

GRAPEVINE

This monthly newspaper is published by the One Tree Hill Progress Association. Its purpose is to share local news, views and events. We want to encourage local people and groups to share what they are doing and to pass on items of interest to one another. A minimum of 50 cents donation to the cost of printing the Grapevine would be very much appreciated. (Donation tins are available in some of the local shops). We are happy to include some advertising from local businesses, and small classified Ads from individuals. Please contact Jill McLatchie, ph 8280 7214 for details of the cost. Maximum size for advertisements is one quarter of a page. Deadline for the next issue is Wednesday April 23rd 1997 at 6.00pm at the Deli. Please leave items in an envelope marked Grapevine at the General Store well ahead of the deadline if possible.

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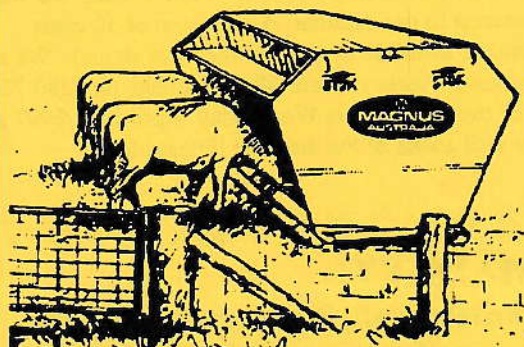
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MATTHEW HAYDEN'S REPORT

Well, ladies and gentlemen, it's that time of the year when individuals like me, have to put on our politicians hats and ask you to consider voting. This time round it will be less painful because of the postal voting system, which requires no more than a few ticks or crosses, and a quick stop at your local postal box. The last two years has been educational, exciting, intense, emotional, disappointing, but most of all, worth the effort. When you become a Councillor it tends to be over a single issue, or maybe a few local problems that you feel strongly about, but once you enter the Council arena you are confronted by 10 other Councillors who themselves have many issues to be dealt with, you have City of Munno Para issues, regional issues and in some cases State issues confronting you. All of these issues need input from elected members as representatives you the public have chosen and this tends to take up a lot of time you may otherwise have spent on the issues facing just your own ward. I believe that if given a score card out of 100, I would be willing to score myself 80. Now that begs the question, of what could have been done better and I know certain issues could have been handled better with more experience, but this term of office is like an apprenticeship, and as any tradesman will tell you, it takes practice to become a professional, and with your help I shall do just that. With limited funds, the help of community groups such as the OTH Progress Association, CFS and many individuals, I believe much has been achieved in the past 2 years, for instance the Mayor and I battled to seal the remainder of Williams Road, success in getting Tyeka Dve. sealed, earthworks on Shillabeer Rd, renovation of the OTH institute, paths and landscaping to the township (still in progress), major landscaping and play equipment to Grandview Dve/Hillbank (ongoing), landscaping to Springvale Heights Estate (ongoing), supporting CFS requests for funding and equipment and so many smaller issues that need to be mentioned. I am an environmentalist,

conservationist, developmentalist (if handled correctly), and community minded person, and have always made myself available to discuss any problem that should arise, whether I agree or not. In Council my attention is drawn to planning, engineering, environmental and social issues, of which I have been successful in implementing and tabling of motions, policies and solid democratic debate. There is no question in my mind as to the level of commitment I have given to the ratepayers of the OTH Ward. I spend anything from 5hrs p/wk, up to 25hrs p/wk working for the residents of Munno Para and if re-elected I shall continue that commitment. I am not a publicity seeking politician, but rather an independent individual with no political aspirations other than to tidy up my own backyard (Munno Para), before I attempt to tell others what to do. If you need me I am available, but otherwise I just get on with the task at hand. The new City of Playford will require all the elected members to double their efforts and the issues will be important, with regards how the new city grows, and that is where my experience should stand me in good stead. For those of you who do not know me, I am married to Pauline (13yrs) and have two lovely children Thomas and Kate. Both children attend Trinity College, where I have been involved with the Grounds Committee. I am employed by a packaging company at Regency Pk, SA Toyo Paper. Currently I am studying Natural Resources Management at Gawler TAFE and also hold a Certificate in Real Estate Sales. I am a member of the following committees although some more than others, MP Greening Committee, MP Environment Portfolio, Virginia Expo Committee, Para Group (CFS), Fire Prevention Committee, Hills Face Network, Waste and Pollution Action Group, OTH Progress Association, MP Soccer Club and an ongoing member of the Medlow Rd Landfill protest group. Please consider my credentials above when filling out your ballot paper and if you feel I have performed well in my first 2 years, then I would be pleased to serve you for the next 3 years. An issue brought to my attention during this month, and requiring immediate action is the OTH Primary School and traffic problems raised by the school council. They would like me to make you aware of parking correctly, U-turns performed at the correct location, and speeding along McGilp Rd. Try to remember that these children rely on you to do the right thing by them, and it could be your child or someone you know that ends up being hurt. I have a new phone number if you would like to contact me, which is 8287 7020, anytime. Matthew Hayden.

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ONE TREE HILL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWS

There was excellent attendance at a recent L.A.P.(Learning Assistance Programme) workshop. More volunteers are still needed however. You don't have to be a parent of children at the school and you need give only 30 minutes a week of your time but it can make all the difference to a child. Contact Sue Bateup or Michelle Walter at the school and they will be able to give you the details. There are still many problems with car parking near the school, with speeding, double parking, U turns in front of the school. A letter describing the issues around traffic, parking and road condition have been forwarded to the City of Munno Para. Copies have been addressed to the Mayor, Martin Lindsell, the City Engineer and Cr Matthew Hayden. A copy has also been forwarded to the Department of Road Transport. Thanks to Leanne Nelson for drafting the letter on behalf of the School Council and the School Community.

PUZZLE CORNER

Given this list of figures, in what position should you place 0(zero)?
8,5,4,9,1,7,6,3,2, (Answers elsewhere in the Grapevine)

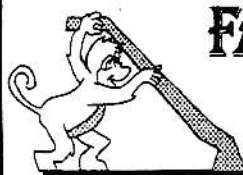
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SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

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LOCAL HISTORY NOTES

The presence of the road from Salisbury and Smithfield/Williamstown encouraged the construction of the One Tree Hill Inn in 1851. Always on a minor road, its life as an Inn was shortlived. As Martin Lindsell points out in another article this was where the Munno Para Council was formed in 1853. It closed in 1859 and after this was used as a farmhouse. This house is still standing. It's on the right hand side of Black Top Road going towards the township just past the turn off to Yorktown Road. The actual township is about 2k from the Inn which may have accounted for its demise. In 1858, the

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Hi, I'm Mike Stevens, a candidate for Councillor for the One Tree Hill/Craigmores ward (Ward 3) in the May elections for the new City of Playford.

Lea, Dan, Tim and I have lived in One Tree Hill for nearly 21 years on a 10 acre block. I have been involved with the Progress Association, the CFS, the Craft Shop and the School Council at various times during those years. I was involved in the beginnings of the Community Development Board for the Munno Para Council in the 80s and served as the Chair for several years. I am a member of the Elizabeth Lions Club and have my own small business as a PC programmer and trainer.

The new amalgamated council will provide many challenges and I am keen to be a part of these. It will be very important to maintain the strong voice One Tree Hill and the rural areas have had in the past so that our special needs and interests are met. "Downsizing" and "user pays" can be taken too far - I see Council has a vital role in providing and maintaining facilities and infrastructure and fostering community development and involvement.

I will be happy to talk to you about any concerns or issues you want looked at by the new Council. Please contact me on the above numbers and/or meet me at the next Community Market.



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which worms live in the chambers of the heart of your dog and cat. Treatment can be harsh, expensive, and in some cases fatal. Prevention is better than cure. Testing for heartworm is done in-house and only takes around 10 minutes for a result. If your pet is clear of heartworm disease it can start on the preventative taken once a month. If your pet's routine has lapsed over the past few months, now is the time to test. Puppies and kittens can be started on prevention from 6 weeks of age. Older dogs and cats should be blood tested before starting. Dr Alan M. Irving, AL-RU FARM

MARKET REPORT

A few showers did nothing to dampen the spirit of the market which seems to grow each month with new stalls and lots of variety. If you have never visited the market you are missing a great experience. Come and meet your friends, have a browse and try some of the tasty foods on offer. There is a major problem with cars and congestion however. Cars block people's access to the shops and car parking down McGill Road caused one resident to become irate. Has any one suggestions for solving this problem?

EDITORIAL

Thanks to all the generous people who have given us donations again this month and who have also said some kind things about the Grapevine. I will try to ignore the person who didn't want the Grapevine put in her box and remember the saying that you can't please everybody! (But I would like to!) Please consider the job advert for Grapevine reporters. I would really appreciate some help from the community. The Grapevine has grown and developed over the last three years and become quite a task for one person to be the sole reporter. When putting adverts in please put your money in with your advert as it saves our hard working treasurer from having to chase you up. Remember it is \$15 for an 1/8th page size and \$25 for 1/4 page size. Classified Ads are 10 cents a word. Please make out your cheque to the One Tree Hill Progress Association. Receipts are given only on request. Please try to get your material in on time. I don't want to be difficult but I do have other commitments in my life and I can't handle items that come in late. You do get a week's notice plus a reminder of the date in the previous Grapevine. The closing date for next month's Grapevine will be APRIL 23rd. Unfortunately our schedule is even tighter than it used to be. I would like to thank Matthew Hayden for his generous sponsorship of the Grapevine this month and also for the work he has put in for our community as a councillor. It's not an easy task, and I have appreciated his support and willingness to contribute monthly to our newsletter. Jill McLatchie, Editor.

TREES FOR LIFE

The first meeting of the year was held at Pat and Alan's and despite the excessive heat was well attended. Many thanks go to Pat and

township of One Tree Hill had a post office and general store. The Precolumb School operated near the township which was replaced by the Uley School eventually. By 1864 the locality had a population of farmers with a clerk, storekeeper, shoemaker, mason and blacksmith residing here. A Methodist Church was built in 1867 and in that year the area was described as an agricultural and winegrowing district with a public pound. In 1862 the Observer newspaper gives a description of Mr Innes' farm at One Tree Hill. He farmed 300 acres growing wheat, corn and ryegrass and ran some dairy cattle. He had a problem getting female servants to milk all his cows so he sold them (the cows not the servants!) and got a flock of 300 sheep. He cleared all the timber on the land using a lot of it to build his house. However there were a lot of dairy farmers in the area. John Bowman of 'Garden Creek' produced butter and bred dairy cows in 1909. (from the Munno Para Heritage Survey). History notes researched by Jill McLatchie

BLACKSMITH'S INN SOCIAL CLUB

On Sunday March 23rd will be a Brunch, always a popular event. Then on Sunday April 13th, the Social Club is holding a Family Day at the One Tree Hill Oval. Lots of fun and games with a free BBQ, and wine, beer and soft drinks will be available. It starts around midday. Then on Friday 18th-Sunday 20th April members are going up to Berri for a golf weekend. Future events planned include a car trial in May/June, a Christmas in June Dinner, and a bonfire night in July. Details in future Grapevines. Enquiries about joining the Social Club can be made at the bar at the Blacksmith's Inn.

VETERINARY NOTES FOR APRIL

It's been a long hot summer and a great breeding season for mosquitoes. Now would be the time to review your pet's heartworm routine status. As you probably know heartworm is a disease in

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central taproot. It can reach out over a metre. The leaves are in opposite pairs, each divided into 4-7 pairs of leaflets. The flowers are solitary on slender stalks at the base of the leaves about 1cm wide with yellow petals. The fruit is a cluster of 5 burrs, straw coloured when ripe. Each burr is wedge shaped, 6-9mm long, with 2 long sharp spines and 2 shorter ones. These burrs are a real problem injuring the feet of humans and stock, causing internal injuries if swallowed, damaging tyres, and contributing to vegetable fault in wool. If grazed by sheep it can cause nitrite poisoning and photosensitization. Hand hoeing small patches is effective, but make sure you gather and burn all fruiting plants. Seed germinates from late Spring to Autumn. Get advice about suitable sprays from the Adelaide Animal and Plant Control Commission.

KIDS JOKES

Art Teacher: I asked you to draw a horse in a paddock but you've only drawn the horse.

Smart Alec: The horse has eaten all the paddock.

What did the cannibal chief do when his daughter reached marriageable age?

He looked round for an edible bachelor!

(Thanks to Craig Wynne for the loan of his joke books)

CHILDRENS CONTRIBUTIONS

Corduroy by Luke Martin

One Monday morning Corduroy got his skateboard and skated to the airport where his family was. Then his family went on the plane but he went on a different plane. Then while he was at the airport he got his skateboard and the rest of his luggage and then he saw that his family was in another plane. Then he called the plane driver and Corduroy said can you take me home? Yes I can. Then Corduroy

Alan for their hospitality. We were able to make some entries in the diary for 1997 and as usual all seems to be quite busy. Since the meeting I have applied for a grant for funds for Distribution Day, of \$489.50. We will have to wait and see if we are successful. Dates for the Diary: Sunday April 20th at 11.00 am. Guided tour of St Kilda Mangroves. Please bring a packed lunch. Please give Chris Adley a call so that numbers can be confirmed with the guide. We have a reduced entry fee of \$4.00 per person. For more information on Trees for Life contact Chris and Mick Adley 8254 9126 branch organisers, Elizabeth/Gawler area.

CHILD SAFETY ON FARMS

On 2 December a talk was given at Gumeracha Hospital by Warren Sutton of the SA Farmers Federation, about child safety on farms. This subject has particular relevance for people in One Tree Hill. All children who live on a farm or who visit a farm are at risk from injury. Toddlers aged 0-4 are at particular risk from drowning, kicks from animals, poisoning or tractor run over. Children aged 5-14 are at greatest risk from falls from machinery, tractor rollovers and runovers, motorcycle related injury, horse related injury, asphyxiation and fire arm related injury and noise induced hearing damage. Boys, particularly, aged 10-14 are at greatest risk. Adolescent girls are often injured in horse related accidents while boys are often affected by motor cycle accidents. Children are often assumed to have greater knowledge or judgement than they do in fact possess. Many farm activities may be beyond their physical and/or mental capabilities. This places them at greater risk of injury or death.

Ruth Currie, Primary Health Co ordinator Northern Adelaide Hills Health Service is hoping to organise a safety programme. She can be contacted on (08) 8389 1206. (Taken from the Gumeracha Voice)

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Football by Joshua Parsons.

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The Bulldogs won. We went at half-time.

The Magpies lost by four goals and one point.

(Thank you Luke and Joshua for your interesting contributions.

We welcome children's contributions as the Grapevine is for everyone in the community)

ANSWERS TO PUZZLE CORNER

Last. They are arranged in alphabetical order.

SIMON'S PET CORNER

Simon's big news is that on March 20th he will be 12 years old! Hope you had a very happy Birthday Simon! He hopes to get a pair of Siamese fighting fish, a male and a female. If he had two males they would fight very gruesomely to the death! The strongest one survives. Simon reckons that would be \$10 wasted! He wants to get a blue male. They come in brilliant blue or brilliant red or mottled. Simon thinks the red males look a bit straggly. The females have dull colours by comparison. They are light or dark with brown stripes. Siamese fighting fish have a strange mating process. The male curls around the female and squeezes her while she is laying her eggs and then he fertilizes them. They make a nest in plants on the surface of the water surrounded by bubbles which the male protects very aggressively. Simon put his Moss Barb fish in to the fish tank with the baby fish, but found it was very aggressive and it ate one of his fish. It also chases the kissing gorami around and they try to kiss him! However the black Molly beat him up! His Neon Tetras are now pregnant. They get very big when they are pregnant and have been

known to grow to 4 cm. Simon is unsure of the sex of his Angel fish and may have two males or two females. Some of Simon's fish have met sad ends by going through the filter or getting squashed! Has any one else any fishy stories? Simon thinks they may have bats living in their chimney. One night they saw 8 suddenly appear above the chimney. Simon's sister also caught two in the kitchen. They are small about 7cm in body length, and are a blackish brown colour. Does anyone in the community know about bats who would be able to identify them for us? Simon's budgies have a problem. Pippa, his girl budgie wants Emerald his boy budgie to mate with her but Emerald doesn't know how! Pippa has learnt to make a high pitched chirp and Emerald hates the vacuum cleaner! When Simon tells them to be quiet, Emerald shuts up but Pippa takes no notice! Pippa is flying around and is getting better at landing. Her favourite spot is on top of the chairs. Emerald likes landing on Simon's special model car and now it has budgie poo all over it! Simon is still trying to sell his guppies. Any offers anyone? Did you know female Swordtail fish when they get sick of being female and laying eggs all the time can turn into males! Simon has read that sucker catfish or Bristle nose catfish as they are known in Australia have never been successfully bred in a tank so Simon is going to take up the challenge and hopefully make world history! Would any one like to tell us about their special pets and some of the funny things they do? Simon and I are hoping to hear from you.

JOKE OF THE MONTH

This is a true story. A young man was Best Man at his friend's wedding and liked the hymn chosen "O God of love to thee we bow" so much that he made a note of the number so that it could be sung at his own wedding a few weeks later. The hymn was 774 in the Methodist hymn book. When his own wedding day came along, due to transport problems he was rather late arriving at the church. There was just time to check the main details, but the vicar did say "Are you sure it is hymn No. 774 that you want?" Assured, the ceremony began. However after the first verse the vicar signalled the organist to stop, as the congregation were in hysterics. That church used "Ancient and Modern" Standard Hymn Book in which No. 774 is:-
"Come O thou traveller unknown,
Whom still I hold but cannot see,
My company before has gone,
And I am left alone with thee.
With thee all night I mean to stay
And wrestle till the break of day."
(Reckoned to be John Wesley's favourite hymn but not for a wedding!) (Contributed by Sybill Winsor)

HEARD ON THE GRAPEVINE

There was a great response to our request for J.Ps last month and

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you will see a list in another part of the Grapevine. This list is not complete I know because I've heard of still more J.P's in our community. There is a problem with addresses down some roads because so many places have the same Lot numbers. A member of the community has suggested that when you are having things delivered or friends are calling who are unfamiliar with the area that you give them your RAPID number rather than your Lot number. What do other people think? It has also been noticed that the junction of Yorktown Road and Blacktop Road is still causing problems. People tend to cut in front of cars as they turn out of Yorktown Road. Have others noticed continuing problems with this junction? You should have been in the General Store the other day when David burst into song "Have you heard it on the Grapevine" apparently an old number by Credence Clearwater Revival(I think it was that!) The consensus was that he shouldn't give up his day job! Anyhow we are now on the lookout for this tape so we can play it on Grapevine distribution day and we could even have some singalong sessions. Karen offered "a night out with Karen" as a prize for the best singer but sorry fellas she withdrew the offer!! What a great night we had at the Emergency Services display and I have to say the rescue One helicopter was an awesome sight! It was great to see Tenae Walter marching confidently on to it for her joy flight, an experience to remember all her life.

GARDENING NOTES for April - Shade Lovers

We all have those shady corners of the garden that need something special in them. Here is a list of plants ideal for understory or for shady places:-

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Pimelia.....pink flowers and grows 1 metre.
Melaleuca green globe.....grows to 1 metre.
Melaleuca incana nana.....grows to 1/2 a metre.
Myoporum parvifolium.....white flowers in Summer, a ground cover.
Pandorea jasminoides.....pink flowers, a climber.
Pandorea pandorana.....white flowering climber.
Sollya.....Blue and white climber
Viola hederacea.....blue flowering ground cover.

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE ONE TREE HILL UNITING CHURCH?

Have you been to a service there lately? Did you know that there are now two services on Sunday mornings-one at 9.00am and another at 11.00am. The earlier service is of a contemporary nature and lots of young families attend(also some oldies). The children go out to Sunday School during the service and they really look forward to the creative activities there. If you are looking for something more traditional the 11.00am service is the one for you. In-between services a cuppa is supplied, and a chance for the people from both services to meet and have a chat. **A friendly welcome awaits you at either service.** On Monday evenings from 7.30pm to 9.00pm a bible study takes place in the Church Hall. The study at the moment is on the gospel of Luke. There's lots of discussion and discoveries on how to apply what is learnt, to every day situations. This is open to anyone. If you want to know more about the services or the study you can telephone Sybil Winsor on 8280 7038.

Easter Services. Easter is of course a very important time on the Christian Calendar. We invite you to come along to all or any of the

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The One Tree Hill Uniting Church Fellowship extends an invitation to join us for Easter Devotions to be held in the church on **Wednesday 26th March** commencing with morning tea (Hot Cross Buns and a cuppa) at 10.30 a.m., followed by a service in the church, concluding around noon.

Fellowship meetings, which are open to both men and women, are held on the fourth Wednesday morning of each month. Further enquiries Phone 8280 7174 or 8280 7135.

Maunday Thursday March 27th at 7.00pm.

Easter Sunday March 30th. 6.00am. Dawn Service. Held in the open. - There's something special about watching the dawn rise on this day. Everyone is then ready for a Hot Cross Bun and a cuppa in the Church Hall

Easter Day Service of celebration 11.00am

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

We know men work twice as hard as women. That's because women get it right the first time!!! (contributed by Irene Peryman)

THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE WHO DONATED TO THE GRAPEVINE THIS MONTH.

Ruth and Dean Gibb

Brian and Barbara Hatcher

Sheila Lindop

Ross and Rosalind Baker

The Farrington Family

Alan and Anne Williams

Allan and Marlene Swinstead.

Liz and Jo Mount.

David and Meredith Parker.

Thank you very much! If anyone needs a receipt please let us know

and one can be arranged.

MORNING TEA GROUP

HELLO. It was good to see you again in March and catch up on what we had been doing over the holidays. On April 3rd we are having Karen Shepherd come and speak to us from the Breast X-ray Service about breast cancer and early detection. Breast cancer is not preventable, so early detection can prove to be life saving. One in 14 women in S.A. will develop breast cancer at some time in their life, knowledge is important. Other speakers this year include community police-drugs and our children, make your own brooch, (a small charge for craft pieces will apply here), aromatherapy, children and illnesses and product management displays. When we have confirmed dates for all of these we will print them in the Grapevine so you will know well in advance. Come along and have some fun and friendship, no matter what age. Remember the place-Uniting Church Hall, Black Top Rd, One Tree Hill. Time: first Thursday of every month, 9.30am-11.30am. Contact Sally, ph. 8280 7683, or Karen, ph. 8280 7011, for more information. P.S. All the Mums wish to thank Rural Watch for the wonderful night they organised with all of the Emergency Service vehicles. WELL DONE! - a great night was had by all.

YOUR MAYOR'S NEWS AND VIEWS

Dear Residents,

This is the last time I write to you as Mayor of the City of Munno Para-with your help, the next time will be as Mayor, City of Playford. It is a sad yet exciting time in the history of our city. Sad because the council area of Munno Para is only six years short of celebrating its 150th year of proclamation; and as most of you know that historic event took place in the One Tree Hill Inn in 1853. It's especially sad for me because I have presided over the last Council that will bear the proud name-Munno Para. And, it is a loss because it's my understanding that our city is the only city in the metropolitan area that bears a proud aboriginal name. However, sad as it all is, I invite you to join me and see out the City of Munno Para in style on Tuesday 8th April. I hope you will all come and commemorate the turning of a great page in history when the three Mayors of the City-John McVeity, Jo Gapper and myself- meet together at the last Council meeting. The meeting will commence at 7.30pm in the Council Chambers and following the closure of the necessary business of Council, you are invited to enjoy a few drinks and supper where we will be able to reminisce the passing of a great city that we have all helped develop. I look forward to seeing you there!

On another note, we have worked well together over the past 12 years to bring some outstanding achievements to One Tree Hill district. We have seen the construction and sealing of roads like Alexander Avenue, Crosshill Road, Kentish Road, Frank Barker Road, Craigmare/Medlow Road, part of Shillabeer Road (more

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**FOR MAYOR
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*Authorised by J Bebbington, 9 Rhodes Court,
Hillbank 5112*

shortly). Black Top Road, Yorktown Road junction was upgraded; and Council is currently looking at controlling access through Johnson Road and will consider other road improvements in the future. We also had the best CFS station in the State built and ensured that the area has the most modern appliances available for the volunteer crews to carry out their important work for One Tree Hill, Munno Para, throughout the State, and when required, interstate too! Council provides a hopper service (the only one of its type in the City) once a month to the area. Hopefully the One Tree Hill CFS will continue to oversee its operations, however, they spend many hours protecting life and property and they need your help to carry on their good work. I would suggest that when taking your rubbish to the hopper, a donation would go a long way to ensuring that they can carry on their outstanding services to both One Tree Hill and the broader community. Please support your local CFS Brigade - they provide a silent (well except when they are called upon in emergency situations) outstanding and necessary service that we would all be the poorer if it didn't exist; and certainly we would have major troubles replacing their dedication, efficiency and effectiveness. Council has also worked well with the Progress Association, Senior Citizens, Service Clubs, as well as sporting and other organisations to provide and improve many facilities throughout the One Tree Hill area. I look forward to working with Matthew Hayden over the next three years to ensure that One Tree Hill and all rural residents have fair and equal representation with urban residents in the City of Playford. Kind regards, Martin Lindsell.

ONE TREE HILL PLAYGROUP

When: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Time: 9.30-11.30 am

Place: One Tree Hill Institute, Blacktop Rd, One Tree Hill.

First visit free....Come and try! This is a great opportunity for young

children to socialize through play with other children, as well as a chance for carers to meet up with other carers in the area.

For more information about Playgroup at One Tree Hill please call either Sally on 8280 7683, or Vicki on 8280 7452.

WALK AGAINST WANT

The Annual walk took place on Sunday March 16th. It was a beautiful day for a walk and a number of One Tree Hill people walked in Gawler. There were lots of dogs as well as people enjoying the day. Jill McLatchie raised the most money for the ladies - thanks to a number of generous One Tree Hill sponsors! The finish was at Pioneer Park for a free sausage sizzle and fruit. Thanks to the branch of Community Aid Abroad at Gawler for organising this event and for sign posting the path so well (I didn't get lost this year!) Please everyone think about supporting this worthwhile charity. We have so much in this country compared to the needy in other places in the world.

ONE TREE HILL SCOUT GROUP

Firstly I'd like to thank all those who organised and ran the "Emergency Services" night. I've only heard good reports of the night and more than one comment on the line of "wish there were more community gatherings like that"! Thank you to all those who bought a tea or a coffee from the scouts, and who supported our garage sale. The scouts made approx. \$350 a good boost to their Jamboree fund. On the Jamboree we hope to have 14 scouts and one leader go from One Tree Hill. They are all in for a great time. On the subject of a great time the scouts have had plenty of these in the last month. Ask a certain O.T.H. pump shop owner how his night out with the scouts went!! The cubs too have been out and about visiting an ostrich and later an emu farm. With Easter I'm sure plenty of Easter Eggs will be found in the hall. Sadly, Jennie Goldsmith our Joey Scout Leader has had to resign due to poor health. A big thank you to Jennie for all she has done for our group, she will be missed. We now have a vacancy for a leader, so get some very rewarding community spirit and join a very happy team of people. We also have a few vacancies for youth members so come and give us a go! Joeys-Tuesday 7.00-8.00pm Cubs-Monday 7.00 -8.30pm. Scouts-Friday 7.00pm - 9.30pm. For more information ring Jenni Lewis 8280 7658

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

In response to the letter by Anne-Marie Claxton re the rubbish last month I rang NAWMA who said that they would come and clear up any areas that were a mess after their truck had been but they needed to be told about it. They also said they would make sure the recycling truck was covered. Have there been any improvements?-Ed.

ROTARY CLUB OF TORRENS VALLEY - WANTED

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NEWS FROM OUR EXCHANGE STUDENT ELLEN DUDGEON

Ellen has made several contributions to the Grapevine when she has talked about her life in her school in Wisconsin. Some of you may not have understood some of the references she has made to aspects of her culture. This month she explains some aspects further. Did you understand what "Homecoming" meant? This is a school function which is held once a year in October. It revolves around a football match with a rival school. It's not always the same school. There is a whole week of events, then the game followed by a bonfire and dance. The rival school don't participate in the events apart from the actual game, and quite a lot of anger can be shown by the losers. There is a parade with each class having a float, the High School Band plays and a King and Queen are chosen. There are also Pep rallies and the Cheer leaders perform. Did you understand what a "yearbook" was? This is like a school magazine. Anyone who wants to can be part of the yearbook staff. They do all the work for the magazine and write articles for it all year. There are usually about 20 students participating in this. The magazine comes out once a year. Did you ever wonder what a "twin nerd" would look like? A nerd is described as a person who is really smart but very clumsy. The guys wear glasses which are often broken and taped back together. Girls wear school uniform because they want to and carry briefcases. If you get someone to be your partner and dress the same as you -you become a twin nerd! (Thanks Ellen for this insight on American school life)

AUSTRALIAN TRUST FOR CONSERVATION VOLUNTEERS

The A.T.C.V. is concerned with re-vegetating selected areas in the suburbs with native species. Representatives of the Trust have been invited to the April Meeting of the One Tree Hill Progress Association to talk about seed collection, propagation, training days etc. If you have an interest in such matters come to the Institute on Thursday April 17th at 8.30 pm.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN ONE TREE HILL

Over the past few months I have been making enquiries about the possibility of re-routing a bus service to serve One Tree Hill.

The situation is that SERCO can not extend its boundaries without permission and there is quite a long process involved. To begin the process we have to demonstrate a definite need. To this end I have obtained a survey form designed to obtain the necessary information. I would be grateful if as many people as possible will complete the survey and return it to me so that I can take the matter further.

Please return the survey to me, Gordon Cooksey, C/O the Post Office, One Tree Hill by Friday April 11th. Thank you, Gordon Cooksey.

ONE TREE HILL GENERAL STORE - EASTER TRADING HOURS

Good Friday - CLOSED, Saturday - 10-4, Sunday - 10-4, Monday.....10-4. WE WON!!!!!! The One Tree Hill Shop Syndicate won \$9299.75 in Saturday X-Lotto!

ONE TREE HILL UNITING CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

ATTENTION-KIDS-BIG KIDS-LITTLE KIDS-GRANDMAS-GRANDPAS,FRIENDS! GETTING BORED WITH THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS? NOTHING TO DO? IF YOU ENJOY PUPPETS, STORY TELLING AND GOODIES TO EAT,COME AND SPEND AN HOUR OR SO AT THE ONE TREE HILL UNITING CHURCH, BLACKTOP ROAD FROM 11.00AM ON WEDNESDAY 23RD APRIL FOR A TIME OF ENTERTAINMENT AND FELLOWSHIP.....FREE! SEE YOU THERE.....ENQUIRIES 8280 7174 or 8280 7135

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to take part in the Rotary International Youth Exchange Programme for 1998 The selected student will go to an overseas country for a year, to be hosted by several families, attending school and taking part in family and community activities. Boys and girls are encouraged to apply SOON For further information contact Jim Dahl on 8280 7284.

CFS NEWS

Total Fire Ban Season 1st December 1996- 30th April 1997

Fire Ban Season: The fire ban season is continuing until 30th April 1997. This date can be extended by CFS Headquarters if the weather and ground conditions warrant it. If the date is to be extended I will notify you here in the Grapevine. The Fire Ban Season means no one is to have a fire in the open during this time. Residents in the township are reminded they are not to light fires at any time of year. This ruling comes under the Council's compliance with the Clean Air Act.

Emergency Services Evening-28th February: Thank you to everyone who came to the Emergency Services Evening held on 28th February and supported your local emergency services. There were plenty of informative and fun displays for all ages to enjoy. Congratulations to the prize winners of the CFS raffle, we hope you enjoy your prizes.

Bottles: Please leave any soft drink/beer/ wine bottles or cans on the concrete slab next to the small shed, behind the station at any time.

Hopper: The hopper continues to operate on the first Saturday of the month between the hours of 8.30am and 3.00pm(approx. - when the last bin is full we close). Please do not drop rubbish in the bins outside of these hours. Any rubbish left in the area after the hopper hours is left to rot until the next month- Keep One Tree Hill Beautiful! we can take any rubbish except for hard rubble and tyres.

There are also separate bins for metal and cardboard/paper. Please bring identification with you as it may be asked for. Please place donations for use of the hopper in the helmet. Information pamphlets: I have pamphlets on preparing your property for summer and smoke detectors. If you would like one of these or have any other RAPID plate or general enquiries please contact me at the station on Monday or Friday nights after 7.30 pm on 8280 7412. Dawn Leonard, Administrative Officer.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

The following people have stated they are Justices of the Peace and have indicated their willingness to be contacted by members of the community:-

Gary Ferguson - ph 8280 7781, Frederick Stokes-Thompson, 61 Williams Rd Gould Creek - Ph 8255 4557, George Justice - ph 8280 7614, Ross Woolford - ph 8280 7083, Terry Hemmings - ph 8280 7637, Michelle Turner - ph 8280 7157.

Are there any more to add to the list? Please let us know.

OTH PUBLIC TRANSPORT SURVEY

Please return to Gordon Cooksey, c/o PO One Tree Hill by Friday April 11.

1. What is your usual method of travel to: (Please tick one for each destination/purpose)

School/Uni/ TAFE etc	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐
Work	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐
Social Activities	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐
Sport & Recreation	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐
Medical	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐
Other (describe)	Car as passenger	☐	Car as driver	☐
	Taxi	☐	Bus	☐
	Walk	☐	Cycle	☐

2. Can you at present do all or part of any of these journeys using public transport? (Tick one)

Yes	☐
No	☐

If yes, please describe.....

.....

3. If public transport were available, for which of these journeys would you use it? (Tick where applicable)

School/Uni/TAFE	☐	Work	☐	Social Activities	☐
Sport & Recreation	☐	Medical	☐	Other	☐

4. How often would you use public transport if it were available? (Please tick one)

Every day	☐	1-2 times/month	☐	If 'Never', go to Question 7
3-5 days /week	☐	Occasionally	☐	
1-2 days/week	☐	Never	☐	

5. What is your usual destination for the following journeys? State the suburb in which it is located.

School/Uni/TAFE etc
 Work
 Shopping
 Sport & Recreation
 Social Activities (eg, visiting friends etc)
 Medical
 Other

6. Please fill in the following table to indicate on what day and at what times you would be likely to travel on public transport if it were available. Tick the appropriate boxes.

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
7-9am							
9am-3pm							
3-5pm							
5-7pm							
7-11pm							

7. If public transport were available, what would prevent you using it? (eg, frequency, length of journey, accessibility)

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8. Any other comments

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Please tick one only in each of the following questions.

9. I am:

Female ☐

Male ☐

10. I am:

An adult ☐

A school student ☐

A tertiary student ☐

11. My age is:

Under 15 ☐
 60+ ☐

15-24 ☐

25-44 ☐

45-59 ☐

12. Do you have a current driver's licence?

Yes ☐

No ☐

13. Do you have a private car available to you?

Yes ☐
 No ☐

If 'Yes', when?.....