

# MT ROUSE NEWS & VIEWS



## A Project of the Penshurst Mens Shed Inc

### A reminder of a simple life and how to hang out in the summer in Penshurst.

We have a lot of wonderful birds and other wildlife in and around the town. With the tribes of magpies that keep the corellas under control, to this group of ibis and swans who spent the warm season enjoying the food and rest available just outside Yatmerone Wildlife Reserve. Usually this part of the swamp pretty much disappears each year, but this past year it remained, much to the joy of these birds, ducks and moorhens who lived in the long grasses at its edge. It will be interesting to see what next year brings. What is your favourite location in Penshurst?

If a friend came to visit for the first time, where would you take them?



Photographer: Thomas Cooke

## Riddles

1. What type of music do rabbits listen to?
2. I am the beginning of the end of time and space that surrounds everything and every place. What am I?
3. You throw away the outside to cook the inside. Then you eat the outside and throw away the inside. What am I?
4. How do you spell cow in 13 letters?
5. Which motor vehicle is spelled the same forward and backwards?
6. What happens when frogs park illegally?
7. I have branches, but no fruit, trunk or leaves. What am I?

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Mark Dalla Costa – Secretary  
Tom Cooke - Vice President  
Josh Hewitt - Treasurer  
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**Next Meeting: 28th July 2021 7.30pm in the Supper Room, Penshurst Hall.**

Good afternoon, everyone. It's raining again. The clothes are wet on the line, smoke drifts from the chimney, I am enjoying collating the newsletter as usual, and Tom is watching TV. A typical Saturday when its wet, you might say. Things are quiet in the land of the Progress Association, as we wait and watch for grant application approvals, finding out what the Council will actually be doing/supplying/building in Penshurst during the coming financial year, and thanking them for the finance for the October, and hopefully December, events that are quietly being planned. So let me flip on one of my other hats and tell you about September.

Tom and I are hosting a Photography Competition, run along the lines of the Art Show we have in March. We even have some international entries, bought to us through Tom's pen pals around the world, and our Facebook sites. Mark the 18th & 19th September into your diary and come to visit, and certainly enter your photographs. If you are like me, it will be in the Happy Snaps section, but it's still great fun. For more information, the website is [www.penshurstphotographycompetition.com.au](http://www.penshurstphotographycompetition.com.au) You can download an entry form there, or ring me and we'll send you one.



Flipping back to PPA - We have to thank the Shire Council for a number of things this financial year.

There's the signage down at the Gardens, the upgrade to the Amenities Block there (the Council has actually gone for a grant to improve that site even more!!), an investment in our project to restore and increase of the Heritage Signs around the town, and the money for the events. The Hall got new heaters

for the Supper Room .. which we are enjoying. The PCAi (Art/Photography shows) received a grant to build more stands and upgrade the ones we already have. And then there are other groups around town who have benefited from funds made available to purchase new mowers, and upgrade buildings etc. Sometimes its good for us to take a moment and remember to say thank you, particularly when we are feeling tested by trying circumstances.

COVID still hovers around us, challenging our autonomy and sense of safety. My household has had its first dose of the vaccine, with very few symptoms, thank heavens. In the decades that follow, hopefully we will look back at this time as one when we learned who we truly are and what we were capable of accepting, even when we felt challenged beyond our limits. A friend once reminded me 'who do you become' when life is a challenge?

Each fortnight I sit and read what I wrote in the last PPA column, and wonder what I will write for the current one. Two things come to mind right now .. What images would you like for murals in the town and on the Mount? How about some of the birdlife from Yatmerone? And what movie would you like for the October 'Dinner & a Movie' night? I was thinking something funny like 'Blazing Saddles'. There was a suggestion of the movie the town made for the 150th celebration? Do we want a drama? The feast and film are being paid for by the Council .. its up to us to choose.

Have great fortnight and be safe,  
Ama Cooke Chairperson



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**MEDIA RELEASE**

SOUTHERN GRAMPPIANS SHIRE COUNCIL

21 JUNE 2021 **HELP SHAPE OUR DOMESTIC ANIMAL MANAGEMENT PLAN**

Council are seeking feedback from the Southern Grampians community to help shape our Domestic Animal Management Plan (DAMP), which sets out how we manage dogs and cats in the Shire over the next four years.

Under the Domestic Animals Act 1994, every Victorian local government must prepare a plan outlining how it will manage dogs and cats within its municipal boundaries.

The Plan aims to promote responsible pet ownership and the welfare of cats and dogs in the community, while protecting the community and environment from nuisance cats and dogs. The Plan will help us balance the needs of pet owners with the needs of the whole community.

Local Laws Team Leader Jason Barker said community input was vital to developing a relevant and valuable Plan. "Council recognises the value of pet ownership, the importance of pet welfare and the overall benefit for community health and wellbeing that comes with owning a pet. We also acknowledge the importance of protecting the community and the environment from nuisance dogs and cats. The DAMP aims to help us enhance our communication, education and awareness of the initiatives being conducted by Council in relation to domestic animals and our management of them so we really encourage the community, particularly those who own pets or work with animals, to get involved in this process and let us know their thoughts," Barker said.

Some of the key initiatives Council proposes to roll out over the next four years include:

- Enhancing the Shire's communication and education strategy seeking compliance of responsible pet ownership
- Conducting activities to increase rates of desexing and microchipping to improve reunion rates and reduce the number of unclaimed pets
- Continuing to enhance the Shire's animal management services and facilities.
- Raising community awareness about feral and semi-owned cat populations and seeking improved compliance with confinement.

Residents are encouraged to complete the survey, available at [www.sthgrampians.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay](http://www.sthgrampians.vic.gov.au/haveyoursay) to share their ideas on the Domestic Animal Management Plan.

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"Always remember, a cat looks down on man, a dog looks up to man, but a pig will look man right in the eye and see his equal. "

**Winston Churchill**

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## A PAGE TO SHARE RECIPES

## Cheesy beef goulash bake

Prep Time 10 mins - Cooking Time 50 mins

## INGREDIENTS - 6 servings

2 tbsp olive oil	3 cups chicken stock
500g beef mince	1 large sprig fresh rosemary
1/4 cup tomato paste	2 dried bay leaves
2 tbsp paprika	250 g dried rigatoni pasta
1/3 cup red wine	1 cup grated 3 cheese blend
400 g can chopped tomatoes	Fresh Italian parsley leaves to serve

## METHOD

**Step 1** Preheat the oven to 180/160 fan forced. Lightly grease a 20 x 30cm baking dish.

**Step 2** Heat the oil in a large frying pan over high heat. Add the mince and cook, breaking up lumps with a wooden spoon, for 5 minutes or until the mince changes colour. Add the tomato paste and cook, stirring, for 1 minute to coat. Stir in the paprika for 30 seconds.

**Step 3** Add the wine to the pan and simmer for 2 minutes or until reduced slightly. Add the tomato, stock, rosemary and bay leaves. Season. Pour half the mixture into the prepared dish. Stir in the dried pasta and then pour in the remaining tomato mixture. Sprinkle with cheese and bake for 30-40 minutes or until the cheese is golden and the pasta is tender. Stand for 5 minutes before serving. Sprinkle with fresh parsley.



“The trouble with eating Italian food is that five or six days later you're hungry again. “

**George Miller**

“There is absolutely no one, apart from yourself, who can prevent you, in the middle of the night, from sneaking down to tidy up the edges of that hunk of cheese at the back of the fridge. “

**Boris Johnson**

“The poets have been mysteriously silent on the subject of cheese.“

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## Continuing with the history of our town and Region

With thanks to the author, Philip Doherty, of the Mt Rouse and District Historical Society for providing this article. We hope the many new residents to Peshurst enjoy learning about their adopted town's history.

### PENSHURST RECREATION RESERVE HISTORY

Also at the February meeting H. J. Olle resigned as chairman owing to his hearing being defective (not surprising as he had been chairman for the past twenty nine years – he'd heard it all!)

In 1929 the Football Club was charged five pounds which included some back fees. Mr. E. Davies was appointed caretaker at one pound per annum, perhaps he should have been appointed debt collector, for at the October meeting of the Trustees the Athletic and Football Clubs were given ten days to furnish their balance sheets for all matches held during the year or the Trustees threatened that Section 199 of the Land Act would be taken up (legal action).

Grazing lease funds for 1929 brought in seven pound twelve shillings.

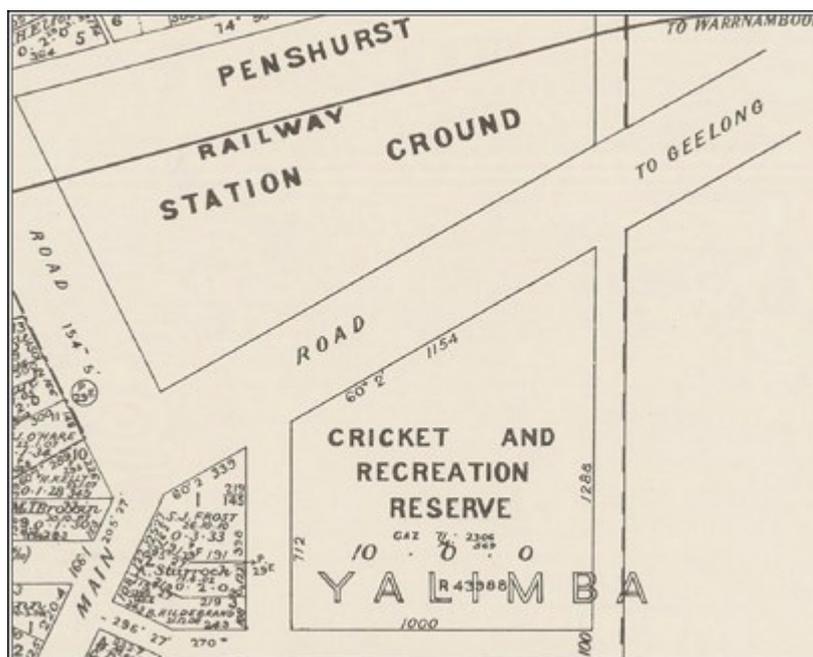
The Trustee Secretary reported at the March 1930 meeting that no reply had been received from either the Athletic or Football clubs and no balance sheets had been forwarded. It looked like the clubs called the Trustees bluff but the Trustees didn't hold a grudge as the Football Club was granted the use of the Reserve at the fee of three pounds – to be paid in advance.

The Trustee Secretary later reported that G. Collins, Football Club Secretary, had paid the three pounds. A. W. Kelly was again granted grazing rights at ten pounds per annum with no cattle or horses allowed.

In 1931 with the Great Depression raging the Football Club was being charged fifteen shillings per game – six games in advance. At

the July meeting a letter was received from Hugh Lewis applying for the position of caretaker. Additionally a letter was received from the Football Club that cattle and horses be kept off the reserve grounds and the ground be improved if possible as they were very bad to play football on.

The Trustees replied that there was no money available to fix the ground but they would fix the gates to stop the cattle and horses from foraging. Hugh Lewis was appointed caretaker at twenty shillings per annum. Grazing rent had dropped to six pounds.



## Community Meetings

### Caramut & District Garden Club

- 2nd Tuesday monthly at 10 am. See Garden Notes for venue.

### Penshurst Hospital

- Combined Churches service 3rd Tuesday every month in W.J. Lewis wing at 11 am.
- Penshurst Hospital Ladies Auxiliary, 3rd Tuesday each month, Sheppard Room 1.30 pm.
- Residents, Relatives & Carers group, Tuesday bi-monthly, 1:30 pm.

### Mt Rouse & District Historical Society

- Courthouse open 1st Saturday each month 9.30 am to 12.30 pm.
- Meeting 4th Sunday in January, March, May, July, September and November, 2pm at the Court House. Phone 557 12145.

### Friends Yatmerone Reserve

- Meeting 2nd Tuesday every second month, commencing February 2021 at Volcano Centre 7.30 pm. New members welcome.

### Lions Club of Penshurst & District

- 1st & 3rd Tuesday each month at 8 pm at RSL Hall, Ritchie Street.  
penshurstlions@gmail.com

### Penshurst Bowls Club

- Pennant Season (October - February) meets 1st Thursday at 7.30pm Alaister 0427 555 973
- Off Season 1st Tuesday at 7.30pm.

### Penshurst Pony Club Rally

- 1st Sunday each month. Phone Jenni 0409 962 969

### Penshurst Senior Citizens

- meet last Tuesday monthly, 4 pm at club rooms in Bell Street.



### AmbulanceVictoria

The Penshurst Branch is staffed by local Ambulance Community Officers (ACOs).

Ambulance Victoria is regularly looking for local ACOs. If you are interested in becoming an ACO or would like further information, please email [penshurst.teamleader@ambulance.vic.gov.au](mailto:penshurst.teamleader@ambulance.vic.gov.au)

- Novelty Bingo, last Tuesday of month Feb - Nov at 2.15 pm.
- Cards & social afternoon, 2nd Wednesday monthly at 2pm
- Book Club, 2nd Tuesday each month at Senior Citizen club rooms. 2.00pm

### RSL Penshurst

- meets 1st Thursday of February, April, July & October at 6.30 pm at RSL Hall, Ritchie Street.

## Penshurst Church Services

### Bethlehem Lutheran Church Tabor

Service every Sunday 10.00am

### Penshurst Anglican Church

4pm Mass 4th Sunday each month

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### St Andrew's Uniting Church Penshurst

2nd & 4th Sunday

11am Service

### St Joseph's Catholic Church Penshurst

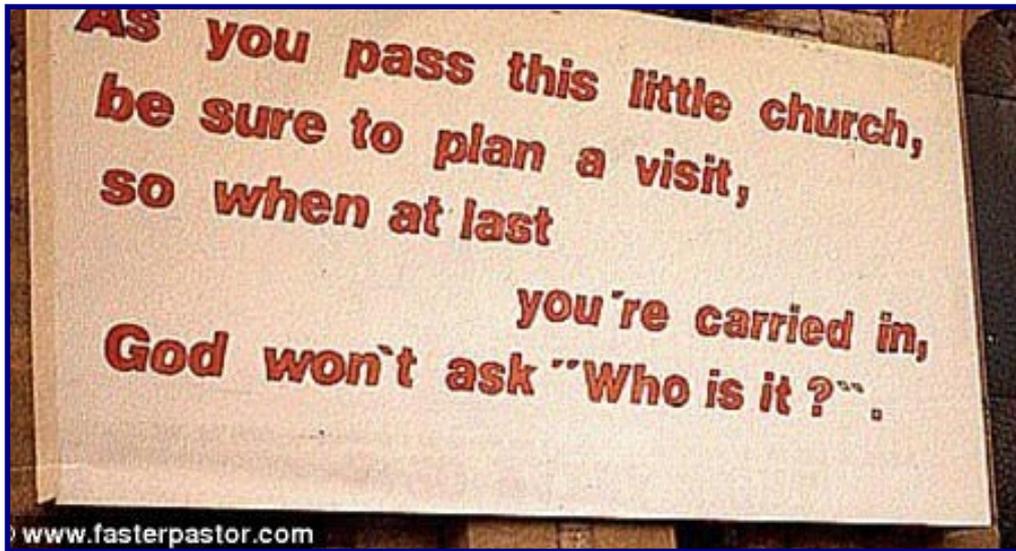
1st Sunday No Service

2nd Sunday Mass 8.30am

3rd Sunday Lay Service 8.30am

4th Sunday Mass 8.30am

5th Sunday Mass 8.30am



## Around the Churches

### A Happier Turtle

Today's story begins in Central Park, New York. Central Park is really BIG. Like, it has its own zoo! My informant was ambling through when they came across a turtle. Not so unusual, but the odd thing was that this turtle was a long way from where it should have been.

Sadly, it was going the wrong way and trying valiantly to climb some steps which was a futile and misguided endeavour.

The passerby watched the struggle for some time, not really quite knowing what should be done. They weren't a qualified vet and the turtle wasn't exactly forthcoming with a home address or a mobile phone number. Still an email was sent to an authority later in the day and hopefully Tommy / Trina was rescued by an appropriate person.

A few things to draw out of this wildlife adventure.

Sometimes it feels like we are the turtle. We stumble and fumble and whilst we are convinced we are going the right way for the right reason, we are hideously lost and it takes an outsider to put us back on the right path.

Sometimes we are the passerby and we can miss the cue or think the situation is beyond us. Maybe when we come across a 'turtle,' we are exactly the right person, in the right place, at the right time.

It is difficult to discern whether we are the turtle or fixer upper. The reality is that we flit quickly from one to the other and the trick is to know which one we are and when.

Finally, it's OK to kick something upstairs to a specialist. I didn't do this often enough in my early days. Now I kick things 'sideways' or 'upstairs' at every opportunity and I am a much happier turtle for it.

**Fr. David Oulton - [droulton72@gmail.com](mailto:droulton72@gmail.com)**

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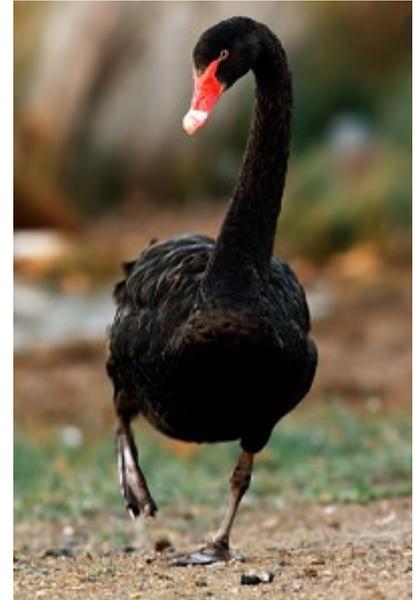
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**Answers to Riddles:** 1. Hip Hop, 2. letter 'e', 3. a corn cob, 4. see o double you, 5. racerar, 6. they get toad, 7. a bank.

A Page for the Children to enjoy

The **black swan** (*Cygnus atratus*) is a large waterbird, a species of swan which breeds mainly in the southeast and southwest regions of Australia. Within Australia, the black swan is nomadic, with erratic migration patterns dependent upon climatic conditions. It is a large bird with mostly black plumage and a red bill. It is a monogamous breeder, with both partners sharing incubation and cygnet-rearing duties. Described scientifically by English naturalist John Latham in 1790, the black swan was formerly placed into a monotypic genus, *Chenopsis*. Black swans can be found singly, or in loose companies numbering into the hundreds or even thousands. Black swans are mostly black-feathered birds, with white flight feathers. The bill is bright red, with a pale bar and tip; and legs and feet are greyish-black. Cobs (males) are slightly larger than pens (females), with a longer and straighter bill. Cygnets (immature

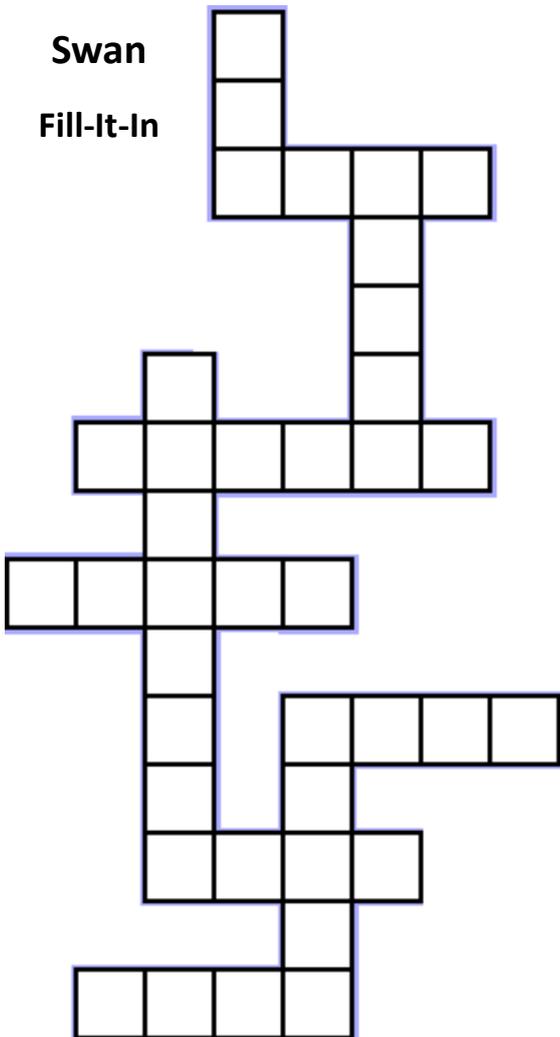


birds) are a greyish-brown with pale-edged feathers. Mature black swans measure between 110 and 142 centimetres in length and weigh 3.7–9 kilograms. Their wing span is between 1.6 and 2 metres. The neck is long (relatively the longest neck among the swans) and curved in an "S"-shape. The black swan utters a musical and far reaching bugle-like sound, called either on the water or in

flight, as well as a range of softer crooning notes. It can also whistle, especially when disturbed while breeding and nesting. When swimming, black swans hold their necks arched or erect and often carry their feathers or wings raised in an aggressive display. In flight, a wedge of black swans will form as a line or a V, with the individual birds flying strongly with undulating long necks, making whistling sounds with their wings and baying, bugling or trumpeting calls.

Swan

Fill-It-In



Fit these words that describe a swan into the frame here:

- Down
- White
- Webbed
- Water
- Beak
- Swan
- Neck
- Feathers
- Black
- Red



## PENSHURST MENS SHED

### We are Open

The Penshurst Mens Shed has reopened and will be open every Wednesday and Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm

New members welcome

Newsletter: If you have any stories you would like to share events, stories and ideas, please contact Mark or Ama by phone or email.

Mark Dalla Costa

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Ama Cooke 0402 870 738

### Penshurst's Website

Have you visited the Penshurst website yet?

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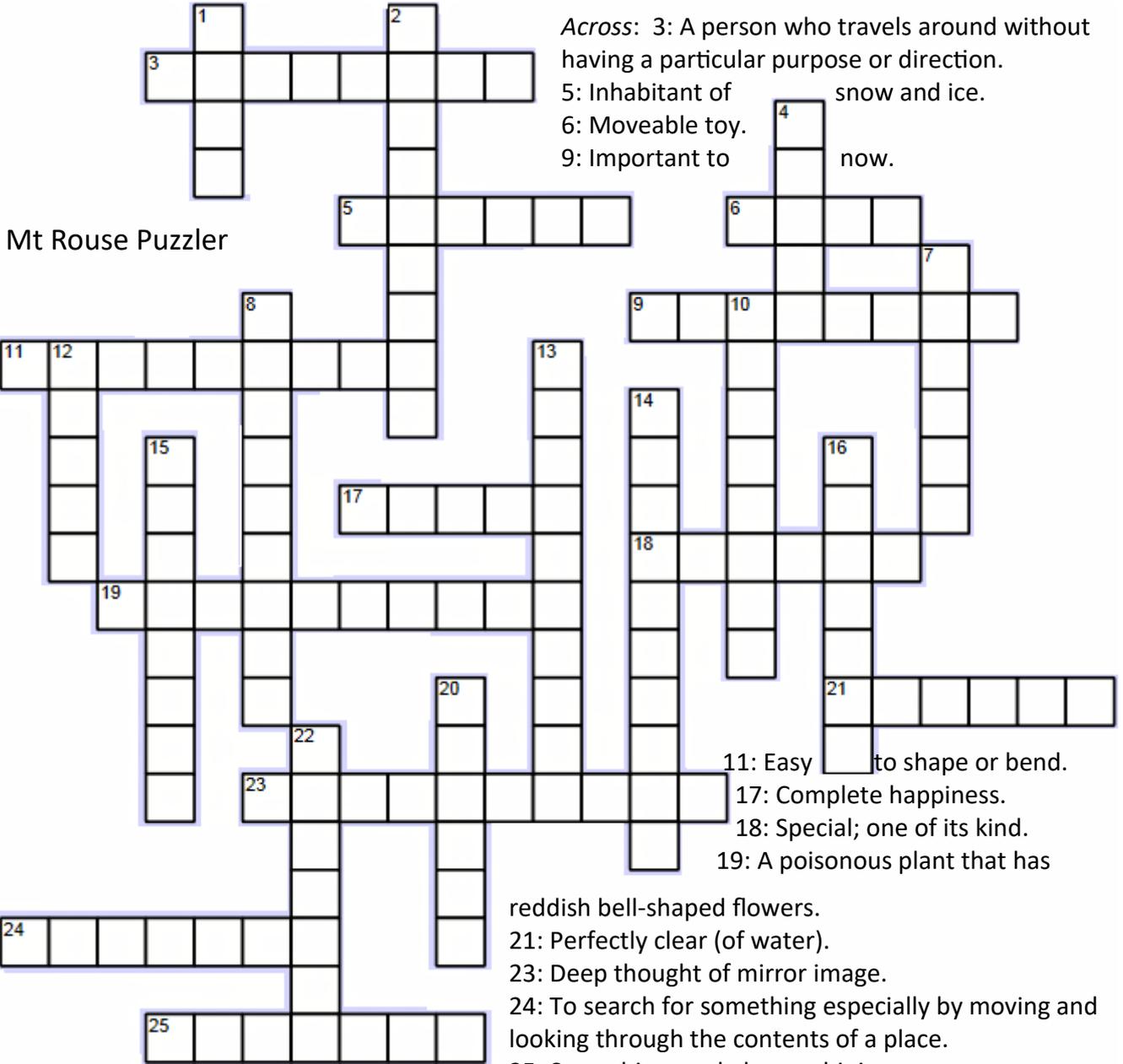
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Mt Rouse Puzzler

Across: 3: A person who travels around without having a particular purpose or direction.  
 5: Inhabitant of snow and ice.  
 6: Moveable toy.  
 9: Important to now.

11: Easy to shape or bend.  
 17: Complete happiness.  
 18: Special; one of its kind.  
 19: A poisonous plant that has

reddish bell-shaped flowers.  
 21: Perfectly clear (of water).  
 23: Deep thought of mirror image.  
 24: To search for something especially by moving and looking through the contents of a place.  
 25: Something made by combining two or more ingredients.

Down: 1: Couch potato.  
 2: A car that combines the features of an SUV, an MPV and a saloon.  
 4: A hard substance that comes from the ground and issued for building, carving, etc.  
 7: Put energy and time into something.  
 8: Because of a quality or skill that a person or animal is born with.  
 10: A person who speaks several languages.

12: The first letter of the Greek alphabet.  
 13: A worker in an oil field, at a circus, etc., whose job requires strength but little skill.  
 14: The work that a person does.  
 15: A plant for remembering.  
 16: To break (something) into small pieces.  
 20: A long essay or dissertation  
 22: Earned, not automatic, for helping others.

Across: 3 broad, 5 pyramid, 7 minute, 9 consult, 10 lead, 13 praise, 15 overlook, 16 fair, 18 clip, 20 discount. Down: 1 object, 2 row, 4 wind, 6 resilient, 8 desert, 11 project, 12 contract, 14 entrance, 17 refuse, 19 fine.



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# Birthday Bugs Story-craft

**Thursday 1st July**

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**Session 1 - 10.30am**

**Session 2 - 2.00pm**



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PENSHURST RECREATION RESERVE HISTORY

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With the Depression ongoing the Football Club was charged ten shillings per match in 1932 – a fifty per cent reduction on last year's rate. Mr. Kelly was asked to place a good number of sheep on the Reserve to eat the grass down as it was considered too long for the use of patrons.

The Trustees decided to place another lock on the door of the shed as the former lock had been smashed off by tramps (swagmen). I can still remember a swagman camping in the old Rotunda at the back of the Reserve in 1960 when I was a young boy.

During 1932 a cycling club asked permission to grade and level a track around the outside of the oval.

In 1933 fees were set at the previous year's level but with times getting tougher the Football Club asked for a reduction of two shillings and sixpence per game. The Trustees said no.

Mr. Lewis was asked to cut back the limbs in Large's corner (near the scoreboard). The pines that the Trustees planted back in the 1800's were clearly doing well.



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If you are interested in a public screening being organised please contact Jo Vigliaturo CFA 0408544670 or Joanne.Vigliaturo@cfa.vic.gov.au or Richard Benson, Penshurst Brigade at richard.benson@members.cfa.vic.gov.au or 0427517729



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