

CUMMINS

CONNECTION

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CUMMINS, SA
DECEMBER 2023

2023
Cummins
Christmas
Wonderland

OPEN

1ST – 28TH DECEMBER

10AM – 5PM

CHRISTMAS DAY

2 – 5PM

Santa Visits

16th Dec to 24th Dec

10am – 12pm and 2 – 4 pm

Cummins
Community Hall

GOLD COIN DONATION

Any Enquiries Please Contact

Grace Coombs 0408 832 127

THIS MONTH



Cummins Christmas MARKETS

*SUNDAY 3 December
10 am to 2:30 pm
Cummins-Yeelanna RSL
Hall*



Christmas Festival

*FRIDAY December 15
Street parade begins 6pm
Railway Triangle Park*

FIREWORKS on dark
Please restrain any pets to avoid stress for animals or their owners.

Christmas Church services

Catholic Church

Christmas Mass
Christmas Eve 24/12/23
6pm Elliston
9pm Cummins
Christmas Day 25/12/23
10am Tumby Bay

Uniting Church

7:30pm 24/12/23
Combined Christmas Eve service @ Yeelanna
25/12/23
No Service for Cummins and Yeelanna

Church of England

7:30pm 24 December
Christmas Eve service only

St Paul's Lutheran Church

7:30pm Christmas Eve
10:30am Christmas Day



Stay up to date with all the events in Cummins! Scan the QR code to explore!



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

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Thank you

WE WISH TO THANK EVERYONE WHO CALLED, SENT FLOWERS, SUPPLIED FOOD AND MESSAGED CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF OUR DEAR MUM & NANNA FLOWER, EDNA DAHLITZ. THE CARE THAT EDNA HAS RECIEVED OVER THE PAST YEARS FROM BOTH THE STAFF AND DOCTORS OF MIROMA & THE CUMMINS HOSPITAL HAS BEEN TRULY AMAZING. AS EDNA SAID IN HER EULOGY "LIVING IN A SMALL AND CARING COMMUNITY HAS BEEN A TRUE BENEFIT TO ME, FOR MY HEALTH."

Mick, Fiona & Family

CDEC has received a request to include a "Hatched, Matched & Despatched" segment in the monthly Cummins Connection. This is offered in 2024. If you have any family notices to share with the community then please provide details. One photograph is welcome.

CUMMINS CONNECTION

INFO DUE

24 January 2024

Please note:

NO Connection in January

For planned distribution on
31 January 2024

Please send content to
cdec@dclep.sa.gov.au
or scan the QR code to submit via
our website.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE...

CUMMINS CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

**THE ANNUAL CUMMINS CHRISTMAS
FESTIVAL STARTS AT 6PM WITH:**

A STREET PARADE

**FOLLOWED BY FOOD TO PURCHASE &
FREE ENTERTAINMENT AT THE RAILWAY
TRIANGLE PARK AND... FIREWORKS!!!**

BYO chair or picnic rugs & drinks (no glass).

Please clean up all your rubbish.



Parade participants gather from 5.45pm
near cnr Railway Tce & Tumby Rd (by
Bascombe AutoAg).

Kids riding in the parade, meet our
Christmas Festival volunteer near the
kindy train and register your name so you
have a number to wear for judging for
best decorated bike or scooter.

www.facebook.com/cumminschristmasfestival

Cummins District
Community Bank® Branch
 Bendigo Bank

Cummins Christian
Community Presents

Cummins Community Carols

Sunday, Dec. 17 2023
Railway Triangle

Pre-show entertainment from 6.45pm
Carols commence at 8pm

We encourage you to BYO chairs,
picnic, drinks and festive cheer!

**Donations gratefully accepted on the night for the
CAS Chaplaincy Committee's Breakfast Program**



HOSTED BY CUMMINS CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE



**HI EVERYONE,
YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US ONCE AGAIN FOR ANOTHER
ECUMENICAL CHRISTMAS GET TOGETHER WITH DEVONSHIRE
"MORNING TEA" @ \$5 /HEAD AND FELLOWSHIP.**



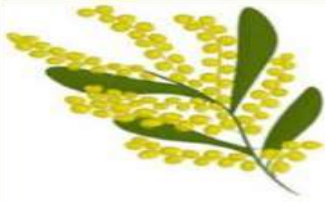
**TO BE HELD AT THE CUMMINS HOTEL
AT 10AM ON WEDNESDAY, DEC 6TH 2023**



**WE HOPE YOU CAN JOIN US FOR THIS GATHERING!
DONATIONS TOWARDS CENTACARE, PT LINCOLN FOR CHRISTMAS
HAMPERS WILL BE COLLECTED ON THE DAY.**



**PLEASE RSVP BY MON 4TH DECEMBER WITH NO'S ATTENDING: -
TO MARG PHELPS 0429130553
OR MARG.PHELPS@BIGPOND.COM**



CUMMINS COMMUNITY
OP SHOP

**The Op Shop will close at
4 pm Friday**

22nd December 2023

**and will reopen
10 am Tuesday**

16th January 2024



Christmas

trading hours

Monday 25 December – Closed

Tuesday 26 December – Closed

Wednesday 27 December – 9.30am to 4.30pm

Thursday 28 December – 9.30am to 4.30pm

Friday 29 December – 9.30am to 4.30pm

Saturday 30 January – Closed

Sunday 31 January – Closed

Monday 1 January – Closed

Tuesday 2 January – 9.30am – 4.30pm

bendigobank.com.au



CUMMINS SCHOOL COMMUNITY LIBRARY



✉ cummins.library@libraries.sa.gov.au

🌐 www.libraries.sa.gov.au/cummins

☎ 86762476

📱 Follow us on Facebook or Instagram 📷



Baby Bounce at Miroma Place

Friday Dec. 8 @9.30am

It is with much excitement that we return to Miroma Place for our last Baby Bounce of 2023!

Looking forward to singing songs and rhymes with the residents and our Baby Bounce families.



Cummins School Community Library

School Holiday Opening Times

Monday: CLOSED
 Tuesday: 9.00am-5.00pm
 Wednesday: 9.00am-5.00pm
 Thursday: 9.00am-6.00pm
 Friday: 9.00am-5.00pm
 Saturday: 9.00am-12 Noon
 Sunday: CLOSED
 (Lunch Daily: Closed @ 1.30-2.30)

MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

Wishing everyone a safe and happy festive season, with much appreciation for your ongoing support.

Please note: we will be **CLOSED** from Fri. December 22 @5.00pm, re-opening Tues. Jan. 2 at 9.00am

School Holiday Opening Times: effective as of Monday 18 December.

We will have a large range of puzzles, board games and self paced activities available... feel free to call in with your family, enjoy the space, plus a tea or coffee!

Borrow e-books through Borrowbox. Free with your library card.



Borrow ebooks, audiobooks & magazines

Libby.
The library reading app



Reminder: The Library is always open online!

Access these free Library apps for all your ebook, audiobook and emagazines- available to download with only your library card details required!

Contact the library for more information...some great holiday reads available!

Have you seen the orange ribbons and the orange ladies around Cummins and Tumbly Bay?

The Zonta Club of Lower Eyre “oranging the towns” to promote the world wide “Zonta Says No to Violence Against Women” campaign to raise awareness about gender-based violence during the 16 Days of Activism which began on 25 November.

ZONTA SAYS NO TO VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN



Zonta seeks to build a better world for women and girls. During the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence, all Zonta clubs around the world take part in the

Zonta Says NO to Violence Against Women campaign.

Each club takes local, national and international actions to influence the making and implementation of laws, as well as changing gender-based attitudes and behaviors to end violence against women.

Be part of a world-wide movement

During the **16 Days of Activism** wear an Orange ribbon to raise awareness about gender-based violence, to challenge discriminatory attitudes and call for improved laws and service to end violence against women for good.

For more information visit - | www.zontasaysno.com
Visit us on Facebook – Zonta Club of Lower Eyre





What's New At

A: 19-21 Tumbay Bay Rd

P: 08 8676 2210

E: admin@cumminsmedical.com.au



Thank you

To Bendigo Bank and Carrs' Seeds for their participation in our pilot program for Heart Health Check workplace visits.

Your participation helps us to learn and develop progressive ways to provide valuable preventative health programs to our community.

We invite all Cummins businesses to enquire about a workplace visit for heart health checks.



SHINGLES

From Nov 1st the Adult National Immunisation Program for Shingles vaccination is changing.

Eligible groups will now include:

- Adults aged 65+
- ATSI adults aged 50+
- Immunocompromised adults aged 18+ (specific conditions apply)

NB: Adults who have received the Zostavax vaccine within the last 5 years cannot be vaccinated under the new schedule with Shingrix vaccine.

Please enquire with a Clinic Nurse if you have questions regarding your eligibility.

Upcoming Locum

Dr Willem Joubert

24 Dec, 2023 to 6 Jan, 2024

New XBB.1.5 Covid-19 Vaccine

We expect to have stock late December



Enquiries welcome but we will not take bookings until we receive the vaccine

Lower Eyre Family Practice

Hours of Business over the Christmas and New Year period

Monday, December 25th, 2023~Closed

Tuesday, December 26th 2023~Closed

Wednesday, December 27th 2023

Thursday, December 28th 2023

Friday, December 29th 2023

830am-5pm

Monday, January 1st 2024 ~Closed

For Emergencies and After Hours Care, 7 days a week, please call the Cummins and Districts Memorial Hospital

08 8676 0200



Welcome

Registrars Dr Gabrielle Coard and Dr Isaac Taylor will join Lower Eyre Family Practice in 2024.

We are very excited to welcome them to our team and know Cummins community, will ensure they are made to feel at home.

Gabrielle trained at the University of Adelaide. She first came to the Eyre Peninsula during her fourth year of medical school and loved it so much she returned to complete her fifth year in Port Lincoln. She has been working at the Port Lincoln Hospital for the past two years and is excited to commence her GP training in Cummins. In her spare time she enjoys crocheting, pottery and woodwork.



Isaac grew up on the Eyre Peninsula down at Fishery Bay. He completed his training at the University of Adelaide and has always had an interest in rural medicine. He has been working at the Port Lincoln Hospital for the past two years and is excited to undergo his GP training at Cummins. He enjoys surfing and spending time in the garden.

COMMUNITY BANK - CUMMINS DISTRICT
PROUDLY PRESENT THE

Community Wishing Tree



ARE YOU ABLE TO PROVIDE A GIFT, OR
FOOD FOR SOMEONE LESS FORTUNATE
THAN YOU THIS CHRISTMAS?

WE INVITE YOU TO COME AND PLACE
YOUR ITEMS UNDER OUR TREE
LOCATED AT 18 RAILWAY TERRACE,
CUMMINS FROM MONDAY 27TH
NOVEMBER 2023.

ALL DONATIONS MUST BE BRAND
NEW, UNWRAPPED AND
NEED TO BE RECEIVED BY
MONDAY 11TH DECEMBER 2023.

DONATIONS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED
TO FAMILIES IN NEED THROUGH
WEST COAST YOUTH &
COMMUNITY SUPPORT IN OUR
WIDER COMMUNITY.

West Coast
**YOUTH AND
COMMUNITY**
Support

Community Bank
Cummins District

 Bendigo Bank



Light It Up Cummins

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL LIGHTS COMPETITION

ADD SOME SPARKLE TO CUMMINS THIS
FESTIVE SEASON!

DECORATE YOUR HOME WITH CHRISTMAS
LIGHTS AND DECORATIONS, ENSURE YOUR
LIGHTS ARE TURNED ON FOR JUDGING ON
WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER 2023.

ENTRY TO THIS COMPETITION IS **FREE!**

REGISTER YOUR OWN HOME, OR
NOMINATIONS WELCOMED -
CONTACT AMANDA - 0439 851 744 OR
CUMMINSBP@OUTLOOK.COM.AU

1ST PRIZE - \$250

2ND PRIZE - \$150

3RD PRIZE - \$100

PEOPLE'S CHOICE - \$150

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Cummins District

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At
Christmas Wonderland
 Visit
Santa 's Workshop
 & Create

Reindeer Crowns!



PreSchool

Foam Santas!



5 to 7 years

Wooden Panel Trees!



8 to 10 years

Santa's Workshop will be open from the 16th to the 22nd of December
 from 10am until 12 pm

4 half hour supervised sessions for 12 children per session

10 to 10.30 10.30 to 11.00 11.00 to 11.30 11.30 to 12.00

4x preschoolers

4x 5-7 year olds

4x 8-10 year olds

Cost \$2 per activity

Book early by email or text msg to avoid disappointment!

Contact: Josie Hall

Email: Hebbers10@hotmail.com

Phone: 0428766044

Please provide: Name

Age

Day and Session time



Merry Christmas



Coffin Bay Tourism Association

PRESENTS

*Christmas on the
Bay*



DECEMBER

22

FREE EVENT!



*Food Vendors
Available*

Register your float!

Face Painting
from 4.30pm

Bouncy Castle
from 5.00pm

Pageant
6.00pm

Music



Coffinbaychristmas@gmail.com



Coffin Bay- Christmas on the bay



**YOU'RE
INVITED**

**Community Bank
Cummins District**

Annual General Meeting

Come along to our Annual General Meeting.

When Monday 4 December 2023

Time 7:30pm

Where Cummins Hotel - Conference Room

**RSVP by Thursday 30 November 2023
to Ingrid - cdfs@live.com.au**

 **Bendigo Bank**


Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178, AFSL/Australian Credit Licence 237879
OUT_32477666, 24/10/2023



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 0428 823 308



Cummins Lions Club

- Christmas Puddings
- Christmas Cakes
- small individual puddings

Available for sale at the Cummins Op Shop



CREATE OR DECORATE A TREE
FOR YOUR FRONT YARD AND REGISTER IT
WITH US TO CREATE THE COFFIN BAY

CHRISTMAS TREE TRAIL 2023



Coffinbaychristmas@gmail.com



Coffin Bay- Christmas on the bay



Don't forget to tag
#CoffinBayTreeTrail



HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

The CDEC Office will be closed from Friday 22 December and will be open again on 3 January 2024.



Cummins District Enterprise Committee wish you all a
safe and enjoyable Christmas 2023



Community Bank
Cummins District

Need help with the costs of study?

Applications are invited from eligible students who require assistance with educational costs in 2024.

Applications open Monday 1 January 2024, and close on Wednesday 31 January 2024.

bendigobank.com.au/scholarships

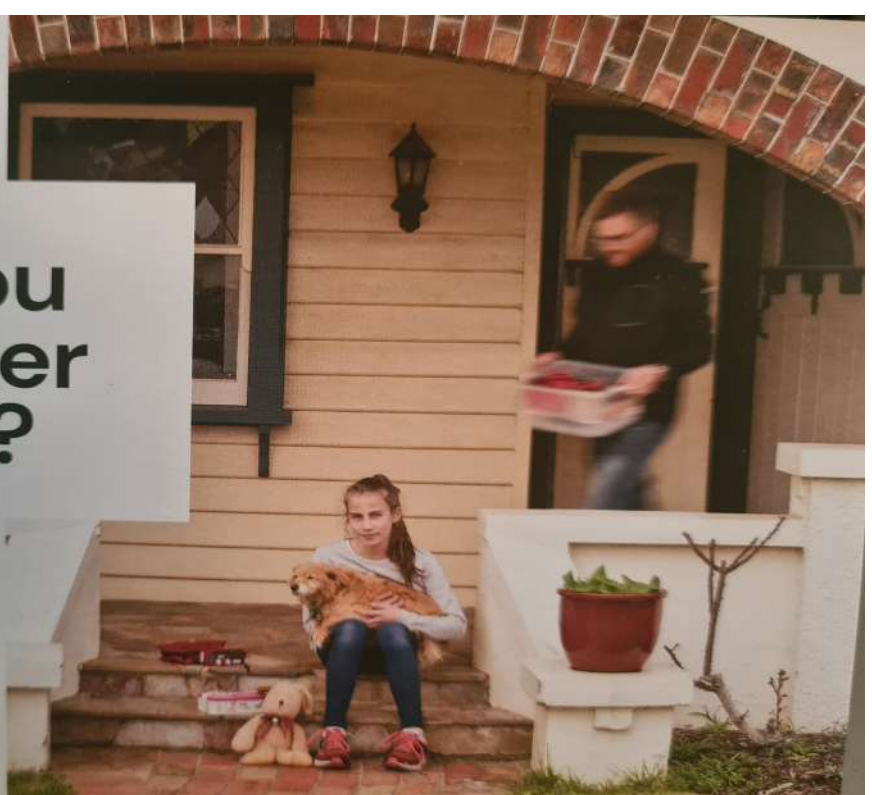


Community Enterprise
Foundation™

Community Bank Scholarships will be funded from management accounts of the Community Enterprise Charitable Fund ABN 12 102 649 968 (the Fund), The Bendigo Centre, Bendigo VIC 3550. Sandhurst Trustees Limited ABN 16 004 030 737 AFSL 237906, a subsidiary of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178, AFSL 237879, is the trustee of the Fund. OUT_33262209, 25/11/2023



Are you disaster ready?



Who would you go to for help in an emergency?

Emergencies can strike at any time and can have major effects. Red Cross has four simple steps to help you plan for emergencies.



Get in the know. Find out about the risks you face through reliable sources.



Get connected. Being connected to neighbours and people in your community means you can help each other during emergencies.



Get organised. Think about the practical things you can do now to get prepared and create an emergency plan.



Get packing. Pack an emergency kit in case you need to leave home quickly.

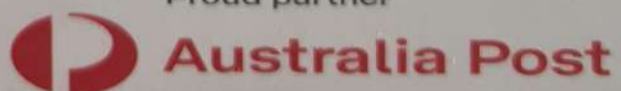
Visit redcross.org.au/prepare or scan the QR code to find out more and make your emergency plan.



Red Cross and Australia Post are working together to deliver essential information to help Australians prepare for disasters.



Proud partner





GROW YOU GOOD THING

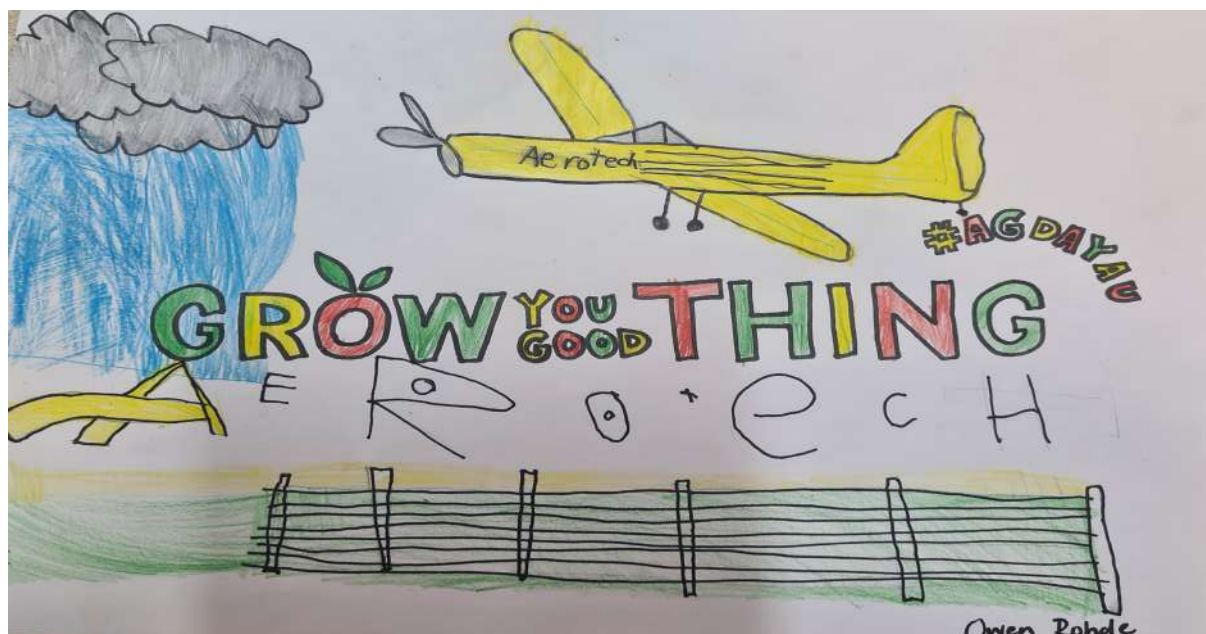
#AGDAYAU



AgDay 2023

17 November

In celebrating AG Day 2023 the students at Cummins Area School have placed posters in many businesses around Cummins. Congratulations to the student artists, and the staff at the school for organising this recognition.



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AGRICULTURAL & INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY

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WSB Invites Cummins Farmers to Grow With Us!

So, why Cummins? Well, it's simple. WSB sees the unique challenges that farmers face in this region, and with our range of global brands and expertise we are here to be your reliable partner in getting the best from your farm. We are stepping into this vibrant agricultural community with 85 years of experience under our belt across South Australia and the Northern Territory. We understand the diverse needs of farmers.

What sets WSB Distributors apart? It's not just about the years behind us; it's about the years ahead, working with farmers to achieve success. Our extensive range of products is designed to offer tailored solutions, by not only resolving issues but also capitalising on and maximising the strengths of the Eyre Peninsula's farming landscape.

From state-of-the-art technology to essential agricultural supplies, our shelves are stocked with everything your farm needs to thrive. We don't believe in a one-size-fits-all approach because we understand that each farm has its own story and challenges and we're here to empower you with the right resources. From cutting-edge technology to tried-and-true agricultural essentials, WSB can help you with what exactly what your farm needs.

Our staff aren't just experts in their field; they're also deeply connected to the communities they live and work in. We know that farming isn't just a job; it's a way of life. That's why we've carefully selected our team for not only their skills and expertise but also for their love of rural community life. And for our new staff, stepping into Cummins has been more than just joining a company – it's been about becoming part of a welcoming community. For our new team members, joining WSB Distributors isn't just about employment; it's about becoming a part of the community of Cummins.

Head into WSB Distributors and let us show you what 85 years of experience can do for your farm. We're not just here to sell products; we're here to build lasting relationships and help your farm thrive.

With first class global brands and local expertise on the Eyre Peninsula, WSB has all you need to grow.



www.wsb.com.au





ALL ARE WELCOME

Join us Farewell Service

7TH JAN '24

On **Sunday 7th January**, there will be a combined Parish service (Cummins & Tumby Bay Lutheran Churches), **10am** at **Cummins Lutheran Church** to **farewell Pastor Peter Klemm and family**.
To be followed by a **shared lunch**.

Community members are invited to attend either or both events.

PIZZA & PASTA NIGHT

Hosted by
St Paul's Lutheran Church Cummins

FRI 5TH JAN 2024
6PM-9PM
@ CUMMINS LUTHERAN
CHURCH HALL

No charge. BYO drinks. Cans of soft drink for sale \$2.
Donations gratefully accepted but don't let empty
pockets keep you away!

*We have a farewell Sunday church service on 7th
Jan for Pastor Peter Klemm and family. However
this is also another opportunity to farewell them.*

****Special Mention - A big thank you to Cummins
Butcher and Five Loaves Bakery for supporting our
last Pizza night in October and supplying many of
our ingredients at cost price or donation.**



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Children under 10 must be supervised by an adult within arm's reach in the water.
2. Parents/caregivers determine supervision for 10-14 year olds based on maturity and swimming ability.
3. No running, rough play, or causing harm to others.
4. No alcohol, drugs, smoking, or vaping allowed. No individual who is under the influence of alcohol or drugs is allowed in the facility.
5. Clear the pool immediately during lightning or severe weather.
6. Clean bathing suits and bodies before entering the pool.
7. No spitting, blowing noses, or urinating in the pool.
8. Animals are not allowed. Penalty \$100.
9. No pool toys.
10. Diving only in designated areas, no bombers or somersaults.
11. Respectful behaviour required, no harassment or discrimination tolerated.
12. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

Please follow these rules for a safe and enjoyable pool experience. Non-compliance may result in removal without refund.

ROYAL LIFESAVING & HOLIDAY SWIM

Jodi Mikan - 0419 829 759
www.holidayswim.com.au

POOL HIRE

All hiring and bookings are to be made with Melinda Dickinson on 0428 762 491.

- Any organisation or person may hire the pool.
- A \$150 hiring fee is payable for the exclusive use of the pool which covers all attending and use of pool BBQ.
- An extra \$60 hiring fee is payable for use of the kitchen/canteen area.
- There must be a supervisor appointed who holds a current CPR or first aid certificate in attendance. The certificate must be provided together with Proof of Public Liability cover.
- Hours available to hire are 10AM - 1.30PM weekends and from 6.15PM - 11PM any evening.

HIRE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.

AQUAFITZ

Splash into fitness with group fitness classes. AquaFitz is held in both shallow and deep ends of the pool and classes are catered to all levels of fitness and swimming abilities.

The 45 minute classes are a fun and social way of getting moving this summer. Please contact our AUSTSWIM certified Aqua Instructor, Hayley Fitzgerald on 0400 660 882 or visit AquaFitz on Facebook.



Cummins and District War Memorial Swimming Pool

MEMBERSHIP FORM

LAST NAME / FIRST NAME

DOB

D D M M Y Y

PHONE NUMBER

EMAIL ADDRESS

EMERGENCY CONTACT

PLEASE PROVIDE TWO CONTACTS

NAMES & DOB OF FAMILY MEMBERS

FULL MEMBERSHIP

Single

Family

HOLIDAY MEMBERSHIP

Single

Family

ROYAL LIFE PROGRAM

Single

Family

DONATION \$

TOTAL AMOUNT \$

Are you willing to assist the Pool Committee with working bees and fundraising events? Please

SIGNATURE

PRICING & PAYMENT OPTIONS

FULL MEMBERSHIP:

Immediate family ONLY including students (Uni or VET)

SINGLE \$125

FAMILY: \$250

HOLIDAY MEMBERSHIP:

SINGLE: \$60

FAMILY: \$120

ROYAL LIFE SAVING HOLIDAY SWIM PROGRAM

Covers swimmers for the duration of Royal Life Saving Holiday Swim Program only.

SINGLE: \$35

FAMILY: \$80

NON - MEMBER ENTRY:

ADULT: \$10

STUDENT: \$6

FAMILY: \$30

KIDS 3 YEARS AND UNDER: FREE

YOU ARE NOT A MEMBER UNTIL YOU HAVE PAID.

CASUAL RATE APPLIES UNTIL SUCH TIME AS PAYMENT AND REGISTRATION FORM ARE RECEIVED.

Membership payments may be posted to:

Cummins District War Memorial Swimming Pool

Attention - The Treasurer

PO Box 143

CUMMINS 5631

Payments can also be made at the pool addressed to 'The Treasurer' in a sealed envelope or by EFT.

Cummins District War Memorial Swimming Pool

BSB - 633 000

Account number - 115 125 296

Reference - your family name

If you wish to discuss payment options, please contact the Treasurer Paige Minhard on 0409 476 664 or at cumminsswimmingtreasurer@outlook.com

OPENING TIMES

WEEKDAYS: 4.00PM - 6.00PM

WEEKENDS & SCHOOL HOLIDAYS: 2.00PM - 6.00PM

Closed public holidays unless otherwise advertised.

Available for private hire on Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day and Australia Day.

Pool closed any day where forecast temperature is less than 22°. On days of extreme heat, the pool may stay open longer or re-open at 7.00PM at the Pool Supervisor's discretion. Visit Facebook or contact the committee before 6.00PM to confirm.

PLEASE NOTE: DUE TO SIGNIFICANT STRUCTURAL ISSUES THE TODDLER POOL IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

LAP SWIMMING (MEMBERS ONLY): 6.30AM - 10.00AM

EVENING SWIMMING (MEMBERS ONLY): 6.30PM - 8.00PM

Contact the Lap Swimming Coordinator Catherine Ford - 0427 763 051 for any members (at least 16 years old) wanting to lap swim at the morning or evening swimming sessions. Lap swimmers are required to contact a buddy of their intentions to go swimming before entering the pool and on exit of swimming to ensure the users water safety.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR:

- running canteen on weeknights and weekends
- supervising
- helping at fundraisers

Volunteering helps keep the cost of membership low.



\$1.88M POOL REDEVELOPMENT

The Cummins and District War Memorial Swimming Pool is now open for the 2023/24 season. However for the pool to remain functional beyond this season, a \$1.88m redevelopment is being planned.

A significant part of the redevelopment is raising the money needed for this to happen. [Did you know that the Cummins pool is a community pool run by a volunteer committee?](#) There is also now a redevelopment committee, working alongside the operational committee, to source the funding that is needed to secure the future of the pool and manage the redevelopment process.

We are thankful to so far have been successful in the following funding:

- \$50,000 from the Lower Eyre Council
- \$250,000 from the Cummins Community Hotel
- \$5,000 from the Unity Op Shop
- \$5,000 from a Nutrien Ag Grant through FRRR
- \$2,500 from the IGA Community Chest

We have other grants pending notification and also plan to soon have a tax-deductible donation program that anyone can donate to. Please keep an eye out for that if you think you can donate to this.



WHAT ARE THE REDEVELOPMENT PLANS?

To keep the pool operational for this regional community, aquatic construction specialists have developed a plan to upgrade pipe, drainage and filtration systems, replace gutters, grates and pool lining and repair corrosion.

In addition to this essential work to keep the pool operational, we are looking to improve accessibility by replacing the defunct toddler pool with a splash pad, removing the lip of each pool, and building an access ramp for the 25m pool.

Works will start in April 2024 if sufficient funding is raised by then.

If you or your business can donate to the redevelopment, including through in-kind goods and services, please reach out to one of the redevelopment committee members or email us at redvelopment_CDWMSP@outlook.com.

[Kirsty Fox](#), [Heather Norton](#), [Katrina Phelps](#), [Amy Fuss](#), [Bryce Breed](#), [Emma Gale](#), [Jo-Anne Quigley](#).

