Above are students from Shelford Primary School doing outside school work.

See their monthly school report on page 13.
# Leigh News

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Every Tuesday and Thursday  Bannockburn Mens Shed

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**INVERLEIGH PROGRESS ASSOCIATION**

meet in the Inverleigh Public Hall on the 3rd Wednesday of each month @ 7:30pm

(Except January)

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

President: Hilary Hamilton  
Secretary: Luanne Thornton  
Treasurer: Tony Waayers  
Leigh News Editor: Peter Trevaskis

The Progress Association has been actively working towards improving the amenity of Inverleigh for over 40 years. Of course all such organisations need volunteers and the Association is no exception. Without them nothing happens. If you have some ideas for the town you would like to achieve, you are welcome to join us and help achieve them.

Some of the projects completed by the Progress Association include:

- **The Federation Bridge** which was built to commemorate the centenary of Federation in 2001.
- **Walking Tracks** were established with lots of support from the community, including fencing and tree planting.
- **Public Toilets** Progress Association members worked for many years with Council to have the old toilets removed and a new block built, which did not detract from the entrance to our town. They are used more than any other toilets in the Shire.
- **The Clock** a new clock was recently installed on the clock tower in our main street, clearly visable from the General Store across the road.

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**The Inverleigh Historical Society** was formed in 2004. It operates under the auspices of the Inverleigh Mechanics Institute and Public Hall Committee.

Our Aims are to collect and preserve items of local historic interest and to promote research and interest in local history.

We welcome all donations to our collection or the opportunity to copy material. We are most grateful to the many people who have kept the Historical Society in mind as they sorted through their own collections.

We undertake many interesting projects and have enjoyable meetings, which you are welcome to attend.

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**Peter’s Editorial**

I’m FREEZING! and so are you too, if you are honest, I’m sure!
And what about that lovely rain? Have we had enough?

Never, says every farmer, or do they?

Thanks to all those who completed the survey I posted on our facebook page. Interesting results (check out on page 6) and lots of good feedback and suggestions, which I am following through with. If you are not into facebook and you have suggestions, ideas and contributions for the Leigh News, please forward them to me anyway you can. Snail Mail, pidgeon, long distance duck, even paper aeroplane if necessary.

Enjoy the winter while it lasts, because it will all start to change again now that we have had the shortest day. Is that when we are furtherest from the Sun? Someone will know, bit not me.

Talk again next month.............
Special Event at Victoria Park Reserve

Committee members were busy at the recent working bee.

A Picnic table sponsored by Stockdale and Leggo and made by the Winchelsea Men's Shed was installed for community use and a tree was planted in memory of Faye Shaw in appreciation for her many years of dedication to the running and upkeep of the Park. Faye was President of the committee and was always a delight to deal with when taking the bookings, she also managed the green waste and collected the money for this. As she lived opposite she could keep a close eye on comings and goings and was on hand to check that everything was left neat and tidy and securely locked when finished.

Faye was a truly valuable member of the Park and the Inverleigh community.

Photo: Pat Streefkerk & Gwyn Wise
FROM THE MAYOR’S DESK – JULY 2019

Passionate local sportspeople and community members braved a few cold, grey days to celebrate the recent opening of four new projects in Linton, Smythesdale and Bannockburn.

On 25 May, two new competition netball courts were officially opened at Victoria Park in Bannockburn. Funded by $400,000 from Council and $100,000 from the State Government, the project also includes a multi-sport court with futsal goals, basketball and netball rings; lighting, fencing, and undercover benches for players and officials.

The redeveloped Smythesdale Skate Park featuring the big blue half pipe, new ramps and skate elements, sheltered seats and basketball ring was opened on 31 May. It’s a wonderful recreation facility for young people and families in the north of the Shire, delivered with $150,000 from Council and $100,000 from the State Government.

On 1 June, the players and supporters of the Linton Carngham Football Club came out in force to celebrate the unveiling of two great projects at Linton Recreation Reserve. The upgrade of oval lighting to AFL local football standard, funded by a $255,000 grant from the State Government, has received very positive feedback from the club’s football and netball team who are enjoying night training and looking forward to playing under the big lights. Council also opened the female friendly change rooms for the club’s netball teams, after relocating Haddon House and funding an impressive transformation including painting the change rooms in the distinctive colours of the local club.

With oval lighting projects planned for Rokewood, Bannockburn and Lethbridge; an exciting upgrade of Teesdale Turtle Bend Reserve; and Federal Election promises for female friendly change rooms at the Bannockburn Soccer Facility and a club room upgrade at Inverleigh Sporting Complex, we look forward to more exciting openings across the Shire over the coming years.

Mayor Cr Owen Sharkey

E-WASTE BAN STARTS 1 JULY

The State Government’s ban on e-waste in landfill commences on 1 July 2019.

E-waste is any item with a plug, battery or cord that is no longer working or wanted. It covers a whole range of items from work, home and the garden shed, including small and large appliances, IT telecommunications and TV equipment, lighting equipment, electrical tools, as well as toys, leisure and some sports equipment.

Golden Plains Shire residents are encouraged to take household e-waste to a local transfer station:

Geelong Transfer Station: 100 Douro Street, North Geelong
Rokewood Transfer Station: 141 Meadows Road, Rokewood
Ballarat Transfer Station: 119 Gillies Street South, Alfredton
Snake Valley Transfer Station – 298 Snake Valley-Morthcup Road, Snake Valley

Fees and a limit of 20 items per visit may apply.

Council secured a $100,000 grant from Sustainability Victoria to build the new e-waste storage facility at the Shire’s transfer station in Rokewood.

The Grampians Central Waste and Resource Recovery Group will have an e-waste information stall at the Golden Plains Farmers’ Market in Bannockburn on 6 July and the Smythesdale Community Market on 20 July 2019.

For more information on the change including e-waste disposal locations for businesses and safe disposal of batteries, as well as transfer station opening hours and fees, visit goldenplains.vic.gov.au/ewaste
Inverleigh Progress Association Annual Report 2019

The past twelve months has certainly been a busy and productive time.

Seeing our profile lifted in the community and attracting new memberships.

These new members in turn have brought a new enthusiasm and energy to our ranks, which we are happy to embrace.

Initially our main focus was on the task of finally getting our Town Entrance happening. The planning process had been a very long and often frustrating affair. At times we wondered if this project would ever take place. Due to hard work and perseverance from committed members, especially Eliza Peel, we did see the project take shape. With work finally starting in October 2018. We now have amazing stone structures at both the Eastern and Western boundaries of our town. They are standing patiently awaiting the final lettering to be decided upon. We are certainly nearing the final stage of this long awaited project. Our thanks also to Nicole Langtip who helped steer us through this process.

In November, the IPA was asked if we would host a Community information evening regarding the proposed wind Farm on and around Mt Pollock. We did agree to host this meeting, stating that the IPA had no opinion one way or the other to its suitability. We insisted, as much as it was possible, to bring a balanced overview with speakers both for and against and had an Independent Chair person in attendance. The meeting was well attended and ran quite smoothly, considering the emotional topic. The final decision is still to be announced as to the success or failure of the proposal.

Whilst thinking the Town Entrance may be our biggest challenge of the year, it was drawn to our attention that the Golden Plains Shire had some quite alarming ideas in store for our well-loved Township. The Inverleigh Street Scape Plan. This plan, it would appear, was not quite in keeping with what the community envisaged for their town.

This was to start a hard fought campaign, for the town's people to have their say in what was happening in their own township of Inverleigh. A local contingency of community members were able to stop the proposed Draft from being passed at the Nov. Council meeting. Later in Nov. The IPA attended a meeting with the representative of GPS and a few local community members. The Shire representatives then explained exactly what their vision was for Inverleigh. It was apparent from that initial meeting that there was absolute rejection of this vision. Following this meeting an independent community group was formed and the “One Way No Way” Campaign began.

The IPA were happy to join with this group to voice the options on behalf of the Inverleigh community, as long as we were sure this was the broader community wanted. Following a GPS run information session where 300 people turned up instead of the expected 30, the IPA was confident to continue the campaign on behalf of the community. IPA hosted a follow up meeting to encourage local community members to put forward suggestions about what they would like to see as a street scape in Inverleigh.

This list of ideas was then passed onto the GPS for further discussion. Finally, just recently, the complete Inverleigh Street Scape Plan has been abandoned and will be re-visited in a few years’ time. Until then maintenance has been promised along the lines on fixing the potholes, protecting tree roots and tidying up the parking in the Southern service road on the Eastern end of the town. Hopefully the GPS have realised that community consultation should take place prior to plans been drafted rather than consultation after a huge amount of money has been spent on a project that the community never asked for and didn’t want.

At the same time as the above mentioned campaign was running, IPA was able to establish a new Website. This has been on our agenda for several years and was well overdue. Under the guidance of Peter Trevaskis and Ross Bury, we now have a new and functioning Inverleigh Website that is user friendly and that can be easily updated with relevant information as needed.

The IPA also attended an information evening and later put in a submission to the Victorian Electoral Commission, supporting the reintroduction of wards. The GPS is a very large shire, it was felt the Ward system would simplify the even spread of councillors representation across the shire. Peter Trevaskis spoke on our behalf, to the Electoral Panel. Others that spoke that evening also supported this wards system. The Electoral commission has since made the decision to create wards within the GPS.

Another task that IPA is currently undertaking is that of updating the Inverleigh local phone book. We do this every three years. This year we have decided not to ask for advertising from businesses, the IPA will fund the printing. The Leigh News continues to thrive; our sincere thanks go to Editor Peter Trevaskis. I would like to acknowledge the time and commitment that goes into producing such a wonderful and valuable local newspaper.

Thanks also to Ross and Ewan Peel for ongoing work and pump maintenance.

Thanks also to Treasurer Tony Wayyer.

Sincere thanks to Damian Baker and the section 86 committee for the ongoing upkeep of the open space areas.

A special mention to Luanne Thornton. Luanne has been our IPA’s diligent secretary for 10 years; Luanne has decided to step down and will not be seeking re-election to this position. I would like to offer my personal thanks and the member’s thanks for the time and dedication that Luanne has devoted to this position during that time.

The Township of Inverleigh would not be as great as it is without the input of the above mentioned volunteer member of the Inverleigh Progress Association.

We have seen the membership of the I.P.A. grow over the past year, hopefully other community members will come along to share fresh ideas and join our ranks.

It has been proven this year, that if the community speaks with one voice, it will be heard.

Hilary Hamilton

President

Inverleigh Progress Association
POLICE REPORT FOR MAY 2019

Hello all,

I worked 3 shifts over the Queens birthday weekend. During these shifts I issued 42 infringements to motorists who did not heed the traffic operation messages. There were 7 licence loss infringements issued for motorists doing 134 & 138 on the Mount Mercer Road and for motorists doing 90, 94, 99, 106 &108 km/h in the 60 km/h zone in Inverleigh entering the township. I am disappointed that motorists continue to drive at these excessive speeds in the area, but pleased that the offenders were not locals. I publicise these infringements to let the community know about this behaviour which is typically what I get on these holiday weekends. I also detected a disqualified driver towing a large unregistered car trailer.

I am on leave for the next six weeks and Leading Senior Constable Kristen TOWERS from the Bannockburn Police station is now at Inverleigh as your community police member for this time. We are fortunate to have received a replacement as this does not always occur.

I recently received a report of the theft of some Lucerne from a farmers shed, please be on the lookout for vehicles/persons loitering about farm properties and report this to the Police.

Keep Safe
Chris

Results of recent Facebook Survey

I recently conducted a short poll on the Leigh News Facebook Page asking which features of this newsletter you actually read and find helpful. The results are as follows:

What's on. 73 votes.
advertising for local services. 69 votes.
Rainfall figures. 44 votes.
Directory. 27 votes.
Police report. 22 votes.
Crossword. 8 votes.
CFA Roster. 3 votes.
Index. 3 votes.

Other comments included feature stories on local streets/buildings/places and History. The local Historical Society are already preparing articles along these lines and they will be included in the future.

There were also many comments supporting our local Policeman and the work he does in our area. Well done Senior Constable Reynolds.

If you are not a facebook user, or missed the survey, feel free to email me or post your comments to me at Box 247, Inverleigh. I will read them and take notice. Oh, and all the above features will remain included!

Peter Trevaskis (Editor)
BUSINESS TRAINING
AND MENTORING OPPORTUNITIES

Help and advice for your business.
Learn about business planning, marketing, finance and more.

SBMS Small Business Clinic – Linton
FREE one-on-one session with a qualified and experienced business mentor.
Thursday 25 July
5 x 45 min sessions available from 10am to 3pm

Business planning essentials: How to build a roadmap to success – Bannockburn
Wednesday 17 July, 6 to 8pm
Cost: $20

Marketing your business: How to get it right the first time - Haddon
Thursday 1 August, 10.30am to 12.30pm
Cost: $20

SBMS Small Business Clinic – Bannockburn
FREE one-on-one session with a qualified and experienced business mentor.
Thursday 8 August
5 x 45 min sessions available from 10am to 3pm

Single Touch Payroll: Introduction & Reporting
As an employer understand your new payroll tax and super reporting obligations
using Single Touch payroll from 1 July 2019.
Smythesdale – Tuesday 20 August
Bannockburn – Tuesday 27 August
Cost: FREE

To register for these and other events visit goldenplains.vic.gov.au/business and follow the link to Business Events & Training – What’s on.
AN INTERVIEW
With Jarrod Blackman
(Whistler’s Cottage)

Jarrod, I’m ashamed to say my maiden visit into your beautiful shop was last weekend, 5 weeks after the grand opening. Let me say it was well worth the wait. You have obviously put heart and soul into the extensive mix of pieces ranging from antique and collectibles, designer and designer contemporary, French provincial, baroque, jewellery, décor, linens and apparel you have for sale. My daughter and I walked out with some uniquely beautiful pieces that we will love and treasure for years to come.

Let me start by asking you what your background is that was the building blocks for this obvious love and passion you have for collectibles and antiques?

Jarrod: I have lived in Inverleigh my entire life and started my professional career as an Allocation Analyst at Target Australia Head Office, moving up through the ranks to management, which led to a career promotion at Cotton On as Merchandise Manager. This gained me the experience and expertise needed to branch out on my own and gave me the confidence to start where I find myself now, buying and selling quality and unique antique, vintage and designer contemporary pieces.

Is this your maiden venture into running a business?

Jarrod: With Whistler’s Cottage open on weekends, my weekdays are full, operating my own catering business alongside working in design and renovation, marketing and advertising.

What sort of people do you endeavour to cater for at Whistler’s Cottage?

Jarrod: I’m always on the look-out for unique and amazing products to attract a wide range of customers. I like to think that my shop has something for everyone. I have an eclectic mix ranging from taxidermied butterflies to fossilised shark teeth, vintage hand-embroidered tablecloths to high-end designer clothing, pure new-wool knitted jumpers to English silverware, Italian baroque and depression and art glass pieces.

When was the seed first planted in your mind with the vision of creating Whistler’s Cottage?

Jarrod: From an early age it was always my dream to run a business on the main street of Inverleigh so when this opportunity arose earlier this year, despite already working, I couldn’t turn the opportunity down, not knowing when another opportunity to do so, would arise.

Great name by the way. Can you explain its’ origins?

Jarrod: Many people may not realise this, but this shop has had many names. When I attended the Inverleigh Primary School I clearly remember seeing this shop adorned with the name Whistler’s Cottage. In fitting with a shop that is all about re-purposing, I felt it did justice to it’s style to re-purpos the name Whistler’s Cottage. In choosing the logo I decided to take inspiration from the Australian Golden Whistler bird, a native to this area, now giving the name a double entendre.

Would you say your business is unique in this quaint little village and, if so, what sets it aside from the other businesses here?

Jarrod: With Inverleigh already having a far-reaching reputation for it’s individually loved unique stores and cafes, I feel that rather than setting it aside from those, Whistler’s Cottage complements our country aesthetic and village lifestyle, already renowned for attracting visitors from far and wide.

What is your favourite part of running this business so far?
Jarrod: I love listening to the stories and memories that my pieces invoke from various customers taking a walk down memory lane as they remember a time when antique and vintage were once new. I also love creating an atmosphere that takes people back in time as they walk through my door, which will explain my partiality to 1920s and 1930s jazz music playing throughout the store.

My daughter absolutely fell in love with your vintage clothes collection, purchasing two beautiful items that she will get many years wear out of? Where have you sourced these from as there are some really high-end brand names to choose from?

Jarrod: I set high standards for myself and therefore my store. Sourcing the calibre of clothing and pieces I stock has come from many years and various contacts I have built up. In saying that, I am always on the look-out for quality, pre-loved items in great condition that suits the aesthetic of the store, and now that I am a Registered Buyer and Seller, I am able to freely purchase items over the counter.

What has been your personal favourite item that you have sourced and sold at Whistler’s Cottage?

Jarrod: I came across an incredible 48 piece 1933 Alfred Meakin English dinner set in mint condition which sold on its first day of trade. With many interested parties wishing to purchase same, I was thrilled that it is now housed with an Inverleigh local.

What has been your most valuable item at retail and at what price did you sell same?

Jarrod: A $2,000.00 Nevenka Melbourne couture designer 100% pure silk shirt that went to one lucky customer for $42.00.

Have your customers surprised you with what their favourite type of purchases are? Can you give examples of what items have flown off the shelves since opening day?

Jarrod: CUSHIONS !!! CUSHIONS!!! And more cushions. I literally cannot buy enough to keep up with demand. Customers love that they can own an $80.00 designer cushion for only $10.00. I spend many hours a week sprucing and plumping the older hand-embroidered and tapestry cushions so when a customer holds them for the first time in their hands they can’t believe they are not brand new.

Are there plans to expand your business? For example, have you thought of including a small café or an option for seating and coffee?

Jarrod: From the outset I have been asked many times whether I would include a café. I feel that market is already catered for very well in Inverleigh. However, into the future I hope to include bigger items such as antique and vintage furniture and higher-end jewellery.

For anyone wishing to visit Whistler’s Cottage, where is it situated in the main township and what days and times are you open?

Jarrod: We are situated at 75 High Street, just up from the Inverleigh Public Hall. We are open Saturdays and Sundays from 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. and selected public holidays. We are also on Facebook and Instagram @whistlerscottage which is updated weekly with photos of the latest items available for sale.

Anyone wishing to contact Jarrod, whether it be about buying or selling items, can email him at: jarrod.blackman@outlook.com or phone him on 0408 352 662
VISITING DRIVER ROAD SAFETY PROGRAM INEFFECTIVE

Member for Western Victoria Region used a constituency question in Parliament to ask the Minister for Tourism and Major Events about the success of the Tourism Victoria’s Visiting Driver Road Safety Program in reducing international driver involvement in crashes on the Great Ocean Road.

Mrs McArthur said VicRoads had revealed crash data for the Great Ocean Road that shows that 20% of crashes involve international drivers, a conservative estimate given this data only includes the incidents where ambulances were called.

She said in 2017, Tourism Victoria developed the Visiting Driver Road Safety Program which included: a simplified Chinese version of safety tips, a short road safety video and supporting promotional materials.

At the time, the then Minister for Tourism and Major Events stated: “the Visiting Driver Road Safety Program will help international drivers in Victoria have a safe trip while enjoying everything our great state has to offer.”

However, despite this program the number of crashes involving international drivers remains high, Mrs McArthur concluded.

At each Federal Election, Inverleigh Progress Association issue an update of the Local Phone book. If you would like to be added, changed or deleted from the phone book, please complete the form below:

Preparation of the books has commenced, so this will be your last opportunity to update.

NEW EDITION OF THE LOCAL PHONE BOOK
INVERLEIGH, WINGEEL & MURGHEBOLUC

Do you wish to amend or update your current entry?
Are you a new resident who wishes to be included?

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Forward details to Leigh News Editor: leighnews@bigpond.com

Or post to “Leigh News”, PO Box 247, Inverleigh, Victoria 3321
Inverleigh is a 100% volunteer brigade, drawn from the community for the community. Community members: When you are going to burn please log your burn by ringing Burn Notification on 1800 668 511

CFA MESSAGE FOR THIS FIRE SEASON

Marie Kondo is currently enjoying huge success through various media outlets, especially Netflix, advising people how to tidy up their homes. Her book, The Life-Changing Magic of Tidying Up has been published in more than 30 countries. Ms. Kondo’s method of organising is known as the KonMari method and it’s a way of decluttering excessive possessions that have accumulated in the house. This not only saves space, it can save lives and property when viewed through a CFA lens!

Is your home, shed, garage, machinery shed out building, in need of a bit of a clean out? Do you really know what’s in that unmarked container? What about pesticides that you bought some time ago which might be somewhere, but you’re not quite sure where. Or the papers you’ve been collecting for the Lion’s Club but haven’t delivered to their collection point? Are you keeping that bottle of “cleaning fluid” just in case you might need it one day? It doesn’t take much to accumulate different materials which, in turn, can add to the fuel load of a property or to the danger of exposure to harmful substances if fire strikes. All these circumstances make it more difficult and dangerous to effectively fight a fire.

Like most things to do with fire, early preventative steps reduce the hazard enormously. So as you prepare for the colder weather with extra heating in place throughout your home or work sheds, check the obvious things like your smoke alarms and your flues and chimneys. But this year why not add a decluttering component to your preparation to make sure that you’re in the safest position for the cold weather.

Inverleigh Fire Brigade
~ A 100% Volunteer Brigade

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The photograph for July shows two photos of the Inverleigh store and Post Office. The top photograph has three buildings and the middle one with chimney top was the Post Office with a step up inside and once housed the telephone exchange. Forty-five years ago before the automatic exchange, trunk calls were timed by three minute “Three minutes, are you extending?” the operator would break into your call. The shed on the right was for produce storage and the family lived in the house behind the shop front. In Muschialli’s time there was a bench seat outside and after the shop closed at noon on a Saturday, all the uncollected newspapers were named and put on the bench. This bench also regularly moved on New Year’s Eve to a variety of different parts of town. Liz McDonald mentioned when she first moved to town the Saturday morning routine was newspaper from Muschialli’s with Cake stall or Raffle outside, over the road to Hancock’s bakery for some bread and up to the Milk Bar (next to the Fire Station) for milk. The Inverleigh store was closed on Sunday and Mr. Muschialli in his white van did deliveries to farms on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. If you had mail to be picked up you put a rock on top of your mailbox and if he left a delivery he left the same signal. Total confusion arose when a new store owner became muddled and the deliver-ies and letterbox were out of order by two. Longstanding dislikes and feuds had to be smoothed to correct the problem. Christine Wilson (nee Evans) mentioned in her time at the store with her parents in late 70’s early 80’s that part of a deal regarding her wedding to Noel was her parents pay for her wedding and her and Noel painted the shop front cream and brown, shock horror when the brown turned out to be a dull orange. The shop facade has changed over the years and the second photograph shows the new which was completed circa 1990 by the McConachy family.

There are many names associated with the store and post office from 1856 on the same site, Murrell, Murray, Alderson, Cleland, Judd, Field, Graham, Grose, Muschialli, Saunders, Evans, Davey, Spikers, Bowtell, McConachy and Andueza-Mossop.

The Inverleigh Store-Post Office now operates seven days with the addition of take-away, milk, bread, papers, coffee, a wonderful service to community.

Photo B. Price.
Written, K. Robson, L. McDonald.
SHELFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

The term has flown by! Below is a summary of some of our highlights from this term.

Earth Ed - Maths with Dash the Robot
The students completed the Introduction to Block Coding as part of the Maths with Dash program. Earth Ed came to Shelford Primary with a set of Dash robots and iPads for an hour of play based learning. Students were put in pairs to complete six challenge mats which are based on maths and spatial literacy and include challenges relating to financial mathematics, location and transformation and geometric reasoning. All the students really enjoyed learning in such a hands on environment with the Dash robots and iPads.

The students were especially excited to get their Robot Driver’s License at the end of the incursion.

Moorabool Valley Association (MVA) Athletics
It was great to see the kids competing at the athletics. They all did their best and had fun despite the freezing start to the day. Congratulations to Grace Poulston for her third place in shot put.

Woorabinda Camp
The kids really enjoyed Woorabinda. The zip line, high ropes course and the canoeing were just some of the highlights of the five day camp.

Cooking
Our cooking program has continued throughout the term. The kids have enjoyed helping and taking it in turns to prepare, serve and clean up afterwards.

Fundraising For Our New Playground
We are currently fundraising for a new playground and have submitted grants to the Golden Plains Shire and the Bendigo Bank. To raise more funds we ran a Routley’s Pie Drive in conjunction with Teesdale Kindergarten which raised over $500.00 towards the playground.

Parent Teacher Interviews
Parent / Teacher interviews will be held at the start of term three.

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On Sunday 2nd June 2019, the congregation of The Leigh Presbyterian Church said farewell at Inverleigh to the Rev Rob Duncanson and his wife Jeanette. Rob has been the Interim Supply Minister at Inverleigh for the last 11 months whilst living in the church manse at Teesdale. Rob and Jeanette are leaving The Leigh to go and live in Ballarat. Gifts were given by the congregation to both Rob and Jeanette as tokens of the love and thankfulness of the congregation to them for their ministry. Jeanette supported Rob and endeared herself with her friendliness and the encouragement she gave to various groups within the congregation.
The Inverleigh Playgroup is a weekly community play session for children 0 - 4 years. The group is run by volunteers and incorporates a range of activities and freeplay. The playgroup has a large selection of age appropriate toys for the children to play with each week.

**When:** Every Wednesday of the school terms from Feb 5th 2019
**Time:** 9:30 am till 11:30 am
**Where:** Inverleigh Public Hall, Hamilton Highway.

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@ St John's Anglican Church,
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If you are interested in attending
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Lions Club
of Inverleigh
We are now collecting newspapers for
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arranged by calling
David on 0429 958 769
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All proceeds from the paper collection
go to local projects.
As this is a new initiative for our club,
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St. Joseph’s Meredith Parish News
Mass Schedule for July
Winchelsea every Saturday at 6pm
Bannockburn every Sunday at 9am.
No Family Mass in June.
Meredith 11am Sunday July 7th/21st
Anakie at 11am Sunday July 14th/28th.
Inverleigh: No Community Mass for the last Sunday of June or July.
Next Mass Sunday August 25th. At 4pm

GREAT NEWS: Plains Alive is back.
Sunday August 4th 6pm to 7.30pm at Bannockburn Cultural Centre.
A night of Christian Praise and Worship Music and activities and food.

Healing Mass and Lunch Saturday July 20th at St. Joseph’s Meredith at 11am followed by a scrumptious 3 course lunch. All welcome. Replies necessary for catering.

Ring Di 0408 599 602

INVERLEIGH CWA BRANCH
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Monthly Meetings:
7.30pm The last Wednesday of every month.
Inverleigh Presbyterian Hall (next to the School).
inverleighcwa@gmail.com
or Una Miller 5265 1001
Meredith And District Motorcycle Club
Looking for a safe and fun place to ride your dirt bike or somewhere to take the kids to ride?
Look no further than Meredith and District Motorcycle Club (or MADMCC).
We meet the 3rd Sunday of every month for our ride day (NO RACING AND NO QUADS / 4 WHEELERS)

We have 2 tracks:
- One that is set up as a moto-cross track that is marshalled and we also have a smaller flat track for kids/beginners to learn to ride.
- St Johns is in attendance as well as a canteen.
For more information please: head over to our Facebook page MADMCC or call 0415 503 869.

BANNOCKBURN & DISTRICT COMBINED PROBUS CLUB
Probus is an association of active senior members of the community and for those no longer working full time. Its basic purpose is to relieve isolation and loneliness associated with ageing and to provide regular opportunities to progress healthy minds and active bodies through social interaction and activities and to enjoy the fellowship of new friends.
We invite you to join us at 12.30pm every first Monday of the month (excepting Dec & Jan) in the Community Church, Moore Street, Bannockburn. We start with a light lunch followed by a Guest Speaker then a General meeting. We finish with afternoon tea. Entry $5.

Monday 1st July 2019- Monthly Meeting at Church Hall in Moore Street Bannockburn. Guest Speaker- Bob Merriman from Queenscliff Fort.

Wednesday 11th July 1:00pm- Don’s Day-Quiz’s and Games @ Anglican Church Hall, Byron St.

Wednesday 31st July 2019- 10:30 Christmas in July @ Sphinx Geelong. (Car pool 10am)
For more info please call: President: Shirley 0447 873 763 or Secretary: Sandra 5281 5647

Knit, Knatter and That Group-
Teesdale
Bring a craft, learn a new craft or come for a walk, chat and cuppa.
Meets 2nd & 4th Tuesday’s, 9.30am - 1.30pm
At Teesdale Community Hall
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Cost $5 Joining fee. $3 per session
Contact Lesley 0400 547 715 or Pat 0417 339 161

Inverleigh Sing Sesh
Love to sing?
Love to sing but think your terrible?
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al guaranteed to make you go home feeling great.
When: 2nd & 4th Mondays of the Month
Where: Inverleigh Golf Club
Time: 7:30 till 9 pm
Who: All Welcome
Cost: $5 per Sesh
Further info: call Robyn 0408 346 222 or follow us on facebook.

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Inverleigh Seniors

**JULY 11th** - Monthly meeting @ Inverleigh Public Hall @ Midday for Lunch. We then will visit some retired members at their nursing home, Chelsea Lodge, Winchelsea.

**JULY 25th** - Outing TBC. Meet at 11am at the Inverleigh Hall to Carpool.

Over 55’s who meet together twice a month for friendship, support, activities and outings. We offer a sincere invitation to members of our community to join us for fun and outings together.

A warm welcome awaits you.

For Information & Bookings, please contact:

Pres: Peter Trevaskis 0407 100 791
Secretary: Joy Gray 5265 1566

Inverleigh Seniors

Meetings are held in the Inverleigh Public Hall.

- **8th April 2019** at 1.30pm.
- **17th June** at 1.30pm.
- **12th August** at 12 noon Annual Meeting.
- **14th October** at 1.30pm.
- **9th December** at 12 noon Xmas Lunch.

Inverleigh Secretary:
Cathy Altmann 0904 024 578
Chairperson Barb Meek 5281 3245.

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Geelong, Bannockburn & Leopold clinics www.latrobehealthcentre.com.au
Bookings for Bannockburn clinic (Chiropractor, Dr Phoebe Sheppard) - 03 5281 2320

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Mothers

Mothering for humans is not a simple ‘species characteristic’ —
There is too much variety —
Nor is it class, caste, cultural or nationally specific —
There is just too much variety among people.

Some individuals are born to love, some live in love, and
Some may wish with all their aching hearts for love, while
Others may not know or wish to know anything of
Good, nourishing, compassionate, and energising love.

May we all know of this love, want it and be able to give and get it,
Complete with care, respect and the resources for a good life; and
May we all, especially our women, be blessed with lives full of love.
Yes: may love rule all.

Mothers risk their lives, happiness and prosperity
Before birthing and ever after.
May all birthing events be happy times!
May all children ever be happy and healthy!
May all be as you like it, as your children live on past your passing,
As well it should.

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This crossword has been prepared by Val Robertson to fulfil the ache of many who love to play with words.
We trust you will enjoy it.
Solution will be in next month's Leigh News.
Ken McDonald

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Teaching and Learning at Teesdale Primary School

Grade 3 and 4 students participated in a VR Headset Indigenous Cultural Incursion to learn more about Indigenous culture and First Settler life. Using virtual reality headsets, students were able to view beautiful rainbow serpents and traditional Aboriginal dances. Students persevered building paper boats that displayed the names of the eleven boats in the First Fleet and sailed the boats to see if they could float. Students reported the day as being fantastic, interesting and busy.

Grade 3/4C produced a special Teesdale TV episode as part of a proposal to be part of the Barefoot Investor’s new curriculum program in schools. He wanted to learn more about our Kitchen Garden program and thought that was well worth sharing with everyone. The students in 3/4C scripted and put together a video which can be viewed on our Facebook page.

Learning Expos
On the last week of term 2, Learning Expos for each class were held so students could showcase their achievements. Our Learning Expos have been a positive experience for our school community and students really enjoy sharing their work they are proud of with other students, their families and friends.

Parent Helper Session
We had 16 parents attend our information session for parent helpers last month. It was great to see such a large turnout of parents. Through all events this year we’ve had strong parent involvement which is something the school warmly welcomes. Keep it up! If you missed the session and want to know more about being a parent helper, an information book will soon be available.

Sporting Achievements
Following their victory at the MVA Lightning Premierships Carnival, the Teesdale Turtles participated in the Geelong North and Bellarine Soccer Championships at Myers Reserve, Bell Post Hill. Whilst the team battled hard all day against some very tough opposition, they didn’t come away with a win but we were very proud of their effort and sportsmanship all day.

The MVA Athletics Carnival was held on the 24th of June at Goldsworthy Reserve, Corio. Congratulations to all students who participated and represented the school. A number of students have the opportunity to represent our area in the Geelong District event to be held in term 3.

We wish all students well.
Fungi Map.

The online iNaturalist now has a new project called FungiMap which allows citizen scientists to record their finds. Go to inaturalist.org and look under projects for FungiMap.

Free Firewood.

Do you need some good free sugar gum firewood? People who wish to be part of the system have three options:

1. Work on coppicing under FOBB direction for two hours then you are free to collect a trailer load of wood. For this work you need a chainsaw, safety gear, a splitter or axe and a pair of big loppers.
2. Work for two hours on coppicing but don't need wood and we will pay you $60
3. Pay us $60 and collect a trailer load of firewood.

Coming Events:

Coppicing any time by request. Depending on availability.

Schools Tree Day Friday July 26. 10 am at the Vic Roads Offset site on Harvey Road.

National Tree Day Sunday July 28. 10 am at the Vic Roads Offset site on Harvey Road.

The 22nd Bannockburn Yellow Gum Flowering Festival Saturday July 20 at 10 am.

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**Our Before and After School Program:** runs from 7am until 9am and 3.30pm - 7pm. Some of our features include:

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- Government/rebate approved with Qualified staff.
- Programs developed to each child’s needs and interests, in a safe and happy environment
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If you would like to enquire about Bright Minds programs, please call (03)52921931 or send an email to enquiries@brightmindsearlylearningcentre.com.au
National Desexing Month

Why Desex Your Pet?

Desexing not only helps to ensure fewer homeless animals but research also shows that desexing reduces the risks of serious health problems.

The widespread myth that desexing will change your pets personality is just that - a myth. Desexing will not alter your pet’s basic personality in fact, it may lead to improvements in behaviour.

Desexed animals are less likely to show aggressive behaviour than undesexed animals.

Desexed pets will not display behaviours that are associated with the reproductive cycle. For example:

* Female dogs having a bloody vaginal discharge when they are in season.
* Female cats ‘calling’ when in season.
* Male dogs and cats roaming to get to females in season.

Once again during July as part of National Desexing Month we are offering 20% off all desexing.

Desexing is a day stay procedure

Please contact the clinic to schedule an appointment.

Arthritis and your pet

Just like us pets can suffer the effects of painful joints due to arthritis and the colder weather can exacerbate the condition.

Arthritis is the result of the cartilage lining in joints wearing down and causing inflammation and pain. Arthritis can affect one or more joints anywhere in the body.
Her approach is unique to each dog and specific to the issues of each pet. She will formulate a plan and help the owner to understand why the behaviour may be occurring and then proceed to teach methods to aid in resolving the problem.

Puppy Classes run for 6 weeks and are held at the clinic.

Caroline can also help you with one-on-one consultations to iron out any specific problems you may be having.

For more information contact the clinic on 52811221

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**Signs of arthritis:**

- Reluctance to walk and climb stairs
- Not willing to jump or play
- Stiff or slow to get up
- Licking of the affected joints
- Yelping when touched, change in personality

The first step in managing arthritis is a thorough examination to accurately diagnose the condition. Definitive diagnosis is achieved by X-rays however in some cases a multi-targeted plan can be started where medical history and clinical signs are highly suggestive of arthritic changes.

**Managing arthritis:**

1. Weight control - Maintaining a healthy weight aids in reducing the pressure placed on the joints.

2. Exercise - Leash walking and swimming are beneficial for keeping joints mobile.

3. Provide your pet with a warm comfortable place to sleep. Padded bedding will help protect sore joints.

**Veterinary treatments:**

- Prescription Diets
- Disease modifying agents - this involves a series of injections to reduce the progression of arthritis
- Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs. They work by reducing the inflammation around the joints and providing pain relief.

**Telephone the clinic to book an appointment with our Vets for more information on the treatment of**
It's interesting to walk along the river and watch the ducks. They appear calm on the surface but are paddling like crazy underneath. They're a life lesson with feathers!

First, we learn we can't judge by appearances. The duck looks calm as he glides along the surface of the river, but the effort in an achievement is often hidden.

This can also be true in our lives. We may look like we accomplish a task effortlessly when, in fact, hours of preparation and effort are required to pull it off. Any athlete will tell you about the energy and focus needed to give an appearance of ease in their tasks.

Just throw some food into a pond of ducks and you'll see that they move very fast to retrieve the food. Just as a duck must paddle in order to move in the water, it also takes energy and movement to propel us along. We need to know what we want and pursue it.

Nothing worthwhile ever comes without effort. It's like that in the church as well. Whatever our goals are, we (the church) can't get there just by floating along. We need to paddle.

As the smooth gliding duck doesn't indicate the activity under the water, so a calm exterior may hide a stomach churning and full of knots. Anyone who does public speaking will agree that the speaker who appears calm is often anything but inside. It's been said most people fear speaking in public even more than they do death. Maybe. Maybe not.

Some never do the thing they fear. Their fear paralyzes them and nothing is accomplished. But sometimes we need to work toward our goal even though we're frightened.

In the well-known Sunday School story, the army of Israel, including their leader, King Saul, allowed their fear of Goliath to immobilize them. Then up popped David. No doubt he was scared as he walked in the giant's direction, but David put his trust in God. In spite of fears churning inside, with faith in God, David could be calm on the outside as he swung his sling shot with the round stone tucked in it toward Goliath. You know the rest.

In our own way we also must conquer our fears and keep on going. David said, “I sought the LORD, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.”

God can also direct our paths now as we move forward toward Him. Again, it was David who is attributed to a bit of the bible nearly everyone knows when he said, "Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for you are with me; your rod and thy staff they comfort me.”

Notice as David was moving through dangerous territory, he wasn't afraid, for he simply trusted God who promised to comfort him. And guess what! It worked!!

God can do the same for us if we'll just keep our paddles going in the right direction, seeking His purpose for us. If at any time you'd like to join other paddlers feel free to call in one Sunday. We meet as a church each Sunday at 9:00 am at St Paul's Inverleigh and 11 am at St John's Bannockburn.

Happy paddling!

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