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Fiji Bound!

Twelve months of training and preparation come to fruition this Sunday, when 15 local junior tennis players head off for the 'Fiji Easter Tournament' in Lautoka, as part of the Cheryl Tennis Club Junior Development Program.

The group (pictured below) has been very busy training, coaching and playing in as many conditions and formats as possible. They have played under hot and humid conditions, anticipating the different climate they will be facing. They have enjoyed activities with the experienced older players of the club, to recognise the importance of their representation and
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Heritage Week In KAVHA

This year the KAVHA Research Centre along with the Visitor's Information Centre and Norfolk Island Museums have combined to place an advertisement in the National Trust Heritage Festival magazine with a distribution of over 40,000 throughout New South Wales. This year's theme for the Heritage Festival, which runs from 12 April to 26 May, is Journeys, a theme so much a part of the Norfolk experience. Whether our heritage is Polynesian, Pitcairn, Australian, British, American or New Zealander the KAVHA precinct is a tangible connection to all those histories, to who we are now.

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Fiji Bound! - continued

what it means for them as ambassadors of our club and Norfolk Island.

The group flies to Auckland on Sunday, staying overnight before travelling to Nadi on Monday. They are staying at the ITF House run by the ITF Regional program, and will have access to the ITF coaches on Tuesday and Wednesday, before a rest day Thursday, where they will visit Beachcomber Island for the day. The tournament itself starts Friday and continues Saturday and Sunday. The group travels to Brisbane Monday, staying overnight and returning to Norfolk on Tuesday.

The group will enjoy a welcome dinner, where they will be presented with gifts from the Fiji Tennis Club, and will present thank you gifts for their opponents in return.

All players will play doubles and mixed doubles, as well as singles in their respective age groups. Some players will pair with Fiji local juniors to ensure they have partners. We also have several supporters accompanying the group, of which some will participate in the Tournament as well.

The group has many people to thank, without which

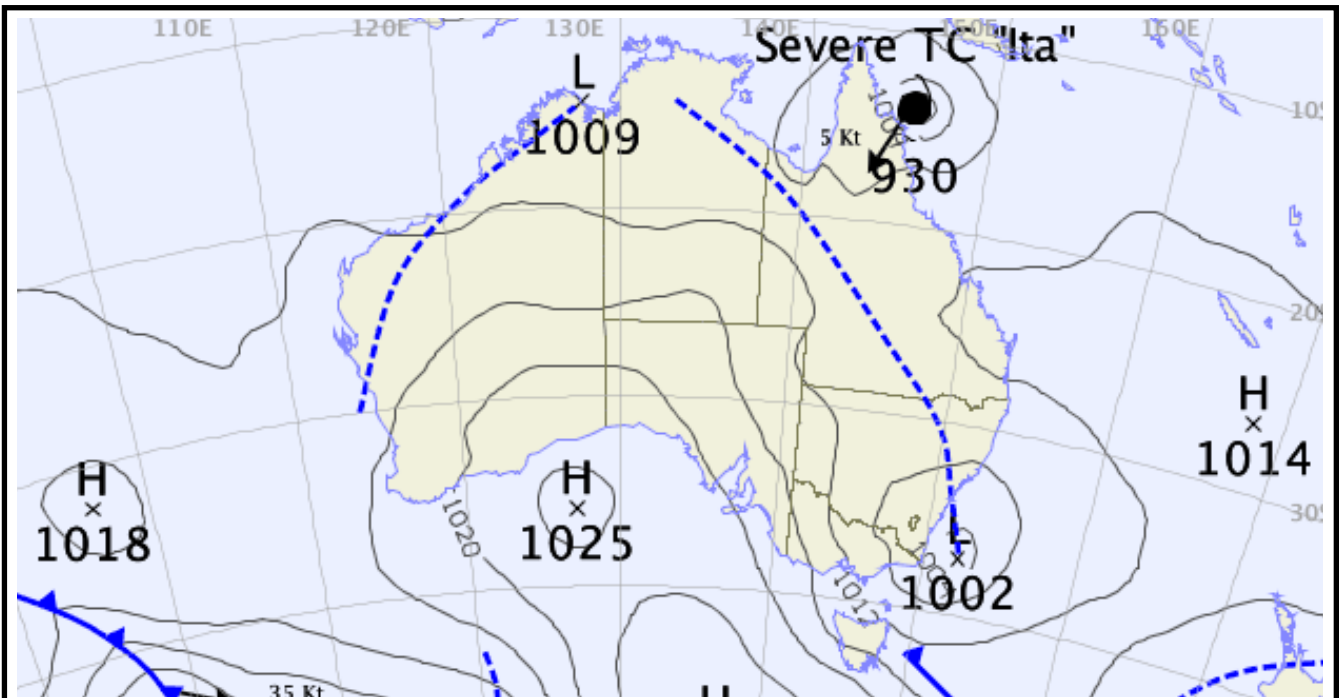
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The group plans to touch base with Radio Norfolk while they are away, to let the community know how they are going.

The Junior Development Program will continue activities when the group returns. Plans are underway for another tour later in the year to NZ, possible entries in the Western Regional Championships later in May, as well as the possible entry of players into the Junior Commonwealth Games in 2015.

Pictured Back L to R: Courtney Grube, Storm Walker Glenny, Jason Ellem (Manager), Grace Kelly, Chris Gatehouse (CTC Pres), Vanesa Brown, Mal Tarrant (NIASA), Julie South (CTC Sec) Tom Lloyd & Dan Yager (Youth of NI Sporting Trust), Anson King, Jude Kelly, Amanda Cribb (Manager). Front: Sophie Ellem, Ethan Kelly, Jude Kelly, Jonny Sheridan, Mason Wilkinson, Sam Cribb, Peter Haymes.



SATURDAY Partly cloudy. Chance of shower. Winds N/NE'ly about 10 knots. Min: 19 Max: 24

SUNDAY Partly cloudy. Chance of shower. NE winds 10/15 knots. Min: 19 Max: 24

MONDAY Cloud increasing. A shower or two, increasing. N winds 10/15 knots. Min: 19 Max: 24

POPULATION STATISTICS - PEOPLE ON ISLAND

WEEK ENDING	RES	GEP	TEP	VISITORS	UEP	OTHER	TOTAL
28th February 2014	1340	41	74	510	219		2184
7th March 2014	1324	41	75	653	214		2307
14th March 2014	1317	41	76	651	221		2306
20th March 2014	1331	43	77	648	222		2321
27th March 2014	1336	42	77	676	228		2359
3rd April 2014	1347	43	77	556	229		2252



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Heritage Week In KAVHA

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Heritage is a complex jumble of things: the language, the stories, the songs, the celebrations and traditions, the heroes, the quiet achievers and the rogues, the buildings and shapes in the landscape, the people who built, ploughed, lived, suffered and dreamed, the insiders and the outsiders who shaped what Norfolk is today. Heritage is not static; it evolves and blends, ebbs and flows. If it is to be of use to a community it should bind it together.

KAVHA is the cradle that initially nurtured the Pitcairn heritage. On that cold, miserable day in June 1856, it was at Kingston jetty the Pitcairners came ashore. At Government House Mrs Stewart provided tea and a warming fire. It was in the Military Barracks they settled their children and themselves for that first strange night. Their leader, the Reverend George Hunn Nobbs with his family of twelve children came to call No 9 Quality Row, (now the KAVHA Research Centre) home. The other families moved into their allotted homes along Quality Row.

It was in the KAVHA precinct that the Pitcairners learned the unfamiliar ways of cows and corn growing, built their church and schooled their children. They created a community in a new place, birthed their babies and buried their dead, lived their traditions and created new ones which remain strong and central to what Norfolk is today.

But the buildings the Pitcairners lived in, the very cemetery in which they buried their loved ones were also part of something else, another heritage. In 1788 a group of twenty three recent arrivals from Britain via New South Wales had begun an audacious experiment to create a European settlement on the foreshores of what we now know as Kingston. They cleared and planted and built moving quickly up the more sheltered valley of Arthur's Vale, turning a precarious toehold on this small Island into a thriving agricultural community. Norfolk Island became a vital sister colony to the struggling Port Jackson settlement in New South Wales. These colonies shared the calamity of losing the First Fleet flag ship "Sirius" on Kingston Reef, the constant threat of hunger, the driving ambition of the New South Wales Corp to own and manipulate.

Even though orders were given to erase this early settlement in 1814, its footprint can still be seen in the foundation stones of the first government house, and in the alignment and stones of some other buildings around the landing place at Kingston and in the stones of scattered buildings in Arthur's Vale and Music Valley, in the remains of a road up Flagstaff Hill. Another much grimmer penal settlement began in 1825 and, ironically it is to this settlement that we owe the elegant Georgian buildings of Quality Row, and the ruins that make Kingston such an important part of the Australian convict heritage. In 2010, Kingston and Arthur's vale Historic Area was recognized as a valuable part of the heritage of the World.

Underneath all these significant layers and the sands of Emily Bay lies yet another layer; the tangible evidence of Polynesian settlement. The first colonial settlers must have appreciated the banana groves left in

Arthur's Vale by these earlier settlers or puzzled at the remains of Polynesian canoes in Ball's Bay long before the marae floor behind Emily Bay was uncovered in 1994. The Polynesian layer provides a connection felt by many New Zealand visitors and another connection to the Tahitian women of the Pitcairn settlement.

Norfolk became a refuge for American whalers scouring the South Pacific for whales, leaving their lemon pie recipes and Thanksgiving tradition. The Melanesian Mission left Norfolk the beautiful St Barnabas chapel.

So the physical and cultural layers of settlement in KAVHA underpin the social, economic and political layers of heritage that evolved into the strong vibrant culture of Norfolk today. Heritage can bind us as a community or it can divide us; it is all about how we see ourselves. On Norfolk we are fortunate because the fabric of KAVHA has meaning for all of us.

From April 12 until May 26 during the Heritage Festival, the KAVHA Research Centre is running a "Walk back in Time" tour of Arthur's Vale each weekday between 1pm and 2.30 pm to compliment the Norfolk Island Museum tours of Kingston. Bookings can be made by calling 23009.

On April 17th the Research Centre at No 9 Quality Row will be hosting a World Heritage Day Morning Tea and house tour. The guest Speaker will be the Hon. David Buffett MLA. Bookings are essential on 23009.

The Research Centre will also be open 10.00am until 4.00pm as usual for visitors and residents interested in exploring their KAVHA heritage.

Yorlye Kum Ina Haus!

Judith Davidson

*Research and Interpretation Officer
KAVHA Public Research Centre*

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Final Stage Data Collection for The NICHE Trial

The NICHE Trial is heading into its final stage of data collection. Back in 2012 the NICHE Team took some anthropometric and health measurements from about 100 Norfolk Island residents. A further 50 people were asked to wear a motion sensor which recorded things such as activity, heart rate, energy used and sleep patterns.

For the final stage of data collection we will be asking these participants for 15 minutes of their time to retake their measurements and assess if their participation in the trial has influenced any behaviours.

Tania Christian will be back on Island from the 26th of April until the 13th of May to carry out the measurement. PJ Wilson will be contacting these participants over the coming weeks to arrange a time.

The participants who will be wearing the motion sensor will be required to wear it for at least two week days and one weekend day. They will also receive a print out of their health information.

Participants are reminded that all of their information is strictly confidential and all data will be de-identified before any publications are made.

Additional questions will be asked in the follow up survey that discuss the concept of Personal Carbon Trading which proposes hypothetical financial incentives and disincentives to see if this would further influence participants behaviour and whether this would be acceptable across a population. All results will be fed back to the community.

We thank you all again for participating in the NICHE Trial and keep using those Carbon Cards

because the fuel discount is still up for grabs.

Check out our website: www.niche.nlk.nf - you can "like" or comment on the page, or subscribe to updates.

If you're a facebook user, "like" our facebook page (www.facebook.com/NICHE.Study) for updates. Please feel free to share our pages with your friends and family!

For information contact PJ Wilson on 55254/pj.wilson@scu.edu.au or Tania Christian on 23029/tania.christian@scu.edu.au"

"LIGHT IT UP BLUE"

World Autism Awareness Month

"Light it up blue" is a global initiative that encourages awareness and understanding of autism.

Many famous landmarks around the world including the Empire State Building and Sydney Opera House are "Lighting up" for the month of April.

Here on Norfolk Island The Bounty Centre in Taylors Road and other buildings are already glowing a vibrant blue!

For more information look up www.autismspeaks.org

Check out the vibrant blue colour of

The Bounty Centre when you drive past after dark.

The first telephone system on Philip Island was installed 15 years ago, on 14 April, 1999, for Owen and Beryl Evans. It was solar-powered.

(If anyone knows how Potts Farm got its name, a few of us would like to know.)

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Watawien yoriyi & a big welcome to all our visitors,

From the G.M - Norfolk Island Tourism Strategic Plan

The Norfolk Island Tourism Strategic Plan 2013 – 2023 outlines an enhanced leadership role of the Norfolk Island Government Tourist Bureau Advisory Board. Following the appointment of Peter Barney the Advisory Board now has a full complement of members and is now in a position to progress. The leadership role has commenced with the development of portfolios for members covering the broader range of stakeholders. Each member is tasked with establishing lines of communication within their portfolios to ensure that on a strategic and planning level all stakeholders have a dedicated representative on the Board. It is also hoped that this will also ensure any co-operative operational opportunities that arise are discussed within the NIGTB. The Membership portfolios are as follows;

- Government - Dave Porter
- Environment - Peter Barney
- Industry - Rael Donde and Sandy Petitt
- History and Heritage - Anita French
- Community Organisations - Mike Perkins

Treasures of the South Pacific (ToSP)

Norfolk Island Tourism has joined other South Pacific islands as a member of ToSP.

ToSP arranges annual presentations and seminar functions to educate travel agents Australia wide. The seminars are very well attended as it gives travel agents the opportunity to meet representatives face to face & learn about a number of island destinations all in the one venue. The first ToSP function is next month in Launceston and Hobart Tasmania then onto Adelaide in June, Ballarat in August, Canberra in October & the final function in Sydney in December.

Sydney Gay Mardi Gras- Holiday giveaway

During the Queer Screen film festival in Sydney last month Out and About Travel promoted a short break holiday for two to Norfolk, giving great exposure of the destination to both Australian and overseas gay travelers.

The launch evening was officially opened by Governor, Marie Bashi and over the following 2 weeks approximately 50 films were shown. The promotion was supported by a promo video clip advertising short break holiday deals via agency, newsletter, social media and website. The lucky winner was Cathy Robin who will travel over next month with a friend. Thank you to the major sponsors Tintoela cottages & to Crest Auto rentals for the car.

Travel Industry expo in July

Norfolk Island Tourism will attend the Travel Industry Exhibition in July which is Australia's only all-encompassing trade exhibition for the travel industry.

It will take place at Sydney's Royal Hall of Industries, Moore Park & will provide the ideal
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Deal with the Professionals
Immigration changes provide opportunity for Australian/NZ citizens to live permanently on Norfolk Island.

FOR SALE

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3 bed timber cottage. Located right in town at the end of cul-de-sac. Good floor plan. Potential for 2 bathrooms if required. Front & rear verandahs. Under house garaging with internal access to house. Approx.30,000g water storage. Solar HW. Fruit trees. Some renovations done in recent years. Cosmetic improvement would add value. A property with lots of potential to improve further. Land area 1553m². **Exclusive listing. ONLY \$230K**

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Tourism News - continued

opportunity for industry suppliers to connect with travel sellers from across the country, with a huge range of exhibitors taking part and the show coinciding with AFTA's 2014 National Travel Industry Awards. Travel agents attending will be able to catch up on the latest innovations in destinations, hotels, air products, cruises, tours, packages, travel technology, travel agency groups, travel recruiters, industry organizations and much more, providing the perfect forum to meet key supplier partners face to face.

www.norfolkisland.com.au

All operators and businesses are listed on the official Norfolk Island website, & this provides you with 2 free web pages, which you maintain yourself. If you haven't already, call the VIC ph. 22147 for your login and start promoting yourself for free! If you need training – it doesn't take long) just ring to arrange a time.

Email your brochure/flyer in PDF format & this can be put onto the site as well. E tanderson@nigtb.gov.nf The 101 things to do list, 20 Fitness things to do & 20 Romantic things to do are now listed under "Experiences" with more lists to come.

Social Media

NI Tourism has taken on a suggestion from one of our passionate local photographers, Cristina McRitchie to invite our Facebook fans to post photos (thereby giving us permission to share) that captures or demonstrates a WORD that we will provide on a weekly basis. The photo must have been taken on Norfolk Island, whether you live here or have visited on a holiday. The first word for April was "Window" #norfolkislandpic – you can now view the chosen FAV4 Window photos on our page! This is a fun & creative way for people to share their photos of "Norfolk themes" via social media. This week the word is "Green" #norfolkislandpic.

To get involved with our social media activities and assist in promoting Norfolk make sure you follow, like or share the content on your business and personal social media it all helps!

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Visitor Comments

Friendly and helpful local people, food was excellent, stunningly beautiful, a wonderful break, tour guides exceptional, thank you for a great holiday, enjoyed the National Parks, we will be back.

Tania @ the T.B www.norfolkisland.com.au

One organ and tissue donor can transform the lives of 10 or more people.

There are approximately 1500 Australians waiting for a transplant at any time. Some Australian residents and even Norfolk Islanders have died waiting for a transplant. Some spend weeks or months in hospital, with others making several trips to hospital every week for dialysis or other treatment.

People who need an organ transplant are usually very ill or dying because an organ is failing. They range from babies and children through to older people.

People who need a tissue transplant can also be of any age. In some cases, tissue can save lives. More often, it greatly improves the recipient's life.

Almost anyone can donate organs and tissues. The determining factors are where and how a person dies, and the conditions of their organs and tissues. While your age and medical history will be considered, you shouldn't assume you're too young, too old or not healthy enough to become a donor.

How to register

The Australian Organ Donor Register (the Donor Register) is the only national register for people to record their decision about becoming an organ and tissue donor for transplantation after death.

The Donor Register ensures a person's donation decision can be verified 24 hours a day, seven days a week by authorised personnel anywhere in Australia. In the event of a person's death, information about their donation decision, accessed from the Donor Register by authorised personnel, can be provided to the family of the deceased.

Recording your decision on the Donor Register is voluntary and you have complete choice over which organs and tissues you wish to donate. If you don't want to become an organ and tissue donor, you can register your decision not to donate on the Donor Register.

The Donor Register is not for registering decisions about donating organs and tissue for scientific research purposes or for the manufacture of biological medical products. For information regarding these processes, contact your local state health department.

To register to become an organ and tissue donor:

You must be 16 years or older to register your organ donation decision on the register.

Even if you have previously registered your decision elsewhere (for example by ticking a box on your driver's licence renewal) it is still important that you register on the Australian Organ Donor Register as it is the only national register and details can be linked to your Medicare number.

Most importantly, you need to discuss your organ and tissue donation decision with your family as your family will always be asked to confirm your donation decision before donation for transplantation can proceed.

Like to learn more about this urgent programme?

The Norfolk Island Lions Club have received a number of -

"Donate Life Week Tool Kits"

and other pieces of literature that are available at the Norfolk Island Hospital. Why not pick one up today and "Donate Life and give the greatest gift, discuss your organ and tissue donation wishes with your family.

Which organs and tissue can be donated? In Australia, people can donate the following:-

Organs - including kidneys, heart, lungs, liver and pancreas.

Tissue - including heart valves, bone tissue, skin, eye and pancreas tissue.



The Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, the Hon David Buffett AM MLA, has advised that the following matters will be dealt with at the sitting of the Legislative Assembly to be held on Wednesday, 16 April 2014 at 10 am.

NOTICES

1 APPOINTMENT OF PERSON TO ACT AS CLERK TO THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Chief Minister and Minister for Tourism, Mr Snell to move THAT in accordance with section 48 of the Legislative Assembly Act 1979, this House recommends that the Speaker appoint -

Sharyn Louise Quintal

to be a person to act as Clerk to the Legislative Assembly during a vacancy in the office of Clerk or while the Clerk is absent from duty upon the terms and conditions determined by the Speaker.

2 NORFOLK ISLAND HOSPITAL ACT 1985

Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services (Ms R.E. Adams) to move - THAT this House, in accordance with sections 12 and 13 of the Norfolk Island Hospital Act 1985, resolve that -

Gerard Marr,

Chief Executive of South East Sydney
Local Health District

be appointed by the Minister as a member of the Norfolk Island Hospital Advisory Board for a term commencing on the date of gazettal of the appointment and ending on 23 August 2014.

3 IMMIGRATION ACT 1980 - APPLICATION FOR GENERAL ENTRY PERMIT

Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services, Ms Adams, to move - THAT for the purpose of paragraph 17A(1)(e) of the Immigration Act 1980, this Legislative Assembly resolve that -

Michael William Adams; and

Gloria Lea Adams

be authorised to make an application for a general entry permit under the Act.

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NORFOLK ISLAND LEAGUES CLUB

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HELLO LONG WEEKEND!

****Thursday 17th April ****

Raffles followed by

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Due to the Easter Carnival next week we will be having our Friday night raffles on Saturday 12th April.

Good Friday the following week we are moving our raffles forward a day to Thursday 17th April.

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Notice Paper - continued

4 EDUCATION ACT 1931 - ENROLMENT OF CHILDREN

Mrs Ward to move - THAT this House requests the responsible Minister to take such action as may be required in order to allow immediate enrolment at the Norfolk Island Central School of any visiting child on a temporary enrolment basis subject to the Principal certifying that adequate resources and classroom positions are available.

5 ABSENTEE LANDOWNERS LEVY (AMDT NO.2) BILL 2014

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Minister for Finance, Mr Sheridan to present a Bill for an Act to amend the exemptions available under the Absentee Landowners Levy Act 1976

ORDER OF THE DAY

2 APPROPRIATION (NO. 2) BILL 2013-2014

APROEPRIESHAN (NAMBA 2) BIL 2013-2014

Resumption of debate (Minister for Finance, Mr Sheridan) from 19 March 2014 on the question – That the Bill be agreed to in principle

3 NORFOLK ISLAND CULTURAL STRATEGY 2014-2018

Resumption of debate (Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services, Ms Adams) from 19 March 2014 on the question – THAT the motion be agreed to

4 REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES - THIRD QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Resumption of debate (Mr Nobbs) from 19 March 2014 on the question - THAT this House agree that the Third Quarterly Report of the Infrastructure And Business Development Committee tabled on 19 February 2014 be passed to the Norfolk Island Government for its progression

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

54 Mrs. Ward to ask the Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services

Given that the Minister stated at the March Sitting of the House that she was provided with a “volume of documentation” relating to the recruitment of the Norfolk Island Hospital Enterprise Director, will the Minister advise whether or not:

- 1) The vote of the selection panel was unanimous,

- 2) An opportunity was given for panel members to lodge a dissenting opinion,
- 3) Any of the panel members were critical of the process and if so, how?

55 Mrs. Ward to ask the Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services

Given that the Minister has indicated that the ACHS Hospital Accreditation team report has been received by her; when will the report be made public?

56 Mrs. Ward to ask the Minister for Cultural Heritage and Community Services

Given that there is an expectation in writing from the Australian Government that the Norfolk Island Government will implement the Nexus Health Service Plan Recommendations; will the Minister answer the following:

- 1) has South Eastern Sydney Local Health District been approached about providing the role of the off-shore provision of the Island’s health services and if so what was their response,
- 2) what level of service was sought,
- 3) what is the estimated cost of service delivery, and
- 4) what percentage of the cost has the Australian Government agreed to pay?

57 Mrs. Ward to ask the Minister for Finance

Will the Minister provide the House with an update on the development of strategies regarding the issues arising from excess photovoltaic electricity generation and what collaborative assistance has been sought from the Commonwealth?

58 Mrs. Ward to ask the Chief Minister

Given that the Chief Minister stated in the March Sitting of the House that the Commonwealth has suggested amendments to the Public Service Bill 2013; will the Chief Minister detail the amendments as they have been described by the Commonwealth?

59 Mrs. Ward to ask the Minister for Environment

Will the Minister outline the Norfolk Island Government’s strategic vision in relation to renewable energy technology and the environment?

Gaye Evans

Clerk to the Legislative Assembly

Issued by the Office of the Clerk on 11 April 2014

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The Sustainable Islands Program – Showcasing Norfolk Island

EcoNorfolk Foundation Inc. Ltd., in conjunction with the University of Sydney and the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT), is bringing to Norfolk Island a number of highly skilled individuals (described as “Fellows”) who are taking part in the Sustainable Islands Program 2014. Some of our guests have already arrived, and all of the participants will be working together between 18 and 28 April 2014.

The purpose of this Program is to train leaders from small remote islands in the areas of sustainable environmental and economic development in order to increase their capacity to deal with key regional issues such as energy supply, climate change, waste management, marine parks, biodiversity, poverty, and population health. The Program focuses on facilitating regional cooperation by providing networking opportunities, peer-to-peer knowledge exchange and management training. It includes specifically tailored training and is aimed at enhancing the Fellows’ education and skills, and in turn, economic opportunities.

Whilst they are our guests on Norfolk Island the Fellowship Award winners, University of Sydney Masters and PhD students, University of Sydney staff and international volunteers will be visiting our sustainable business houses and vital infrastructures. In addition we will be making sure that our guests are able to take part in all that Norfolk Island has to offer. This includes visiting our National Park, our World Heritage Area, our museums and our convict built historical sites. They will also have some free time for shopping. We will also be showcasing our local produce including fish, beef, pork, lamb and organic vegetables, which will be prepared by both local chefs and Norfolk Islanders in their own homes. If you have a product that you wish to be showcased during this 10-day event please contact Liat Baddock on 50763.



This week we would like to introduce to you some more of our guests.

Mr Motulu Jack Pedro is visiting us from Tuvalu. He has had a long history in law enforcement and

reached the office of Commissioner of Police before he retired in 2009. During this 26 years of police service Mr Pedro was a trainer under the AusAid and USAid programs in disaster management. Since his retirement from the police service Mr Pedro has been employed as a Small Island States Officer.

Kerin Wood is a volunteer with the Sustainable Island Project. She was born in Australia of Maltese parents. In her early life she was fortunate to experience life in many remote




locations around Australia, which included Cocos Keeling Islands and Lord Howe Island. She has worked in education for 40 years in various roles. She began her career as a primary school teacher and retired two years ago from the position of

Senior Project Officer supporting innovative projects focusing on Indigenous education and histories and the integration of Information and Communication Technologies into learning and teaching programs. Her interest in education continues as a casual consultant for a variety of educational projects.



Peter Wood is also a volunteer with the Sustainable Island Project. Peter is retired after working for 40 years with the Commonwealth Public Service. His retirement activities include driving a
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The Sustainable Islands Program – Showcasing Norfolk Island

small bus for a Community Centre Program that helps non -English speaking elderly Australians (Greek, Arabic, Italian and Asian) to socialize outside their home environment. He is also a volunteer in a restoration capacity on Cockatoo Island, in Sydney Harbour.



In partnership with the School of International Training-Study Abroad, EcoNorfolk Foundation Inc. Ltd. has enabled an American student to visit Norfolk Island to advance her studies. Megan Reisler is a senior undergraduate with

the University of Washington, and is currently working towards her Bachelor of Arts degree in Environmental Studies. This semester Megan is engaged with a Study Abroad Program based in Eastern Australia where she is studying Environmental Action and Sustainability.

During her four-week stay on Norfolk Island, Megan will participate in the Triple Bottom Line workshops hosted on the island in conjunction with the Sustainable Islands Program.

Last autumn Megan presented her senior thesis at the Undergraduate Research Symposium at the University of Washington. Her thesis involved spearheading a research study on visual preferences for forest management strategies in the Pacific Northwest region of America. During this time Megan also worked as a Research Assistant on the Yosemite Forest Dynamics Plot in Yosemite National Park, California.

Before beginning this research, Megan interned with an environmental education non-profit organization in Seattle, where she assisted in developing environmentally themed curriculum for children, in addition to leading lesson plans and activities.

Working directly in the field and studying resource management issues alongside broad-scale community dynamics the last four years has instilled within Megan an understanding of the interconnectedness of the natural world and the necessity for positive change. Megan believes that this insight and experience will positively influence her participation in the Triple Bottom Line workshops.

If you know any of our guests and wish to catch up with them or find out more about their areas of expertise, please contact Liat Baddock, Project Manager on 50763 or Denise Quintal, Adjunct Associate Lecturer, ISA – Integrated Sustainability Analysis, School of Physics, Faculty of Science, University of Sydney on 50385.

Please join us in giving our guests a big Norf'k Ailen welkum!

Weekly Bowls News

Saturdays Results.

The semi-finals of the Mens Fours Championship were played last Saturday with the following results.....

Ian(Spider)Webb skipping Trevor Gow,Gavin Snell and Barry Jones played Tim Sheriden Skipping Graeme (Force) Forsyth,Steve Mathews and John Deadman.

Great game and well played by all of them. By the 19th end it was 13 all.In the next two ends each team scored 2 so the final end was 15 all. Into the the extra end they went where Spiders team got the 1 needed to take a place in the final.

In the other semi-final Phil Jones skipping Dave Smith,Peter Glass and Brent Pauling played Pete Walkinshaw skipping Jeff Pledger,Gaeton(Bobby) Boudan) and Paul Howard.

On the 6th end it was 5 all. Phil's team then scored a 5 then a 3 on the next 2 ends After that they did not lose the lead to win on the 20th end 23-16. to also give them a place in the final.

The final will not be played today (Sat) as there are Pennants with Steeles Point playing Cascade and Burnt Pine playing Longridge.

Mixed social bowls will also be played with names in by 1-30 pm for a 2pm start. Visitors are welcome and bowls and shoes are available.

Saturday's mixed social bowls results are as follows.....

In the pairs Moochie and Wayne won from Colin and Jack.....25-8.

In the triples Marg.O., Tess and Tina won from Kate, Ann and Philip.....21-16.

Sundays Results.

The semi-finals of the Mixed Fours Championship were played with the following results.....

Tim Sheriden skipping Graeme Forsyth,Wendy Nagy and Spindles Mengatti led all the way against Phil Jones skipping Trevor Gow and Paul Edward and Petal Jones.and the score was 25-12 on the 18th end.

Phil's team then scored a 6,1 and 2 on the next 3 ends giving them 21 but not enough to take them to the final.

In the other semi-final Dave Smith skipped Marg. Obrien,Kate Smith and Tess Evans against Steve Mathews, skipping Peter Glass,Betty Mathews and Vivian Dela Cruz. winning 26-9 over 20 ends.

It is good to see our new players entering a team, namely, Steve,Peter,Betty and Vivien. All good experience.

The final will be played this Sunday and promises to be a game worth watching.

Notices.

DON'T FORGET.

Today, the 12th April is closing day to enter your teams in the 53rd Bounty Bowling Tournament being held from 5th to the 10th May.

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Whicker's Walkabout caused a "mini" exodus from England

"I first visited Norfolk Island in 1960 and its friendliness prompted me to find my own island home. This speck between Australia and New Zealand is a paradise where nothing bites or stings".

These were some of the words Alan Whicker used to describe some of his favourite places that he had visited during the production of his BBC and Yorkshire Television programme "Whicker's World".

The segment of his first visit to Norfolk Island was played in England on a cold, miserable Winter's day in 1960 and was instrumental in the late Bill Underwood and his wife Marian (pictured above), packing up their belongings lock, stock and barrel and making the long trip to start a new period in their lives on Norfolk Island.

They were two of the many British migrants who made the long journey to Norfolk Island after this programme.

Both Bill and Marian became involved in local community activities such as the A. and H. Society, the Musical and Dramatic Society, the Hospital Board, the Country Womens Association, the Royal Far West Children's Health Scheme and many other community organisations.

After a long and happy time with us, Bill died and was buried at the Kingston Cemetery on the 15th October 1983. Marian returned to Australia with her daughter Sheila and died on 19th November 1994. Her ashes were interred next to Bill's grave on 20th December 1994.

This week we had the pleasure of meeting up with the daughters of Bill and Marian and their families - Sheila and Mike Francis and son Guy and his wife Megan and children Maya and Jude; their daughter Clare and husband Toby Whitfield and children Eliza and Jonah. Pat and Neil Cowell and Pat's daughter - Sarah Farmer and her husband Nelson Saunders and their children Lily and Ella who are pictured below with third daughter Susan Stephens from New Zealand.

As can be gathered, the daughters followed Mum and Dad to the 'Colonies', but their son William (Berry) is still in England. William was in the RAF, stationed in Singapore, when Marian and Bill decided to immigrate to Norfolk Island. He returned to England to try and persuade them not to go, but all in vain. Son William did make a trip to Norfolk to visit his parents.

During the 50th year reunion, family members gathered at Kingston, where the grandchildren said words of affection to the grandparents they never knew and the gathering ended with the following words of a poem written by daughter Sheila Francis -



"Rest in Peace, beneath this site.
On beautiful Norfolk Island
Your work is done, your tale is told.
We offer our thanks hand in hand.

For the interest of long time residents, Alan Donald Whicker CBE (4th August 1921 – 12th July 2013) was a British journalist and television presenter and broadcaster. His career spanned almost 60 years, during which time he presented the documentary television programme Whicker's World for over 30 years. He was made a Commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE) in 2005 for services to broadcasting.

In 2010, the presenter named his four favourite places as Bali saying it was an island at the "centre of the universe," Hong Kong, where he had been visiting for 60 years along with Austria's capital. He said the "Viennese have perfected the art of civilised drinking. He also picked Norfolk Island in the Pacific: "A gentle corner of paradise, 12,000 miles from Britain and about 1,000 miles from anywhere else."

He made a second trip to Norfolk in July 1970 and a segment of the programme was entitled - "Husbands Shy Clear of Me, Boy...!" The programme summary goes on to record "Whicker visits Norfolk Island, a tiny piece of paradise drifting through the South Pacific where the descendants of the Bounty Mutineers live, the seamen who set Captain Bligh adrift in an open boat and returned to their Tahitian women. Today most islanders are still called Young, McCoy, Adams, Quintal, making isolated Norfolk an 18th Century storeroom of people - the way we used to be, once upon a time. They speak a unique dialect, a soft and joyful blend of West Country English and Tahitian. Their most indomitable character is Girlie Christian, 76-year-old descendant of Fletcher Christian who tells an extraordinary story. Girlie is a television original.

Worship With Us This Easter

Good Friday 10am – All Saints, Kingston
Combined Churches Good Friday Meditation

Seventh Day Adventist Church - New Cascade Road Saturday 11am - Easter Praise

Uniting Church - Cascade Road Opposite School Maundy Thursday 7pm – Holy Communion & Tenebrae Meditation

Sunday 10am – Easter Sunday Service

Community Church - Taylors Road

Sunday 6pm - Easter Day Service -

Church Of England - St Barnabas Chapel, Douglas Drive

Maundy Thursday – 7pm St Barnabas Chapel – Holy Communion

Easter Sunday - 8:30am Holy Communion

Church Of England - All Saints, Quality Row Kingston

Easter Sunday - 7:30pm Holy Communion & Sing Along

Philip Howard Catholic Church – Queen Elizabeth Drive

Holy Thursday 7pm – The Lord's Supper

Good Friday - 10am Stations Of The Cross
- 3pm Passion Of The Lord

Holy Saturday - 7pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday - 9am Mass

Everyone Welcome At All Services

Inquiry into economic development on Norfolk Island

As announced on radio this week by the Administrator, the Honourable Neil Pope, the Joint Standing Committee on the National Capital and External Territories will be holding a public hearing for its inquiry into economic development on Tuesday, 29 April and have called on individuals and organisations to register if they wish to make a community statement.

Any community statement will be confined to five minutes and must address the terms of reference for the inquiry. Anyone wishing to pursue this invitation must register their expression of interest by close of business Friday, 18 April with Ginny Maidment in the Office of the Administrator on 22152 or email Ginny.Maidment@infrastructure.gov.au.

Terms of Reference

The Norfolk Island Roadmap has as one of its aspirational goals under Economic Development:

- Positive action to encourage diversification and broaden the Island's economic base.

The Committee will inquire into and report on:

- redressing barriers to tourism, with particular regard to air services, facilities for cruise ships, roads and other infrastructure;
- complements to tourism, such as agriculture, other industry or small-medium enterprises; and,
- proposals and opportunities for niche industries.

*Neil Pope, Administrator
10 April 2014*

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O3b wins first Australian telco customer

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Medium earth orbit satellite challenger O3b Networks has won a multi-year deal in the Australian territory of Norfolk Island. The island's incumbent provider, Norfolk Telecom, will use O3b as its backhaul provider from Norfolk Island to the Internet.

Currently all of the island's telephone and data traffic is routed to New Zealand by geo-stationary satellite. The switch to O3b will allow Norfolk Telecom to significantly increase its bandwidth, improving data rates and response times.

Local government owned Norfolk Telecom is the incumbent provider on Norfolk Island for mobile and fixed line telephone services as well as internet services.

Norfolk Telecom GM Kim Davies said the new O3b capacity will allow real time applications to be used for the first time such as internet gaming, healthcare, video on demand, e-commerce and elearning.

"O3b will revolutionise the internet for the people of Norfolk Island and will especially allow the island's young people high speed access to e-learning for education," Davies said.

O3b is planning a fleet of MEO satellites, providing capacity in almost 180 countries including Australia, and has build local gateways in Perth and more recently in Dubbo in regional NSW.

The firm says the medium orbit craft will provide broadband at vastly better latency – around 120ms – than existing systems, while keeping capacity pricing below \$1,000 per megabit.

O3b's investors include SES, Google and Liberty Global. Last month the company announced that its second group of 4 satellites have successfully completed all required ground testing and are now ready to ship.

The satellites will be launched from French Guiana as early as the first week of June pending final confirmation from launch provider, Arianespace. Following the launch O3b said it will start commercial service for all O3b customers on a global basis.

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Topp Tours back to back Norfolk Island tours

I have visited Norfolk Island many times as, for me, it has all the elements of a great place to visit - beautiful scenery, rich in history and culture as well as very friendly people.

I am a Coach Tour Operator specialising in heritage tourism and I run my own tour business, Topp Tours, out of Parramatta, 23km

west of Sydney. I deal mainly with the seniors market organising day and extended tours throughout NSW and have a wonderful group of people who I consider my 'extended family' travelling regularly with me. I also work as a guide for tour groups and coaches visiting historic Parramatta and occasionally drive tour buses for an eco-tour company with inbound tour groups visiting the Blue Mountains.

In recent years I have been lucky enough to visit Norfolk Island five times and each time I return I excitedly tell all who travel with me about the wonderful time I have had. As a result several said to me "Well, when are you going to take us to visit this island paradise that just oozes with history?" So I decided to make Norfolk Island my first venture off the mainland of Australia. Besides being able to show people this place and its people that I love I also thought my efforts could help boost tourism numbers to the island which is much needed.

I emailed information out to my regular travellers about a proposed tour to Norfolk Island and within 36 hours my tour, which I set with a maximum of 22 passengers, was sold out. I then had the dilemma of what to do with those who had missed out and kept asking "What about us?" So tour No.2 was organised and again it was filled.

I decided to stay on Norfolk Island for the two weeks with Tour Group No.2 arriving the day Tour Group No.1 departed. With months of planning March 28th finally arrived and my first group arrived on the island. What a great, fun week we had, that several asked before leaving (on April 4th) when I would be organising Norfolk Island Part 2 as they are very keen to return. Today (Friday 11th April) I sadly have to leave Norfolk Island for home with Tour Group No.2 and again another wonderful time my group has had with some already planning a return visit.

I must thank the professional and most efficient way that Rebecca Christian, Joyce and all of the team at the Travel Centre organised our flight/accommodation package. Also Les Quintal and the team from Baunti Tours have been exceptional with their assistance. I chose to stay at the Hibiscus Aloha as it is so central

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10am - 11am Easter Saturday 19 April*

Cuddle up & have your photo taken with him.

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Topp Tours back to back Norfolk Island tours - continued

and all the staff have been so marvellous to my group. Having visited Norfolk Island so many times I am lucky that I have come to know so many of you and have been able to speak to you personally about organising so many 'special' things for my groups. You really have helped make my tours a great success. Thank you so much.

Lunch at Liz McCoy's Brewery on arrival, a visit to the Meteorology Station and World of Norfolk, followed by dinner at the Bowlo Bistro which serves the biggest wiener schnitzels was a great start to our tour. Over the next week we enjoyed a wonderful start to the day at the Golden Orb Cafe with Jack and Caz's cooking, private tours plus a screening on the wreck of the Sirius organised by Lisa Richards, Arthur Evan's History In The Making tour plus dinner at his home, John Christian's Cheese Tour and Glass Bottom Boat, Half Day Tour with Liz McCoy as our guide, tour/history talk/organ recital and lunch at St. Barnabas Church, tour/talk and dinner at Norfolk Blue, South Pacific Display and lunch in SDA Church Hall, High Tea and liqueur tasting at Forrester Court, Baunti Tours Fish Fry with island dancing, Progressive Dinner and Cliff Top Breakfast, Trial of the 15, Queen Victoria Gardens, Pitcairn Settlers' Village, Cyclorama, Norfolk Bounty Museum, Sweeties, Kentia Palm Plant, dinner at No.9 Quality Row with special screening on Emily's Grave, meeting with Shane Quintal in the cemetery was an added bonus, lunches at Tea Pot Gardens and Baileys Restaurant and a special 'fun' night with our group in the function room of the Hibiscus Aloha catered by Norfolk Blue. Of course shopping, shopping, and more shopping was the order of the day on their free day plus a visit to Walk In The Wild.

I would also like to thank Tima and Vuta at the South Pacific Resort who came to my rescue by hiring me their bus when I arrived on Norfolk Island to the news that the bus I had organised for me to drive my group around had broken down. I don't think the South

Pac bus has seen so much 'active duty' with many commenting that it had been seen all over the island!

When I first thought about bringing tour groups to visit Norfolk Island I had no idea of the success that they would be and it is through the wonderful support and eagerness by everybody I came in contact with that helped make this a reality.

I have been told that there is no word in the Norfolk language for "Goodbye", which to me is an omen that I must return. Thank you all. "See yorli morla".

Kerima-Gae Topp Manager Topp Tours.



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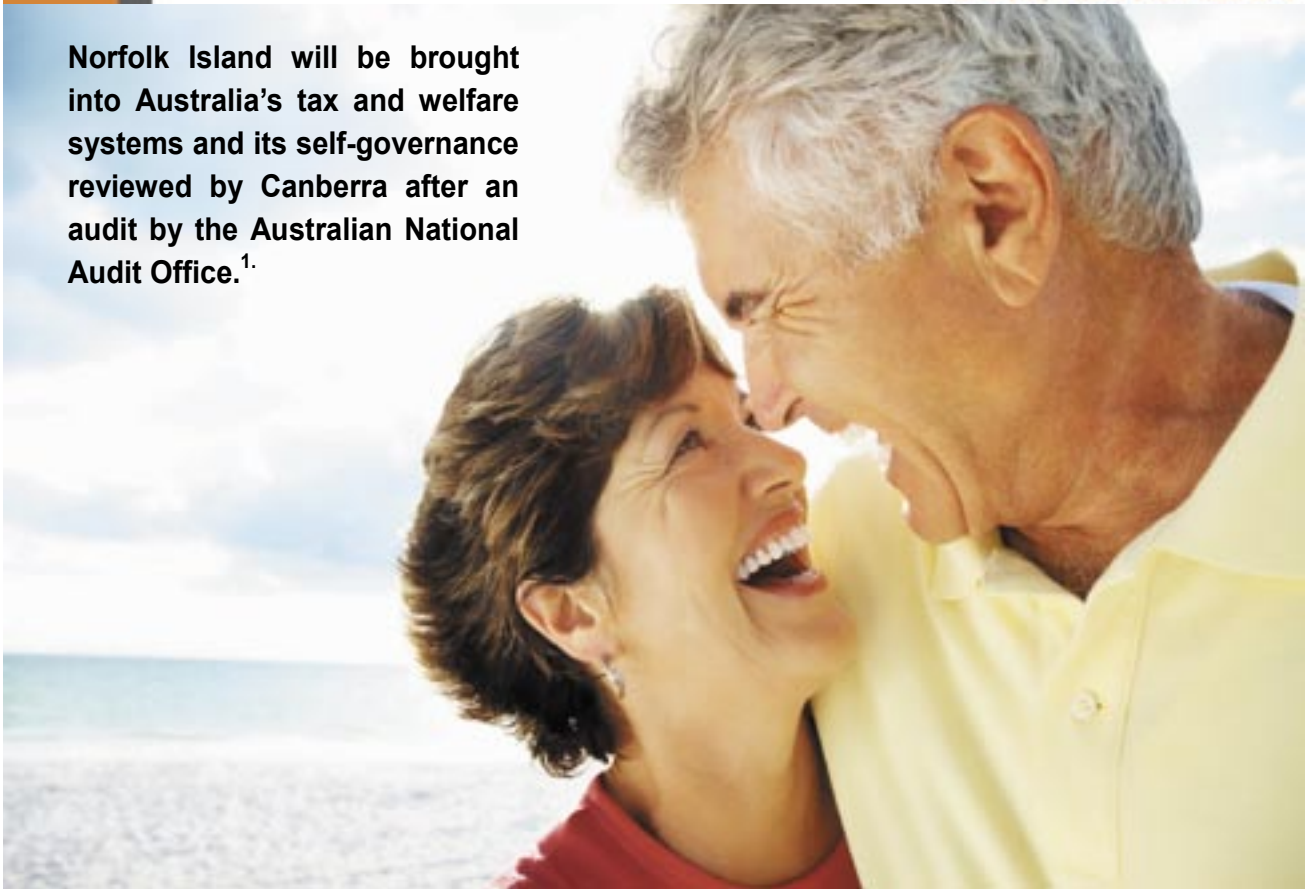
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Minischool Mini News

March 2014

March was a great time to re-introduce and give a fresh approach to learning all about ourselves, colours, shapes, letters and sounds as well as numbers which turned into simple addition. It certainly has been a fun start to the year with extra excursions around the island to learn together.

We are so close to having our amazing new space and gardens up and ready for us and we will be sure to invite you all to our fun open day once we settle in after Easter.

Speaking of Easter, we have been getting stuck into a variety of Easter crafts, some to hang on our walls and many to place in our scrapbooks to remember our early learning years.

Here is what our 3-5 year olds thought about Easter, I love their creativity and imagination.

I asked "where does the Easter Bunny live?"

J-At the Easter Carnival, J- No he lives in the sky, B- at foodlands, A- I know, Its Easter Island, M-On the other side of the Island, A- At Easter land (who with?) his helpers, the other Easter Bunnies (how many?) there are 14! K- In a tunnel (why? Because he wants to hide because everyone wants his chocolate, T- in a tent, B- In his own imagination, O- In a tunnel making eggs and eating carrots, J- He lives into Christmas with Santa Claus they help each other out at Christmas and Easter. The Easter bunny lives at Santas house and they drink cups of tea, eat bananas, peas and carrots and he



loves potatoes pumpkin, zucchinis and that is all.

Why does he like to give eggs out? W-He wants to give them because he is nice, A- He likes to be busy, busy, busy making them.

"How does the Easter Bunny make eggs?"

A- The Easter Bunny gets eggs from the brown chickens, he mixes them all together and gives to us. K- He has an egg factory which gives them to the Easter bunny and he gives them to the children. K- He splits the egg yolk out & puts in a special eating glue in and covers with chocolate. B- He gets some chocolates and eggs and covers them with little choc bits (people take the wrappers off and shove them in their mouths.) J- He buys some chocolate from a shops, opens the wrapper, tips it in, cooks it. He adds some grated carrot and rolls them into little Easter bunnies and eggs with spices. When he is on Norfolk he grabs some guavas then tips them in to the bottom and gives to the people.

"What does he do for the rest of the year?" B-He makes more Easter eggs, J- He goes on holidays and sleeps forever, K- He has fun at Minischool.

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A Breakthrough Moment: Robert Ellicott, QC, and Greg Quintal

In the history of the Pitcairn Island people there have been critical periods which, in retrospect, required the assistance of "outsiders" to proceed. The original John Buffett may be the initial one of these people. He was the first to bring new ideas and skills to the community. Captain William Driver, who took it upon himself in 1831 to return the Islanders to Pitcairn after their disastrous five-months in Tahiti, would be another. Some 20% of the community died within that short period, mostly from influenza. It was a horrible and desperate time. Certainly Admiral of the Fleet, Fairfax Moresby, would need to be included. No one represented the interests of the Pitcairn people, in London and within the halls of the Colonial Office, more loyally than the Admiral, particularly during the years leading to the relocation of the people to Norfolk Island. This special relationship with the Admiral is reflected, among other things, in the number of sons named Fairfax or Moresby in his honour, or Fortescue, after one of his sons, well into the 20th Century. Former Australian Commonwealth Attorney General and Territories Minister, Robert Ellicott, QC, must also be on this list. He was the principal architect in 1979 of *The Norfolk Island Act*, which still forms the basis of the Island's government.

This commentary isn't about politics, but about the bond of trust that formed between two initial foes, Minister Ellicott and Island farmer, Greg Quintal. Greg, a sixth-generation descendant of
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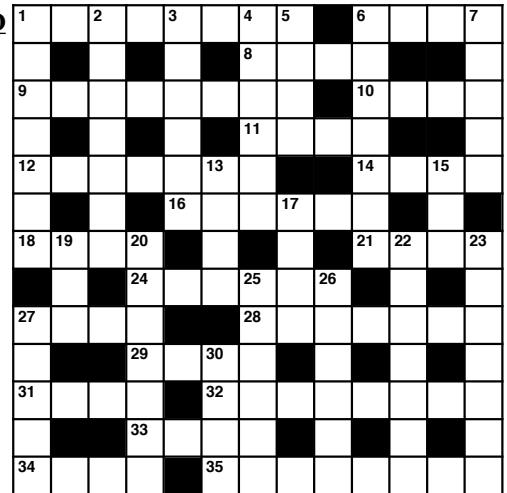
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ACROSS

1. Written agreement
6. Tree knot
8. Belly laugh (2-2)
9. Rusted
10. Eject
11. Plant part
12. Stipulate
14. Flog
16. Girl's name
18. Exclamation of relief
21. Insolence
24. Polar covering
27. Lath
28. Quadrilateral
29. Ear part
31. Vaulted roof
32. Tolerance
33. Spank
34. Nibbles
35. Induced state of relaxation

DOWN

1. Arises (5,2)
2. Artlessness
3. Dried grape
4. Girl's name
5. Commotion (2-2)
6. Make illicit alcohol
7. Door bolt
13. Gala get-together
15. Roman sun god
17. Girl's name
19. Boy's name
20. Daft
22. Non-pigmented people
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***A Breakthrough Moment: Robert Ellicott, QC,
and Greg Quintal - continued***

Bounty mutineer, Mathew Quintal, was a member of the Norfolk Island Advisory Council in the 1970s and a part of the Island's negotiating team during a very bitter stage of negotiations between the Council and the Commonwealth regarding Norfolk's political future. A little-known incident occurred between them in 1978 that demonstrates what great things can happen when people of goodwill meet, even in trying times. One is now 95, the other 87, and their ensuing friendship continues to this day.

As uncertain as the future of Norfolk Island might seem today, it was probably more so during the 1970s. All politics aside (and I'll do my best), after more than a century of contention regarding the "ownership" of Norfolk – the Pitcairn Islanders arrived believing Queen Victoria had given them the Island; the Colonial Office disagreed – a 1976 Royal Commission report initiated by the Commonwealth, the Nimmo Report, essentially recommended the External Territory of Norfolk Island be absorbed into the Commonwealth. The Norfolk Council of the day rejected the report in its entirety. Particularly for Norfolk Islanders of Pitcairn-descent, a tremendous amount was at stake and emotions ran high. Add to that a couple more years of vitriolic name-calling and the stage is set for intractable negotiations between the parties with seemingly no middle ground. Enter Commonwealth Territories Minister Bob Ellicott and Norfolk Councillor Greg Quintal. The incident, told to me by someone present and confirmed by both Greg and Ellicott, is as follows:

From the Norfolk Island perspective, talks were at an all-time low, with time and resources always on the Commonwealth's side. At a particularly frustrating meeting, Greg suddenly begins to sing the hymn, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow". This is what Norfolk Islanders sang on the shoreline in the 1930s as a much-disliked Administrator finally sailed away from the Island. It's been considered a protest song amongst Islanders of that generation ever since, Norfolk's version of "We Shall Overcome", and Greg is singing it now at the negotiating table. It helps that

Bob Ellicott turns out to be a committed Methodist. This is what I think happened.

Greg's response was so unusual, so un-Western-like, that Bob gets the sense that maybe Norfolk is different, too, and pauses to take a second look. At that moment, preconceptions disappear and political agendas momentarily vanish. At that instant, as well, Greg, Bob and the others in the room start to see each other as people, with families and histories and equal concerns about the future, rather than merely as opponents.

I don't believe it was entirely coincidence that the negotiations seemed to quickly change afterwards. News accounts of the day reveal a genuinely surprising, sudden turnabout. The controversial recommendations of the Nimmo Report were shelved by the Commonwealth in favour of entirely new legislation, *The Act*, which rightly or wrongly bestowed on a people about as much self-determination as most likely could have legally been given.

That point in time in the negotiating room I call an Ellicott moment. It could just as easily be called a Quintal moment. It is an instance of empathy and understanding between peoples that can change the course of events, and can happen at the most unlikely times and places. I think we could use such a moment now.

- RAK

Postscript: Some 30 years later, when Greg's grandson was holidaying in Australia, he stayed with Bob's daughter. The Minister and the Farmer.

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Statistics - 2013

In the interests of keeping the community informed and following on from last week's article, the following information from the NIPF 2013 Outcome Report is provided.

The Norfolk Island Police Force undertakes activities across four broad functional areas:

- Community policing;
- Commonwealth law enforcement (e.g. investigation of offences against Commonwealth laws, border security);
- Critical incident management and coordination (e.g. search and rescue, Emergency Management Committee participation); and
- Statutory and regulatory services (e.g. Liquor licencing, Firearms regulation, Sheriff and Bailiff duties).

All activities that we undertake (in either response or self-generated) are recorded and this allows us to determine where our activity is in most and least demand. The amount of time spent on each activity is not recorded and thus there is no time attribution to each activity. This activity analysis is not indicative of crime levels.

In 2013 Community policing activities constituted 48% of all activity, Commonwealth policing 9% of all activity, Critical incident management and coordination 1% of all activity, and Statutory and regulatory services accounted for 42% of total activity.

The below graph shows a comparison of the total activity level for 2013 against previous year totals and indicates that NIPF are continuing to work hard to provide a contemporary and relevant policing service for the Norfolk community.

Emergency numbers

Police – 22222 for routine enquiries. In an emergency Police can be contacted on 977.

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Crimestoppers is a national system which can be reached on 13999 and will take information on any criminal matter. These calls are transferred through to operators off island. All Crimestoppers reports will be accepted anonymously. Police wish to reassure members of this community that any calls to Crimestoppers are made in the strictest confidence and are not subject to caller ID or subscriber tracing. Telephone calls are taken by Canberra based staff.

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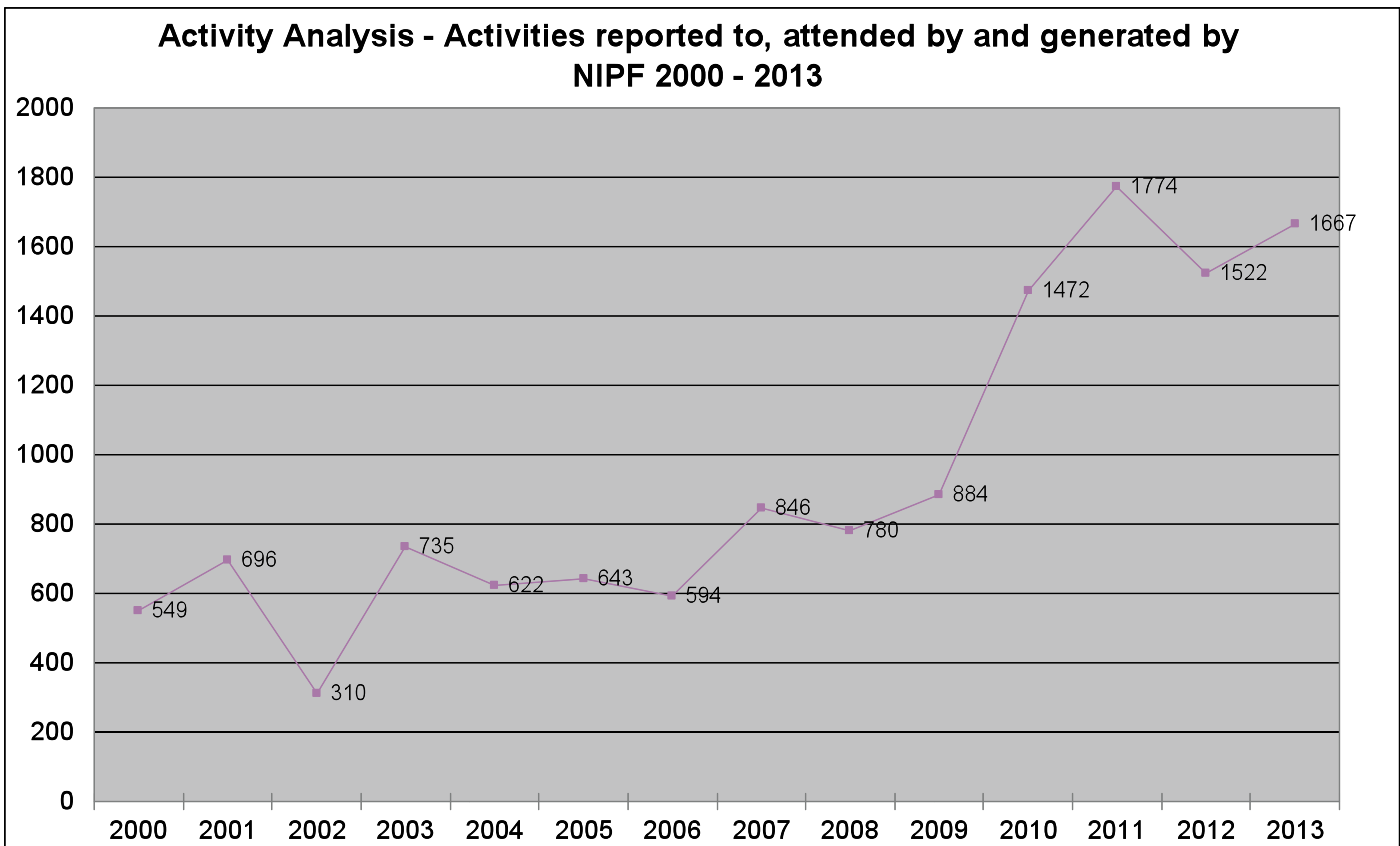
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Email: enquiries@police.gov.nf

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Office hours for routine enquiries: 8am to 4pm, Monday to Friday. If the station is unattended, please use the courtesy telephone located near the front door to contact on duty Police.



Quilt Norfolk welcomes Michelle Yeo for Quilt Retreat

Quilt Norfolk and event sponsor Norfolk Island Travel Centre had the pleasure of welcoming Michelle Yeo, a well-known quilting tutor to the island this year along with 18 enthusiastic visiting quilters booking learn from Michelle and her specialty in creating unique circular designs.



Each year Quilt Norfolk runs two events, the Retreat being a boutique event with one select tutor and the second being the Quilters Getaway a larger event held in October where 3 visiting and 2 local tutors attract up to 60 participants.

This year quilters travelled from Victoria, NSW, Queensland WA and New Zealand to register for personalised tutoring with Michelle. The group were especially excited to be taught Michelle's new Norfolk Island design inspired by the 'St Barnabas Rose' and 'St Barnabas Pearl'.

The group is having a wonderful time with the workshop and spending their free time shopping and touring the island.

Quilters travelling via Brisbane will depart on Saturday with those travelling via Sydney leaving on Monday and of course our New Zealander's will travel home on Sunday. We hope their time here has left them with some wonderful memories and a lasting impression that will encourage them to return for future quilting events on Norfolk and to spread the word of Norfolk Island as a unique quilting holiday destination.

Our photo shows the Quilt Retreat Group with tutor Michelle Yeo most appropriately at St Barnabas Chapel



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GOD'S INFINITE LOVE

Some of you may remember the name Jeffrey Dahmer, also known as the Milwaukee Cannibal, an American serial killer and sex offender, who committed the rape, murder and dismemberment of at least 17 men and boys over a period of 13 years. His first murder was committed when he was only 18 years old, just a few weeks after graduating from high school. This continued until his arrest on 22 July 1991, when a young man with handcuffs dangling from his wrists, escaped from Dahmer's apartment and managed to reach the police.

While investigating, the police found body parts in Dahmer's refrigerator, and he was arrested. He waived his right to have a lawyer present during questioning, and admitted to having murdered 16 young men in Wisconsin, and another in Ohio.

His trial lasted two weeks, and on 15 February 1992, Jeffrey Dahmer was found guilty of multiple murders and sentenced to 15 life sentences, and later to another 16th life sentence. On November 28, 1994, Dahmer was beaten to death by a fellow inmate at the Columbia Correctional Institution. Thus ended the life of a mass murderer and cannibal, at the age of only 34. He had served less than three years of his 16 life sentences when he died.

But there's another part to the Dahmer story that most people don't know about. When Wisconsin minister Roy Ratcliff received a phone call that an inmate at a nearby prison wanted to be baptized, he had no idea that the prisoner in question was Jeffrey Dahmer. After performing the requested baptism in 1994, Ratcliff began traveling to the prison for weekly one-hour Bible study meetings with the prisoner he had baptised, and because of his personal experiences with Dahmer the world learned of Dahmer's conversion experience.

The usual reaction from most people when they hear of this, is unbelief. Surely God could not have pardoned Jeffrey Dahmer after what he had done! Could he possibly be in heaven one day? Is it even Biblical that such a man could be forgiven by God and have eternal life with God? Well, let's look at what the Bible has to say.

We all know the verse in 1 John 1: 9, "If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us of all unrighteousness". Does this verse cover all sins, even the sins of a multiple murderer like Jeffrey Dahmer?

When we look in the Bible we find many forgiven sinners, but is there someone comparable to Dahmer? 2 Kings 21 and 2 Chronicles 33 tells the story of a descendant of King David's, also a king of Judah, King Manasseh, the son of the good King Hezekiah. Not only did he make idol worship official in Israel,

but even brought these idols into God's temple. He sacrificed his children by burning them by fire as sacrifices to his idols, and had many innocent people killed, filling Jerusalem with blood. But when he was captured and taken away by the Assyrians, he turned to God, confessed his sins and pleaded that God would help him. And God, in his infinite love and mercy, did have him released and reinstated as king in Jerusalem. A totally evil man was forgiven and given back his kingdom by a loving God. This is the extent of God's love!

So it seems that Jeffrey Dahmer, in spite of being a brutal killer, has as much right to God's forgiveness as anyone of us. While I cannot judge whether Dahmer's conversion was genuine or not (only God knows that), we may well see him in heaven one day. God's love, mercy and grace are big enough to forgive any sin! How about your sins; are they forgiven? And have you forgiven those that have caused you harm? Not forgiving affects you more than the unforgiven ones, and God is able to give us the forgiveness that we lack.

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Circle and Colour In...

Circle everything that God created on the 5th day then colour in all the pictures.



Do you love all the beautiful birds and the fish God made for us to enjoy? Why not close your eyes right now and say a big "thank You" to God. He'd like that! Remember, He made people, too.



The Easter Carnival

The Admin Electricity boys have worked tirelessly putting up the lights transforming the playground into a wonderland, Gavin Snell and his crew have once again transformed the basketball court into a carnival space with their impressive construction skills. The fishermen have been out to catch a feed for the huge crowd. All the clubs have chipped in to do their bit, as always. The pony pad is marked out and those carrots should do the trick, the blow-up jumping castle is being dusted off and the PE room is being transformed into the white elephant stall as I write this. Gary Summerscales was here late into the night to service the school radio room with Lucy and her team from Radio NI eagerly preparing for their live cross. Those magnificent ladies in the front office who we all love – Meg, Vanessa and Sue have been the engine room sorting tickets and money in between everything else. The Westpac and Commonwealth Banks, Georgie Douran and Michelle Ruka and their beautiful team,

thank you. To our fearless leader ‘Ms T’ – Roz she has spent days and days of preparation and organisation and facilitate the set up of this. (The kids in 5/6 have eyes growing and growing in wonder as the pile of ‘goodies’ mounts higher and higher in their room). Big thanks also to Bronwyn South, Norris Buffett for their invaluable assistance as 2-IC and for all the behind the scene work of Melissa Ward, Sam Quintal and the P&C. To the parents and the community who once again who have opened their hearts and their wallet with their kind donations in support of our great school. To all these people and to anyone I have missed out on mentioning, on behalf of all the staff and all of our wonderful students...THANK YOU!

Adventure Training Award

During the first week of the holidays Sergeant Ford (aka Sam in Year 11) and Sergeant Snell (aka Jarrod Yr12 2013) have been selected to participate in the prestigious ATA, Adventure Training Award held in Canberra. The boys will be put through the paces in a survival and endurance training camp where cadets will be challenged physically and mentally. Good luck boys.

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School News - continued



Last Friday, our school enjoyed its second annual Haew' Goe Dieh. Students from K-8 were able to participate in fun physical activities, coordinated by teachers, community members, and Kate and Michael from the Active After School Program.

Students selected from a multitude of activities from badminton to teeball, soccer to bike riding, tennis to hockey and a heap more. They were assisted in these activities by our senior PE students, who ensured that each opportunity was as fun and full-on as it could be.



Our K-2 students were able to take part in tabloid activities, coordinated by the Yr9 PE students, who completed their week of training as Community Coaches with Kate and Michael.

We are very grateful to several groups for this opportunity. The Australian Sports Commission provided the funding for our day, and Kate and

Michael's (from Active After Schools) efforts throughout the week were invaluable. Jo Snell, Phil Jones, Fabien Levi and Matt and Craig from NI Police, provided excellent fun and coaching for our kids.

Finally a big thanks to our staff members who were able to make this opportunity as fun and beneficial as it was.

Term 2 commencement

Teachers will return to school on Monday 28th April and students the following day on Tuesday 29th.

Return of Sports Trophies

Thank you students for returning your sports trophies we have had a wonderful response.



NICS Year 9 Fundraiser to Adopt Two Orang-utans

Students enjoyed their orange mufti day on Monday donating a gold coin to adopt two adorable orang-utans Rocky (above right) and Rickina (above left). The adoption includes vet care, food, medicine and forest school training so they can be released back in to their habitat. Thank you all and also community members that called in and gave a donation. Very much appreciated. A total of \$298.00 was raised.

Regards

Mark Hall ~ Deputy Principal

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Bike for Bibles” Ride... a Success



Representatives of Norfolk Island Churches present donations to “Bike for Bibles”

Following overnight rain and a forecast for more of the same, Wednesday, 9th April turned out to be a beautiful day. Rev. Dr. Les Hewitt was able to complete his “Bike for Bibles” ride from the Uniting Church out to St. Barnabas and back raising funds for the Bible Society’s literacy programmes. So far \$925 has been banked in the Bible Society’s account with a promise of more still to come, both from on Norfolk Island and from other churches in Australia.

Les’s ride was part of the 30th Anniversary of “Bike for Bibles” and other cyclists are currently travelling from Sydney to Melbourne on the main celebration ride, and probably experiencing rain along the way.

On behalf of Bible Society Australia, Les expresses his appreciation for the support given from the Churches on Norfolk Island.

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Lou Tavener on 50777
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Another success for NATS. Snow White, an original musical play written by Ian and Monica Anderson, was performed last week to enthusiastic audiences.

Isabelle Ward made a lovely Snow White surrounded by Forest Children, in place of the traditional dwarfs, played and beautifully sung by Grace Kelly, Peter Haymes, Savannah Thomas, Cianna Cassidy, Johnny Kelly, Mirabelle Creek, Zander Nisbet, Lani Cassidy, Wilkes Creek who lived up to his name of Trouble and the delightful Cuddlepudd and Sweetie Pie, Heidi Thomas and Jemima Kelly. Vanessa Brown played a feisty Odessa, with dad Dave as the evil Mordred.

Ken Christian played the ailing King and Monica Anderson the wicked money-grubbing Queen. Keith Young was stalwart in his role of Robin the Huntsman and his songs were a delight to hear, not least his duet with the Queen.

The Director was Ian Anderson who also had a cameo role as Sir Kay. The beautiful piano accompaniment was by Helen Young. Back stage we had Louci Reynolds, Assistant Director and also Stage Manager, assisted by Sophie Harris, Tasmyn Harris, Ken Christian and Anna Thomas.

The simple but effective set consisted of two stands which served as tapestry draped walls for the castle and, when turned around, became a forest with trailing vines and leaves. Lighting and sound were in the capable hands of Ben Hayes. Tucked away and hopefully not heard was our prompt Eve Semple.

Thank you to our Front of House crew Helen Price, Taina Hall, Cynthia Quintal, Sue Buffett, Richard Cribb, Jeanine Snell and to Yvonne Robinson who directed the traffic. Costumes were by Monica Anderson and we are grateful to Jonno Snell for lending us the quiver and arrows for our Huntsman and to the Opportunity Shop for providing several of the costumes for the Forest Children. We are grateful to Peter Randall who helped with music practices.

Thank you to the "kids". It was a delight to work with you. And thank you to all the parents who fetched and carried and helped clean up afterwards. And mostly we would like to thank our audiences. You really entered into the spirit of the play, booing and jeering in all the right spots. Your appreciation makes all the hard work worthwhile.

Would you like to be in a NATS play? We are seeking expressions of interest from actors who would like to be considered for our next production "The Dining Room" to be directed by Taina Hall. There are four parts for men and four for women. For more information please contact Taina on 22892 or 52212. Behind the Scenes



The new not for profit organisation, Women's Advocacy Group, Norfolk Island

(WAGNI) needs your help!! We are asking you to design our logo! All ages welcome to participate. Entry Forms are available from the School Office and Burnt Pine Pharmacy in the Mall. Entry forms must be returned by COB Friday 2nd May 2014 to either the school or Burnt Pine Pharmacy. The person with the winning logo will receive a prize worth \$30 for phone credit or petrol voucher or Bounty Centre voucher.

WAGNI are a new group of Women and Girls on Norfolk Island who want to have a stronger voice in the community!



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With summer months it is much quicker and cooler to ride off wearing thongs or even bare feet, but what happens when you have a sudden stop, or the brake does not work quick enough, you use your foot or feet., sometimes these get tangled in the wheel web or scraped on the ground, and sometimes a toe is left on the ground or just hanging,” by a thread”

OUCH this is really painful. If you are alone and have your mobile phone ring the hospital emergency/ ambulance 911.

Hopefully you been able to contact help, while waiting:

Wrap the toe, if it has been cut off, in a hanky or a cloth.

Put a bandage or any cloth available firmly around the bleeding area of the foot.

Elevate the foot; hope help is on the way.

Get to the hospital as fast as you are able.

Next time you are out on your bike, put on your helmet. DON'T FORGET strong shoes or boots.

Enjoy your ride.

BQ

Division Notes

Skill Drill

The next Skill Drill will be Tuesday 22nd April at 6.30pm in the St. John Hall. Starting with a Committee meeting. Later, Skill Drill Subject Fractures.

First Aid

Please note there is no First Aid or CPR class for the month of April.

Smile

The sun wanted to put some money into its bank account. The bank clerk asked, “Which account?” And the sun replied, “Can you put it into my daylight savings please?”

Sudoku Number 177 - Medium

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Fill in the grid so that every column, every row and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1 through 9. There is no math involved. You solve each puzzle with reasoning and logic. Each puzzle only has one solution.

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In Memoriam

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Monica Smith
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Club L

Our next meeting of Club L will be Thursday 24th April. Governor's Lodge 6.30 PM \$26.00 PP

Our speaker is Yvonne Robinson, who along with a Power Point presentation Yvonne will be talking to us on her recent adventure to Pitcairn Island.

ALL Ladies very welcome, ladies ring early with your choice of menu by MID-DAY Wednesday 23rd April. Ring Fenella 23268 OR Lynne 22267

Main Course - Pan seared local Trumpeter with cauliflower puree, local greens, oven roasted tomatoes, lemon oil **or Moroccan Chicken breast** with orange infused Cous Cous, char grilled vegetables, Harissa and minted yoghurt **or Char grilled Scotch Fillet** served with sweet potato mash, local greens, and red wine jus

Dessert Mango panna cotta served with Chantilly cream, mix berries, and ice cream **or** Passion fruit tart served with mix berries, Chantilly cream and ice cream

2014 Year Six Tour Bonanza

The winner of this week's Weekly Cash Bonanza \$500 Cash Prize Draw No. 26 was '2014 Year Six Tour' with Ticket Number 0707.

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Norfolk Island is an inspiring place for creativity, especially for quilt designers.

At two previous Quilt Norfolk Retreats wall hangings with views depicting Kingston and from Captain Cook Memorial have been the focus. This year's Retreat with Michelle Yeo has gone indoors. Eighteen months ago Michelle was on the Island teaching at a Quilt Norfolk Getaway. When she walked into St Barnabas Chapel she was overwhelmed with the designs that surrounded her and decided there and then that she JUST HAD to incorporate them into a quilt. After her busy week of teaching at the Getaway she returned to her home in Melbourne and started a very intense design journey. It soon became obvious that there were too many designs for just one quilt so the labour turned into two large quilts. Michelle has worked from memory, from photos and done a great deal of research, and in 18 months has designed and made two fantastic quilts. For the teaching of the quilts at the Quilt Norfolk Retreat she has written out all the instructions and worked out the construction templates. Also during this time she has finished other quilts, found time (we hope) to care for her husband and three teenage children and has had published a book that has all her own patterns and instructions for her distinctive quilts. The book is published by Quilt Mania Editions and is aptly named "Of Needle Thimble and Threads". She will be going to France in two weeks time to launch the book, and to teach classes.

The Quilt Norfolk Retreat week started on Monday with Michelle revealing the two new quilts in the St Barnabas Chapel to the 18 students. The creations were a delight to behold and it didn't take any imagination to match the quilt design with the motifs in the Chapel, the most significant being the William Morris Rose Window. More information about the Chapel, it's construction, and The Melanesian Mission was given in a talk by Rick Kleiner. It was an ideal way to set the atmosphere for the students and was thoroughly appreciated by all. The ladies have been choosing colours, cutting fabric, and stitching in the St Barnabas Hall most of the week. Keep stitching ladies – hopefully you will be able to be kept warm this coming winter under a "Rose" or "Pearl" quilt, designed by Michelle Yeo and if not made – then started, on Norfolk Island. Thank you for coming and enjoying the Retreat and the Island. We look forward to seeing you again.



St Barnabas Rose.

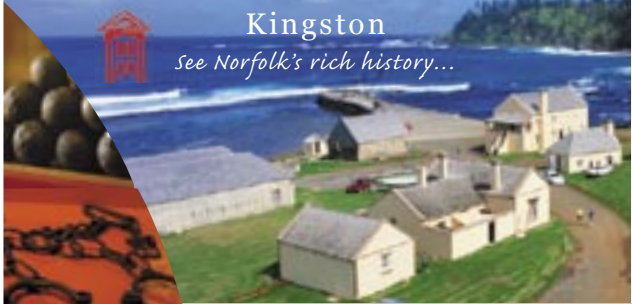
By Michelle Yeo.

Finished quilt size – 81” x 81”

This quilt is inspired by the William Morris stained glass Rose window and the tiled floor at St Barnabas. This magnificent church is a quilter's dream in regards to the inspiration it offers to quilt designers. Designing this quilt provided an insight into the complexities

(continued overleaf)


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Quilting Retreat On Norfolk Island - continued

faced by designers living in an era which lacked the technology we have today. Despite this, making “St Barnabas Rose’ uses modern patchwork techniques including hand and machine piecing and applique to achieve a beautiful, timeless quilt.

‘St Barnabas Pearl’

By Michelle Yeo

Finished quilt size – 70” x 66” (below)

This quilt is inspired by the mosaic mother of pearl, hand carved inlays set into the pew ends at St Barnabas Chapel. Each inlay is unique. Making ‘St Barnabas Pearl’ uses modern patchwork techniques including hand and machine piecing, Broderie Perse, reverse and needle turn applique and foundation piecing. Use of these techniques achieves a beautiful, timeless quilt. Michelle said that it was a joy to design and make this quilt.

Blessing Day at Strawberry Fields

Grant and Bindi of Strawberry Fields would like to thank everyone for the support and the welcome they have given Grace on her arrival.

At 3.30pm tomorrow being Sunday the 13th of April, at Strawberry Fields we will be having a naming ceremony for Grace in the garden, entrance is through the bottom gate on Anson Bay Road.

Following will be an afternoon tea, you are to bring nothing other than blessings and the invitation is open to All that wish to welcome Grace to the world.





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When : Saturday, 10th May 2014

Time : 0845 registration for 0900 start to 1700

Registration by : COB Friday 25th April. Please forward any dietary preferences to Dale at phone or email below with registration details. **Please provide definite commitment to registration and attendance** .

Where : Paradise Hotel

Cost : Non-members Red Cross \$16 ; Members Red Cross Norfolk Island \$8

Cost includes lunch and morning tea. All course information and extras provided free.

Further information, enquiries and registration (Name and contact details) to : Dale Howe, email : dalehowe@ninet.nf , Ph 22187/56025.

Thank you, and looking forward to hearing from you.

Total Lunar Eclipse

The Earth passes directly between the Sun and the Moon on April 15, creating a total lunar eclipse.

The first stage of the eclipse starts a few minutes before 5 pm NZST, up to an hour before moonrise in New Zealand. During this penumbral stage there is little to see as the moon is only in partial shadow.

More dramatic is the Moon's entrance into the umbra, the dark inner core of Earth's shadow, where no direct sunlight reaches the lunar surface. This will start to take place just after moonrise. Few sights in astronomy are more eerie and impressive than watching this red-black shadow creeping, minute by minute, across the bright lunar landscape, slowly engulfing one crater after another. If you're so inclined, there is scientific value in carefully timing these crater crossings.

An hour or so into partial eclipse, only a final bright sliver remains outside the umbra and the rest of the Moon is already showing an eerie reddish glow. The total phase begins at 7.06 pm. From the Moon's perspective, the Sun remains completely hidden for 1 hour 18 minutes. From Earth's perspective, the lunar disk isn't completely blacked out but instead remains dimly lit by a deep orange or red glow. This seems quite unusual. The reason is this. Our atmosphere scatters and refracts (bends) sunlight that grazes the rim of our globe, so that red glow comes from all the sunrises and sunsets around Earth's terminator at the moment. If you were an astronaut standing on the Moon, you'd see Earth ringed with a thin, brilliant band of sunrise

and sunset coloured light. On rare occasions the eclipsed Moon does go black. Other times it appears a bright coppery colour. Sometimes it turns brown like chocolate, or as dark red as dried blood.

Two factors affect an eclipse's colour and brightness. The first is simply how deeply the Moon goes into the umbra; the umbra's center is much darker than its outer edge. The second is the state of Earth's atmosphere all around the terminator. If the air is very clear, the eclipse is bright; if it's mostly cloudy (or polluted with volcanic ash from a major eruption), the eclipse will be dark red, ashen gray, or almost black.

Adding to the early evening spectacle will be the bright star Spica shining only 1 or 2 degrees above the Moon and brilliant Mars about 9 degrees to the east.

Other eclipses visible in Kingston

Dates	Object	Type at max	Visibility in Kingston
15 Apr 2014	Lunar	Total	Total
8 Oct / 9 Oct 2014	Lunar	Total	Total
4 Apr / 5 Apr 2015	Lunar	Partial	Partial
28 Sep 2015	Lunar	Total	Partial
23 Mar / 24 Mar 2016	Lunar	Penumbral	Penumbral
17 Sep 2016	Lunar	Penumbral	Penumbral
11 Feb 2017	Lunar	Penumbral	Partial
8 Aug 2017	Lunar	Partial	Partial
31 Jan / 1 Feb 2018	Lunar	Total	Total

Local times for eclipse in Kingston on Tuesday, 15 April 2014

Click on the Sun/Moon symbols in the column entitled "Looks like" to see what the eclipse looks like during the different phases of the event.

Event	Time in Kingston	Direction	Altitude	Looks like	Comments
Penumbral eclipse begins	15 Apr at 4:25 PM	112°↘	18.5° below	Not directly visible	Under horizon
Partial eclipse begins	15 Apr at 5:29 PM	104°↘	5.5° below	Not directly visible	Under horizon
Moonrise	15 Apr at 5:53 PM	101°↘	0.0° below	Not directly visible	Under horizon
Total Eclipse begins	15 Apr at 6:38 PM	96°↘	9.0°		Total moon eclipse starts - completely red moon. Moon close to horizon, so make sure you have free sight to East.
Maximum Eclipse	15 Apr at 7:16 PM	92°↘	16.9°		Moon is closest to the center of the shadow.
Total Eclipse ends	15 Apr at 7:53 PM	87°↘	25.0°		Total moon eclipse ends.
Partial Eclipse ends	15 Apr at 9:02 PM	78°↘	39.8°		Partial moon eclipse ends.
Penumbral Eclipse ends	15 Apr at 10:06 PM	67°↘	52.7°		The Earth's penumbra ends.

This eclipse is in progress during sunrise or sunset, so the Sun is displayed only partly in some phases, according to its altitude below the horizon. The animation's bottom edge represents an ideal, flat horizon, which is at the same altitude as the observer.

Times are local for Kingston (NFT - Norfolk Time).

What's on at

The Theatre

THIS WEEKEND



A biography/comedy/drama, based on a true story.

Fat and bullied at school, the young Paul Potts likes opera ... which he still sings as a teenager, to his dad's chagrin. Once an adult, the ever insecure Paul is too scared to meet the girl with whom he has had a textual relationship for a year, and it takes his friend to arrange a meeting. She turns out to be the delightful Julie-Ann Cooper, a Cardiff checkout assistant with a heart as big as his. With her encouragement Paul enters a local talent quest and uses his winnings to study at a famous opera school in Venice – until a disastrous audition for Pavarotti sends him into a deep funk. Facing the prospect of having to join his father at the steelworks, Paul is once more persuaded by Julie-Ann to keep trying and, on the toss of a coin, enters the Britain's Got Talent quest, his nerves forever jingling. Rated PG Don't miss this delightful movie.

FROM 18 APRIL

Captain Phillips

A drama directed by Paul Greengrass and starring Tom Hanks and Barkhad Abdi. Based on a true story.

This is the story of the 2009 hijacking of the U.S. container ship Maersk Alabama by a crew of Somali pirates. The Alabama's commanding officer, Captain Richard Phillips is taken hostage by the Somali pirate captain, Muse. The two men are set on an unstoppable collision course when Muse and his crew target Phillips' unarmed ship: in the ensuing standoff both men will find themselves at the mercy of forces beyond their control. Rated M Please note special screening times because of the Easter holidays.

WEDNESDAY, 16 APRIL AT 1.30PM

Turbo

An animated movie from the makers of Madagascar and Kung Fu Panda.

Along with his streetwise snail crew and new human friends, Turbo, an underdog snail, takes on the biggest challenge ever, to make their dreams come true. Rated G

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MOVIE TIMES

One Chance (PG)	1hr 33min
Saturday, 12 April	7.30 pm
Sunday, 13 April	5.30 pm
Turbo (G)	1hr 33min
Wednesday, 16 April	1.30 pm
Captain Phillips (M)	2hrs 9min
Friday, 18 April	5.30 pm
Saturday, 19 April	7.30 pm
Sunday, 20 April	5.30 pm
Monday, 21 April	2.30 pm

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Page from the Past

Saturday, 15th April 1972

Dung Beetle Project - The three CSIRO experts, Alan Dyce, Harry Standfast and Paul Ferrar, who are visiting at the present, have come on a 2-fold mission. The main reason, of course, is to study the benefits that could be gained by the release of Dung Beetles on the island, while the other (and pointed out as equally important) is to do an insect survey with particular focus on the potentially present dung breeding midge.

This study of biting insects that could be on the island, Mr. Ferrar said, could be of great assistance in the future. "If you know what is here and how it is spreading it saves having to do another survey".

One of the interesting points brought out was the fact that insect-wise, Norfolk Island is virtually a blank page in entomological history. Mr. Dyce said that much had been done regarding the listing of Norfolk Island butterflies but only two or possibly three species of mosquito recorded on the island and very poorly represented in collections. "One of them hasn't been seen for 30, 40 or 50 years and it would be unexpected if it is still not here - if it was here then - and they are not too sure what it was!!"

Our visitors have asked us to let our readers know that apart from natural water courses, they will be looking for anything that might be a breeding spot for larvae - so if you see a red "Mini" parked on the road outside your place and three earnest looking men stalking across the paddock, poking around an old tree, don't be alarmed - it is sure to be the CSIRO team looking for larvae and who are, in their own words "conservationists at heart and interested to see whether their research will be of overall benefit to the island".

Further to the above, the following extracts will add further knowledge about Dung Beetles.

Most dung beetles are broad, squat shape and all have strong digging forelegs. Those being introduced by CSIRO are mostly 1/2 to 3/4 inches long.

The adult beetles fly actively in search of fresh dung, some species by day and some by night. They can fly for miles, and detect the dung by smell over great distances. When they land on the fresh pad they immediately burrow into it and start feeding. The mouths of the adult beetles are so formed that they can only suck the fluids of the fresh dung, and feed on nothing else. They are quite unable to chew anything, and so there is no risk that they will become pests by attacking pasture or other plants.

Walking in the Rain - We take off our hats to the Wives and Mothers, the children, the two men, Pam Matthew's golden Labrador, and escorts, who walked in the pouring rain last Sunday afternoon to raise funds for the Wives and Mothers Club.

Over a course of 7 miles the "Walkathon" commenced at the Steele's Point Tennis Club and proceeded along Stockyard Road, Collins Head Road, Queen Elizabeth Avenue right around to Peter's Highway, down Longridge Hill and along Watermill Valley, finishing at the Lime Kiln.

And it commenced to rain! And it rained and rained, right to the end of the course. Luckily, it was not cold and great was the amusement of the walkers and those who followed. The walkers did a magnificent job, finishing

by about 4.15 p.m. Ken Brown and Bob Hemus really stepped it out and finished nearly an hour before anyone else, Bob just beating Ken. There was a tremendous response to this project and to date an amount of \$1,145 has been added to the Wives and Mothers Club Building Fund.

Hospital Fees increased from 1st July - Approval has been given to the following by-laws of the Norfolk Island Public Hospital Board. With effect from 1st July, 1972 the fees to be charged to patients are hereby fixed as follows:-

Out Patients: Residents - \$1.90 per consultation
Visitors - \$3.75 per consultation
In Patients Intermediate Ward - \$18.30 per day
Private Ward - \$22.30 per day

In discussion at the last Council meeting, it was pointed out that the prudent family man would join a Medical Fund. It is an unfortunate fact, however, that a small percentage of the community will not protect themselves or their families against the possibility of big medical fees.

The Board is sympathetic to cases of genuine hardship and together with the Sunshine Club and the Administration will treat such cases with tact and discretion. But in the community's own interests, legal action against long term defaulters is necessary.

Now that the increases have been gazetted, we are pleased to report that since commencement of the articles on the position of the hospital, there has been a marked increase in the number of persons applying for membership of the M.B.F.

Letter to the Editor - "For quite some time it has been apparent that the services of a resident veterinarian would be a benefit to the island. If our Council would see fit to employ a qualified veterinarian and he would oversee the management of a quarantine station under the control of our governing Council, and complying with the world wide regulations for such a station, this might also of benefit to the island.

For one thing, Norfolk Island has the reputation of being a disease free island and we wouldn't want to spoil this.

Just so long as we do not allow any animal to come here without a disease free certification from a qualified veterinarian at the country from which the animal comes, we can pretty well guarantee that we shall maintain that reputation. But the minute we establish a quarantine station here, and accept animals who still have to be proven disease free, we severely jeopardise that reputation.

We should stop and think about this very carefully.

One can't help wondering why, if the argument that having a quarantine station in an area is such a boon to that area (and causes such an improvement, etc, etc.) Australia doesn't want to have it in her own country. Surely Australia has not suddenly been overwhelmed with so much love for Norfolk Island that she wants us to have all these wonderful benefits, instead of having them herself. The truth of the matter is that having a quarantine station in the area is a risk and a danger to the community and Australia wants us to take that risk for her". Yours etc. M. Ward.

- Tom.



U3A Norfolk Island – “New Tricks for Old Dogs”

The U3A NI Management Committee wishes to announce the commencement of the first series of classes aimed at providing learning opportunities for older people, using the skills and abilities of the members themselves.

We wish to thank Wally Beadman for the generous donation of his time and teaching skills, and Michelle Nicholson, School Principal, for the use of the rooms and resources of the Norfolk Island Central School.

IPAD And TABLET CLASSES

Date	Class	Location	Time	Topic	Teacher
FIRST CLASS					
April 15 th	Ipads and Tablets	School Library	5.30 - 6.30pm	Beginner’s Introduction to your Device – Use it or Lose it!	Wally Beadman
SECOND CLASS					
April 22 nd	Ipads and Tablets	School Library	5.30- 6.30pm	Beginner’s Introduction to your Device – Use it or Lose it!	Wally Beadman
THIRD CLASS					
April 29 th	Ipads and Tablets	School Library	5.30 – 6.30pm	Beginner’s Introduction to your Device – Use it or Lose it!	Wally Beadman

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You must be a U3A member to attend classes. To become a member, please call Anne Signal on 22181
- To enrol, please call Miles Howe on 22448. Class sizes are limited to 10 participants.

- Please ensure you sign the attendance sheets for insurance reasons and follow all safety instructions regarding use of the school’s resources and premises.
- U3A Course Supervisor: Miles Howe 22448
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Mental Health Week

Mental Health is characterised by having a well developed sense of self; you feel connected with yourself, your family and friends and the environment-most of the time. And, if you feel out of sorts you can trust there is some one there available for you to reach out to, to talk to; like your Mom, or your Dad, or your partner or your wife etc. You have learnt that by talking with someone you trust you will be listened to and valued. The other person may not have the answers, but it is enough to feel heard and understood. It takes the pressure off.

Children have amazing radar; they pick up on their parents feelings and moods and what is said and unsaid. They are very good at reading emotional barcodes. It's believed that by age 6, children have tuned in so profoundly to their environment that they have 'how they will be in life' basically sorted out. In a closed family system children learn to 'bottle emotions up', that arguments, flare ups and hostility are normal and, as adults can be suspicious or cynical of anyone sharing how they feel. In an open family, children accept people expressing their feelings in an even and loving way, free of tension, judgement & hostility.

Everyone hurts and feels pain, at times. The important thing though is, has the pain healed or been buried. If the old pain is buried it will re-surface at times of tension, crisis or life event difficulty and add itself to the current level of pain. One way it can be seen if pain is not healed is when you see people with chronic addictions or acting out violently, particularly in domestic circumstances. People either want to numb pain or the pain manages them. These are old, well buried pain patterns in operation.

One of the difficulties in being raised in families where, as children, we carry others' feelings is that we grow up learning that, "I can't be ok, unless you are ok." This is called co-dependency and it creates enormous difficulties in adult relationships particularly causing guilt. Guilt is usually about a rule being broken. These guilt responses for people in co-dependent relationships explains why women continue to stay on in abusive relationships and why people can be so afraid of saying what they really feel for fear of hurting, burdening or enraging the other person.

Being unhappy, feeling guilty, being depressed and anxious are often characteristics of adults being raised as children in closed families where communication, expressing feelings and being listened to were not taught, or not encouraged or simply where the parents themselves had been raised in similar circumstances.

If emotional pain is treated healing is more likely. It's the same with physical pain. So, once you have decided enough is enough, you have tuned into yourself and become aware and taken an emotional stock take, then it may be a matter of assessing, "do I need to talk with dad, with mom, with my good friend, with my wife, my pastor, go to an AA or GROW meeting or see the counsellor?" - to begin to find a way of getting involved with the problem. Often problems are disguised in patterns; patterns of thinking and behaviour. This is where professional counselling can assist to help identify targets to work on, as with all of us anything

we practice over and over we often incorporate into our thinking and behaviour unconsciously. If we practiced at thinking angry thoughts it will affect our behaviour; we can be walking 'time bombs,' carrying the message 'don't talk to me.' If we think negatively we are more likely to see ourselves in a negative way; "I'm such a bad person, and nothing good ever happens to me." If we hold onto something too tightly in our minds, like certain values or beliefs, we can often be trapped into pretending everything is fine, when in fact it may not be. In these instances people are closed in their minds, are not good listeners and often are good pretenders.

Ultimately it is about making choices and taking responsibility for them. It can involve setting goals, being honest, and may involve letting go of something that no longer takes care of you. Frequently it involves setting boundaries and limits on another's or one's own behaviour. It always involves nurturing ourselves healthily and not continuing with old behaviours that are destructive or harmful. What other people think is less important than what you think, and how positive you are with your self first and foremost and then with others is what counts.

The Norfolk Island Counselling Service can be contacted free call on 0333 or by calling 23190 or mobile 56400. If the phone is unattended please leave a message and your call will be returned. All inquiries are strictly confidential. Persons requiring an appointment can be seen at either the DCA9 house or at rooms located on the Hospital grounds.

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Golf Report

Round 4 of The Olive Café Monthly Medal Competition and Lisner Trophy was played last Saturday. The Individual Stroke event attracted a good sized field, with some close scores fighting it out for the major prizes. The winner of the Monthly Mug in the men's competition was Neil Pope with a good score of net 67. David Magri came in second place with his net 68. Third place went to club handicapper Barry Hyatt with net 69. Retiring club captain Errol Wilson won the countback on net 70 to take out fourth position from fifth placed visitor Neville Bowers, also on net 70. Kevin Adams (also net 70) was the unlucky player to miss out on the countback. Ladies competition winner Belinda Grube was the big winner on the day. Belinda's net 67 was good enough to beat Neil Pope on a countback for The Olive Café Monthly Medal shirt and coffee (? more like milkshakes and iced chocolate) voucher as well as the Lisner Trophy voucher. Tane Cottle came second with net 68 and Pat McCoy was third with net 70 on a countback from the unlucky Liat Baddock (net 70) who missed out on the major prizes. The ball rundown went to net 72.

The Pro-Pin on the 4th hole was won by Neil Pope with his shot to 380 cm from the pin. Eric Sweeney won the All-In NTP on the 9th/18th with a shot to 239 cm. The Ladies Nearest-The-Pin on the 6th/15th was won by Liat Baddock (171 cm), and Marbles Soley won the Men's Nearest-The-Pin on the 2nd/11th with his shot to 270 cm.

Thank you to Naomi Thompson from The Olive Café for her much appreciated sponsorship of the monthly and yearly components of this prestigious competition. Thanks also to Johanna Lisner for her long-term and ongoing sponsorship of the ladies similar monthly and yearly competition. A big thanks to Naomi for presenting the prizes to the lucky winners.

With four rounds of the competition played, the current leaders of the yearly competition, counting all four rounds, are Dave Magri (280), Errol Wilson (281), Barry Hyatt (282), Luke McLeod (285) and Pat McCoy (287). If we use the best three results from the four rounds played, the leader board looks like this: Dave Magri (205), Luke McLeod (206), Cooky Gardiner (208), Barry Hyatt (208) and Errol Wilson (210). Overall the players will need to count their best seven rounds from the eleven possible rounds.

Today's competition is an Invitation Day. The game is a 2 Person Ambrose event. Please invite a non-regular golfer to play with you in the event, and show them a good time at our wonderful club.

Tee-off times are 8:30 am and 1:00 pm, and all players are reminded to have their cards in at least 15 minutes beforehand.

The draw for the All-Grades Matchplay Competition, and the due dates for the matches to be completed by, is on the notice board.

Golf Quip of the Week:

Practice is the only golf advice that is good for everybody. – Arnold Palmer.

Upcoming Events:

- Wednesday 16th April – Individual Stableford

- Saturday 19th April – Cascade Motors & Kumho Tyres Easter Tournament Rd 1 – Individual Stroke
 - Sunday 20th April - Cascade Motors & Kumho Tyres Easter Tournament Rd 2 – Individual Stroke
 - Wednesday 23rd April – Individual Stableford
 - Friday 25th April – Mort Rutledge Memorial (Port for Mort) Day
 - Saturday 26th April – TAB Team Trophy Rd 1 – 2 Person Ambrose – Choice of Partner
 - Wednesday 30th April – Individual Stableford
 - Saturday 3rd May - The Olive Café Monthly Medal and Lisner Trophy Rd 5 – Individual Stroke
 - Wednesday 7th May – Individual Stableford
 - Saturday 10th May – Individual Stableford
 - Sunday 11th May – Mother's Day – 9 Hole – Two Person Ambrose – Choice of Partner
 - Wednesday 14th May – Individual Stableford
 - Saturday 17th May - TAB Team Trophy Rd 2 – 4BBB Stableford – Choice of Partner
- Good golfing everyone

Hacker McChipalot

NORFOLK ISLAND FITNESS AND HEALTH NEWS

Congratulations to all "FIGHT BACK FEBRUARY" participants.

Final results will be in the next edition of the Norfolk Islander.

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Cheryl Tennis Club News

Thanks to the fantastic initiative of Jason Ellem and his very hard –working volunteer job with Amanda Cribb, Committee members, parents, kids... 15 Juniors, supported by Cheryl Tennis Club, will go to Fiji on Sunday 13rd April for one week of tennis tournament. Even If the level is higher in Fiji (bigger island, more players, ITF intensive training centre...) Fabien is sure that Norfolk Island children will learn a lot from this experience, will enjoy, will have a lot of fun, will play their best with a fair-play and social spirit! Don't hesitate to wish them good luck on Sunday morning at the Airport.

Next term Friday Junior Championships will start on the 2nd May. Juniors have to write their doubles team and singles name (on the left board) by the end of the month. (details with Fab)

Last Monday night was the final between Totems and Astros. Congratulations to Astros Team [Arki, Jen and Sally] who won a very close challenge against Totem's Team with very good matches. (28 games to 26 games) The next Monday night comp will start again on the 5th of May, after the holidays (players have to write their names on the sheet.) Players and spectators enjoyed the President's sausage sizzle after the games.

Due to the rain, round 9 of Tuesday comp was postponed and will be played on the 6th of May (after holidays)

Fabien would like to inform his players that he is off work until Tuesday 15th of April and for the Easter week-end.

Fabien is organising one clinic, from Wednesday 16 to Friday 18 April morning for mini-tennis (from 5 years old) and Juniors. Please, book and pay with Fabien as soon as possible before the groups are full. (mobile: 51 999)

Doubles coaching and drills session(s) for adults on Wednesday 16, Thursday 17 or Friday 18th April afternoon to prepare the annual Vets tournament! Details with Fabien, (51 999) at Cheryl Tennis Club. Younger adults are more than welcomed to join the vets in order to improve their double skills.

During the very busy week of Vets Tournament (21st to 26th April) no clinic and no coaching.

Term 2 coaching schedule (from Monday 28th April to Saturday 21st June) is available at Cheryl Tennis Club. Please, don't forget to book and pay in advance with Fabien. (51 999)

Last weekend was again very tennis orientated with the farewell to our young players on Saturday, and a working bee on Sunday to prepare for the Vets tournament. Thanks to all who made the effort- the Clubhouse is sparkling!

For the Governor's Lodge Veterans' Tennis we have a record number of entries from overseas, so trust the weather will be kind and everyone can enjoy their tennis and all the island has to offer. We are very grateful to Governor's for their ongoing sponsorship of this major event in the tennis calendar. First arrivals are on Sat 19th from Brisbane, and the Kiwi contingent comes in on Easter Sunday, with a large influx from Sydney on Monday and a few stragglers –including

our Fiji travellers on Tuesday.

The Official Programme –: Governor's Lodge Veterans' Tennis 2014

- Sunday 20th:** 2 pm Social Tennis & Registration for Brisbane and NZ
- Monday 21st:** 2 pm Social Tennis and Registration NSW Visitors
6 pm Official Welcome and Fish Fry
- Tuesday 22nd:** 8.30 am Ladies and Mens Doubles
- Wednesday 23rd:** 8.30 am Mixed Doubles
- Thursday 24th:** 8.30 am Complete Plate / Consolation events
7.00pm International Three- way Team Challenge
- Friday 25th:** 8.30 am Medal Finals 11am Acknowledge Anzac Day
6.30 for 7.00 pm Presentation Dinner at Governor's Lodge

Spectators will be welcome to come and share in this exciting week.

Since we have a reputation for legendary hospitality as well as wonderful tennis- the House & Social Committee will be calling on members and friends to supply food so that players and visitors can buy morning tea/light lunch at the Club during the week. If you could make sandwiches/ savouries/ cake/ slice or provide fruit, please contact Karenne Gatehouse at the Gas Centre?

Court Hire Visitors and non-members are welcome to come and play during the day at a cost of \$16 per hour – Night \$18. However Members have FREE use of the courts during the day and \$12 per hour in the evenings if there is no comp. Please use the Honesty Box if courts are unattended.

Ball Machine Hire Should you wish to hire the Ball Machine to help develop your skills, cost to Members is \$6 per half-hour, \$10 per hour; and Non-Members \$15 for half an hour and \$25 per hour.

Contact the Gas Centre 22419 to make arrangements.

VENUE FOR HIRE Our facilities are ideal for many social occasions with beautiful courts, bar and kitchen so call the Gas Centre and leave a message if you would like to arrange a function, or call up to the courts during a comp night.

CHEAP SPLIT FIREWOOD

Oak, Gum, Olive
GOOD SIZE LOAD!!

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NI Hapkido

One important part of Hapkido's syllabus is the use of pressure points to control or incapacitate an attacker. Based on using the same energy points that are used in acupuncture or accupressure to heal, striking or pressuring these points can render an attacker unconscious or enable the defender to control the attacker with minimal effort.

With regular training a hapkido student can control an attacker with two fingers or knock the aggressor out. Using pressure points allow a small defender to defeat a much bigger opponent.

An important advantage of pressure points is that an enemy can be overcome without being damaged

unlike punching or kicking. While extremely painful once pressure is removed the pain stops and no injury has been incurred.

Any one interested in learning Hapkido can contact John Christian on mob 50312

This week was an exciting time with a grading for junior students on Tuesday night, it was pleasing to see the high standard on display with all students being successful.

The winner of the best student of the week was Ryan who is pictured receiving his trophy from senior students Sam and Jai.

Congratulations Ryan keep up the good work.

Kumho Tyres is Golf's Easter Open Sponsor

In conjunction with Cascade Motors and Blairs Supertyre Distributors in New Zealand, Kumho Tyres have confirmed their continued sponsorship of the Norfolk Island Golf Club Easter Open Tournament. Spokesman Steve Raikes, said that Blairs and Kumho Tyres were pleased to continue their sponsorship for the second consecutive year.

The tournament has been played for many years and is an important part of the Golf Club's annual calendar. The Golf Club looks forward to another great tournament and is extremely grateful to Kumho Tyres for their continued support.

Norfolk Island Golf Club

**CASCADE
MOTORS**

KUMHO TYRES

Easter Tournament

Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th April 2014

Great Prizes Up For Grabs!!

\$35 entry fee includes:

36 Hole Competition with Daily and Overall Prizes

Post-Game snack prior to presentation Sunday 20th April

Tee off times 8.30am and 1.00pm

The Golf Club wishes all in the Community a safe and happy Easter!



Squash News

The squash club is building programmes for the future and I would like to thank all of our volunteers for their valuable ideas and contributions to our committees. Exciting times!

Junior Squash

Saturday morning from 8.30am. Anyone wishing to play, just turn up and you will be organised into games and shown how to play the game. Rackets are available to use. Phone Puk on 50184 for more information.

This week Puk will be cooking a BBQ for all the dedicated junior players, to thank them for their commitment. Any parents who are able to help, it would be great to see you down at the courts and being involved.

Wednesday Night Mixed competition

One thing about squash it is good for Smudgies business. Walls are unforgiving on rackets, luckily for Snobbles he has a handy supply! It is amazing the amount of strings that break and grips get replaced each week. We would like to sincerely thank Smudgie for his contribution to the squash club.

After giving Eric a rap in last weeks paper, he decided to tackle a towbar with his knee and came out second best. Hope you recover soon and get back on the court.

Last weeks matches saw Dean battle it out with Debby 3-2, Ginny giving Curtis a squash lesson on accuracy of shot, and tight play, winning 4-1, our everready sub Figgy overcoming a slow start and winning a very tight game against Puk 3-2, Brian taking pity on Lance allowing him to take the centre of the court 0-5, Aiden finally calming down in his match against Snobbles and actually thinking about his game winning 3-2, Rob winning against Craig 3-2 and Rob would like to thank Craig for having a sore back and still playing as it is the first time in four years that he has actually won against him, Mark winning 4-1 against Adam, George finally stopping the rocket serves of Storm winning 3-2, And Leonard being pushed all round the court by Kym. Although Leonard finally won the Match, Kym did say in the press conference "that she was taking it easy on the old bugger!"

The match of the week saw Beau playing Umi. Beau is one of our very good emerging Juniors, and he had Umi flat strap trying to keep up in the first two games. The class of Umi's shots finally proved to hot for Beau and both players finished the match exhausted. Well done to all this week!

Draw for Wednesday 16th APRIL 2014 Christian Bailey Agencies court

4.00 pm	Debby v Adam
4.30pm	Reuben v Lenny
5.00pm	Dean v Curtis
5.30pm	Leonard v Rob

6.00pm Beau v Ginny

6.30pm Aiden v Umi

Burnt Pine Travel Court

4.00 pm Tiaan v Courtney

4.30pm Puk v Lance

5.00pm Snobbles v Craig

5.30pm Mark v Brian

6.00pm George v Kym

Just a reminder to all players, that you have to score and referee the match straight after your match. We are always looking for new players or any existing members to join the competition and have some fun! If you are unable to play or have a prior commitment, then please contact Lance Miller on 56832.

Calendar of Events for 2014

Gary Raper Open Squash Championship 3rd -10th May

Norfolk Island Doubles Championships 30th June to 5th July

Club Championships 25th – 30th August

Norfolk Island Masters 12th – 18th October

NORFOLK ISLAND CENTRAL SCHOOL

2014 Year 6 Tour Fundraising Group

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BONANZA

\$2 could win you \$500!

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MAZDA NEO 1994. 9 months rego. 2 new tyres. \$900ono. Please call 52111

1990 SUBARU JUSTY CAR. As is \$600ono. Driveable. Goes well but unregistered. Phone Neil on 22577 or 57227

“CAFÉ ESPRESSO” REDUCED TO SELL – URGENT SALE Make An Offer Today To: Norfolk Island Real Estate. Phone 22429/50803

BOOKS BITS AND BOBS SALE.

Saturday 19th, Sunday 20th and Monday 21st

12 - 4pm at KC Industries.

Pistol Commonwealth Games Team fundraiser

FIREWOOD. \$140 per load. Phone Matt Reeves on 50665

2013 SUZUKI TS 185. Purchased brand new & has only been used for just over a month. One owner, immaculate condition & always garaged. For further enquiries please call 56466

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NISSAN SUPER SALOON 10 months rego, mechanically superb. \$2,000ono. **HONDA CRV 4WD.** 2 months rego. Uns beuaituffly. \$5,500ono. Phone Kate on 56922

MOTHER'S DAY GIFTS – “Special for Mum “ - Roses, Gardenias, Azaleas, Pride of Barbados ... or Gift Vouchers are available to let her choose from our great selection of plants.

Rosalie & John's Nursery : Allendale Drive, open Wednesday & Saturday's 2pm - 5pm or other times by calling 52121 or 22776

TOYOTA STARLET. Reliable. Registered. \$2,500. Phone 56698 or 23445

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Just listed @ \$275,000.

For inspection phone David Bell 50701

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Set well back on 4+ acres. Great modern kitchen, large main bedroom with walk in robe & ensuite + private deck. Solar power. Wood & mower shed. Large garage 3 car + large workshop area. Estab fruit trees. Property adjoins rainforest & is private. If you are after something of quality and different, this could be it. \$680,000.

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Estab freehold joinery on 2200sqm. Building recently upgraded. Extra work & storage sheds + owners/managers cottage.

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Fenced on 3 sides & road on 3 sides. Not many useable blocks at this size. **\$270,000**

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David Bell

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WANTED TO BUY

CLOTH NAPPIES. COTTON TOWELS. Prefer white in color. Any condition. Any amount. Will pick up. Please call 54023

WORK WANTED

MATURE, STRONG LOCAL MALE turning 21 this year is looking for work. Anything considered. Please phone 50297 or 24211.

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MODERN 4 BEDROOM HOME, fully furnished and equipped, solar power and hot water, private and close to town \$250.00 per/week ph Richard 50368

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RETAIL SPACE AVAILABLE TO LEASE. Suitable for Cafe but could be adapted to any purpose. Reasonable rent assured. Prime position in Burnt Pine. Contact Dan or Carole Yager in the first instance at "Leaside" or Phone 22054

SERVICES AVAILABLE

AVAILABLE PROFESSIONAL AND RELIABLE GRAPHIC DESIGN, WEBSITE BUILDING, LOGOS AND PHOTOGRAPHY. Please phone Yoyo Tuki or Natalie Grube on 56508 for all your enquiries.

BEVERLY HILLS BUSINESS MACHINES. Repairs to iPhones, Docket Printers, Printers and Faxes, Free Advice. Contact Peter at norfolk@bhbm.com or 51990

FOR ALL REPAIRS TO Whipper snippers, chainsaws, hedgetrimmers, blowers and sharpening of chains, call Col at C&A Repairs on 22224 or 58300

HANDYMAN, No job too small or too big, efficient and honest hard work, all home maintenance work, call "Fix it Dave" phone Dave on 56877

NEEDING REPAIRS OR ALTERATIONS to your garments or household items? Call Angela on 22224 or 58077

POSITION VACANT

QUALIFIED KITCHEN HAND required for part time flexible work in our café and restaurant. NBN 280040817. Please email norfolkblue@norfolk.nf

The Golden Orb may have a vacancy for an **ALL-ROUNDER (BARISTA, FRONT OF HOUSE, KITCHEN HAND, GOPHER)**. It is anticipated that the position will be 30 hours per week, spread over 6 days on a permanent part time basis. Please send your resume to The Golden Orb or drop in to discuss the position with Caz or Jack. NBN 280016031

Hilli Restaurant is looking for **PART-TIME WAITSTAFF FOR MAINLY EVENING SHIFTS**. Good presentation & communication skills essential, experience an advantage however training will be provided. Contact us on 24270 or managerhilli@gmail.com

TopGroup(NI) Pty Ltd requires a **PROFESSIONAL STONE MASON** for the South Pacific Resort Hotel (NBN280031907). The applicant must have at least 2 years experience and also be able to assist in other departments within the hotel. The applicant should be prepared to work 6 days a week including weekends and Public Holidays.

Please apply to: Operations Manager – Tima Kubu on amanager@southpac.nlk.nf or alternatively contact Philip Hooper on email Philip.hooper@myboulevard.com.au

CLEANER/HOUSEKEEPER required for 5 to 7 hours a week at Norfolk Blue from end of April and depending on the person, other tasks may be available from time to time. Contact Ashley at Norfolk Blue on 22 068 Tuesday to Friday or email norfolkblue@norfolk.nf

Governor's Lodge Resort Hotel is seeking suitably qualified **PASTRY / SHORT ORDER CHEF** for our Bailey's Restaurant & Café. The job entails prep and presentation of product for a la carte and buffets in a variety of dining and function areas. Weekend and evening work shifts are involved. **RECEPTION / RESERVATIONS**. Part time shifts. Preference for good computer skills, training available. Applicants should send their CV and contact details to bwalker@governorslodge.nf or phone 24400 to make an appointment. NBN#280015496

NOTICE

Tane Cottle's SMART THERAPIES Sport Massage And Remedial Treatments Spa Massage And Relaxation Therapies WILL BE CLOSING FOR A COUPLE OF MONTHS FROM THE 2ND MAY 2014.

Appointment times are filling fast before this date, if you have been planning to get some relief, or have a voucher to use, please book early so we can organise a time to suit. Appointments can be left on message bank Ph 56984. Thank you, Tane

BURNT PINE PHARMACY will be closed from Tuesday 22nd April and will re-open Monday 28th April.

Radio Norfolk's **EASTER BROADCAST** by Mary Duke titled "INVESTIGATING EASTER!" will go to air on both A.M and F.M. on **MONDAY 14th APRIL** at 5.30 p.m..

THERE WILL BE NO EDITION OF THE NORFOLK ISLANDER NEXT WEEK - 20TH APRIL DUE TO STAFF HOLIDAYS... it's the Sika roar. The next edition will be 27th April.

HILLI RESTAURANT IS OPEN ALL DAY Monday – Saturday from 10am – late. Lunch from 12:00pm, dinner from 6.00pm.

MASTERING TASTE CHEF SCHOOL & GARDEN TOUR, see, touch taste. Learn how to create restaurant quality meals with the Head Chef from Hilli. For bookings please **phone 24270**

IF YOU NEED A FOODCARE VOUCHER please contact Foodcare on 22201 or 22348.

DINO'S RESTAURANT AT BUMBORAS is now open Thursday, Friday, Saturday evenings and Sunday Lunch. Phone 24225

MARIAH'S OCEAN VIEW RESTAURANT AT HERITAGE HILL, open Lunch Thurs – Sun 12pm – 2pm. Dinner Thurs – Mon from 6pm. We offer casual dining, great food, friendly service and the best views in town! We cater for all dietary needs and are also available for private functions. Please phone 23155 for bookings or enquiries.

Take a stroll through Hundred Acres to Rocky Point; call out and feed the infamous Mr Bull or just relax on the randa surrounded by our beautiful gardens. **The Award winning Norfolk Blue Restaurant Grill & Bar is open for lunch Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Sunday and Dinner Monday to Saturday inclusive.** Also enquire about our Farm Tours, casual visits to feed Mr Bull, Shuttle service and Dine at Home options. New Farm Road, right next to the historic fig trees. **Tel 22068.**

HOUSIE every Monday night at Paradise Hotel 7p.m. **Lions Club of Arthurs Vale**

Bailey's Restaurant is OPEN for a la carte dining Friday through Tuesday inclusive from 6pm. Everyone welcome, booking not essential but preferred. Located in Governor's Lodge Resort Hotel, Queen Elizabeth Avenue – Phone 24400.

SUBLIME WILL BE CLOSED FROM WEDNESDAY 9TH APRIL, REOPENING WEDNESDAY 16TH APRIL. For bookings call 22228 or 50502

MEETINGS AND AGMS

NORFOLK ISLAND FAUNA AND FLORA SOCIETY INC. Meeting Monday 7 April at A & H Hall 6.00pm. New Members most welcome. Enquiries Margaret Christian 22800.

The Annual General Meeting of the **NORFOLK ISLAND GOLF CLUB** will be held at 7pm Monday 28th April 2014 at the Golf Club for all financial full playing members. The Agenda is posted on the Noticeboard.

THE AGM OF THE ROYAL A & H SOCIETY will be held on Wednesday 9 April in the Society hall commencing at 5:30 pm

Members of the **NORFOLK ISLAND HISTORICAL SOCIETY** and any other interested persons are advised that the next meeting of the Society will be held on Friday 11th April, 2014 at Christian's Cave 5.30pm start. Guest speaker will be Archie Bigg who will give a talk and power point presentation on the life and times of his grandfather 'Daddy Bill' Quintal. Anyone interested is very welcome to attend. All enquiries to Secretary Eric Craig on 22433

THE AGM FOR THE NORFOLK ISLAND CENTRAL SCHOOL P&C ASSOCIATION will be held next Wednesday 14th May at 7.00 pm in Rooms 17 & 18 at the School. Any apologies, inquiries and requests for a copy of the Agenda please contact Jodie Quintal at planning @ninet.nf or phone 50929

AGM FOR NATIN INC to be held on Tuesday 29 April at 5pm at the Olive Cafe. Election of Office Bearers are to take place and also changes to the current Constitution are to be reviewed. Any further queries can be directed to Lou Tavener on 50777 or Jen Pope on 57706

The monthly meeting of the **COMMUNITY ARTS SOCIETY** will be held at the school this Monday 7th April at 7.00pm. Anyone interested in any of the arts are warmly welcome to attend. See you there.

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NORFOLK ISLAND

TASMAN SEA

TIMES AND HEIGHTS OF HIGH AND LOW WATERS

		HIGH	Hgt	LOW	Hgt
Saturday	12th	6.33am	1.5	12.48pm	0.5
Sunday	13th	7.13am	1.6	1.27pm	0.4
Monday	14th	7.49am	1.6	2.00pm	0.4
Tuesday	15th	8.24am	1.7	2.34pm	0.3
Wednesday	16th	9.00am	1.7	3.09pm	0.3
Thursday	17th	9.37am	1.7	3.45pm	0.2
Friday	18th	10.15am	1.7	4.24pm	0.2
Saturday	19th	10.58am	1.6	5.06pm	0.3



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NORFOLK ISLAND GOVERNMENT GAZETTE NO. 14

Friday 11 April 2014

POLICE ACT 1931
APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL CONSTABLE

I, Neil Albert Pope, Administrator of Norfolk Island, under section 12 of the *Police Act 1931*, being of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient to do so, appoint —

Martin Beresford

as a special constable with the powers of a member of the Police Force.

Dated 7 April 2014

N.A. POPE
ADMINISTRATOR

PLANNING ACT 2002 – SUBSECTION 43(1) NOTICE

Applicant: Administration of Norfolk Island
 Kingston
 Development Application No: 0016/14
 Location: Portion 183 No. 9 DCA Circle
 Proposed Development: Change of Use to Place of Assembly (Community Centre)
 Zone: Special Use
 Category: Permissible (with consent)



Public Exhibition

The public is advised that Administration of Norfolk Island has lodged a Development Application for a change of use from Residence – Dwelling House to Place of Assembly at No. 9 DCA Circle to use the premises as a multi purpose community centre. This Development Application may be inspected, during business hours, at the Planning Office at the Administration of Norfolk Island, New Military Barracks, Kingston.

Submission

Any person may, during the period between Friday 11th April and Monday 28th April 2014 make written submissions to the Chief Executive Officer about the above Development Application. All submissions must state the relevant Development Application (DA) number. All submissions must be signed by at least one person making the submission. If a submission objects to the proposed development, the grounds for objections must be specified in the submission.

Reviewable decisions

A decision made on this Development Application by the Minister under subsections 44(7) and 44(8) of the *Planning Act 2002* is a reviewable decision within the meaning of subsection 78(1) of the Act.

Dated 9 April 2014

JODIE BROWN
CONTRACT PLANNING OFFICER

ADMINISTRATION ACT 1936
APPOINTMENT OF GAOLER

I, Neil Albert Pope, Administrator of Norfolk Island, under paragraph 8(1)(c) of the *Administration Act 1936*, appoint —

Martin Beresford

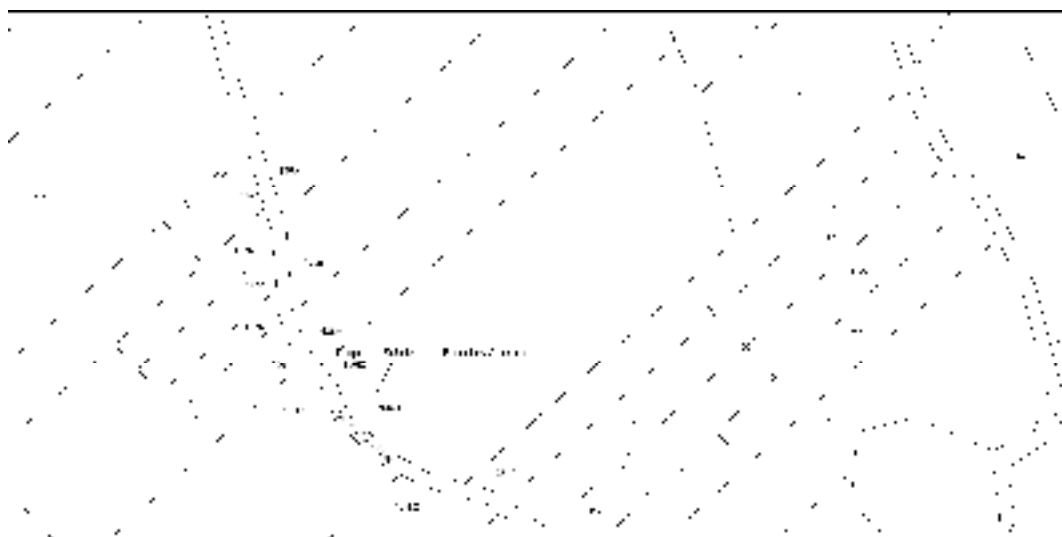
to be a gaoler for the purposes of that Act.

Dated 7 April 2014

N.A. POPE
ADMINISTRATOR

PLANNING ACT 2002 – SUBSECTION 43(1) NOTICE

Applicant: Mera Martin
PO Box 236 Norfolk Island
Development Application No: 0017/14
Location: Portions 13611, 13612 and 136m Selwyn Pine Road
Proposed Development: Subdivision – Boundary Adjustments
Zone: Rural
Category: Permissible (with consent)



Public Exhibition

The public is advised that Mera Martin has lodged a Development Application for boundary adjustments between the abovementioned portions of land in Selwyn Pine Road. The boundary adjustments will not result in any additional portions. This Development Application may be inspected, during business hours, at the Planning Office at the Administration of Norfolk Island, New Military Barracks, Kingston.

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CONTRACT PLANNING OFFICER

LIQUOR ACT 2005

A special meeting of the Liquor Board is set down for Thursday 24 April 2014 at 9.00 am in the Court House, Kingston to consider an application for the grant of a Tavern Licence in respect of premises situated on Portion 38i1 Taylors Road.

M. EVANS
REGISTRAR

PLANNING ACT 2002 – SUBSECTION 43(1) NOTICE

Applicant: Mera Martin
PO Box 236 Norfolk Island
Development Application No: 0018/14
Location: Portions 157h1, 157h2, 157h3, 157i, 157b1, 157f and 157g Selwyn Pine Road
Proposed Development: Subdivision – Boundary Adjustments
Zone: Rural
Category: Permissible (with consent)



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Dated 9 April 2014

JODIE BROWN
CONTRACT PLANNING OFFICER

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Other Activities School Scripture - each Wednesday at 1.30pm during term. Ecumenical Prayer Time - every second Tuesday 7.30am

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Pastor Dion Fourie

Manse and Church: New Cascade Road. Tel 22201
 email: sda@ni.net.nf

Website: www.norfolkisland.gscadventist.org.au

MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY: 2:00 to 4:00 pm. South Pacific Display Centre is open to Tourists and all interested persons.

TUESDAY 2:00 pm to 4:30 pm: Ladies Arts and Crafts time. **7:15 pm** Bible Study and Prayer fellowship

THURSDAY : 5:00 pm Radio Programme on Radio Norfolk

SATURDAY: Sabbath Services: 9:30 am Sabbath School and Bible Study for all ages. **11:00 am.** Divine Service- Solid Bible preaching

VISITORS AND SEARCHERS - Always welcome for worship and fellowship, with God our Maker and Life.

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Best of its kind in the South Pacific – South Pacific Artefacts
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PRAYER MEETING -7:30am every 2nd Tuesday –Phone 22606 for details.

LADIES' BIBLE STUDY / SHARING -10.30am Wednesdays at Community Church

SCHOOL SCRIPTURE -9am Wednesdays

NORFOLK ISLAND COMMUNITY CHURCH

Christian Outreach

Taylors Road (next door to Marks Bakery)
 Pastors Matt and Gail Nola , Pastor David Naiteitei
 Telephone 22606

Visitors most welcome

SUNDAY NIGHT Service 6pm

WEDNESDAY NIGHT Bible Study 6:30pm Ph: 22606

ST. PHILIP HOWARD CATHOLIC CHURCH

Queen Elizabeth Avenue Telephone 22763

Administrator Father Paul Hilder

Parish Council President - Dave Porter, for Baptism, First Communion and Weddings please contact Dave 22162.

Rosary - Sunday 8.30am (Preceding Mass)

MASS - SUNDAY 9.00am

Piety Stall open before and after Sunday Mass.

UNITING CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Les Hewitt Telephone: 22179

Easter blessings to all

SUNDAY 13th April at 10 am: Palm Sunday Worship Service

MAUNDY THURSDAY 17th April at 7 pm: Holy Communion and Tenebrae Meditation

GOOD FRIDAY 18th April at 10am - Combined Service at All Saint's Kingston

EASTER SUNDAY 20th April at 10am: Easter Sunday Service. Please bring some flowers so we can make a Floral Cross

Everyone is welcome at all services

TUESDAYS at 4 pm: Radio Programme in the AM Band.

OPPORTUNITY SHOP

The Opportunity Shop sells

Good clean clothes, Small household items,

Bibles, "Hymns of Norfolk Island" books

Uniting Church Souvenir Magnets Norfolk Island CDs

HOURS- Monday to Friday: 9 am to 12 Noon

Friday: 2 pm to 6pm; Saturday: 10 am to 12 Noon

MEETINGS WITH JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

SUNDAY 13th APRIL 3.30pm Public Talk **4.00pm** Bible Study - Hail Christ the Glorious King **Free Home Bible Studies** are offered to people of all ages.

MONDAY 14th APRIL 7.00PM The Memorial Of Jesus Christ's Death. This talk will explain why Jesus' death was so important.

All Welcome No Collection Kingdom Hall, 22 Grassy Rd

METEOROLOGICAL DATA APRIL 2014

DAY	DATE	M.S.L.Press (hpa) 9am	TEMP.		WIND			RAIN	SUNSHINE
			MAX.	MIN	Dir'n	Kmh	TIME		
Thursday	3rd	1019.5	23.5	19.3	E	22	0139	0.4	8.9
Friday	4th	1019.9	23.2	18.0	E	20	2338	0.0	9.9
Saturday	5th	1021.1	23.4	17.6	E	18	0006	0.4	10.7
Sunday	6th	1019.3	23.0	17.3	S	16	1303	0.0	10.2
Monday	7th	1016.6	22.7	15.8	W	10	1455	0.0	8.0
Tuesday	8th	1013.9	21.5	17.0	NNE	17	1056	1.6	1.4
Wednesday	9th	1014.4	23.0	17.1	NE	16	1324	22.4	4.3
MONTHLY MEANS FOR APR.. (All Years)					RAINFALL SO FAR FOR APRIL : 24.8mm				
MEAN MAX TEMP (°c) : 22.7					RAINFALL FOR 2014 TO DATE : 263.4mm				
MEAN MIN TEMP (°c) : 17.8					MEAN ANNUAL RAINFALL : 1293.4mm				
DAILY SUNSHINE (Hours) : 6.5					AVERAGE APRIL RAINFALL : 124.5mm				
					AVE JAN 1 TO END OF APRIL : 407.5mm				