COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

PORT WAKEFIELD

Wednesday 18th Nov 2026

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Monday
CFS Cadets (fortnightly) **5.00pm - 6.00pm**
CFS Training **6.00pm - 8.30pm**

Tuesday
Clementina Corner (in recession)
9.00am-1:00pm
Dr Nyoni **10.00am-1:00pm**
CMC Meetings
(1st Tuesday of each month) **6.00pm**

Wednesday
Community Bus (pension week) **9.30am**

Thursday
Transfer Station Open **10am-12pm**
Community Newsletter Meeting
(3rd Thursday of each month) **7.00pm**

Saturday
UC Op-Shop **9.30am-11.30am**
Transfer Station Open **10am-12pm**

Sunday
Courthouse Museum
(2nd Sun each month) **11:30am-2:30pm**
(or by apt: 0428 765 362)
Clementina Corner (in recession)
Transfer Station Open **9.00am-11.00am**
Community Library **12.30pm-3.00pm**

Catholic Church
1st Sunday Mass Pt Wakefield **2.00pm**
4th Sunday Mass Pt Wakefield **9.30am**
Uniting Church (UC)
Service **10.00am**

Bin Days

Green Bin:	Thursday	Nov 19th
Red Bin:	Wednesday	Nov 25th
Yellow Bin:	Thursday	Nov 26th

Notice
Newsletter Summer Break

The last Port Wakefield Newsletter for 2026 will be December 16th.
The first Newsletter for 2027 will be January 20th.
*Please note our new email address above.

Tidal Pool Update



Thought for the Day
It was a golden year beyond my dreams.
I proved you're never to old
to achieve what you really want to do.
Heather Turland 1960 Australian Women's Marathon Gold Medalist (Commonwealth Games)

Our next issue will be on the 2nd Dec 2026.
News items to be submitted by email to port.w.newsletter@gmail.com or to the Newsletter box in the Post Office by **Fri 27th Nov 2026**
Info Phone: 0409 286 177

Dr Paw Vet Clinic Balaklava

DrPaw Vet Clinic





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- Pet weight management
- Hospital care
- Dental care
- Ultrasound imaging
- General surgery
- Emergency surgery
- Soft tissue surgery
- General routine care
- In house pathology
- Pet boarding and more...

After hours: **0481 35 45 55**

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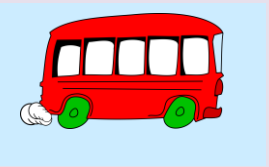
Community Bus



Dates for Community Bus
to **Balaklava-**
Dec 16th
Pickup at 9:30am
Depart Balaklava at 12:30pm
Salisbury/Munno Para
Dec 7th
Contact Wakefield Regional Council on 8862 0800 to book your seat

News from the past:
(The Chronicle Adelaide, Saturday 16th July 1904)
Port Wakefield

A skating rink syndicate has been formed and has obtained the use of the show buildings (SM Hall) for skating. A new wood floor has been completed and the rink was opened to the public last night. The undertaking promises to be a success, as the building was crowded last evening.

From: Trove.



Life's Little Instructions
Treat everyone you meet like you want to be treated.
Return things you borrow.
Challenge yourself. Aim high.

Port Wakefield Community Management Committee introduces:

Bowen by Shirley

Bowen by Shirley is coming to Port Wakefield.
Bowen is a natural, gentle therapy to relax and repair the body in its own time.

Monday 30 November 2026

Port Wakefield Community Newsletter Meeting Room,
15 Burra Street Port Wakefield.

How Long: 1 hour treatment

Group of 2 can be booked in together i.e. A couple, 2 friends, 2 family members.

By appointment only.

For bookings and information

Call Shirley 0439 884 742



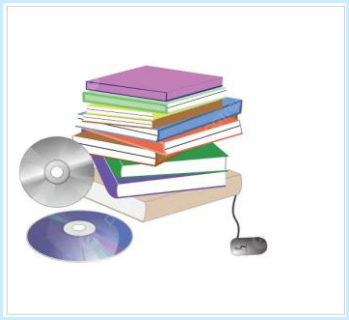
SALE

United Church Op Shop
Mine Street, Port Wakefield

Saturday 28th November 2026
9.30am – 1pm



Buy a Bag $5
fill it from:



Men's, Ladies, and Kids clothing all sizes
Shoes
Curtains, Cushions, Towels etc.
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Toys
Books
Much, Much More



Come and look.
We would love to see you.
Gay, Dianne, Marg
Se ya there

Legal responsibilities of cat owners

Mandatory desexing

Cats are prolific breeders. In just seven years, a single litter can produce thousands of cats if breeding is left unchecked.

Many of these will be euthanised due to poor health and because there is not enough homes or resources to care for them. Desexing is the humane, practical solution.

- All cats born after 1 July 2018 must be desexed by 6 months of age*
- When you acquire a new cat it must be desexed within 28 days

Cats can only be desexed by a veterinary surgeon.



Nativity Word Scramble

All these words come from the Christmas story. Can you unscramble them?

1. STRA _ _ _ _
2. MAGREN _ _ _ _ _ _
3. MYAR _ _ _ _
4. SEPHE _ _ _ _ _
5. DOEYKN _ _ _ _ _ _
6. AEGLN _ _ _ _ _
7. JPHOES _ _ _ _ _ _
8. JSSEU _ _ _ _ _
9. KIGSN _ _ _ _ _
10. STBALE _ _ _ _ _ _



GLAZED PINEAPPLE HAM

6kg ham (you can use a smaller easy carve ham if you like).
Whole cloves for decorating.
¼ cup pineapple or apricot jam/conserve.
1/3 cup brown sugar.
440g can pineapple slices in natural juice.

1. Preheat oven to 180°C (160°C fan forced). Place ham in a roasting pan, bake 30min. Cool 10 min. Cut through rind at shank end. Remove rind by running your thumb around the edge under the rind at the widest part.

2. Using the tip of a sharp knife, lightly score the fat's surface on the diagonal at 2cm intervals, then score in the opposite direction to form a diamond pattern. Place a clove in the centre of each diamond. Place ham back into roasting pan.

3. Combine conserve, sugar and pineapples juices from the can, brush over the ham. Cover shank end with foil, bake for a further 40 min. Add pineapple slices to pan and bake for 20 min. Serve as desired.





Clare Valley Cup
Sunday 22nd November 2026

Friday Country Racing
Friday 12th February 2027

Easter Saturday Races
Saturday 27th March 2027

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24SEVEN CAFE

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POSITIONS AVAILABLE

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Birthdays



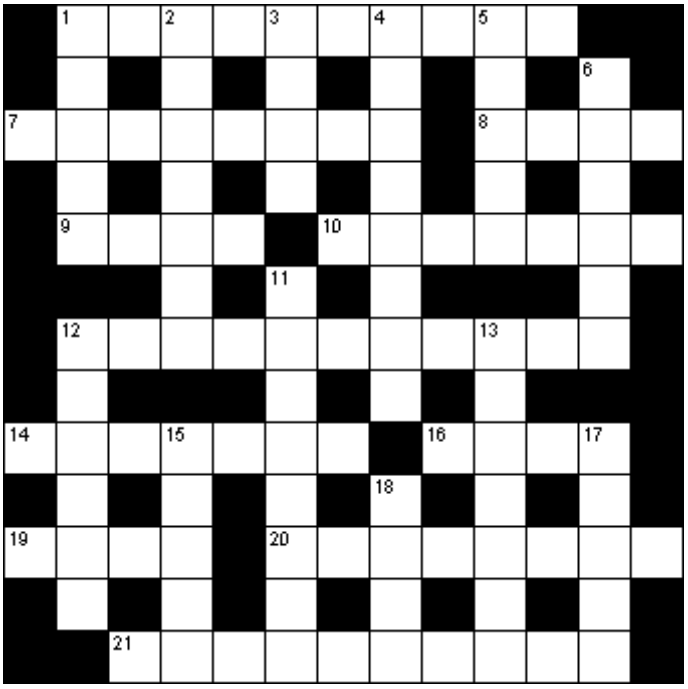
November
Birthstone – Topaz
Flower – Chrysanthemum

Nov	20th	David Robertson
	22nd	Beth Tugwell
	26th	Melanie Yeates
		Robert Chadbourn
		Sarah Freund
	30th	Tom Robertson

December
Birthstone – Turquoise
Flower – Narcissus

Dec	1st	Bick Tran
		Cruz Boon
		Jessica Baker-Hayman

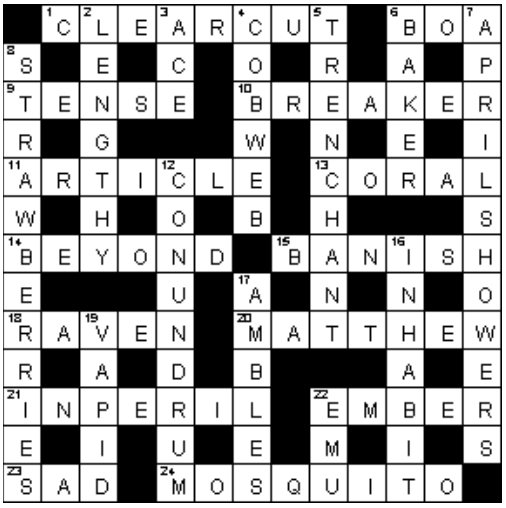
Crossword 11



ACROSS
1 Temperature scale (10)
7 Holiday (8)
8 Cain's brother (4)
9 Small branch (4)
10 Border plant (7)
12 Puppets on strings (11)
14 Complain (7)
16 Pile (4)
19 Half of a quart (4)
20 Crested parrot (8)
21 Understand (10)

DOWN
1 Banquet (5)
2 Weightier (7)
3 One of the Great Lakes (4)
4 Result of excessive drinking (8)
5 Fatuous (5)
6 Dangers (6)
11 Paper size (8)
12 Space at edge of page (6)
13 Aged between 12 and 20 (7)
15 Paris underground (5)
17 Haughty (5)
18 Hurt (4)

Crossword 10 Solution



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