

CUMMINS CONNECTION



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power of
humanity



CREATING CONNECTIONS

Free event for residents of
the District Council of Lower
Eyre Peninsula aged over 55.

We're back!
2022

Bookings Essential!
Please call the Council
Office on 08 86760400

'Wild Yarnbala'

Guided Tour in Coffin Bay

Tuesday 17th May

9am bus from Cummins
10am start in Coffin Bay

Tour includes:
guided bush walk,
exploring the orchard,
informative talks and
a musical performance



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THIS MONTH

EVENT



AUTUMN EXHIBITION

April 29th - 6pm to 9pm

April 30th - 9am to 5pm

May 1st - 9am to 3pm

Cummins Hall

As part of SALT Festival, the Cummins Stitchers will be presenting their Autumn Quilting Exhibition. Come and see their amazing creations during the last weekend of April, which involve a variety of techniques such as patchwork, quilting, crocheting and mosaics. The exhibition will have work from both group members and others. Gold coin donation entry.

COMMUNITY



KALAMAZOO MEETING

April 29th, 6 pm

Cummins Hotel

Got ideas that could help bring this iconic Cummins event back to life? Join us for an informal gathering at the Cummins Hotel and share your thoughts. Everyone is welcome, however if you can't attend but would still like to be involved, please contact cdec@dclep.sa.gov.au

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AUTHOR PANEL

May 1st - 2:30pm to 4pm

Cummins School Community Library

As part of the SALT Festival, in conjunction with Eyre Writers, the Library is delighted to be hosting an Author Panel. Join them as they welcome Meredith Appleyard, Catherine Evans, Helen van Rooijen & Diane Hester as they discuss their latest releases. RSVP to 8676 2476.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY



INDIVIDUAL EDUCATION & CULTURAL GRANT

District Council of Lower Eyre Peninsula

This opportunity is still available! People can apply for funding to help with costs associated with academic, music, art or cultural events or activities as part of Council's Individual Education & Cultural Grant.

- \$100 for events/activities held within South Australia
- \$500 for events/activities held Interstate
- \$1,000 for events/activities held Internationally

Contact Council by calling 8676 0400 or emailing mail@dclep.sa.gov.au to get further information.

WORDS FROM

THE COMMUNITY

Have you got news to tell the community? Maybe you'd just like to thank someone, write a little poem for everyone's enjoyment, or simply highlight the little things that make Cummins such a special place. Whatever it is you need to say, simply email it to cdec@dclep.sa.gov.au

THE RSL HALL

Heroes come here,
quiet men,
men who at 18 grew up fast
in a field of fire,
know it's possible
to go to hell and back,
never be the same again.

Heroes come here,
quiet men,
once warriors
who fought to order.
Fought again. And then again.
True freedom fighters;
they know about
the last ditch.

Heroes come here,
quiet men,
supporting each other without words.
Enough for them
to sit beside old mates,
have a beer, a coffee, watch a film.
Be tree.

Something special
lives within these walls,
speaks to you
if you listen with your heart
as the quiet men
play a game of pool.

Patricia M. Virgin

THE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP KALAMAZOO 2000 CLASSIC

Cummins is dead the 'Tizer said,
Alas, throughout the state 'twas read.
The photo showed not a soul in sight,
It must have been taken on Sunday night.

Something must be done, all decided,
We can't have our great town derided.
Ideas were born and thrown around,
Until a brilliant solution was found.

Something we'll do, is novel and new.
Let's have a race on our kalamazoo.
A committee was formed, and another was built.
Everyone was involved, right up to the hill.

The big day dawned, blue sky and sun,
The town was ready to have some fun.
People from everywhere flocked into town,
In buses, cars and some were even flown.

Stalls were set up, for food and for arts,
To show the outsiders we're folks of all parts.
The whistle was blown, the races began,
Some flew along faster than did the old Ghan.

Not only the men joined in the race,
The girls too showed they could keep up the pace.
One of the trikes seemed a bit slow,
Then a bright spark said, 'I'll make it go'.

I think it's the gears that are a bit stiff
We'll loosen them up, 'twill just take a jiff.
From his hip pocket he pulled out a beer,
This will loosen the jolly old gear.

Away it went, like a bat out of hell,
The lubricant was really working that well.
To former contestants 'twas really a mystery.
But the remedy now is part of our history

Last year again it was a great event,
With more attractions to supplement.
The crowds flocked again to join in the fun,
And a great day was voted by everyone.

We've showed the world Cummins is truly alive
And to that end we all of us strive.
Whatever the knocks we've had through the years,
Our close-knit community will none of it fear.

N. Puckridge - Cummins Writers (1999)

INTERESTED IN BRINGING KALAMAZOO BACK?
Join us for an informal meeting on April 29th, at 6pm, at the
Cummins Hotel

stottysbuilding.com.au



STOTTY'S BUILDING

**CALL KLINT
0439 339 407**

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CUMMINS CONNECTION

**INFO DUE
TUESDAY
MAY 24TH**

For planned distribution on
Tuesday May 31st.
Please send content to
cdec@dclep.sa.gov.au

Important:
From June onwards, we will only
be accepting files in digital format
(.word, .pdf, .jpg, or .png)
Thank you for understanding.

Cummins 'Reds' Reunion

*Come celebrate the last senior football
premiership from 30 (+1) years ago of the*

Cummins Football Club

*1991 B Grade Grand Final re-match
vs Ramblers*

May 21st 2022 @ Cummins Oval

*The red and white guernsey will be making an
appearance in the B Grade and will be auctioned off
that night. This is your chance to grab yourself a
fantastic piece of Roosters memorabilia!*

*Looking forward to seeing lots of
familiar faces 😊*

*Bring along your memories
and your 'Reds' gear for a great day out!*



***Cheers' boys here we
are the Roosters...***



CUMMINS SCHOOL COMMUNITY LIBRARY



IS ALWAYS OPEN ONLINE

EXPLORE OUR MANY ONLINE SERVICES
WWW.LIBRARIES.SA.GOV.AU/CUMMINS
PHONE US ON 86762476 FOR INFORMATION



Pre-school STEM programs running as 4 week sessions next term include:

Little Bang Discovery Club: Beginning Wed. May 11 at 10.00am for 4 weeks

Little Bang Discovery Plus (extension program): Wed. May 11 at 11.15am **FULL**

Little Bang Discovery Plus (extension program): Wed. June 15 at 11.15am



Please phone 86762476 to register as spaces are limited.

BABY BOUNCE AND NATURE PLAY

Baby Bounce is a 20 minute, rhyming, musical session, held in the Cummins Library on Friday mornings of term, at 9.30.

It is a relaxed, welcoming group, designed especially for babies, pre-schoolers and their caregivers to interact while enjoying nursery rhymes and songs.

The social and educational benefits are endless!

Nature Play begins at 10.00am on Fridays, offering a short, outside activity, followed by free play for pre-schoolers

and their caregivers. This takes place in the space adjacent to the Library carpark, and is a work-in-progress, with the aim being, to build together a sustainable, sensory garden, while enjoying the many benefits of play in our natural world.

Old clothes, hats and insect repellent recommended.

ADULT'S AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB



We invite you to join us on the first Thursday of each month at 2.30, to share your current reading, check out new releases to the library, while being inspired by other's recommendations.

Afternoon tea supplied.

Be Connected

Every Australian online.

DIGITAL ASSIST

Digital Assist is available on Thursdays between 2.30 - 4.30 by appointment. Phone 86762476 to make your reservation, and we will endeavor to help you. Please remember all your relevant information to accompany your device.



A: 19-21 Tumbay Bay Rd

P: 08 8676 2210

E: admin@cumminsmedical.com.au




University of Adelaide
Medical Student

We welcome our first placement of 6th Year Medical Students for 2022


Shanna Lee

She will be here from May 9th until June 5th.

If you see her around our lovely town, please say hello & help us to make her feel welcome



Upcoming Locum
Dr Willem Joubert
29 May to 4 June, 2022



PUBLIC & PRIVATE *influenza vaccine*
AVAILABLE NOW at
Lower Eyre Family Practice.
Ring the clinic for appointments on
8676 2210.
Or book online at
hotdoc.com.au

Please be Aware.
If you are attending the practice for any reason, masks are still a requirement of entry.



Please wear a mask before entering.

Coffin Bay Clinic
Dr Leanne Schroeder-Perrang
Tuesdays from 2pm
Dr Gerard Quigley
Wednesdays from 2pm
Please call 08 8676 2210
to secure an appointment or
go to
hotdoc.com.au



Ordering Repeat Scripts & Referrals Online
This is an easy convenient way to order repeat scripts & repeat referrals without the need for a Doctor's appointment.
A fee of \$20 applies for this service
Booking appointments
Choose your preferred Doctor for your preferred day, at your preferred location - Cummins or Coffin Bay
Go to hotdoc.com.au or download the app

WINTER SOCIAL BOWLS AT CUMMINS

Every Tuesday Starting Tuesday 10th May

Names in by 1pm for a 1.30pm start
2 games of 10 ends unless it's pouring with rain
Casual clothes.....\$5 a day entry fee

TRY OUR NEW
SYNTHETIC ALL
WEATHER GREEN
AT CUMMINS

WINNER'S JACKPOT

LOSER'S JACKPOT

To enter, contact Helen Mickan Mob 0427854476 before 1pm on the day.
Further information contact Helen.

CUMMINS SHOW AND
AG FAIR

SAVE THE
DATE

8 OCTOBER 2022



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CUMMINS AG SHOW

8 OCTOBER 2022



SPONSORSHIP AND PARTNERSHIP

As you may all be aware a vital part of show day running comes from the sponsorships we receive we would like to extend the following:

- Platinum sponsorship/partnership - \$2600
Includes Permanent advertising sign and space around the oval, Facebook posts of sponsorship, large listing on our sponsorship wall (inside pavilion) and a full page advertisement in show book.
- Gold sponsorship - \$550
Includes Facebook posts of sponsorship, listing on our sponsorship wall and a half page advertisement in the annual show book.
- Silver sponsorship - \$250
Includes Facebook posts of sponsorship, listing on our sponsorship wall and a small advertisement in the annual show book.
- Bronze sponsorship - \$150
Includes Facebook posts of sponsorship and listing on our sponsorship wall.



10 YEAR PLAN

Together, we have come up with a new 10-year plan to improve existing facility's and build new structures to further the use of the show grounds throughout the year as well as increasing the foot traffic come show day.

- Renovations to existing pavilion;
- New chickens and pigeons' enclosure;
- New quick shear and dual staged entertainment area;
- New Lead steer facilities and yards for livestock (increasing involvement with numerous schools);
- Lawned areas behind pavilion and on the oval;
- New watering system and large capacity tanks;
- Provided powered sites and camping grounds for trucks throughout the year;
- Improvements to the BMX tracks;
- New shelter for the team penners;
- More shelters around the grounds;
- Upgrades to roads surfaces and walking tracks around the grounds;
- Additional toilet and shower blocks

Please contact us on the below details for more information or to receive an invoice of sponsorship

CONTACT DETAILS

E: cumminsahs@gmail.com
P: 0447 921 662
PO Box 11 Cummins SA 5631



SAVE THE DATE!

SALT

FESTIVAL 2022

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Sunday May 1: 2.30 - 4.00

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