



August 2019 eNew

Some great things are starting to happen in our community. Lots of new families are moving into the neighbourhood, the school and kindy are becoming stronger and we have had some fantastic community events in the last few months.

The Clarendon Community Association is also growing and changing, becoming an increasingly vibrant and vital part of all the good that is happening.

We are a group of volunteers who want to see our beautiful town and landscape protected, respected and given the attention it deserves. We also want to find ways to engage with the community so that everyone has the opportunity to participate and thrive in this special place as they wish.

We are figuring out how to collaborate with all local stakeholders and how to also work with council to ensure best possible outcomes for all of us.

If you'd like to join us or just find out more, we'd love you to turn up to our next meeting on Wed 7th Aug at 7.30pm in the Community Hall. You can also be added to our email list if you would like to receive the minutes or eNews. Just drop a line to secretary@cca.clarendon.org.au or news@clarendon.org.au

You don't have to join if you just want to attend a meeting to see what it's all about, but if you do decide it's for you, the only requirement for membership is that you are a resident, real estate owner or business operator in Clarendon and a token \$10 annual fee. We only meet once a month and you can be as involved or placid as you like.

There are lots of us really trying to make a positive impact here in Clarendon. Come and help us do some good.

Community Calendar

6th August 2019 – 7.30pm

Clarendon Tennis Club Annual General Meeting at Bowling Clubrooms

7th August 2019 – 7.30pm

Clarendon Community Association meeting in Community Hall

14th August 2019 – 9.30am

Clarendon Historic Hall and Museum Annual General Meeting in Historic Hall

20th August 2019 – 12pm

Hazel McKenzie BBQ lunch and Annual General Meeting

24th August 2019 – 10am-12pm

Clarendon Kindergarten Open morning

14th September 2019 – save the date

Clarendon Kindergarten Spring Fair – details to follow

September 2019

Celebrating 80 years of CFS in Clarendon

Monthly rainfall

July 2019 75.2mm

Rained over 19 days

Year to date 2019..... 392 mm

July 2018 81.2mm

Year to date 2018..... 322.6mm

Clarendon had a wet August in 2018 (138.4mm) and we hope to repeat this in 2019.

**Thank you to our very own
rain-man Bill Jared**

100 year bridge celebration

What a day!

This celebration culminated in weeks of preparation, organising, conjoling, forecasting (!!) and plain hard work by Gavin and Brad. Thank you on behalf of the Clarendon Community for ensuring this celebration was such a success. You brought us together to celebrate not only our lovely bridge's 100th year but also to celebrate the life we all enjoy in our beautiful Clarendon.



Geoff Webster's family, who were moving in to the area, were held up during the 1919 bridge opening ceremony but in 2019 he enjoyed being chauffer driven across our 100 year old beauty.



Special thanks to ...

Evnture Furniture - bar service and those games!

Western Tree and Stump – keeping us warm

Feisty Filomena – wonderful food

Xpresso Mobile Café – great coffee

Clarendon Community Association – event organisers extraordinaire

Sports Club of SA – that car!

Mitcham City Brass Band – for leading us on to the bridge

Clarendon Primary School – food, food, glorious food

Clarendon Kindergarten – baked potatoes and much, much more

Clarendon Netball Club – their sausage sizzle sizzled!

Clarendon Bowling Club -

Clarendon CFS – keeping us safe

Historical Hall & Museum – reminding us of the importance of our shared history

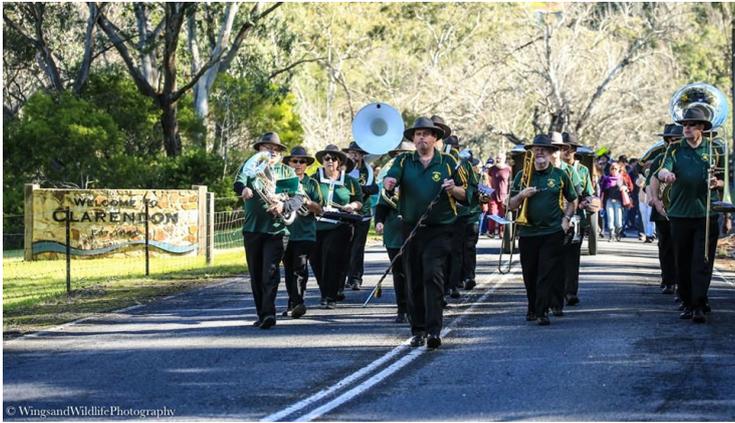
Gillian Reeves Rayment – photographing this event

SAPOL – traffic control

Blind Arry – providing beautiful music and a great atmosphere

A place in History

The attendance book for the Bridge Centenary celebrations is in the General Store. If you didn't sign on the day we encourage you to call in to sign it soon.



Clarendon – a bit busier than usual



Thank you to SAPOL for keeping us safe



Our local CFS - thank you!



The bridge that helped us bridge our learning

Our little kindergarten has been on quite a large journey this year as we continue to see our children as competent citizens, and strive to understand what that means in relation to our role in the community. Recently, we were lucky enough to be challenged by the provocation of the 100 year anniversary of the Clarendon Bridge. We asked our children, our families and ourselves how we at Clarendon Kindergarten could contribute to this event?

The response was phenomenal. Our families decided we could contribute by working together to create a soup and spuds stall. Parents canvassed local businesses for support and supplies, volunteered to cook, donated time and resources and spent the entire day selling soups and making delicious loaded potatoes.

Our children took a different route by deciding to learn more about our bridge. We explored the other bridge structures in our community by going on local walks, designed two and three dimensional bridges using a variety of materials, and explored literacy through books involving bridges. The idea became so popular that we found ourselves dedicating entire afternoons to research bridges, entwining concepts of science, technology and mathematical thinking through independent and cooperative inquiries.

Though families and children worked separately on their contributions, the two concepts were combined on the day to create a beautiful image of how we merge different ideas to create something beautiful that authentically represents our involvement, voice and contribution to our community. We would like to give a very warm thank you to all of the community members who in turn, supported us by reading and responding to our inquiry display, sharing their memories of times at Clarendon Kindergarten and buying the food lovingly prepared by our families. We are so excited to continue this journey and cannot wait to share our next adventure with you.



.....bridging generations



Tasmin and Jase Tilbrook built a beautiful replica model of the Clarendon Bridge from LEGO.



Clarendon Branch of the Agricultural Bureau

The Clarendon Branch the Agricultural Bureau July 2019 meeting speaker was Dene Cordes who formally worked for the various Government Departments that were responsible for managing the South Australian parks and wildlife reserves.

Dene began by providing background about being 4th generation farmers on Kangaroo Island and leaving school early to work on the family farm. He applied for a position with the Belair National Park he was eventually appointed. Dene explained that Belair National Park was declared a National Park in December 1891 and was the second National Park in Australia and the 8th in the World.

Dene was appointed by the Minister as the States National Park Community Liaison Officer to deal with the poor relationship between Communities and the States National Park Rangers. With Denes help, the relationship improved and eventually local consulting groups were created to assist the management of the National Parks and eventually this evolved to become the Friends of National Park Foundation.

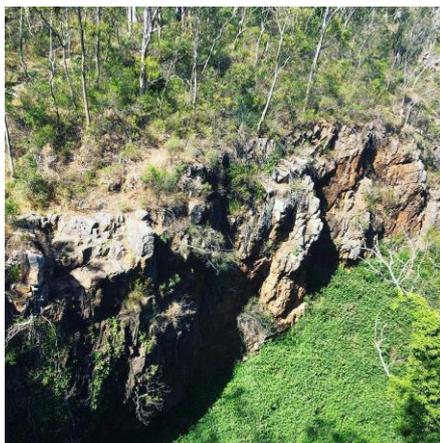
Dene stated that the valuable work done by National Park volunteers equates to \$5-6 million per annum in volunteer hours and without the volunteers the National Park would suffer.

Dene has been honoured for his work and achievements with being awarded the South Australian Public Service Medal and Australia Day honours.

Tony Fagg
President
Clarendon Branch of the Agricultural Bureau



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Clarendon Community Hall



The hall is available to hire to local community groups and people. Email enquiries to hallhire@cca.clarendon.org.au

[Clarendon Community Association Meetings](#) are held on the first Wednesday each month at 7.30pm in the hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

[Welcome to Clarendon](#)

If you are new to Clarendon then we offer you a warm welcome and encourage you to become part of the local community. There is a Welcome to Clarendon booklet available at the General Store for all new residents. Please call in to see Gavin.

[Clarendon website](#)

The website is in the process of being updated, however there is still relevant local information available to start you off.

[Clarendon History buffs](#)

Clarendon may be small but we have a long and interesting history. The Clarendon Historic Hall and Museum is a treasure trove of historical information. Open on the last Sunday of each month.



tennis

Clarendon Tennis Club's Registration & Open Day!

Saturday 14th September 2019

Juniors Free Coaching Session 10am-12pm

Seniors hitting out from 12pm onwards

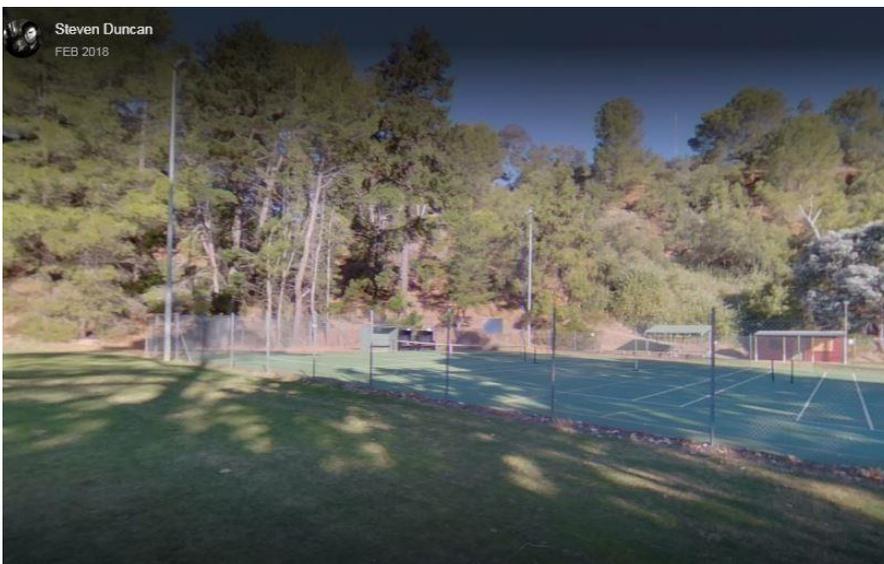
- Rackets available.
- Free Games and Activities.
- Free Sausage sizzle from midday.
- Senior players join in for lunch and stay for a hit

Phone Karen Hillier for Junior enquiries on 0431 834 126 and Steve Teakle for Senior enquiries on 0416 069 806

We are a family friendly community club and are always looking to welcome new members, of all ages and abilities. We compete in the OTA Saturday Competition, juniors competing on Saturday mornings and seniors competing on Saturday afternoons. We also run a doubles social competition, under lights, each Wednesday evening, for both men and women, which is always a lot of fun.



<http://www.tennis.com.au/clarendontennisclub/>



Clarendon Tennis Club Annual General Meeting 6th August 2019

Summer is approaching and it will soon be time to enjoy a hit of tennis.

Our club AGM will be held on **Tuesday 6th August at 7:30pm in the Clarendon Bowling Club facilities.** A light supper will be provided.

All members are invited to attend so please come along and support our club for this upcoming tennis season.

Planning for the season is well underway with our Open Day on **Saturday 14th September.** Please "save the date" and see the Open Day flyer for further details. We welcome all current and new players to the AGM and Open Day.

We have a small active committee who would love to have some more parent support to help with some practical tasks required throughout the season. We are also looking for someone who may be interested in filling the role of treasurer for the club. Please contact Karen Hillier on 0431 834 126 for further details.

Come and support us at the tennis **AGM on the 6th August at 7.30pm.**

Looking forward to seeing you there. Everyone is welcome!!



Clarendon Kindergarten

invites you to join our

OPEN DAY

Saturday | August 24th | From 10AM - 12PM
82 Grants Gully RD Clarendon

Join us for a light morning tea and to learn more
about our environment from educators and
members of our family community

RSVP by August 23 to dl.3620.leaders@schools.sa.edu.au

www.preschools.sa.gov.au/clarendon-kindergarten

GreetingsIsland.com



Clarendon Kindergarten
cordially invites you to

Save the Date

for our

Welcome to Spring
Festival

Saturday
September 14
2019

More information to come
in the very near future.

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Clarendon Historic Hall and Museum

The Museum Committee is small but dedicated to researching, archiving, sharing and ensuring our local history is accessible to the community.

The Annual General Meeting of the Historic Hall and Museum will be held on Wednesday 14th August 2019 at 9.30am. All interested people are invited and encouraged to attend.

The monthly meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of each month at the new time of 9.30am.

The Museum is open on the last Sunday of each month from 1pm - 4pm.

The next Museum open will be Sunday 25th August 2019

The attendance book for the Bridge Centenary celebrations is in the General Store. If you didn't sign on the day we encourage you to call in to sign it soon.

Commemorative postcards are also for sale at the General Store. Please call in to see Gavin and purchase your memorabilia (\$1.50 for small and \$2 for the large).





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