

CUMMINS CONNECTION



Kalamazoo 2023?

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED NOW!



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225	JUNE 2022

THIS MONTH

EVENT



SWAN SANCTUARY CAFE AND CHOCOLATE SHOP

June 14th

9am bus from Cummins

As part of the Creating Connections initiative, residents aged over 55 are invited to this free event. Join us for a tour of the property, scones, and a hot cup of tea or coffee. Bookings are essential, check out page 14 for more information.

COMMUNITY



WONDERLAND AGM

June 27th, 7:30pm

Cummins Hall Supper Room

Got ideas that could help make this iconic Cummins event even better? Join us at our AGM meeting and share your thoughts. Everyone is welcome, however if you can't attend but would still like to be involved, please contact the Wonderland via their Facebook page.



THIS MONTH

COMMUNITY



KALAMAZOO MEETING

June 24th, 6 pm

Cummins Hall Supper Room

Help us bring this beloved event back to Cummins! We still need some more volunteers to cover jobs big and small, so can the “can-do” town make this event happen again? See page 5 for more information, or contact Wendy on 0439 870 066.

EVENT



SOCKS & SANDALS NIGHT

June 10th - From 9pm

Cummins Hotel

Controversial fashion faux-pas or statement combination? Either way, it is guaranteed to be comfy. Rock those socks and sandals and welcome winter in style with live music from Caravan Messiah, from 9pm ‘til late.

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 cumminsconnection@gmail.com

CUMMINS CONNECTION

***INFO DUE
TUESDAY
JUNE 21st***

For planned distribution on
Tuesday June 28th.

NEW EMAIL ADDRESS!
Please send content to
cumminsconnection@gmail.com

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

YELLOW FRESH

a flat warm sky
hovers
this morning
and the wakening sea
creeps
to the ruled horizon

a citrus smile
of premature sun
gilds
water swirls, silent,
yet scarred
by seagull chatter,
vague murmurs of unseen traffic,
motor-boat clatter

this morning,
passionless,
the now lazing sea
may soon unleash
bi-polar swings
tuned
to wind
and lowering cloud,
'black dog days'
of myth and mystery

but this morning I taste
battered air,
salt, astringent,
the tang
of oysters, lemon dressed

this morning
I walk
on the rim of the sun
tickled
by champagne froth
and breathe
the colour yellow

Patricia M. Virgin

KALAMAZOO RACE DAY COME BACK



There is a genuine interest in bringing back the Kalamazoo race, but for that to happen we need helpers. The plan is for a community event in April 2023.

Getting a kalamazoo pumping on the track needs team work, so if you are excited by the idea of some good ol' fashioned fun with a modern day twist then join the committee to help make the event happen.

If we don't get enough support our small committee won't proceed as we need volunteers to run the day.

Jobs big and small involving:

- Race Gang.
- Administration.
- Facilities.
- Other drawcard events.
- Entertainment.
- Media liaison.
- Sponsorship.
- Publicity.
- Catering.
- Safety Officer.

If you know you can help then please contact Wendy on 0439870066 to register your interest.

Our committee of 6 are meeting **Friday 24th June at 6pm at Cummins Hotel.**

No interest by end of June 2022, no event in April 2023 !

INTRODUCING...

KATIE FITZGERALD

The Cummins & District Enterprise Committee would like to welcome our new Community Project Officer, Katie Fitzgerald, and wish her all the best in her new role.

Find Katie at the Cummins Hall on Mondays and Tuesdays from 9am to 2pm.



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Cummins Bowling Club



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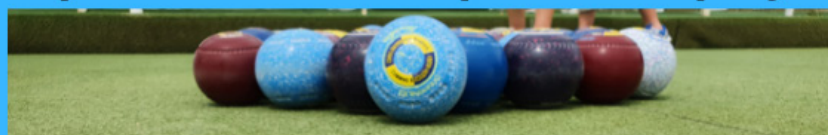
Come and join our Bowls Club.

Our club can help you ease into your first year by :-

***Free Coaching**

***Bowls maybe provided if required**

***1/2 price membership for new players**



**For further information or to add your name please contact
Secretary Trish Clarke 0427867620 President Ross Mickan 0427762550
by 8th August 2022**

LET'S PARTY!

PERFECT ALL WEATHER VENUE

CUMMINS GYMNASTICS CLUB PARTY HIRE PACKAGE

- 2hr session
- \$150 for 12 kids
- Extra kids \$7 each
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BOOKINGS

Contact Alisha on 0428 759 857 or email us at cumminsgymclub@hotmail.com



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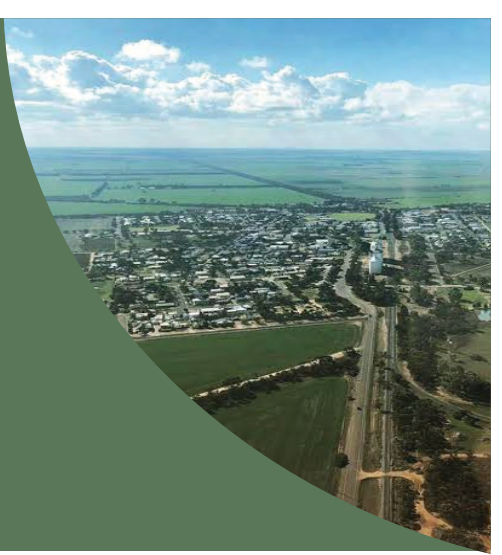
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111TH ANNUAL

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 sheer 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

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN SUPPORTING OUR LOCAL ANNUAL COUNTRY SHOW?

Do you belong to the 'can do' community where the Cummins and district make things happen to keep our community alive?

Following two years where the Cummins A & H Society were not able to hold their Annual Show due to the Coronavirus restrictions which affected the whole world, we held our AGM earlier than usual, in December 2021, to start planning again. We have a young, enthusiastic committee, and with community support we will be holding the Annual Cummins Show again on Saturday, 9th October 2022. Brad Cooper was elected President, Michael Traeger Vice President, and Angie McGeever, from Port Lincoln, accepted the Secretary role. However, **we need community help to support our new active committee.**

WILL THE CUMMINS SHOW STILL BE A 'SHOW' WITHOUT AN INDOOR SECTION IN OUR PAVILION?

This includes displays of Garden Produce, Preserves, Cookery, Pot Plants Blooms & Floral Art, Needlework & Sewing, Handicrafts & Hobbies, Scrapbooking & Papercraft, Art, Photography, and more importantly, the Children's Section, where our PreSchool and School Children love to enter their colourful items to show their proud parents and community what they are capable of making.

The Show Auxiliary Committee which has always co-ordinated the Indoor Section of the Show in the Pavilion, requires a Pavilion Co-ordinator to make sure each section has a Head Steward to organise the classes in that section. This also means a Steward/s to help them, organise a judge and sponsors for gifts/ vouchers in that section. Pam Darling, past President, and Joyleen Pedler, past Secretary, have held this position for a number of years, and due to relocating to another district, or travelling and other interests, they have resigned from their position.

The Show Committee are looking for a new Pavilion Co-ordinator and also Head Stewards in the Cookery, Flowers, Needlework, Photography (Adults and Children) and the Children's Cookery Sections. The Show Auxiliary Committee, a sub-committee to the Show, called a meeting in early March to re-plan the Indoor Section for this year, but unfortunately there was a low attendance and some resignations were received from previous Head Stewards. It was an informal meeting, but there were still plenty of positive thoughts for our next Cummins Show.

**ACTION
NEEDS
TO BE TAKEN
NOW!**



HOW CAN **YOU** HELP?

If you're interested in being the Indoor Section Pavilion Co-ordinator, Head Steward, or assisting anywhere with the Cummins Show, please call Brad Cooper 0427 311 981 or Angie McGeever 0447 921 662.

Pam or Joyleen would also willingly give advice of the past for a new Co-ordinator or Head Steward.

Brad Cooper
President Cummins A & H Society



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Cummins Rambler Netball Club *75th Anniversary celebrations*

FRIDAY JULY 1 - 6PM FOR 6:30PM

3-COURSE DINNER AT THE CLUBROOMS

GUEST SPEAKERS, FASHION PARADE, CAKE CUTTING

TICKET \$50 INCLUDES 75-YEAR WINE GLASS OR FLUTE

DRESS: NEAT CASUAL

SATURDAY JULY 2 - MATCH DAY AT CUMMINS

MARQUEE BY THE NETBALL COURTS

CHEESE BOARDS AND CHAMPAGNE

HERITAGE UNIFORMS AND MEMORABILIA ON DISPLAY

TEA AND PRESENTATIONS BACK AT THE CLUB

RSVP for the dinner by Friday June 10 to Jodi Mickan on 0419 829 759

Please advise any special dietary requirements

Please pre-pay for tickets

Rambler Netball Club

BSB: 633-000 A/C: 112 233 564

Ref: Name/75 dinner

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CREATING CONNECTIONS



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

Bookings Essential!
Please call the Council
Office on 08 86760400

Swan Sanctuary Cafe and chocolate shop

Tuesday 14th June
9am bus from Cummins or
10am meet in Coomunga

Join us for a tour of
the property, scones
with jam and cream,
and hot cup of
tea or coffee





A: 19-21 Tumby Bay Rd

P: 08 8676 2210

E: admin@cumminsmedical.com.au



We listened to you... and we are improving patient care

At Lower Eyre Family Practice we carried out a patient survey (the Practice Accreditation and Improvement Survey) and asked for your honest opinions on the service we provide. We listened to your concerns and have taken the following actions in order to make improvements to patient care, where you feel it would be most useful:

What you told us	What we have done
1. We could improve the ability for patients to see Doctor or Nurse of choice.	We have been fortunate to recruit Doctor Schroeder-Perrang, to work alongside Dr Quigley and will continue attempting to recruit another Doctor, in order to offer more options and therefore access, for our patient base, to see their Doctor of choice, in a timely manner.
2. We could improve on updating patients on expected waiting time spent prior to appointment if there are delays	Our reception staff and clinical staff will be communicating more closely with each other when delays occur, so that patients are able to be updated as to how long the delay may be & have the option to reschedule if this goes beyond their ability to wait. We will also try to offer them an appointment with an alternative clinician if their schedule allows & the patient is willing.
3. We could improve on opportunities for patients to speak to a Clinician on the telephone.	We have introduced telehealth both via telephone and video, so patients are now able to schedule a time with their Doctor and utilise one of these options if they prefer.



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ADULT'S AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB

Our Adult Book Club will be meeting Thursday June 2 at 2.30, where we will be discussing our last read from the mystery genre. Feel free to join us in this informal setting, with next month's theme plus the name of book club, to be revealed. You're sure to be inspired by others recommendations plus new releases to the library.



Afternoon tea supplied. All welcome.



beingdigital



Looking to learn more about using social media safely and securely?

This month's 'being digital' theme will be just for you!

Make your appointment on Thursday afternoons between 2.30-4.30 and we can show you some social media basics or endeavour to help with your digital queries.

Phone 86762476 for more details.

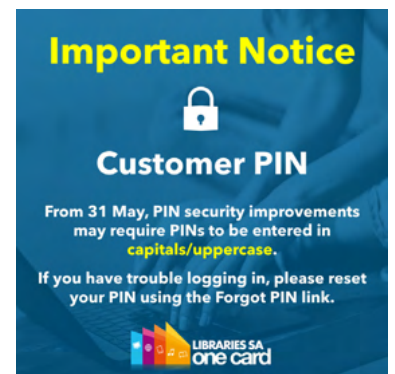


CHANGES TO PIN SECURITY

From May 31, important security measures are being implemented to protect your account.

Current PINs that are alphanumeric may now become case sensitive.

If you have any issues logging in to our online services please contact us or try resetting your PIN on the Forgot PIN link



BOOK DELIVERY SERVICE:

Do you live in township of Cummins but have difficulty accessing the Library?

We are happy to deliver to you!

On the last Thursday of each month we can deliver either your books on hold or a selection of genres/titles of your choice.

Phone us on 86762476 to register your interest.

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JUNE

2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Men's Shed 9am-4pm Mosaic Group 10:30am @ Cummins Hall Social Bowls 1pm	Stitching Ladies 9:30am @ Cummins Hall	Men's Shed 9am-4pm	Baby Bounce 9:30am-10am Nature Play 10am	
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		Creating Connections 9am Men's Shed 9am-4pm Mosaic Group 10:30am @ Cummins Hall Social Bowls 1pm	Stitching Ladies 9:30am @ Cummins Hall	Men's Shed 9am-4pm	Baby Bounce 9:30am-10am Nature Play 10am	Saturday Night Live Music @ Cummins Hotel - Bonkers
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Men's Shed 9am-4pm Mosaic Group 10:30am @ Cummins Hall Social Bowls 1pm	Stitching Ladies 9:30am @ Cummins Hall	Men's Shed 9am-4pm	Baby Bounce 9:30am-10am Nature Play 10am Kalamazoo Meeting - 6pm	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Christmas Wonderland AGM 7:30 @ Cummins Hall Supper Room	Men's Shed 9am-4pm Mosaic Group 10:30am @ Cummins Hall Social Bowls 1pm	Stitching Ladies 9:30am @ Cummins Hall	Men's Shed 9am-4pm		
26	27	28	29	30		

IT'S THE MOST

WONDERFUL TIME

OF THE YEAR

(AND WITH YOUR HELP, WE CAN MAKE IT EVEN MORE WONDERFUL!)

THE CUMMINS CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND COMMITTEE IS A DEDICATED GROUP OF VOLUNTEERS WHO WORK HARD TO PUT AN EVENT TOGETHER THAT BRINGS JOY TO ALL LOCALS AND VISITORS.

THE WONDERLAND PROVIDES A CREATIVE OUTLET FOR VOLUNTEERS OF ALL AGES, LEVELS, AND SKILLS; SO IF YOU ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT SPREADING THE MAGIC OF THE FESTIVE SEASON, AND HAVE IDEAS AND SUGGESTIONS THAT CAN HELP TAKE OUR EVENT TO THE NEXT LEVEL, WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU AT OUR AGM.

JOIN US ON MONDAY JUNE 27TH, AT 7:30PM,
AT THE CUMMINS HALL SUPPER ROOM.

