

MT ROUSE NEWS & VIEWS



The View from Up Here

It was a quiet evening, apart from the sound of football practice that floated on the breeze .. Winter is a time for warm coats and umbrellas, which often turn themselves inside out after a mighty gust or two, but there is no denying the beauty of the clouds hiding our mount as the sun begins to rise, nor the view from some of the higher ground. Peshurst is a beautiful place to live.



We thank the Peshurst Hotel for sponsoring our colour front page.

Penshurst Progress Association

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Committee of Management:

Ama Cooke – Chairperson 0402 870 738

Brian O'Brien - Secretary

Don Adamson - Treasurer

Tom Cooke & Josh Hewitt

Next Meeting - Wednesday 28th September 2022

Community Meeting 7.30pm - Supper Room, Penshurst Hall

Good evening,

The PPA is having a break, so there's no more to report than I've covered in the recent newsletters. Instead I've been thinking about the ten years, and nine days, since Tom, my mother and I moved into our old broken house and started on the many renovations it continues to need. In the beginning we had a lot of fun finding strange things in the collapsing walls, were told pigs were kept in one of the bedrooms, and replaced two ceilings. Later there was the skeleton of the cat, wrapped in lace, under the house, the burst water pipe that cost us ten times the usual bill, and now there's a family of possums that hiss at the back door and present babies to my mother to admire. We've been blessed with wonderful neighbours and have met a few odd characters, and our lives have changed profoundly, in both joy and sorrow, but I try not to look back with regret, just gratitude for the lessons, and a hope that the challenges never happen again. It's good to take a moment to review your life journey, even if you can't remember it some of it, e.g. I had grown quite fond of my printer, which had an irreparable 'logic failure' the other day, just after I freshly replaced the ink cartridges. That dictated the brand of the replacement, and after a hunt through my receipts box I realised that it had been two and a half years since I bought the dead one my 'last year'. Where had the time gone? I know I also have logic failures at times, much to the amusement and frustration of some people who know me, but thankfully, I am harder to replace. The new printer is better than the last but still unfamiliar. We will get to know one another over time.

The longer we live in Penshurst the more interested I have become in its history even as I focus on the future of the town through the various committees I joined. Tom and mum both have a very strong sense of 'home', the place where they were born and grew up. I was born in Sydney, and the place I might have called home is now completely unrecognisable, so my sense of 'home' has always been lacking. One of the questions many people ask me is, 'were you born in Penshurst?' Some assume I was, which is lovely, but not helpful when every house no longer has an address, it has a family designation (like our home), and they start chatting about their family connections in the different houses around the town and region. When they realise we weren't born here, they then wonder why we give so much time to our various projects. In that case its not about where we were born, but where we are now, what we can give to others, while at the same time, satisfying some part of ourselves that simply wants to make the place we choose to live in the best it can be. I am sure you understand.

So on with the next adventure. Now that the home fires are burning at the Mens Shed, the door is open to wonderful possibilities.

Wishing everyone
a wonderful
fortnight,
Ama Cooke,
Chair, PPA



Lyn Munro's Memorial Bench at Yatmerone

When Lyn Munro died on 3 July 2021- during the Covid19 restrictions, her family were very disappointed not to be able to get together to honour her and celebrate her life.

Happily this situation was put right with a big family re-union in Peshurst on and around the anniversary of Lyn's final days on the first weekend in July this year.

All Lyn and Dave's five children along with eight of their nine grandchildren were able to get to the celebration. The exception was a granddaughter from Perth who tested positive for the virus the day before she was due to fly over. The family came from four different states in Australia plus one from Jakarta.



Dave, with his family, on Lyn's bench.

Getting everyone together at the same time presented some logistical problems. But it all came together on Sunday 3rd of July with the celebration being held in the supper room of the Peshurst Hall. Tributes were made and memories were shared in a moving and healing ceremony.

A meal, much of which had been inspired by Lyn, and created by the participants was shared and enjoyed.

Many examples of Lyn's extensive craft work were displayed.

In the afternoon the family adjourned to Yatmerone Wildlife Reserve where a memorial bench was erected in Lyn's memory. The bench had been lovingly created from a piece of timber salvaged from a storm damaged tree in the Melbourne Botanic Gardens by Libby, the partner of Lyn and Dave's daughter Karina.

Lyn's ashes were spread nearby amongst the trees which Lyn had helped to plant and nurtured as a Friend of Yatmerone.

It will be special place for people to remember Lyn.



Phil Doherty, Mary Johnson, John Page & Brian O'Brien



LIONS CLUB OF PENSURST & DISTRICT

SMOKE ALARMS



With quite a few house fires in Victorian homes already this year we think now is a good time to remind people that Lions Clubs have a program whereby they will change smoke alarm batteries for community members who, for whatever reason, are unable to change their batteries themselves. We are concerned there may be people in our community who would benefit by this service but are unaware that it exists.

The Lions Club of Penshurst and District strongly urges people in need of this help to contact Sue Jellie 0418 141 301, or any other Lions member, to arrange a time for this to be done, or alternatively, to add your name to our list so we can come and change the battery next year.

Lions – We Serve

“If you would know strength and patience, welcome the company of trees.”
Hal Borland.



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As your representative in the Federal Parliament, listening to your views about our local area is my priority.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of assistance:

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Caramut and District Garden Club

By the time you read this, the annual meeting will be over as it was held on Tuesday 9th July at Penshurst.

Nasturtiums are easy to grow for good blooms, the plants need moist but not sodden soil. They also need partial shade and warmth. Avoid nitrogen-rich soil unless you want to harvest lots of leaves.

Nasturtiums can also be planted in the vegie patch as a decoy for the cabbage moth. They will need checking regularly for the green caterpillars. Pick them off and squash these unwanted visitors. Nasturtiums are also a decoy for aphids.



Nasturtiums can be used in salads. The leaves have a strong nutty, peppery flavour. The flowers can also be eaten. I will admit, I've never tried them.

The Woolsthorpe Primary School has Freshly Grafted Apple Trees for sale. \$14 each, multiple order discount.



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST MORE DETAILS? Contact Suzi 5569 2241 (School Hours) woolsthorpe.ps@education.vic.gov.au Mr Boyd and the Ground Force Team will have Apple Trees for sale in the coming months. Grafting Days will be held at school on Tuesday 16th & Sunday 21st August at 10am for those who might be interested. Cost: \$25/head - includes demonstration & a grafted tree. Subsequent trees at the reduced rate of \$10 each. Scions available for purchase. To register your spot or for more details please contact Suzi on 5569 2241 or woolsthorpe.ps@education.vic.gov.au ASAP.



Thank you to everyone who contributed to the newsletter this year, from our Advertisers to those who provided the colour front page, and a multitude of articles, stories and ideas for us to try. In no particular order, Brian O'Brien, Phil Doherty and the Penshurst & District Historical Society, Janet Shalders, who loves to garden, the Penshurst Pony Club, the Penshurst Bowls Club, the Senior Citizens, and many others. Also, thanks to those who came up with the idea of printing the newsletter backwards, upside down and in mirror writing, just for a change. Thankfully wiser heads prevailed. ☺ This is the last

newsletter for our 4th year. We will reappear next fortnight, with more of the same, and hopefully many new adventures in the 2022-2023 season. See you then.

Eleanor advises:

The Clinic is closed during August.

Telephone consultation by appointment will be free.

The Clinic is taking this action as a number of medical clinics and specialist are now requesting clients take phone appointments - so I will follow their advice.

For an appointment contact -

Eleanor Sheldon Head Therapist M : 0400819408



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Amanda & Cam Wilson

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Last Fortnight's Crossword - Across: 1 biscuit, 11 microscopic, 12 language, 13 caught, 15 every, 16 meaning, 17 squabble, 18 nightmares, 19 alphabet, 21 shiver, 24 day, 25 spoon. **Down:** 1 kidding, 3 something, 4 tacky, 5 staple, 6 complicated, 7 doozy, 8 fiddlesticks, 9 calendar, 10 laughter, 14 tumbler, 20 hidden, 22 realm, 23 neon.

MEDIA RELEASE

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE COUNCIL

**28 JULY 2022 LOCALS KNOW WHAT LOCALS NEED –
HELP US ADVOCATE FOR IMPROVED PUBLIC TRANSPORT**

Equitable access to public transport is a priority for the Southern Grampians Shire Council in the lead up to the State election. Public transport connectivity is a key driver of regional population and economic growth, providing vital connections between education, employment, health, retail, and recreational opportunities.

Acting Mayor Southern Grampians Shire Council Cr David Robertson said the transport needs of Shire residents simply are not being met and a commitment to improved services to the region is long overdue.

“There are significant gaps in the Public Transport services to our region compared to other regional centres and our residents are being disadvantaged,” Cr Robertson said. “Towns of comparable population to Hamilton, which are a similar distance from Melbourne including Benalla, Swan Hill, Colac and Maryborough are serviced 6, 7 and 10 times per day respectively during the week, compared to Hamilton’s two services.

“We know from talking to residents that access to Ballarat is critical for people to effectively access employment, social connectedness, and essential medical appointments. We know access to Warrnambool is critical for hundreds of SouthWest TAFE students who rely on being there for workshop/technical training. Currently there is no service that allows residents to complete a day of work or study with return to the region in the same day,” Cr Robertson continued. “Residents of the Southern Grampians Shire deserve frequent and safe public transport options to enable them to access medical appointment, education and leisure activities when they need to. We need a commitment from the State Government to increased services and improved connections into major regional centres, along with a review of stops, stations and associated infrastructure to ensure an efficient and accessible network for Southern Grampians Shire residents,” Cr Robertson said.

Council is asking community members to share their stories and lend your voice to the campaign to lobby for improved public transport services for Southern Grampians. “We want to hear from you. Tell us the challenges you have faced because of the lack of adequate public transport in Southern Grampians Shire. Locals know what locals need so head to the Have your Say page on the Council website and share your story under the Public Transport Advocacy section and help us to advocate to the Government for the public transport services we so desperately need,” Cr Robertson concluded.

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Simon Sinek



We're supporting 17 grant recipients this year

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Our *Ripple Effect* Community Grants support projects that make a significant and positive change within our local community. We're proud to support 17 organisations and schools across the region for 2022/2023. Have an idea for next year? Follow our social media for the next round application dates. Find out this year's projects at wannonwater.com.au/stronger-communities/grants





POSTER COMPETITION
What's your water story?

Help celebrate National Water Week this year by creating a poster that explores your water story!

This is a fun activity for the home or classroom in the lead up to National Water Week 2022.

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The competition is open now and entries close **2 September 2022**.

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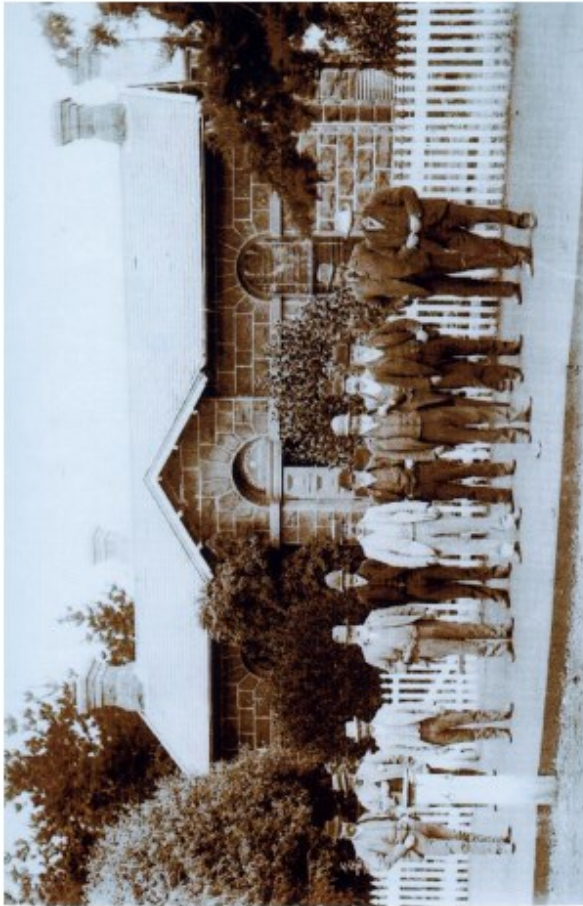




Mount Rouse Shire Offices

These offices were the seat of the local government serving the areas of Penshurst, Dunkeld, Glenthompson and Chatsworth. The staff who worked in these offices lived in Penshurst, which was a great benefit to the local community, as was the finances which went through the local bank. Many councillors who served their communities have a great affinity with these offices, where many crucial decisions were made.

Source: Shire Councillor Rex Mitchell (1969-1994)



The Shire of Mount Rouse was proclaimed by his Excellency Sir Charles Henry Darling, Governor and Commander in Chief of the Colony of Victoria on January 26, 1864. The first meeting of the shire was held on February 3, 1864.

Construction of the shire office was done in two stages. John S Jenkins, Hamilton architect, designed the front building and William Smith designed matching additions. There was a special meeting on February 11, 1864, for the laying of the foundation stone.

In 1879, Mt Rouse Shire president, John Mackiehan, obtained council backing for his idea to form an overall body for Victorian councils called the Victorian Municipal Association. They could meet in districts or regions and send members to a central committee in Melbourne to discuss common concerns. Mt Rouse Shire sent circulars to all Victorian municipalities and the response was quite favourable. On June 25, 1879, 11 municipalities met at the Hamilton Town Hall, and John Mackiehan's scheme was adopted unanimously. A central committee and a Western group of the association was formed at that meeting.



Following the amalgamation of Victorian shires in 1994 the Shire Office was repurposed into the Volcanoes Discovery Centre which opened in October 2003.



For more information contact the Mt Rouse & District Historical Society pensearch@gmail.com 2022

Thanks to a gift from the Southern Grampians Shire Council, and the hard work of Brian O'Brien, Mary Johnson, John Page and Phil Doherty from the Historical Society, in collaboration with the Progress Association, the town is about to replace the old heritage signs, that adorn many of its houses and other buildings, with new information. We plan to expand the collection into 30 locations over time. It is one of many small projects the PPA is working on, along with other larger plans. Watch this space.

The Mt Rouse & District Historical Society is open the first Saturday of every month, 9.30am - 12.30pm at the Penshurst Courthouse next to the Post Office. Meetings 4th Sunday in January, March, May, July, September and November, 2pm at the Court House. Phone Phil 0458 766 250. For research questions email: pensearch@gmail.com
www.mtrousehistoricalsociety.org.au Facebook: Penshurst-Historical-Society

Penshurst Men's Shed



Got any questions about the Shed?

We are open 10am - 4pm Tuesday & Saturday.

At present the Shed is open to men only. Membership is \$25 + insurance \$30. Next three members get free insurance.

For more information contact Tom Cooke 0488 557 345. See you there.



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What if ... Ordinary Heroes

Maybe it's just me. Maybe it's because my eyes have grown dim and my perception has been dulled over the years, but I fail to see and be inspired by great and illustrious leaders. Maybe I am expecting just a little too much, or maybe they don't get the attention they deserve and so I miss being uplifted by what they have to say. It's easier to look back in time and see awesome people and read their words. But I wonder what future generations will say of us. Who will they look back to for wisdom and perception? Whose words will they read and pass onto others? The trick is, I suspect, that the heroes of yesterday would not have thought of themselves as anything special. They were just every-day common people, getting on with their daily life and going about their humdrum business.

So what if... we are the heroes of 2022? What if the words you write and the phrases you speak will in time be gazed upon with wonder and awe. Is it not possible that folk will look back at us in 30 or 50 or a 100 years and say such things like....

"Wow, look at the terrible times they lived in. Look at how ghastly it all was and look at how they just got up each morning and carried on and got with it. Look at the random acts of kindness and the way people really did want to stay in touch. Check out the inventive fun things they did to distract themselves from the morbid climate of the pandemic.

What strength of character. What resilience, what stamina!

What if we are in the midst of this because Himself knew that we are the heroes we have been waiting for.

Fr. David Oulton p. 0435 867 040 droulton72@gmail.com

Everything you need to know about Jeanine and Fr. David's Long Service Leave

When: Monday 8th of August to Wednesday 14th of September.

Where: New York... to visit daughter Jacky

Because: It's her 30th birthday

Who: Fr. Robert will be celebrating the Eucharist on the weekends while Jeanine and Fr. David are away. To help Fr. Robert with his travelling... .

There will be **no service at Penshurst on Sunday August 28th.**

Fr. David will be back bright eyed and bushy tailed for Sunday September 25th at 4:00pm.

Who else? In case of emergency you should contact Fr. Scott at Warrnambool. Ph. 5561 1687

Question: Will Jeanine and Fr. David miss you?

Answer: Yes.



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Penshurst's News Agency

A PAGE TO SHARE RECIPES

Mushroom Risotto

Prep Time 15 mins Cooking Time 25 mins Serves 4

INGREDIENTS

6 cups low-salt chicken stock, or vegetable stock	1 teaspoon fresh thyme, finely chopped
2 tablespoons olive oil	salt, to taste
1 shallot, finely chopped	pepper, to taste
1 lb shiitake mushroom (455 g), stemmed and thinly sliced (other mushrooms can be substituted)	1 ½ cups arborio rice (200 g)
2 tablespoons unsalted butter	½ cup white wine (120 mL)
2 cloves garlic, minced	1 cup grated parmesan cheese (110 g), plus more for serving
	¼ cup fresh parsley (10 g), for serving

METHOD

1. Add the stock to a medium pot and bring to a boil over high heat. Once the stock is boiling, reduce the heat to low or remove the pan from the heat and keep nearby.
2. Heat the olive oil in a wide, tall pot over medium heat. Once the oil begins to shimmer, add the shallot and cook, stirring frequently, until translucent.
3. Add the shiitake mushrooms and butter. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the mushrooms have cooked down.
4. Add the garlic, thyme, salt, and pepper, stir, and cook for 1 minute, until the butter has melted and the garlic is aromatic.
5. Add the rice and stir until fully coated in the mushroom mixture. Let the rice toast for 1-2 minutes, until fragrant.
6. Add the white wine and cook until the wine has evaporated, stirring occasionally.
7. Add 1 cup (240 ml) of the hot stock and stir to combine. Cook, stirring frequently, until the stock is fully absorbed.
8. Continue to add the stock, ½ cup (120 ml) at a time, stirring continuously, until the broth is fully absorbed, for 15 - 20 minutes. Depending on how fast the rice cooks, there may be leftover stock.
9. Once the rice is al dente, remove from the heat. Add the Parmesan and stir to combine.
10. Top with parsley, Parmesan, salt, and pepper.
11. Enjoy!




MEDIA RELEASE

SOUTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE COUNCIL

5 AUGUST 2022

COX STREET

REDEVELOPMENT PROJECT UPDATE

Temporary Solar Street Lighting installation

The temporary solar street lighting will be connected along the east side of Cox Street between Lonsdale and French Street on Monday 8 August 2022, and will remain in place until permanent lighting is installed at the conclusion of the project. Residents are advised that the lights may not appear as bright as permanent structures as are a temporary solution. Drivers are asked to take care in the area and obey any changes to speed limits while the lighting is installed.

NBN Connection

NBN connection works located at the Lonsdale and Cox Street roundabout will commence on Tuesday 9 August 2022. There may be a temporary and short interruption to some connectivity around the area during this time however works are expected to be completed the same day.

For more information on the Cox Street Redevelopment Project, contact Project Manager Andre van Heerden on 0411 030 759 or via email at avanheerden@sthgrampians.vic.gov.au

Mt Rouse Photography Club



First meeting Sunday 14th August 2022

Penshurst Memorial Hall

Supper Room 2.00pm

103 Cobb Street, Penshurst

For more information contact

Tom Cooke 0488 557 345 or

David Goulter 0457 331 003.

*A writer is someone who can make
a riddle out of an answer.*

Karl Kraus

Riddles

1. What can go up a chimney down, but can't go down a chimney up?
2. What can you hold in your right hand, but never in your left hand?
3. What can you catch, but not throw?
4. What kind of band never plays music?
5. What has many teeth, but cannot bite?
6. What has one eye, but can't see?
7. What can travel all around the world without leaving its corner?

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Community Meetings

Boram Boram Cemetery Trust

- Contact Jeff Jellie 0407 781 407 or Sue 0418 141 301

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.
- Penshurst Social Support Group - WDHS meets every Thursday; for Exercise, Activities, Outings and General chit chat. Join us for lots of fun & laughter at Sheppard Centre - **COVID Permitting**. Western District Health Service – PENSURST Campus. Please contact Fiona Social Support Group Coordinator on 03-5551 8381 Or @ WDHS on 55518683

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 Phil 0458 766 250.

Friends Yatmerone Reserve

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

Lions Club of Penshurst & District

- 1st Friday dinner meeting. 3rd Tuesday business meeting, each month at 8 pm at Penshurst Memorial Hall, 21 Martin Street. penshurstlions@gmail.com



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

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.
- Novelty Bingo, last Tuesday of month Feb - Nov at 2.15 pm.
- Cards & social afternoon, 2nd Wednesday monthly at 2pm

Penshurst Church Services

Bethlehem Lutheran Church Tabor

Service every Sunday 10.00am

Penshurst Anglican Church

4pm Mass 4th Sunday each month

For further details contact Janet Kelly on 5576 5247

St Andrew's Uniting Church Penshurst

2nd & 4th Sunday

11am Service

St Joseph's Catholic Church Penshurst

1st Sunday No Service

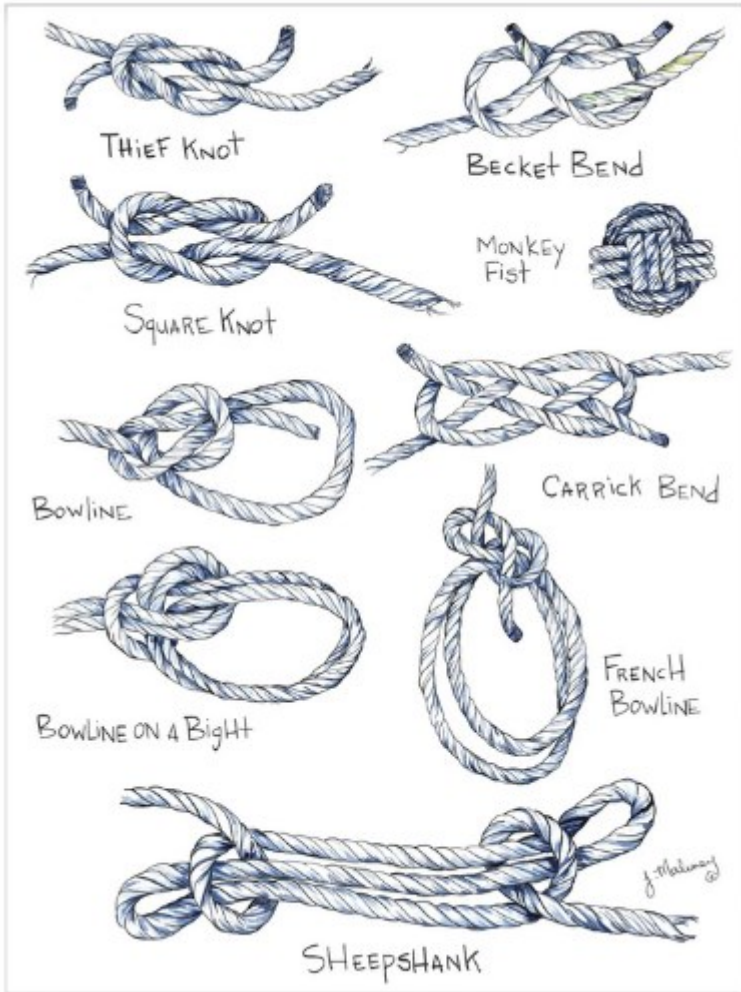
2nd Sunday Mass 8.30am

3rd Sunday Lay Service 8.30am

4th Sunday Mass 8.30am

5th Sunday Mass 8.30am

Something for the children



Knot on the Spot

Here, on this tiny blot of a spot
 I will sit and tie my knot.
 I will sit here till I rot,
 But I just have to tie this knot!
 Horses like to walk and trot;
 Parrots like to talk a lot;
 Cooks make food that's good and hot;
 Lawyers say, "Sign on the dot!"
 Shirts and pants and hats I've got,
 But both my shoes fall off a lot,
 So I just have to tie this knot!

Author unknown

Can you write a silly poem,
 without telling someone to get knotted?
 Can you include the words 'arch' and
 'angle'? Given that you can have an
 'archenemy' and knot know what his/
 her 'angle' is .. it could be fun.

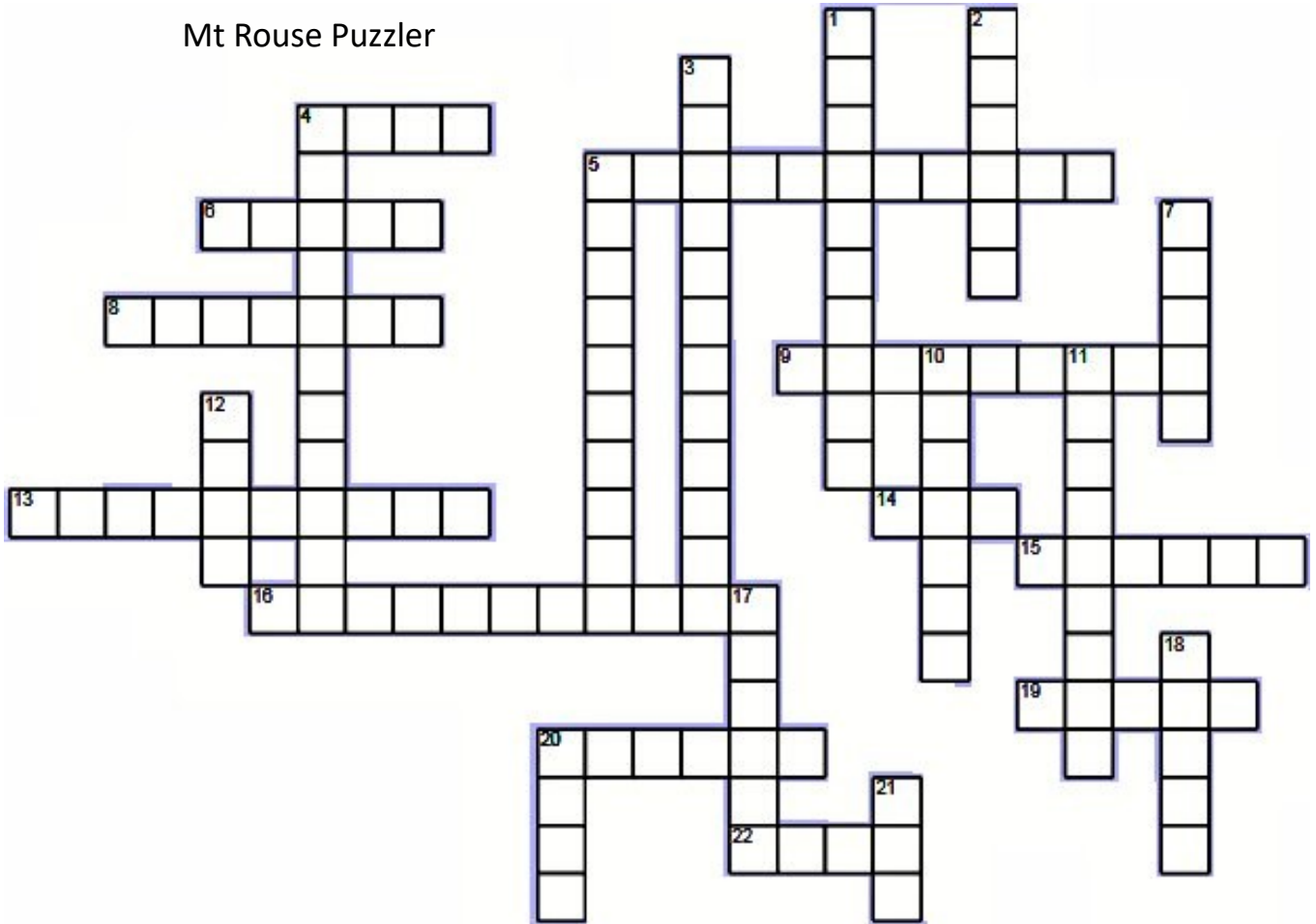
Poetry is a way of expressing your
 heart's 'song'. Do you sometimes speak
 from the heart, or do words from fall
 from your mouth, like flotsam on a
 waterfall?

I saw a Reverse Dictionary today, a book
 on a bookshelf, rather than on a
 computer screen. What is it? A reverse
 dictionary is a dictionary alphabetized by
 the reversal of each entry: kcots
 kcotseid kcotser kcotsevil Can you write
 your poem in reverse? What does your
 name look like in reverse?

Words to find: apple, banana, grapes,
 kiwi, lemon, lime, blackberry, pear,
 pineapple, apricot, orange, mango,
 peach, plum, cherry.

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Mt Rouse Puzzler



Across:

- 4: The part of the body between the head and the shoulders.
- 5: Actions of a demanding bossy boots.
- 6: A meal eaten in the middle of the day.
- 8: Most unsightly.
- 9: Deep, wet sand into which heavy objects sink easily.
- 13: Feeling or showing extreme and uncontrolled emotion.
- 14: A deep, round container that is used for cooking.
- 15: Suffering because of a lack of food.
- 16: An often unfair and untrue belief that many people have about all people or things with a particular characteristic.
- 19: A substance that usually has a shiny appearance, that can be melted, and is usually capable of being shaped.
- 20: Having a rounded shape.
- 22: A U.S. or Canadian coin that is worth 10 cents.

Down:

- 1: Instrument for polishing incisors.
- 2: Something that is accepted to be true without proof or knowing that it exists.
- 3: Not showing that something is certainly true.
- 4: Not easily described.
- 5: The quality of something that makes it hard to do.
- 7: Very useful or helpful.
- 10: Not straight.
- 11: To make something known in a public or formal way.
- 12: Between black and white.
- 17: To be decided by or to change according to the stated thing.
- 18: Mark a good one, or spark your fingers.
- 20: To cut into pieces.
- 21: A piece of furniture or for planting in.

Riddles answers: 1 An umbrella. 2 Your left hand. 3 A cold. 4 A rubber band. 5 A comb. 6 A needle. 7 A stamp.



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