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From Behind the Desk...

Welcome to the September Grapevine! Sad news of the loss of some local legends, but plenty of good news to get stuck into as well in this issue. Make sure you read about the Humbug Scrub CFS siren and complete the survey if you are impacted.

Please keep in mind that any activities advertised in this issue of the OTH Grapevine may change at any time due to the changing status of Covid restrictions, so please keep yourselves informed.

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One Tree Hill Progress Association ~ President's Report

Dear Residents,

Welcome to September One Tree Hill.

This last month has been quite slow due to the Covid lockdown and people slowly coming back up to speed.

I have sent an email through to Paula Luethen's office regarding the flower beds in the main street in response to some questions from the Minister of Transport and Infrastructure's office. In short, the Ministers office is seeking further information and a reminder that a person from the office had made contact with Progress in March. I would like to thank Paula's office in co-ordinating and keeping this conversation alive.

We have purchased and installed new tables in the hall. Breeze/ leave stoppers have been installed on the old entry doors by the City of Playford. A new lease agreement has been signed with City Of Playford for the ongoing use of the hall. We have completed 5 Covid safe plans in the past month which is a huge task. None of this can be achieved without volunteers and would like to thank Pat Jones, Hall Manager, and Steve Huckstepp, Vice President/Treasurer for their ongoing support.

In this issue of the GV we have an article on the state of the CFS siren near Karwin Road. Please read the article as the siren is not working at present and we are seeking resident input as to the future of it. We have also put up an online version of the questionnaire. Please respond by phone, email or questionnaire and have your say.

Kind Regards,

Graham Watson

President, One Tree Hill Progress Association, president@onetreehill.org.au

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One Tree Hill CFS ~ August Report



Just reading back through last month's report and strange that after 10 calls for "Tree Down" last month, we had none during this reporting period. This lack of "tree" calls, which are quite common for this time of year, meant we only had 7 callouts since the last report.

Three of these calls were for vehicle accidents, one on Hannaford Hump Road on the 24th of July, where a car had hit a tree, one on the 13th of August at the corner of Blacktop and Yorktown Roads, involving two vehicles, and the last on the 19th of August on One Tree Hill Road involving a utility towing a trailer. In this last incident, the ute was coming up "Snake Gully" near the Hannaford Hump turn-off when the driver lost control mounting the Armco barrier and leaving the car and trailer perched precariously. This awkward position meant a heavy vehicle tow truck was required to lift the car and trailer off the barrier and perform the recovery.

We were also called to two structure fires during the month. The first was to Upper Hermitage where our 11,000-litre water tanker was required to provide support for units battling a 2nd alarm shed fire. The other was to a house in the township where the owner could smell smoke but could not find the source. Fortunately, on arrival nothing was found although a slight haze was visible. If in doubt in this situation, there is no harm in calling 000 to get the Brigade moving as a preventative measure.

Unusually for July and August we had a callout for a grass fire. In this case, the caller had accidentally lit a bush on fire and the fire had escaped their control. The lesson here, especially for people considering burning off as the weather dries out towards Spring, is that even green foliage will burn if it is exposed to enough heat, hence the requirement to have a cleared area surrounding your burn-off pile.

Equipment Preparation



You may have noticed from the signs around town that the CFS focus for this month is on equipment preparation. With Spring not too far off, it is time to start thinking about getting your fire fighting equipment in good working order prior to the upcoming Fire season. It is too late when the fire is coming over the hill to find that the pump you will rely on does not work. But it is not only pumps and tanks you should consider but also the equipment you use to maintain your property. While it may still be too wet to get out and do that essential maintenance, you can save time later if you spend a bit of time now ensuring your gear will work when required. Good rains

during July and August means that fuel loads this season could be very high and the call over the coming months will be to get your property prepared as soon as possible. Pinching a line from the Scouts, Be Prepared.

Finally, the Brigade Annual General Meeting was held on the 2nd of August, and with roles in the Brigade being decided on a biennial basis, this was a "voting" year. The Brigade would like to congratulate Alex Thomson on his promotion to Brigade Captain. Alex replaces Dave Cockburn who completes his second stint as Captain. The Brigade would also like to congratulate other members of the Brigade who were elected to positions and sincerely thank all outgoing position holders, especially Dave, for their service over the years. While the CFS in general receives accolades from the broader community, it is these office holders, all volunteers, who bear the extra work and responsibility for keeping the Brigade functioning and are the unsung heroes of the CFS.

Article and Photo By: Garry Walsh, One Tree Hill CFS Firefighter

For general information please contact OTH Duty Phone on 8280 7055.

You can also visit the CFS website at <http://www.cfs.sa.gov.au> or phone 1300 362 361.

One Tree Hill Rural Watch ~ Crime Report

Offences Reported between 15th July — 14th August 2021

For the second month in a row there is no victim reported crime which I can report on for the One Tree Hill area.

As last time – there have been numerous vehicle collisions in area which Police/CFS/SAAS have responded to and I again ask for residents to take care when driving in such wet conditions which we have been experiencing in One Tree Hill.

The only incident of interest which I can report on is for **community members to keep a look out for a male adult driving a blue Ford sedan registration S364-AVT and towing a yellow caged trailer**. He has been seen regularly on Shillabeer Road Sampson Flat and Crosshill Road One Tree Hill collecting firewood.

Reports have been made to the Playford Council in relation to this man cutting down a dead Redgum tree and removing the wood. It is estimated that he benefited by about 2 tonnes of redgum wood by doing this. The Tree was on council property (side of the road)

Playford Council inspectors have attended the site and taken details of the tree – which appears to be of ‘significant size’ and is following up. Reports have also been made to SAPOL.

If anyone sees this male please contact Playford Council and quote report number 571601 (initial report raised for the incident on Shillabeer Road) and SAPOL on 131444 for patrol attendance if the male is “on site.”



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Emergency Evacuation Planning For Horses



The following information was recently shared on the *Horse SA facebook page*. Any residents who are impacted by this change should consider alternative arrangements for the upcoming bushfire season. Photos are from the Horse SA facebook page.

“Emergency Evacuation Planning - MAGIC MILLIONS will NOT be available as an evacuation centre during future bushfire seasons. We are advised this is a result of biosecurity considerations with the proximity of the yearling sales. You may need to update your plans.”

Open Paddocks SA is a useful facebook page designed to assist with owners of horses and other livestock in making effective fire evacuation plans. Anyone who offers their property as available in an evacuation situation does so at their own discretion. Horse owners are encouraged to connect well in advance of bushfire threat and move their horses to safety before roads are clogged or dangerous. <https://www.facebook.com/openpaddocksau>

One Tree Hillians Out & About

If you have any photos you would like to see in the Grapevine, please send in to grapevine@onetreehill.org.au



ABOVE: Cub scout Aiden reached his 100km on a recent hike at Para Wirra. (Photo: Bindi Hawkey)



ABOVE: Re'niyah and Portia are ready to say hi down at the One Tree Hill Country Market. (Photo: Kamcheyenne Limousin facebook page)



LEFT: OTH Preschool students enjoying their weekly Bush Kindy at Para Wirra—rain hail or shine. (Photo: OTH Preschool facebook page)

Playford Council ~ Local Councillor's Report

Dear Fellow Ratepayers and Residents,

This month I've received many calls in relation the Blacktop Road and Yorktown Road intersection. I am extremely concerned with the increase of incidents and the risk it poses to road users and our local community. The intersection is under the care and control of DIT (The Department for Infrastructure and Transport) as are Blacktop Road and Yorktown Road.

I've emailed our local MP – Paula Luethen asking for her support in advocating with the minister and the department. I'll also be moving a motion at the City of Playford's Ordinary Council Meeting in August for support of the chamber to write to DIT advocating for an assessment of the intersection and to consider lighting of the intersection, improved signage, consideration to a guard rail on Blacktop Road and upgrading the intersection with a left-hand turning lane on Yorktown Road and a merging lane on Blacktop Road heading towards One Tree Hill.

The One Tree Hill Road upgrade has been a frustrating process to observe. Thank you to all the residents that have been in touch sharing your concerns. I did organise an on-site meeting with our General Manager City Assets – Simon Blom, Traffic Engineer – Hyeyoung Ghang and Project Manager – Rocco Ventra to discuss the concerns. Hopefully by September the many concerns will have been addressed and the works completed. If you have concerns, please ring 82560333 or email playford@playford.sa.gov.au and place a CRS (Customer Service Request).



A cool and wet winter has seen wood in demand. It has been disappointing to see the illegal activity of chopping down of trees and the taking of wood along our roadside and in reserves. These trees often form roadside habitat for birds and wildlife. Please stay vigilant and report incidences to the City of Playford. (Photo right supplied by resident.)

The Land Revocation Proposal – CBD and Main North Road has raised varying levels of support and concerns. The vision includes added development and public spaces in the CBD and an enhanced entrance statement into Playford with revitalised open green space, active landscaped areas and safer public pathways for the community to enjoy, along with carefully considered high quality commercial and residential development at appropriate locations along Main North Road. There will be further community engagement and I encourage everyone to have your say.

I'm looking forward to the One Tree Hill Market in September. I hope everyone has been keeping well and hopefully we'll see you at the market.

Best wishes and regards,

Cr David Kerrison

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King Electorate News Editorial

The One Tree Hill Grapevine and the One Tree Hill Progress Association remain apolitical, however at times, politicians may wish to communicate with OTH locals about topics or decisions made which are relevant to our town.

In the lead-up to the next State election in March 2022, the One Tree Hill Progress Association has agreed to publish a short (1/2 page maximum) editorial, free of charge, submitted from any political candidates who have declared their intention to stand for election in the State electorates of King or Schubert. The purpose of the editorial is to introduce the candidate to the local community and explain their background and focus. The Grapevine editor reserves the right to edit/refuse editorial submissions if they are largely a party-political statement. Any of the eligible candidates are able to pay for political advertising in the Grapevine and these will be accepted where space is available and the content is relevant.

Equal exposure has been offered to politicians in this issue, and future issues of the OTH Grapevine, keeping the best interests of all One Tree Hill residents in mind so that they may stay well informed about important local issues.

September 2021 Editorial is submitted by Paula Luethen MP for King

Delivering better health services closer to home is the State Government's number 1 priority. We are delivering a massive \$7.4 billion spend on health, with a plan to fix ramping and ease pressure on emergency departments.

We are delivering alternative service delivery options such as My Home Hospital, Priority Care Centres, an Adult Mental Health Centre, and add a new 16 bed Mental Health Crisis Stabilisation Centre in the northern suburbs. We will create more appropriate accommodation options such as additional housing for people with a mental health disability and a new older person's mental health facility at Modbury. There are now more doctors, more nurses, more ambulance officers than ever before in the State's history.

Locally, as promised we're delivering a \$58 million-dollar upgrade to the Lyell McEwin Hospital which includes a new expanded Emergency Department, a purpose-built mental health facility.

A huge \$163.5 million package for mental health will provide a suite of new critical services (outside of an ED setting) and this will ease pressure on the state's public hospital system and emergency departments, with two new facilities in the north. A further \$8.4 million per year will fund mental health support services including community support services. Additionally, the Elective Surgery backlog is a priority and we are providing \$20 million investment to reduce the backlog of people waiting.

You have told me your priority is health and jobs, and so we are getting on with delivering better health outcomes and creating jobs through a record \$17.9 billion job creating infrastructure spend. With your help we will make South Australia the best place to live and work. Please keep in contact:

- At www.paulaluethen.com.au where I update your local causes
- By following my Paula Luethen MP Member for King Facebook page for daily updates
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PHOTO RIGHT: Paula Luethen MP, Premier Steven Marshall and Minister for Health Steven Wade



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Are You Feeling It? (Part 2)

A Mental Health & Wellbeing Article by One Tree Hill Local Natasha Steen

Understandably we don't share every little thought and feeling with other people But if you have stronger feelings such as anger, sadness, guilt, regret, depression etc ... I encourage you to not let these build up.

A good start could be sharing a chat on some of this with someone you trust. Just talking can be enough. Having the courage to share what is troubling you is a start. By just talking you take some of the load away from yourself. It is important to take ownership of your feelings and not just drink them away, drown them in bad gambling habits or get sadder and more reclusive.

It can take time and effort to learn to share your feelings openly. Here are a few things that I find help people to become more comfortable with feeling their emotions:



- Practising mindfulness - including taking a deep breath and just saying to yourself I am feeling really angry .. sad etc..
- Share your feelings honestly. There are ways to share feelings, even negative ones, without being rude. It helps to practice emotional communication by first opening up to loved ones and others you trust. Try using "I" statements to bring up feelings respectfully.
- Talk to someone you trust.
- Keep a journal.
- Reach out to a therapist/counsellor if you have let emotions build up for a long time. In my work I support people to look at reasons for their emotional suppression, how to get in touch with these feelings and strategies to manage going forward.

"Feeling it" is not guaranteed to be easy. This may include working through what is going on in your head and how you can acknowledge who you are, why you are how you are and what experiences have shaped you. It can be really helpful to chat about what you might need to know about yourself going forward. This process can make a big difference in how you enjoy life. Chances are it is likely to be a healthier choice to "feel it" rather than hide or suppress "it" or adopt other unhealthy habits!

Article by Natasha Steen

Natasha is a local One Tree Hill resident, with her husband Craig, and 2 daughters - plus Dusty the Dog and Marlo the Puppy! Natasha - amongst other things - has her own Counselling and Coaching business. She has over 24 years of experience in this work and takes pride in supporting people to nurture their health by adopting simple things that really work to improve day to day living.



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"Fond memories of a great sportswoman and community friend"

The One Tree Hill Seniors are deeply saddened at the recent passing of Hazel Doreen Walter, wife of our late member, Lance Walter. Alongside Lance for 74 remarkable years, Hazel supported all his community activities while bringing up their sons Colin, Trevor and Brian. They loved living in One Tree Hill and were very active Life Members of the OTH Progress Association.

Born in Blyth, Hazel certainly made her name in several sporting circles. Her Seniors friends have lasting memories of her astonishing success at any sport she took up. Mary was a golfing companion for years; Joyce still talks about her tennis prowess; Gladys remembers her competitive nature at playing cards. And Hazel always made sure her ten-pin bowling trophies were not forgotten.



Having joined the OTH Seniors with Lance 35 years ago, Hazel showed herself a true winner at indoor carpet bowls. Despite her slow decline in physical ability in recent years, she never forgot the rules. Seniors still recall her very vocal protests at anyone stepping on the bowling mat—even today, someone will occasionally get a laugh with "get off the mat!" in her honour.

Hazel and Lance had a long and spirited life together filled with family achievements and community service. Equally strong-minded, she fought to maintain her independence in her home until she lost Lance in November 2020 and needed professional care. We understand hers was a well-deserved peaceful passing, and for that, we're grateful in the midst of our sadness.

~ From all the One Tree Hill Seniors on behalf of the Walter Family ~

Barossa Goldfields Annual Open Day September 26th



Mark the date in your diary for this popular annual event run by the volunteers at the Barossa Goldfields Historical Society. At the time of the OTH Grapevine publication, some of the finer details regarding the Covid management plan for the event are being ironed out, but it is planned to go ahead on Sunday 26th September.

This year there will be a new booking system, and you will need to register online. Stay tuned to their new web site bghs.org.au for more information, or email Barossa Goldfields bgoldhs@gmail.com.

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What's Flowering In My Garden?

It is a cold but wet Winter. The most welcomed rain has been most usefull with much needed replenishment of moisture into the topsoil and subsoil. With more rain expected there is a very real chance that our dam will fill. We hope.....

The Hakeas have finished flowering as have some Correas but other Correas are in full flower providing a bright splash of colour throughout the garden. Philotheca myoporoides Winter Rouge is bursting into flower and the bees are absolutely loving a supply of pollen. Philotheca myoporoides, with the common name of Waxflower, belongs to a group of plants that were previously known as Eriostemons. This hardy compact small mounded shrub has bright green small elliptical leaves with masses of crimson red buds which gradually open during late Winter and early Spring to reveal five petalled star shaped white flowers. The long flowering period ensures a colourfull display for 6 to 8 weeks. This low maintenance shrub is frost tolerant and hardy, not requiring any extra water during Summer once established.

Requiring a position in full sun or part shade, it will thrive in sandy loamy soils and when mature will be about 80cms high and approximately 1m wide. It can be planted as a feature plant or as a plant to fill in a gap between other plants. Remember to give your Waxflower a good prune after flowering in order to keep the bush in a more compact shape thus preventing the plant becoming too big and perhaps too lanky. For a passionate gardener living on a small block, this Waxflower will grow in a large pot of good quality potting mix. It's stems are covered with warty type scent glands and if planted on edges of paths, a lovely scent will be released when stems are touched as you brush past. It's a delightful perfume and flowering stems can be used as cut flower stems either as a mix of Natives or Roses. There is now a good range of Philothecas available at most good nurseries ranging from small 50 cm high to a large white flowering up to 1.2 m high. All are lovely, each one offering flowering a long flowering period and a beautiful sight and scent sensation.

Philotheca myoporoides Winter Rouge is wonderful plant to have in my garden.

Just beautiful.

Article and photo submitted by Heather Fischer





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Whack-A-Weed Working Bee A Success!

On the morning of Saturday 21st August, the Friends of Para Wirra held an event at Helipad camp site which was open to the public, for one of their regular working bee mornings - they call it "Whack-A-Weed" working bee.

It was a beautiful sunny and still morning, and the event was attended by a large group of approximately 50 people. These numbers consisted of 16 of the regular Friends of Para Wirra volunteers, 3 park rangers, 11 OTH cub scouts, 6 OTH joey scouts, 2 OTH scouts, 4 OTH leaders, and joeys parents and siblings, plus 4 members of the public who registered through the Department of Environment and Water web site.

After an initial welcome and briefing by Steve Taylor from Friends of Para Wirra, the group split up in different directions to focus their weeding efforts on a pre-assigned area surrounding the Helipad Camp Site. This area had been scoped and marked out earlier by FOPW members as needing volunteer attention for some of the most notorious weed problems at Para Wirra - boneseed, bridal creeper, African weed orchid and cape tulip. Overall, around 150 hours in total were spent weeding, over an area of 5 hectares. 10 bags full of bridal creeper were removed from the site. An amazing example of volunteers in action.

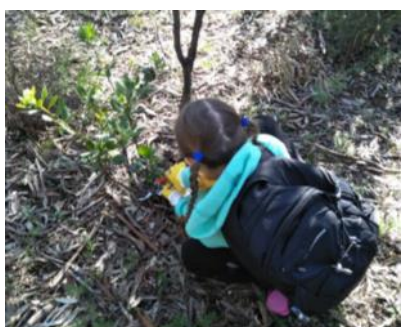
During the productive morning, some of the group were lucky enough to see a flock of yellow tailed black

cockatoos, and a family of white winged choughs at their tree top mud nest. The cubs and joeys were also impressed by the tiny greenhood orchids and 2 different kinds of sundews. It was an incredibly successful event, and all volunteers were rewarded afterwards

with a free BBQ cooked by the Para Wira Ranger and OTH Scout Group Leader. Everybody had a fun morning, with the task completed and a great display of community volunteering spirit.

If you are interested in joining in the volunteering fun with Friends of Para Wirra, they meet monthly on the 1st Thurs & 3rd Sat 9am, Para Wirra Conservation Park, Rangers Office. Email friendsofparawirra@gmail.com.

*Article by Bindi Hawkey on behalf of Friends Of Para Wirra
Photos by Helen Perkins-Fiddian & Bindi Hawkey*





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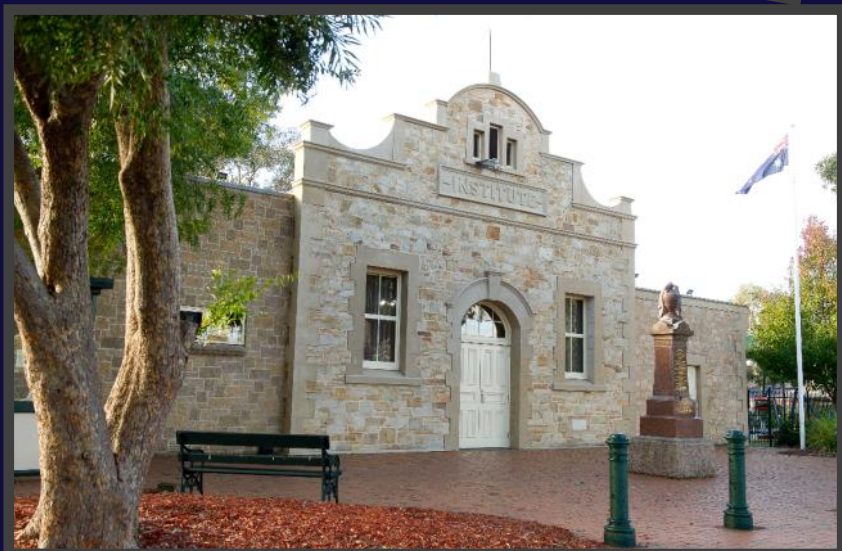
Outside you will find a sheltered playground that leads to picturesque garden areas which are ideal for photos.

The One Tree Hill Institute is an ideal location for Weddings, Engagement Parties, Birthday Parties, Reunions and Meetings.

Why not come and have a look or check us out?

Ph: 0459 105 045

Email: hall@onetreehill.org.au



Enquiries can now be made online at <https://onetreehill.org.au/index.php/hall>

Vale Douglas Winsor

Douglas Winsor, a long time resident of One Tree Hill, passed away peacefully on the 2nd August 2021, aged 92 years. Doug moved to One Tree Hill in 1983 when he married Sybil. He was well known in the community for his kindness, hospitality and practical skills. For many years Doug volunteered as a Pastoral Care visitor and member of the Volunteer Board at the Lyell McEwin Hospital.

He and Sybil supported the One Tree Hill Uniting Church in a range of roles, including conducting the 'Prepare Programme' for couples who wished to get married in the Church. He also participated in the worship team that planned Sunday services and put his computer skills to use in creating the power point slides used during the services.

He also helped at the Fellowship Stall at the monthly community market where Sybil's apple pies were well known and in great demand. Doug and Sybil were great supporters of the Grapevine and assisted with its production for many years. He was always willing to lend a hand; he was generous with his time and was a valued friend and neighbour to many in One Tree Hill.

He will be sadly missed.



Article submitted by the OTH Uniting Church community

Contact us at grapevine@onetreehill.org.au

One Tree Hill Uniting Church

Our Vision - "People of Faith, sharing God's love as we Worship & Serve in the Community"

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE - 10.00 am

Kid's church program runs every Sunday morning during the regular service.



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WEDDINGS, BAPTISMS & FUNERALS

The church is available for the above Services. For further information please phone Edna on 8255 7987.

MONTHLY FELLOWSHIP MEETINGS

Held 4th Wednesday each month with morning tea at 10.00 am

Next Meeting - Wednesday 22nd September –
Speakers will be Nancy & Peter Cranwell from Frontier Services – Outback Links.



One Tree Hill Uniting Church
Religious organisation
One Tree Hill, South Australia

Keep up to date with the activities of the church via our Facebook and Instagram pages. Or, contact 0414 727 396.



AL-RU FARM - OPEN GARDEN

Sunday 19th September 2021

Once again our ladies will be catering for lunches, and morning and afternoon tea. Take this opportunity to come and view the beautiful gardens, and enjoy our scrumptious Devonshire Teas and lunches.

BIBLE STUDY

1st Thursday of the month 1.00 – 2.30 pm.
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Humbug Scrub Fire Siren - We Need Your Feedback

The future of the old Humbug Scrub fire siren (on private property near Kersbrook and Kelly Hill Roads) is in doubt; it is in poor repair and it needs a new home. The One Tree Hill Progress Association President, Graham Watson, sought feedback from residents in the Aug21 Grapevine, but the response has not been strong. Cr David Kerrison (Ward 3 councillor from the City of Playford) has been contacted by several local residents who would like to see the siren maintained in a working condition.

The CFS no longer use community sirens to warn residents of the impending danger of a bush fires or to call out their volunteers, but they still sound the town siren when a fire threatens the township. However, we understand the One Tree Hill CFS would be prepared to remotely activate a local community siren if residents are willing to financially support and maintain the siren. The One Tree Hill Progress Association is happy to coordinate efforts if there is enough community support to keep the siren.

Hence we need your feedback. If there is little or no support for the siren, we won't pursue the matter further. All residents in or near Sampson Flat and Humbug Scrub areas are encouraged to provide feedback about the siren by answering the questionnaire on our website



<https://onetreehill.org.au/index.php/grapevine/fire-siren-questionnaire>

We will leave the survey open until the end of October 2021 to give people time to respond.

Article and photo submitted by One Tree Hill Progress Association



Magpie Swooping Season Is Here

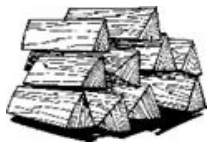
Male magpies only swoop during mating season in spring due to a huge increase in testosterone where they become over protective dads. The mating season can vary from state to state but generally is between late August to late October, with the occasional borderline case.

Here's some swooping safety tips. For more tips, visit the web site listed below.

- Keep alert and pay attention for any magpie nesting sites.
- It is important to try to stay calm, if you panic and flap then this is more likely to appear as aggressive behaviour and provoke a further attack.
- Keep an ear open for their distinctive calls.
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Information sourced from the Magpie Alert! Website <https://www.magpiealert.com>

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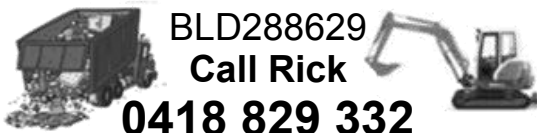
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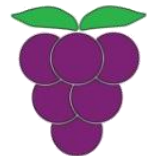
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	Veronica Gossink	0411 733 847		Treasurer	0406 382 342
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Friends of Para Wirra	friendsofparawirra@gmail.com		Pharmacy	Shadi Ibrahim	8280 7890
General Store & Diner	Matt & Rachel	8280 7020	Post Office	Wain	8280 0090
Home Assist	Playford Council	8256 0355	Scout Group (Group Leader)	Mike Branson	0430 422 895
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Playford Council Contacts ...

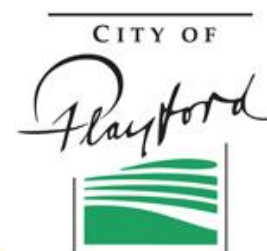
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Email: playford@playford.sa.gov.au

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Contact us at grapevine@onetreehill.org.au



WHAT'S ON



SAT 4/9 - OTH COUNTRY MARKET (p3)

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FRI 10/9 - OTH TENNIS COME & TRY 2 (p5)

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