

STANSBURY SCRIBBLE

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Autumn is usually a time of change in Stansbury and this year is no different. After a very busy Summer with lots of families enjoying their holidays on the Southern Yorke Peninsula, most have now returned to school and work commitments in the city and suburbs. The next wave of visitors, the grey nomads are now travelling through the Peninsula enjoying the serenity on our beaches and country hospitality in the coastal towns.

Many travellers take the opportunity to get some travel advice from our Visitor Information Centre which stocks a variety of brochures and maps. After a busy couple of months with many sales, we have restocked with merchandise and giftware. If you are looking for a gift for a friend or family member (or a little something for yourself), make sure that you come past to check out the selection.

The next Stansbury Seaside Market will be held on March 7, 9am- 1pm. The usual favourite stalls will be there along with some new exiting additions. We assure you, that there will be something for everybody!

For your diaries, the last two markets of the season are: Easter Saturday, April 4 and The Salt Water Classic, April 18, both 9am -1pm.

News from Stansbury Progress Association Inc.

There has been a change to the Stansbury Progress Association Executive Committee as Andrew Pisani has resigned due to other commitments. We thank Andrew for his dedicated work for Stansbury over the last few years and wish him all the best with future endeavours.

Julie Harris has been elected the new Chair of the Stansbury Progress Association Inc. Executive Committee. Congratulations, Julie!

A casual vacant position on the Executive Committee is now open for nominations, so please get your nomination in if interested in getting involved. Nomination forms are available from The Visitor Information Centre and nominations close on Monday 2 March 2026.

Contributions can be sent to the following, by the 25th of the month.

stansburyscribble@gmail.com
tourism@stansburysa.com.au

RECYCLING



To help keep our town beautiful and reduce waste the following recycling facilities are available:

Nespresso pods: Used **Nespresso pods only** can be dropped off at the Visitor Centre into the box located by the front door.



Paper/Cardboard: There is a large white plastic cube in the yard at the Visitor Centre (entrance off Towler Street). Dry, flat packed newspapers, magazines (both secured with string) and cardboard can be placed in this cube. If the cube is full, please leave the paper bundles under the veranda.
No hypodermic needles please.

Bottles and cans: Bottles and cans can be placed into the collection cages located around the town, or the blue and yellow bins in the caravan parks. Proceeds are distributed to the various local community groups and sporting clubs who participate in their collection. Alternately Stansbury Recycling has a bottle and can depot for all your refundable items and glass bottles.

Printer cartridges: These can be deposited into the Planet Ark box located near the front door of the Visitor Centre.

Yellow Bin

As a reminder of what to put in the yellow kerb side recycling bin, we now have large fridge magnets from Green Industries.

Pick up your free magnet from the Visitor Centre weekdays 9.30am- 4pm.

Blister Packs

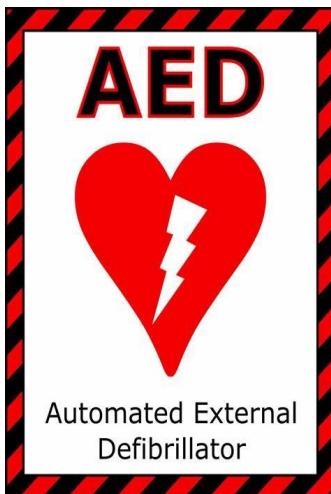
Empty blister packs can be dropped off at the Visitor Centre in our designated box. Blister packs only, no plastic bags or cardboard.

Battery Recycling

Battery recycling is available at the Stansbury IGA. Just ensure that the terminals have tape over them before placing in the box.

IMPORTANT NOTE

There are defibrillators situated around Stansbury.



- Foreshore Caravan Park - outside wall of the office, left of the door.
- Oyster Point Drive Caravan Park - on the wall of the disabled amenities (near main amenities)
- Stansbury Visitor Centre - in porch outside the entrance
- Stansbury Pharmacy - outside on the eastern wall.
- Stansbury Bowling Club - club house wall facing the greens.
- Stansbury Golf Club - front veranda of the club rooms.
- Stansbury Oval Clubroom - in the alcove of the main entrance to the clubrooms.
- Stansbury Museum - in porch by the front door
- Stansbury Primary School - in the office
- Anglican Church - to the right of front door
- Community Church - in foyer
- Uniting Church—in vestry
- Stansbury Institute - on Southern wall (near female toilets)

Please return the AED to the same location it was taken from and immediately notify the relevant organisation.

WHAT'S ON IN MARCH					
Check articles for further information and contact details					
26		FEBRUARY	16	M	10:45 am Chi Kung
27			17	T	9:30 am Seniors Table Tennis, RummyKub, Mah Jong 7:00 pm Lions
28			18	W	9:30 am Craft & Friendship 1:00 pm Seniors Cards 1:30 pm Seniors Exercise Class
29			19	Th	10:00 am Line Dancing 4:00 pm Social Golf - bar open
30			20	F	1:00 pm Seniors Cards
31	S		21	S	
1	S		22	S	
2	M	10:45 am Chi Kung 2:00 pm LOTO	23	M	10:45 am Chi Kung
3	T	9:30 am Seniors Table Tennis, RummyKub, Mah Jong	24	T	9:30 am Seniors Table Tennis, RummyKub, Mah Jong
4	W	9:30 am Craft & Friendship 1:00 pm Seniors Cards	25	W	1:00 pm Seniors Cards 1:30 pm Seniors Exercise Class
5	Th	10:00 am Line Dancing 10:00 am Meet & Greet Produce Morning 4:00 pm Social Golf - bar open	26	Th	10:00 am Line Dancing 4:00 pm Social Golf - bar open
6	F	1:00 pm Seniors Cards	27	F	1:00 pm Seniors Cards
7	S	9:00 am Seaside Market	28	S	
8	S		29	S	
9	M	ADELAIDE CUP	30	M	10:45 am Chi Kung 7:00 pm SSCC AGM
10	T	9:30 am Seniors Table Tennis, RummyKub, Mah Jong	31	T	
11	W	1:00 pm Seniors Cards 1:30 pm Seniors Exercise Class	1		APRIL
12	Th	10:00 am Line Dancing 4:00 pm Social Golf - bar open 4:00 pm Stansbury RSL Sub Branch	2		
13	F	1:00 pm Seniors Cards	3		
14	S		4		
15	S		5		

From the Editor

Please note — closing date for Scribble Contributions is the 25th of each month. While it is possible late contributions may be accepted, there will be no guarantees.

When advertising events, it would be appreciated if posters could be no larger than 1/2 page unless a paid advertisement. The Scribble is available free of charge each month thanks to the support of Adelaide Brighton Cement and the Stansbury Progress Association. Help us keep our production costs down and our community news accessible.

Chris



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MEALS ON WHEELS ROSTER

Our client numbers have increased, and several volunteers are still away, and multiple deliveries during the same month may be necessary. If you are unable to do your rostered day, please arrange a swap with someone else. Contact me if necessary.
Thanks Janet

Always check for updated 2026 advice on the notice board at the info centre.

New rosters available. Please collected from Visitor Centre

MARCH

Mon	2	Kathy & Reg Ricketts	16	Ian & Leanne Baillie	30	Alison & Ted Buttfield
Tues	3	Jan Thompson & John Davis	17	Alison & Ted Buttfield	31	Chris & Ron Duncan
Wed	4	Grant & Janet Jolly	18	Rob & Sue Natt		
Thurs	5	Kathy Watkins & Jenny Klose	19	Sue Newstead & Anne Longbottom		
Fri	6	Ian & Leanne Baillie	20	Janet & Margaret Jolly		
Mon	9	ADELAIDE CUP HOLIDAY	23	Beth & Don Faulkner		
Tues	10	Chris & Ron Duncan	24	Kathy & Reg Ricketts		
Wed	11	Clint Roberts & Val Caldow	25	Kathy Watkins & Jenny Klose		
Thurs	12	Margaret & Tony Jolly	26	Grant & Janet Jolly		
Fri	13	Sue-ellen Bowey & Trish Cranwell	27	Marg Farrow & Marg Payne		

We would love to have some more volunteers. This usually will entail delivering frozen meals once a month. If interested, or you know of someone who may be, please let me know and I will get a volunteer package to you.
Thanks Janet

If unsure of anything contact - Client Service Officer Margaret Farrow Ph 0427 524 200
- or Volunteer Coordinator Janet Jolly Ph 0408 903 812



LIONS CLUB OF STANSBURY DALRYMPLE

VALE

Lynette Gates

1/5/1950 — 7/2/2026

In 1979, Lyn joined the Yorketown Lioness Club.
When the Lions Club of Stansbury Dalrymple was chartered in 2008, Lyn became a Lion.

A proud member of Lions International for 47 years.

Thank you Lyn for your many years of service in many different ways.

Lyn's floristry skills and her creative contributions, especially for Australia Day celebrations, will be sorely missed.



STANSBURY COMMUNITY CHURCH

A member of the Baptist Churches of South Australia and Northern Territory
We meet every Sunday from 10 a.m, for a cuppa and then 10:30 a.m. worship. Please join with us as we fellowship, worship and provide Sunday School for children age 3 to 12. Please note we are child protection compliant trained. We would love to meet you!

MARCH

1st Rob George OAC
8th Rob George OAC
15th Peter Agnew
22nd Tom Hawkins
29th Peter Agnew

"Be kindly affectionate to one another with brotherly love, in honour giving preference to one another Romans 12:10"

Peter Agnew
0409090764

STANSBURY COMMUNITY CRAFT & FRIENDSHIP

It was great to have so many regather last month. Now we can look forward to future classes and events. Stay tuned! Keep on with your care-a-thon items for our May handover.

Coming up on the 18th we'll be set up for card making. Bring along scissors, double sided tape and any supplies you have.

We'll have a Notice and Think Spot at 10.15am, then a cuppa, and sometimes even home-made morning tea too!

Community Church doors open 9.30am - 11.30am,
Hope to see you on 4th and 18th March.

Marion Agnew 0439524321



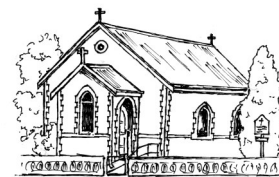
STANSBURY UNITING CHURCH WORSHIP

MARCH

1st Norm & Rachel 11:00 am
8th Service @ Maitland 2:30 pm
15th Rev Sandy HC 11:00 am
22nd Pastor Brenton 11:00 am
Christian Motor Cycle Club
29th Rev June 11:00 am

*"The changing seasons remind us that
God remains constant and His Love never
fails"*

Contact no 0439 180 442



ST. AUGUSTINES ANGLICAN CHURCH WORSHIP

MARCH

15th Rev Jacques 11:15 am

*"For everything there is a season, a time
for every purpose under heaven"
Ecclesiastes 3:1*

Contact - Robert Cook 0409 696 787

STANSBURY SENIOR CITIZENS NEWS

The following activities are held in the Stansbury Sports & Community Club at the Stansbury Oval.

Table Tennis & Board Games	Tuesday 9:30am -11:30 am
Cards	Wednesday 1pm - 4pm
Seniors Exercise	Wednesday 1:30pm – 2:30pm (In Uniting Church Hall)
Line Dancing	Thursday 10am - 12 noon
Cards	Friday 1pm – 4pm

Please note that Tuesday afternoon Carpet Bowls have been suspended until Winter season in 2026.

All the above activities are only \$2.00, but you must be a financial member to attend.

If you have any enquiries regarding the above activities,
please contact Cynthia on 0494 117046

SENIOR CITIZENS UPDATE

We will be introducing Indoor bowls to our activity list after Easter. We have had three bowling mats donated to us along with several sets of bowls and equipment. One set is nonbiased bowls with slightly different rules of play, the other two are the traditional game.

If you are interested in trying any of these games, please let me know what day and time would suit you. Tuesday and Thursday mornings clash with other activities. We need eight players to make setting up worth the effort.

We have two book cases for sale. They would make great shelving for the shed if not used for books, make us an offer. We also have boxes of Christmas decorations to give away.

New members are welcome. Please feel free to come along and join any of our activities.

Our AGM is not far away, more details next month.

Rob Tonkin, President *robtonk.41@gmail.com* Phone 0408 823 95

CHI KUNG (QI GONG)

Chi Kung is a gentle form of energy practice. It is a beautiful flowing combination of movements and breathing techniques that stimulate energy flow and help promote your natural resiliency to stress and illness.

Chi Kung is held in the Institute supper room, entry via the side nearest the Post Office Monday mornings, **except public holidays**. Registration at 10.45am and gentle Qigong exercises commence at 11am. All welcome, wear loose, comfy clothes. Cost is \$3.00.

Please note that we are not a professional organization, rather a “Young at Heart” group encouraging others to participate in gentle exercise.

EVERYONE WELCOME

For further information contact Carrol Roberts 0409 094 009

STANSBURY SPORTS AND COMMUNITY CLUB (SSCC) UPDATE

Stansbury Sports and Community Club AGM Monday 30 March 2026 at 7pm

Want to make a real difference in our community?

We're looking for enthusiastic people to join our Sports and Community Club Committee! No sports experience needed — just bring your ideas, your energy, and your passion for keeping our much loved facility thriving.

It's a great way to meet people, shape the future of our club, and help create a welcoming space for everyone.

Everyone is welcome — come be part of something special.

Footy Tips 2026

The Stansbury Sports and Community Football Tips are back again in 2025.

Entry fee is \$30 with prizes announced after the start of the season once we know the numbers involved in the competition.

For new participants wanting to get involved, contact Renee Fitzgerald on 0412160933, or email stansburysportscommunityclub@gmail.com

Further details available on the SSCC Facebook Page

Stanbury's Sounds By The Sea 2026 is back again this year.

It will all be happening on Saturday 3 October at the Stansbury Oval, with a bigger and better event. Stay tuned for more details.



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What can the SYP COMMUNITY HUB do for me??

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STANSBURY MUSEUM

Rowena Smith

During February, we have had the privilege of hosting three small groups of residents from Melaleuca Court Nursing Home at Minlaton. Volunteers showed our guests around the museum. We discovered as we shared what we knew about the exhibits that we learned so much from our guests. Looking at the display of Stansbury fishermen, their boats and the amount of fish caught stirred memories and chat about cray fishing out of Point Turton and comparison of the size of catches. A volunteer putting on a hat from days gone by, evoked a tentative smile from an anxious lady who then responded with a beaming smile when she was able to put it on herself. The folders of wedding photos of all the brides and bridesmaids whose dresses the late Doris Vince made were a great source of discussion as people recognised people that they knew. One of the folk said "I went to that wedding" and another was actually a groomsman in one of the photos.

After showing everyone around, the residents, staff and volunteers sat around a large table chatting and enjoying a delicious afternoon tea together. Our wonderful volunteers had made scones with jam and cream and assorted savoury scones.

Our volunteers are very proud of the museum and are happy to host groups and share our treasure. We also love to hear memories and personal experiences that others can share with us of days gone by in the Stansbury area and learn and improve our knowledge.

A completely random change of topic was inspired by a newspaper cutting from the Country Times dated 1973- 53 years ago. It described "one of the highlights of the Stansbury Centenary celebrations" – a parade of children in fancy dress. Prizes were given for the best dressed boy and girl, most humorous, most original and best decorated bikes –boys and girls. It lists the prize winners of each age group's category. I was fascinated by the range of costume ideas – band boy, swaggie, Cinderella, harem girl, rooster, fairy, Humpty Dumpty, Spanish Cabalero, sun flower, Cat and the Fiddle, Daisy Bates, clown, Little Bo Peep, Queen of Hearts, Indian Squaw, Charlie Chaplin, Mother Hubbard, King Neptune and a mermaid. The best decorated boy's bike was a woolly ram and the girls, a flower bike.

I have earlier memories myself of fancy dress competitions when I was in primary school and I'm sure many of us have photos in family albums of children in fancy dress. Do you remember dressing up? In one of our family photos, I am elegantly dressed in black and white as Eliza Doolittle from "My Fair Lady" after her transformation by Professor Higgins - a crepe paper masterpiece by my mother. In another one, I was Robinson Crusoe (very scratchy, carpet underlay hat and clothes) and my sister, was Man Friday ,covered in something that made her skin brown with a raffia skirt and wooden spear.

Even as short a time as 50 years ago, children had a different childhood to those of today. I have no doubt the majority of the fancy dress outfits were homemade with what ever was available at home or made from crepe paper. Today many children have purchased outfits for Book Week dress up days at school and kindy. Their dress ups are more likely to be "super heroes" or characters from children's cartoons or films or even video games (multiple "Spidermans", "Elsa's" from Frozen and "Marios") as opposed to characters from nursery rhymes or farm animals. Today, it would be more likely to award "participation" prizes than prizes for winners and I doubt there would be separate categories for boys and girls. Now it would not be politically correct for a little white skinned girl to dress up as "Man Friday".

Articles like the one from the Country Times in 1973 about events at Stansbury are kept by the museum. They are so important as they illustrate clearly how things have changed over the years. Young people love to learn how times were different. Some children are surprised to see a wooden gun displayed in the toy cabinet and others are fascinated by golliwogs. I had an interesting conversation with a very bright, young lad about an old globe and some of the countries on it that no longer exist (USSR) and countries whose names have changed (Ceylon). The Museum is custodian and witness to these changes for our own and future generations.

Our market stall will be at the Stansbury Seaside market on Saturday March 7th.

By popular demand, our iconic Works Burger is back

Our RAFFLE is too, with great prizes kindly donated by local businesses! Tickets \$2 or 3 for \$5
Purchase of our delicious food and tickets in our RAFFLE support the Stansbury Museum's
running costs.

It enables historic treasures to be maintained and displayed to be enjoyed by locals and visitors.



Saltwater Classic 18th-19th April 2026 Stansbury & Port Vincent ****RAFFLE****

1st Prize: Ghan Gold Class – Adelaide to Darwin – for two
(valued at \$8,000) - Donated by Journey Beyond Rail

2nd Prize: Stay and Dine at the Dal – Two nights for two.
Donated by the Dalrymple Hotel.

3rd Prize: Stay and Dine at Port Vincent – Two nights for two
Donated by the Port Vincent Foreshore Caravan Park
and the Ventnor Hotel.

Tickets \$5.00 per ticket / \$50 per book of 10 tickets

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OR

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***MAD MARCH –
EVERYWHERE BUT HERE?***

Our new trailer comes in with flying colours – many thanks to Anthony Hart and Warooka Signs.

Keep an eye out for its public debut, coming to an event near you.

Its first formal outing will be on Saturday afternoon, 28th March at the Minlaton Oval for the Minlaton 150, but it will be making sneak-peak previews in Yorketown, Warooka, Edithburgh, Coobowie and other Southern Yorke Peninsula locations...



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MARCH 2026 SPECIALS
(01/03/2026-31/03/2026 or while stocks last)

<p align="center">Centrum Men 50+ Tablets 60 Was \$25.95 Now \$15.49</p>	<p align="center">Centrum Women Tablets 60 Was \$25.95 Now \$15.49</p>
<p align="center">Colgate Neutra Fluor 220 473ml Was \$17.95 Now \$15.50</p>	<p align="center">Centrum Men Tablets 60 Was \$25.95 Now \$15.49</p>
<p align="center">APH Loratadine 10mg Tablets 10 Was \$9.95 Now \$6.99</p>	<p align="center">CO Sun Lotion 50+ 200ml Was \$11.95 Now \$9.50</p>
<p align="center">Carmex Lip Balm Pot 7.5g Was \$5.95 Now \$4.95</p>	<p align="center">Ulcereze Mouth Ulcer Patches Was \$12.95 Now \$9.99</p>
<p align="center">Dencorub Self Adhesive Heat Patch 3 Pack Was \$13.50 Now \$11.50</p>	<p align="center">APH Chesty Mucus Relief 8mg 100 Tabs Was \$20.95 Now \$17.99</p>
<p align="center">APH Hayfever & Allergy Chewable 30 Tabs Was \$27.95 Now \$18.99</p>	<p align="center">APH Sensease Allergy Relief 140 Sprays Was \$19.95 Now \$14.99</p>
<p align="center">CO Child Hayfever & Allergy 100ml Was \$18.95 Now \$12.99</p>	<p align="center">Bepanthen Antiseptic Cream 100g Was \$19.95 Now \$14.99</p>
<p align="center">PH Zinc + Vitamin C 60 Tablets Was \$14.95 Now \$12.99</p>	<p align="center">PH Vitamin B12 120 Melts Was \$21.50 Now \$14.99</p>
<p align="center">Gastro Soothe 20 Tablets Was \$9.95 Now \$6.99</p>	<p align="center">Ear Clear Ear Wax Remover 12ml Was \$15.50 Now \$12.99</p>
<p align="center">Diffiam Throat Spray 30ml Was \$21.50 Now \$13.99</p>	<p align="center">Betadine Sore Throat Gargle 120ml Was \$19.50 Now \$12.99</p>
<p align="center">Lemsip Max Ginger Sachets Was \$19.50 Now \$14.99</p>	<p align="center">Cartia 100mg Tab 84 Was \$11.95 Now \$8.99</p>
<p align="center">Mozzigeer Mosquito Band 2 Pack Was \$8.50 Now \$6.99</p>	<p align="center">Mozzigeer Mosquito Band 6 Pack Was \$20.95 Now \$16.99</p>

**Open Saturday 7th March on Seaside Market Day
9am - 11.30am
Closed Monday 9th March Adelaide Cup Day**