tues of month) Bingo @ Buffs 12.30pm (3rd Tues of Month) Social Bowls 1:00pm ($5) Card Club 1pm - 4pm ($1)	Instep Dance 3:30 - 6:30	Dragon Boat 8:30 on the water Community Garden Open to all 9am - 12pm	Mens Shed Open 9am - 3.30pm Playgroup 9.30am		For updated details please scan the QR code to access *The Wellbeing Project* Facebook Page
Instep Dance 3:30 - 6:30 FLY Healing Mentoring 7pm (1st Mon of Month) Zumba 5pm	Instep Dance 3:30 - 6:30 Streaky Bay Yoga 5pm Yin Yoga 5.00pm Just Be Pilates 4.15, 5.15pm Move Pilates 6.00pm	Lions Club (1st Wed of Month) 7:00pm Move Pilates 6pm	Probus Meeting 10-12pm (3rd Thurs of month) $30 to Join On The Fit Side 3.30pm Just Be Pilates 4.30, 5.30	Tea & Talk/Tea & Walk Alternating fortnightly 10am Deep Rest 5:15pm Last Friday of the month		

Events

KiddieGym @ the Visitor Centre
Open Now - Extended
Mon - Fri 9am - 4pm
Walk in

Tea & Talk @ the Visitor Centre
Fortnighly
10am - 12pm
Registrations to 08 8626 7033 -

FLY HEALING Build your resillence with meditation
Bookings/info 0429870485

Tea & Walk @ the foreshore
Fortnightly, weather permitting
10am - 12pm
Registrations to 08 8626 7033 -

Streaky Bay Yoga
Deep Rest
Last Friday of Each Month 5:15pm
Bookings/info streakybayyoga.com

NAIDOC week community day
Thursday July 2nd 10:00 - 3:00pm
Streaky Bay Institute

Social
Families and young children
Booking required
Physical

Government of South Australia Preventive Health SA

District Council of Streaky Bay

This is a joint project between The District Council of Streaky Bay and Preventive Health SA

FLAVOURS OF STREAKY BAY!

Each month, The Criterion will be featuring recipes from one of our locals. We hope to eventually build a recipe book that showcases the best of Streaky Bay! The recipe can be anything you love to eat, from a sauce to a sweet! Please email all your recipes to info@streakybay.sa.gov.au

Duanes Lemongrass Coconut Fish

Marinade

- 4 sticks lemongrass, minced
- 1 bird's eye chillies, finely diced
- 100ml fish sauce
- 4 tsp pickled chilli
- 4 tsp sugar
- 6 × 150g fish fillets, skin on (mulloway works best)

Sauce

- 2 tbsp vegetable oil
- 2 sticks lemongrass, minced
- 2 shallots, finely diced- or spring onions
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tsp dried chilli flakes
- 250ml coconut milk
- 125ml water
- 2 tbsp fish sauce
- 1 tbsp sugar
- 1 tsp black pepper

Garnish

- 6 cherry tomatoes, halved
- coriander leaves
- 1 spring onion, sliced
- 1 bird's eye chilli, sliced
- 1 tsp chilli oil
- ½ a lemon juice

Method

1. Combine all marinade ingredients in a bowl and mix well. Add fish and marinate for 2–3 hours.
2. To make the sauce, heat 2 tbsp oil in a saucepan. Add lemongrass and cook for 3–4 minutes until fragrant. Stir in shallots, garlic and chilli flakes and cook for 2 minutes.
3. Add coconut milk, water, fish sauce, sugar and pepper. Bring to a simmer and cook for 5 minutes.
4. Heat a frying pan with 1 tbsp oil. Cook fish skin-side down for about 3 minutes until crisp. Turn and cook for another 2 minutes or until just cooked through.
5. Place fish on a serving platter and spoon over the warm sauce.
6. Top with cherry tomatoes, coriander, spring onion and fresh chilli. Drizzle with chilli oil and finish with lemon juice.
7. Serve with steamed jasmine rice.

*** Great with Mulloway, Flathead, King george Whiting, Snapper or Gummy Shark

Tamarins Potato Salad

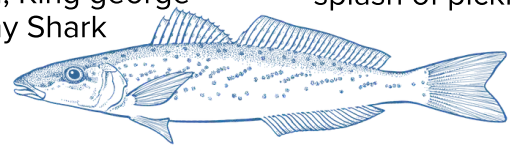
Ingredients

- 1.5 kg red potatoes, boiled, cooled and cubed (leave skins on)
- 3 celery stalks, finely diced
- 250 g shortcut bacon, cooked until crisp and diced
- 5 dill pickles, finely diced
- 4 spring onions, finely sliced
- 1 cup fresh dill, chopped (or more if you love dill)
- ¼ cup flat leaf parsley, finely chopped
- 1 cup whole egg mayonnaise
- ½ cup sour cream
- 3 tbsp wholegrain mustard
- 3 tbsp dill pickle juice
- 2 tbsp fresh lemon juice
- Salt and cracked black pepper, to taste

Method

1. Boil potatoes in salted water until just tender. Drain and allow to cool before cubing.
2. Cook bacon until crisp, then cool and dice.
3. In a large bowl, whisk together the mayonnaise, sour cream, wholegrain mustard, pickle juice and lemon juice.
4. Add celery, pickles, spring onions, fresh dill, parsley and bacon. Mix well.
5. Gently fold through the potatoes until evenly coated.
6. Season generously with salt and cracked black pepper.
7. Refrigerate for at least 1 hour before serving so the flavours can meld together.
8. Garnish with a little extra bacon, fresh dill, parsley and spring onion when you serve

- Tastes even better made the day before.
- If the salad thickens in the fridge, stir through a splash of pickle juice before serving



Museums



STREAKY BAY POWERHOUSE MUSEUM

Opening Hours
Tuesdays 2pm - 5pm
Friday 2pm-5pm
OR BY APPOINTMENT

Contact Ian 0407 178 157 Jim 0428 261 776 or Colin 0427 390 579



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Opening Hours
Tuesdays 9am – 2pm
Wednesday 10am – 2pm
Friday 9am – 2pm
Saturday 9am – 12pm
(Saturday in daylight saving months)

Employment

DISTICT COUNCIL OF STREAKY BAY- PARKS AND GARDENS- SEE PAGE 13

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Church

ACATHOLIC PARISHES OF STREAKY BAY-CEDUNA AND MINNIPA
SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE
JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER 2026

DATE/LOCATION	STREAKY BAY	CHANDADA	MINNIPA CALCA	CEDUNA
Sunday 5th JULY	8.30a.m.	10.30a.m.		4.00p.m.
Sunday 12th JULY	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m.
Sunday 19th JULY	8.30a.m.		11.00a.m.	4.00p.m.
Sunday 26th JULY	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 2nd AUGUST	8.30a.m.	10.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 9th AUGUST	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 16th AUGUST	8.30a.m.		11.00a.m.	4.00p.m
Sunday 23rd AUGUST	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 30th AUGUST	8.30a.m.	10.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 6th SEPTEMBER	8.30a.m.	10.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 13th SEPTEMBER	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m
Sunday 20th SEPTEMBER	8.30a.m.		11.00a.m.	4.00p.m
Sunday 27th SEPTEMBER	10.30a.m.	8.30a.m.		4.00p.m

St Augustine's Anglican Church



29 Wells Street Streaky Bay

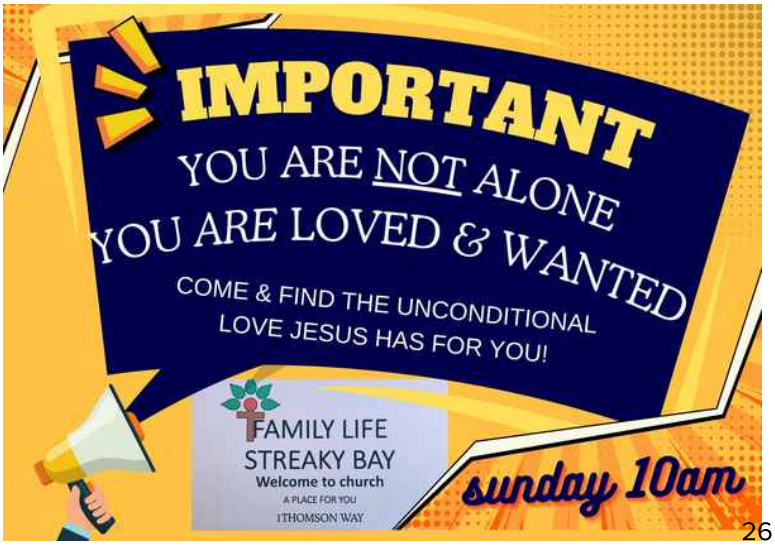


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EXCITING NEW FICTION



Streaky Bay School Community Library

LEGOLAND IN THE LIBRARY!

Our display of wonderful Lego creations continues to grow in the library cabinet. Students have enthusiastically continued to make additions throughout the term. Next week will be your last chance to view them if you haven`t done so already. A big thankyou to all students who participated!



Opening hours

Term time	School Holiday
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Tues: 8:30am-5:30pm	Tues: 12noon-5:30pm
Wed: 8:30am-4pm	Wed: 9am-12noon, 1pm-4pm
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How can I touch another?
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The purpose of the Church is to bring God's people together for mutual strengthening, encouragement, and equipping to carry on the work Jesus began.

The other tasks The Church may undertake in community service, and social justice are part of God's love flowing through His faithful followers to extend God's influence into the sinful world.

Peter Jans July 2026

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Opening Hours

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Council Office	Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm	(08) 8626 1001
Visitor Centre	Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm	(08) 8626 7033
Streaky Bay Waste Transfer and Resource Recovery Centre	Monday CLOSED Tuesday 9:00am - 12:30pm and 1:30pm - 4:30pm Wednesday 9:00am - 1:00pm Thursday CLOSED Friday 9:00am - 12:30pm and 1:30pm - 4:30pm Saturday 8:00am - 1:00pm Sunday CLOSED	(08) 8626 1001

Defib Register

Location	Site Location
Institute Hall	Outside
Visitor Centre	Outsite
Pistol Club	Outside
Streaky Bay Sports Complex	Inside & Outside
Community Hub	Outside
Powerhouse Museum	Inside
Caravan Park Kiosk	Inside
Mens Shed	Inside
Transfer Station	Inside
Dental Clinic	Inside
Streaky Bay Golf Club	Outside
Eyre Crafts	Inside
Works Depot	Inside
Streaky Bay Race Club	Outside, Secretary's Office, racecourse, Flinders Highway

Location	Site Location
Wirrulla Golf and Bowls Club	Inside
Wirrulla Sports Club	Outsite
Poochera Bowls Club	Inside
Poochera Sports Club	Outside
Sceales Bay Amenities	Outside
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