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#### Story Alyssa Mackay

ith all the ingredients for a dazzling night out, it's no surprise Irish music and dance sensation A Taste of Ireland has added another Redcliffe show to their national tour.

After selling out the evening performance, a matinee has now been added to the 28 April show date at Redcliffe Entertainment Centre, for those keen to see the feel-good theatre spectacular.

Lead dancer Ceili Moore said the sell-out show was testament to how much the Redcliffe crowds loved the show and were looking forward to seeing it return.

"I'm personally very much looking forward to performing there," Ceili said. "The audience loved it so much last time."

This is the second national tour for A Taste of Ireland following a successful first run in 2019. This time around there are new sets, costumes, songs, and effects ready to impress when a cast of world-class Irish dancers, folk musicians, and contemporary vocalists take to the stage, performing 90 shows across the country.

Ceili said the name A Taste of Ireland gave a good snapshot of what audiences could expect from the show.

"It explores the history and culture that Ireland has to offer through Irish music and dance," she said. "It's also a lot of fun, with everyone having a laugh and lots of Irish craic."

"We have some of the world's best performers from Riverdance and Lord of the Dance who are currently out here at the moment. Some of them did their last performance last year in Radio City Music Hall and the West End before they got shut down. We managed to get everyone out here and ready to go for the show.

"We have a mixture of international and Australian performers including the very best Australian Irish dancers, world champion dancers, as well as some home-grown stars.

"We feel very lucky to have the best to offer on stage here."

And with overseas travel still difficult, this show couldn't have come at a better time.

"One of the things we've been saying is you can't go to Ireland, so we will bring Ireland to you," Ceili said.

To book tickets for the matinee go to: www. redcliffeentertainmentcentre.com.au and search A Taste of Ireland under events.

A Taste of Ireland - Matinee Wednesday, 28 April, 4pm-5:55pm Redcliffe Entertainment Centre Downs Street, Redcliffe





# ARJ BARKER COMES CLEAN



Australia's adopted son of comedy, Arj Barker, brings his own brand of satire and observational comedy to the Peninsula in his new show full of home truths and twisted takes on partial truths.

#### Story Sally Eberhardt

rj Barker Comes Clean promises fun and surprises as US-born Arj shares his unique and hilarious views on life and current affairs. A veteran of many international comedy festivals, Arj said he wanted the audience to feel relieved that they had bought a ticket.

"Laughing is so healthy, so perhaps they will leave the show feeling rejuvenated, like they've been to a spa for their mind – and happy," Arj said.

Arj first tried stand-up comedy on a dare when he was 19, and instantly fell in love with it. He dropped out of college, hit the road, and has rarely stopped since. Performing all over the globe, Arj enjoys a great following here in Australia but said he refused to commit to one place.

"I love performing in the best cities," he said. "And obviously that narrows it down to just a few: San Francisco, New York, London, Paris, and Redcliffe.

"As far as where I live permanently, the answer is nowhere – as nothing is permanent. However, I have been basing myself in Melbourne over the last 12 months or so."

During COVID-19 lockdowns in Melbourne, Arj said he had spent a lot of time with his dogs, which was a real treat.

"They don't love it when I go away, and to be honest I'm not sure they aren't behind this whole pandemic."

You may recognise Arj, who is also an actor and writer, from Flight of the Conchords, Last Comic Standing, and Thank God You're Here, as well as numerous TV guest appearances both in the USA and Australia. At the ARIA Music Awards of 2019, he won Best Comic Release for his album titled Organic.

For more information, and to book your ticket, go to the Redcliffe Entertainment Centre website and search Arj Barker under events.

Prepare your funnybone for tickling. Don't miss this rare chance to see such a high-calibre comedian right here.

Arj Barker Comes Clean Friday, 23 April, 8pm-9.30pm Redcliffe Entertainment Centre Downs Street, Redcliffe

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# REDCLIFFE FESTIVAL OF



# SAILING INTO EASTER



#### Story Aleasha Bliss

edcliffe's favourite yearly event, Redcliffe Festival of Sails, is back and is promising to wow the crowds with a fun family day in the lead-up to Easter.

Suttons Beach will be packed with market stalls, live entertainment, tasty food and handcrafted sand sculptures aligning the shore. Enjoy the festivities while taking in the view of the bay as the Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht race passes by.

Moreton Bay Region Industry and Tourism (MBRIT) event and marketing manager Ashleigh Kindred said the Redcliffe Festival of Sails would be a day packed with COVID-safe Easter-themed entertainment and activities between 9am and 4pm on Good Friday.

"Kids will love the free entertainment, Easter egg hunt, and a visit from the Easter Bunny," Ashleigh said. "Mum and Dad can roam through the hundreds of market stalls and enjoy live music and entertainment from three stages.

"Don't forget the infamous pop-up ice cream festival, beach activities and life-size sand sculptures. Not to mention the Suttons Beach foreshore is prime view position for this year's Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht race."

Ashleigh said in order to make the event COVIDsafe they have had to take out things like rides, face painting and pony rides.



Sadly, this also meant the Easter Bunny wasn't able to sky dive in," she said. "But we have another trick entrance up our sleeve."

MBRIT is anticipating a great turnout this year with an awesome buzz on Facebook about the event after the beloved foreshore festival was first on the chopping block for event cancellations in 2020.

"It is important to support the small business owners this year more than ever," Ashleigh said. "Market stallholders were hit hard last year. Sadly, some small businesses just didn't make it through. The event team have worked tirelessly on the market layout, which has been carefully crafted to include all elements of COVID safety."

Visitors to the Redcliffe Festival of Sails are encouraged to take advantage of the free event park-and-ride service with shuttle buses operating between 8.30am to 5.00pm from Redcliffe Showgrounds and Kippa-Ring Station.

www.redcliffefestivalofsails.com.au

REDCLIFFE FESTIVAL OF SAILS FRIDAY, 2 APRIL, 9:00AM-4:00PM SUTTONS BEACH, REDCLIFFE

# CASSI MARIE TO SHINE AT SAILS

Story Aleasha Bliss

t the 2021 Redcliffe Festival of Sails, your ears will be spoilt for choice with many local musicians and bands that will add to the enjoyment of the day. One of the talented singer-songwriters, Cassi Marie, will be playing two separate sets and is excited for her debut at the annual event.

Cassi – now 19 – started performing and released her first single at the age of nine before writing songs for a children's clothing brand. She has since made a name for herself at many Australian music festivals.

"I have always written my own music," Cassi said.
"I have released five EPs in the last 10 years and have performed at the Tamworth Country Music Festival, the Gympie Muster, and the Caloundra Music Festival.

"When I was 12, I won the Gympie Music Muster's Talent Search, and I am working on my latest single at the moment."

She said she has had many changes in her music styles over the years and described her current style as alternative indie.

"I get my music inspiration from feelings and

situations in my life," Cassi said. "It comes from everywhere and makes the writing process really fun.

"I have some new music that I will share at the Redcliffe Festival of Sails, and I'm really looking forward to a fun day."

Cassi Marie will be on the Northern Stage at 9am and at 12:30 at Busking Spot 1 in the southern food court.



# REDCLIFFE FESTIVAL OF



FRIDAY, 2 APRIL, 9AM-4PM SUTTONS BEACH, REDCLIFFE

# **PROGRAM**

This year we have three amazing stages of live entertainment + three busking spots packed with talent. Listen to some amazing local talent within the food courts while you enjoy your lunch. Keep the kids entertained all day long in the Kids Zone while children's entertainers perform on the Little Sailors Stage. \*Programs subject to change.

#### LITTLE SAILORS STAGE

The Little Sailors Stage can be found in the Kids Z	one
Sharon Alback Dancers	9:10am
Red Music & Dance Centre	9:40am
Cheeky Monkey Club	10:10am
Showtime Stars Presents Princess Air's	
Swashbuckling Pirate Adventure	10:40am
Workshop Wonders Presents	
The Easter Bunny Dance Show	11:20am
SuperSteph Magic Show	12:00pm
Cheeky Monkey Club	12:40pm
Workshop Wonders Presents	
The Easter Bunny Dance Show	1:10pm
Larrikin Puppets Show	1:50pm
Caillin Malley	2:30pm

#### **NORTHERN STAGE**

Located in the Northern Food Court	
Cassi Marie	9am
Sam B	10:15am
Caillin Malley	12:30pm
Kyle Bryant	1:45pm

#### **SOUTHERN STAGE**

Located in he Southern Food Court	
Ella Jones	9am
Ollie Murk	10:15am
Kiani Jazz	12:30pm
Lucy Korts	1:45pm



### **BUSKING SPOT 1**

Located at the Northern most point of the Southern Food Court

Ruby Gilbert	9am
Peppermint Ollie	10:15am
Cassi Marie	12:30pm
Zoo Quinn	1·//5nm

#### **BUSKING SPOT 2**

Located next to Market Alley

Kiani Jazz	9am
LeviX & Dad	10:15am
IndiElla	12:30pm
Frank & Louis	1:45pm

## **BUSKING SPOT 3**

Located within the Pop-Up Ice Cream Fair

Sarah Savannah	9am
Matt Kairl	10:15am
Sarah Savannah	12:30pm
Nicole McKinney	1:45pm

Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht Race

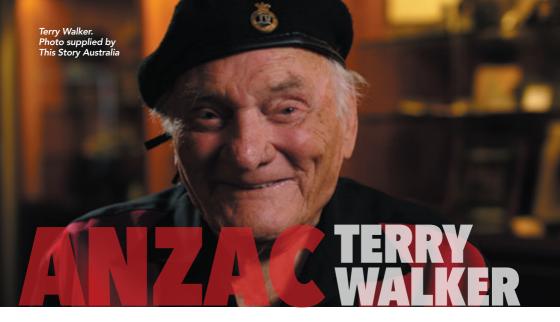
Healthy and Active Moreton Bay	9am-4pm
Anglicare Easter Craft	9am-4pm
Egg & Spoon Races	9am-4pm



### **BEACH ZONE**

Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht Race

Redcliffe Surf Life Saving Patrolled Beach	7am-5pm
Beach Activities	9am-4pm
Sand Sculpture & More	9am-4pm
Healthy and Active Moreton Bay	9am-4pm
Kite Flying Demonstrations & Kite Flying Workshops	9am-4pm
ANZ Hot Shots Beach Tennis	9am-4pm



## **Just Getting On With It**

Story compiled by Robyn Baker

ow can any of us forget last year's Anzac Day when, for the first time in history, Australians came together with their neighbours to commemorate in our driveways. So many of us, whilst still social distancing, showed our appreciation. It was a sombre time acknowledging how grateful we were for our freedom.

With Anzac Day upon us we again set aside time to remember those brave souls who fought and served for our country. The sacrifices, actions, and experiences of these men and women has indeed made them extraordinary.

Terry Walker, a well-recognised Redcliffe local born in Secunderabad, India, on 25 November, 1923, is one of these brave souls who, at the tender age of 15, was too young to join the regular military forces. He enlisted at Aldershot, England on 30 May, 1938, in the Calvary of the Line, as a Bugler.

Terry had a few health imperfections which made him ineligible for active service. He eventually became a Trooper with the Royal Hussars (RH) as a British Artillery Soldier. Serving primarily in Wales as a gunnery trainer on tank ranges, he has some colourful stories, particularly involving Americans and their inability to stop firing during target practice. Terry was the colloquial 'Ten Pound Pom', arriving in Fremantle, Western Australia, in 1957, before moving to Redcliffe. He was instrumental in the construction of the Botanical Gardens in Redcliffe, and also filled his time in lapidary practices.

Brisbane charity This Story Australia is on a mission to preserve the many untold stories like Terry's, by documenting them through profiles, biographies, and digital video vignettes, preserving them for generations to come.

Terry's profile story can be viewed on This Story Australia's website, along with many other stories.

In the video interview, Terry talks about how lucky he was to still be able to attend a dance even after just being missed by a bomb whilst going about his normal day-to-day business during war times. As Terry said, "we just took it in our stride".

Thank you for your service Terry. Lest We Forget.

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#### Story Alyssa Mackay

he Redcliffe community will once again gather to honour the sacrifices of Australian service men and women when the Anzac Day Dawn Service returns this year.

The Queensland Government has given approval for Anzac Day services to proceed as normal after being cancelled last year due to COVID-19 restrictions.

Redcliffe RSL vice president Cheryl Barrett said the RSL had organised a COVID-safe event plan for the dawn service only. That means there will not be a cemetery service, Woody Point service, mid-morning service, or parade this year.

"Queensland Health have advised that if marches and services are planned for Anzac Day they must follow COVID-safe planning and restrictions," Cheryl said.

"The Redcliffe RSL board and management are focused on keeping our veterans and the community COVID-safe."

The theme for the dawn service is WW2 Comes to Australia. Only veterans will be marching this year, stepping off at 5:15am in Baker Street, with the service commencing at Anzac Place at 5:30am.

RSL president Neville Cullen will make an address, and renowned poet Rupert McCall will appear, reading one of his works.

Seating will be available for VIPs, people with disabilities, veterans, ex-veteran groups and

the elderly. All attendees must follow social distancing rules.

For those unable to attend, such as those in high risk categories, the service will be broadcast live from Anzac Place on 99.7FM.

Once the service is complete and the enclosed area vacated, the general public will have the opportunity to pay their respects and lay wreaths at the war memorial until the area closes at 7:30am.

Cheryl said the Redcliffe RSL would be hosting a gun fire breakfast following the service.

"As a sign of respect, all veterans wearing medals and their immediate families will be admitted first," Cheryl said.

After breakfast, the RSL will open to the public with a game of Two-Up commencing at 1pm.

There are no shuttle services this year. Parking is available at Pearson Park in Klingner Road, and disability parking available across the road from the police station. No parking is permitted in the showgrounds.

Attendees must register their details online for contact tracing purposes. Visit: www. eventbrite.com.au and search for the event name – Anzac Day Dawn Service Redcliffe.

Anzac Day Dawn Service Sunday, 25 April, 5:30am-6:30am Anzac Place. 186 Redcliffe Parade. Redcliffe



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# FLASH-BACKTO THE 60S

quite a bit but still loved the stage.

"I still enjoy singing these songs," she said.
"It's what the audience wants to hear and while I can still get out there and do the music – why not? I might not be able to party like I used to but while I can keep singing, I will."

Dinah said she had performed many shows in the past with both Normie and Jade, and said she had also shared Johnny O'Keefe as a manager with Jade.

"Normie came through the Vietnam War and I entertained the troops there in the '60s," she said. "We have been through the hard times and kept hanging in there with our music. We have still got the go-getem attitude to continue to entertain our audience."

Along with her big hits, Dinah will be throwing in some surprises for the audience and the three of them will do a few pieces together between their individual performances.

"It's been a great career for me," Dinah said. "I came up through the Beatles era, with audiences going wild and trying to rip their clothes off – Normie had a bit of that in his day. Although, I doubt that will happen this time around.

"It makes me happy to see people enjoying the music and having a good time. Most of the time everyone knows the words and are singing along as

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well. It's great – even if I forget the words they will sing those forgotten words as well."

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## Three Legends in Concert

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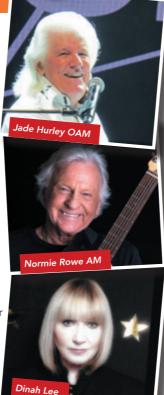
These three music legends took Australia by storm, with Normie, Dinah, and Jade each creating lasting classic careers. Still popular today, their top hits are played on classic commercial radio stations.

Dinah Lee hit fame in 1964 with her debut single Don't you know Yockomo?, soaring to the top of the charts before following up

with a further 14 top hits. She is still known as the Queen of the Mods – a term given to her for her modern fashion trends.

Dinah said audiences could expect a great concert that's full of fun. "It's great music with a beat that you can tap your feet to and have a bit of fun," she said.

Dinah said it had been 57 years since her first single was released; she has slowed down



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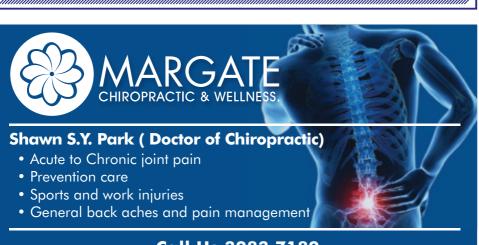
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Carolyn Rothwell

# A Taste of Thailand in Redcliffe

Story **Jodie Woodward** Photo **Bruce Redman** 

s it time to brush up on your cooking skills? Local event planner Wild Cherry Events is branching out to include themed cooking classes as part of its offering.

Wild Cherry Events founder and co-owner Carolyn Rothwell said the classes had been on the radar for about 12 months due to a number of requests within the community and on their social media pages.

"We have been searching for a qualified chef we felt would be able to join with us and create an experience within the philosophy we stand by," Carolyn said. "We also wanted to carry on with the theming we love so much and so the chef we chose needed to be able to adapt to this."

Each themed cooking class will include a twohour lesson taught by a professional chef, all equipment at your own cooking station, ingredients, and a copy of the recipe to take home with you. Tea, coffee, and cold drinks will also be provided throughout the evening.

April's class is called A Taste of Thailand.

"At the end of each class participants will be able to join together to eat their creations in our themed dining area," Carolyn said. "Thailand will come to life with a uniquely-styled area just for the participants of the night."

Carolyn said she hoped that by providing these cooking classes in the local community people who may not be able to attend classes in locations further afield would have the opportunity to attend.

"We hope these classes will not only teach people how to cook a new recipe but will also encourage them to try the skills they learn at home, boost their self-confidence within the kitchen, provide a safe environment to try something new, encourage friendship and laughter, and provide a relaxed atmosphere in which to learn," she said.

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Cost: \$25.00\*

#### **ARJ BARKER - COMES CLEAN**

Be prepared for some home truths, some vague truths and some information none of us are ready to hear, because Arj Barker brings the hilarity and lots of it. PG15+

When: Friday, 23 April 2021 | 8PM

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# **Bex, the Australian** Answer to Aspirin

Story Richard Lancaster

ust over 60 years ago, the citizens of like most Australians, bombarded with a new advertising slogan: "Have a cup of tea, a Bex, and a good lie down." And with it, a new analgesic icon was born. Until then, the so-called silent generation and the early baby boomers had relied on aspirin to cure their aches and pains.

Business and trades people, even housewives and children, started popping pills at an amazing rate. The Bex phenomenon was born.

At its zenith, and such was the power of its promotion, Bex became part of Australian phraseology. "Go and take a Bex" was a commonly directed comment at people who had a problem - any problem. A comedy revue aptly named A Cup of Tea, A Bex and A Good Lie Down ran for a record 250 performances at Sydney's Phillip Street Theatre in 1966. Even as recently as 2011, former Prime Minister Kevin Rudd, after being heckled by journalists about his challenge to the then Prime Minister Julia Gillard, told them to "take a Bex".

But after a decade or so of consumer indulgence, a more sinister side of the medication emerged. Made from a combination of aspirin, phenacetin, and caffeine (A.P.C.), and along with its product rival Vincent's Powder, Bex was found to be harmful to humans, being linked to serious kidney disease. In 1967, the Australian National Health and Medical Research Council recommended the removal of phenacetin from the Pharmaceutical Benefits List. The writing was on the wall for Bex and Vincent's Powder, and in 1977 these products finally disappeared from chemist and supermarket shelves.

So when you hear an old timer say "go and take a Bex", you'll get his meaning.

# **CHAMBER CHAT** with **Brad Flynn**

# It's Win-Win or No Deal

his principle is an absolute game changer for all areas in business (and life for that matter), yet so few business owners are aware of it, let alone actively apply it.

When two people are in some kind of negotiation, setting this ground rule right up front is key. The second most important thing is for both people to have a common commitment that there is a way for each to really get what they want, that is a win and not

Let's say, for example, you have a staff member who is seeking a pay rise (assuming that CPI and any other factors are allowed for).

This is an obvious win for the employee, as they are going to get more money. However, it is a loss for the employer as they will give more money out, thus have lower profit. So it is a win-lose situation, in which case, a no-deal.

However, what if we were to provide the employee with additional training that would improve their output and effectiveness, so that we get a win for the business in the form of either increased profit and maybe even decreased waste or customer returns or complaints. A win-win deal.

This principle is also very apt in the family dynamic, when there are many people involved.

Always assume it exists, then work together to find the win-win, or it's no deal.

For more information on how to watch this livestream or join the chamber, visit www. redcliffepeninsulachamber.org.au



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# This Month's Featured Artist: Lionel Doyle

Multi award-winner, Lionel Doyle, has a degree in Indigenous Contemporary Australia Art & is a lecturer on Traditional & Contemporary Aboriginal Art in numerous schools. Lionel has also painted murals, performed traditional dance & played the didgeridoo at schools around QLD & NSW.

He has an impressive portfolio & has exhibited in galleries in Germany, Trade Fair Korea, Brisbane, Emerald Hill, Melbourne & had solo exhibitions in NSW & QLD



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Story Eve Vickerson Photo Bruce Redman

hirty years ago, Sandy King witnessed the extraordinary in a hospital audiology department.

She was on placement in her final year of a science degree at The University of Queensland.

"Seeing what the audiologist did in those departments was quite amazing and I thought that this is what really feels right for me," Sandy said. "So I went back to uni and did a further course in audiology. The rest is history."

Now the manager of Hearing Australia at Redcliffe and Caboolture, Sandy said that it was a privilege to be able to help people with their hearing.

"For me, if I can help and support and assist people with their hearing and just give people back the ability to communicate with those that mean the most to them, that's a pretty amazing thing," she said.

"Why I do what I do is because hearing is so very important for all of us – being able to hear our families, our friends and loved ones, it's just such an important part of life for all of us.

"I think last year proved it even more than ever before, just how important good communication is for people to feel connected; for people who can't hear well and therefore can't communicate well with others, it's an incredibly hard and challenging task that they face every day."

Sandy said that Hearing Australia had a long tradition of helping people nation-wide, and had a special connection to Redcliffe.

"We [Hearing Australia] were established about 70 years ago to meet the needs of returning servicemen after the war, and to assist children born with hearing loss following the rubella outbreaks in the late '40s and early '50s," she said. "We've been here in Redcliffe for over 40 years. We were one of the very early Hearing Australia branches here in Queensland."

The best part about working on the Peninsula, for Sandy, is the people. "There's just some lovely, lovely patients that we've been able to help and support with their hearing over so many years," she said. "It's just a lovely community and it always has been. I think it still has that wonderful community feel."

Hearing Australia provides government-funded services under the Australian Government Hearing Services program. More information is available at www.hearing.com.au.



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  vaccinated against
  COVID-19 as soon as
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- Rapidly respond to outbreaks of COVID-19
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Queensland's frontline health workers, quarantine workers and aged care and disability care residents and workers are currently being vaccinated.

Find out more about the COVID vaccine rollout by visiting www.qld.gov.au/covid19vaccine

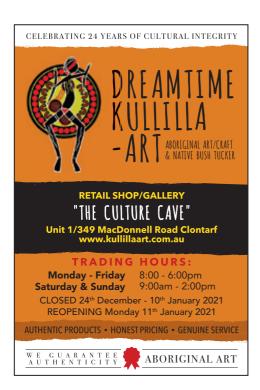
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Micah the prophet said in
Chapter 5 [ 710 B.C. ] "You Bethlehem
Ephratah.....out of you shall come a
RULER...... Who is FROM
EVERLASTING. The apostle Paul stated
"In Him [ Jesus Christ ] dwells all the
FULLNESS OF THE GODHEAD bodily
[ Col. 2:9]

All this is found in the child born of a virgin, wrapped in swaddling cloths lying in a manger. Jesus went on to become a man and dying on the cross to bear our sins in His own body.

[ 1 Peter. 2:24 ] We worship Him andlove Him..... do you?

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# PROPOSALS SHORTLISTED FOR MORETON BAY BARGE

Story Alyssa Mackay

Easier travel between Redcliffe and Moreton Island is another step closer following a successful expression of interest process for a new barge service.

The state sought expressions of interest last year from experienced proponents willing to establish a barge service between the mainland and Moreton Island (Mulgumpin).

Member for Redcliffe Yvette D'Ath said the Department of Transport and Main Roads had concluded the expression of interest invitation stage, and had successfully identified and shortlisted proposals.

"The proposals are for anywhere on the Redcliffe Peninsula, which has opened up more opportunity for private operators to run a commercial service," Ms D'Ath said.

"These proponents are now in discussions with the Department of Transport and Main Roads, to enable the department to obtain all required information for them to make an informed decision."

Ms D'Ath said the Palaszczuk Government had committed \$4 million to support the barge service and that locals would know this long-standing commitment would not only benefit the local community but the entire region.

"Once established, the barge service will increase tourism and visitors to our wonderful community," she said. "It will see visitors shopping at our local retailers, stocking up on last minute camping and day trip supplies, and will provide yet another reason for people to visit Redcliffe."

#### Easter Putt and Hunt Fun

Undersea Putt and Play will host a putt and hunt during the Easter weekend. Enjoy a round of putt putt at any time from Friday, 2 April to Sunday, 4 April, and join in on the egg hunt. Every round of putt putt is filled with delicious surprises. Undersea Putt and Play, 20 Anzac Avenue, Redcliffe.

### Mousetrap Theatre Event

Mousetrap Theatre Company Inc. is bringing its new interactive comedy murder, Death at Bracken Manor, to the stage from 30 April -16 May. Come dressed to the nines as there will be prizes for best dressed and best team name, BYO nibbles and drinks. To book, visit: www.mousetraptheatre.asn.au.

## Disney Trivia

Do you think you know everything there is to know about the Disney classics? Put your knowledge to the test at Wild Cherry Events Disney Trivia night on Saturday, 10 April, from 7pm-9.30pm. If you don't have enough team members, don't worry, organisers will put you with some fellow Disney fans. This event is open to all ages. For more information and to book, visit: wildcherryeventsbrisbane.com.au.

## Magical Wands & Journals Workshop

Drop off the kids to have some creative craft fun at Queen D's Creations. In this workshop children can choose between making a magical wand or a cover in a journal, with Cheryl teaching the art of powertex. All materials are supplied along with morning tea. Suitable for ages five and up. Bookings are required. Phone 0407 086 002. Friday, 9 April from 10.30am to 12.00pm. Cost is \$25 for wands and \$25 for journals. Queen D's Creations, Shop 3 Comino Arcade Redcliffe.





## A WORD FROM OUR REPRESENTATIVES

#### Cr Karl Winchester



I recently hosted a community meeting with Yvette D'Ath MP and residents affected by parking congestion around the Redcliffe Hospital. Feedback showed a strong need to improve safety and accessibility. Council is formalising parking bays

in the side streets and yellow no-stopping lines to improve sightlines at intersections. It's vital residents have safe access to their homes and local streets.

Council has awarded a contract to deliver a new Clontarf scouts building at Isobel Street. The new building will go above and beyond the current aged premises by incorporating a bitumen car park and full Disability Discrimination Act compliant design. This project was made possible with funding from the Federal Government's COVID relief funding.

We're also splitting up the pathway connected to the Ted Smout Bridge to separate pedestrians and cyclists. This outcome will increase safety and is jointly funded by the Queensland Government's COVID Works for Queensland Program.

These initiatives help support our growing community and neighbourhoods.

#### Luke Howarth MP



A skilled workforce has neverbeen more important, with apprenticeships and traineeships forming the engine room to our recovery and success into the future. Great news with the latest figures showing 444 apprentices being signed up in the Petrie

electorate since October and 100,000 nationwide. That's brickies, cabinet makers, hairdressers, beauticians, painters, mechanics and chefs, to name a few. TAFE is a great pathway to real jobs, with students saying they are getting the real confidence to engage with employers while they are doing

#### Yvette D'Ath MP



Queenslanders have done a remarkable job dealing with COVID-19. Throughout 2020, we all had to adapt and change our way of life, to ensure that we collectively minimised the spread of COVID-19 within our community.

Queensland is in an enviable position globally, as our COVID-19 case numbers have been low and we have all done the right thing, which has enabled us to continue our way of life, relatively unchanged.

Queensland is currently rolling out the vaccine to priority quarantine and border workers and frontline health care workers. The Australian Government is rolling out the vaccine to aged care and disability residents and workers within Queensland.

As the months progress, more and more Queenslanders will receive the call-up to have the vaccine. It is important that all Queenslanders who are eligible get vaccinated, to not only protect themselves, but their fellow citizens.

I know when the opportunity comes, I will be rolling up my sleeve and putting out my arm for the COVID-19 vaccine and I know many in our community are doing the same.

However, I know that some people have questions about the vaccine. I would encourage everyone to visit the Queensland Health website via www.qld. gov.au/covid19vaccine to find out more information about this important vaccine.

their training. I recently visited The Australian Trade College at Scarborough and heard of its great success with 80 per cent of students graduating and finding work quickly. The Boosting Apprentices Commencement program is supporting this.

As the Assistant Minister for Youth and Employment Services, my focus is on youth unemployment, which sits about double the general workforce unemployment. I am determined to help young people access jobs and build connections to employers and each other as the economy recovers. With the 50 per cent wage subsidy being offered, there has never been a better time to sign up an apprentice. Please contact my office on 3284 8008 if you can hire an apprentice.





14 April to 9 May 2021

#### Tricia REUST - Heather DELANEY

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# Redcliffe Reflections

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# Meet the School CAPTAINS.



(from left) Nicholas Dugri, Marley Appleton, Grace Gardiner, Lucy Scott.

All students are encouraged to demonstrate leadership skills at St Kieran's Primary School. We congratulate all our Year 6 senior students for 2021, who, through our leadership ministries, will lead our school. We are proud to introduce our school captains for 2021, Grace Gardiner and Marley Appleton and our vice captains Nicholas Dugri and Lucy Scott.

#### ST KIERAN'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

15 Greenwood St, Brighton Phone: 3269 5989





KERRYN HAMILTON-SMITH Captain



ETHAN MCLEARY Captain

Our theme for 2021 is 'You are part of the miracle'. Our vision for the College is for us all to embrace our differences through accepting each and everyone's unique purpose. The more support we give each other, the stronger we will be.

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College Captain Holly Megaw & Vice Captain Caitlyn Douglas

As the St John Fisher College Community celebrates 40 years in 2021, I am honoured and proud to serve as the College Captain. This year's theme of Small acts: Big Impacts aims to recognise small actions, not only by those today but also by those before us, and those into the future, who inspire and empower our young women every day, not just at the college, but also into the broader community. – Holly Megaw

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# THE KOMO: YOUR NEW LOCAL



#### Story Aleasha Bliss

he Komo has partially opened its doors and the revamped venue's luxe makeover is set to impress as the final stage is nearing completion.

The public bar, TAB, and gaming room opened on 3 March, and Lewis Leisure hotel manager Chris Allison said the locals that had visited were loving the new look and feel.

"We have been putting some air in the tyres," Chris said. "It's been a great few days of pouring some beer and wine, putting the staff in place and getting to know some of the locals.

"The response so far has been really fantastic. The thing about The Komo is that everyone wants it to be a great venue. We felt that from the moment we bought it and there are a lot of positive sentiments towards the venue.

"They want it to be their local and we are doing our best to provide them with that."

Chris said they were hoping to have a soft opening to the public by Easter, and want to make sure everything is running smoothly before the official Grand Opening in May.

"We are really proud of The Komo," Chris said. "It is a beautiful venue, and I don't think I've seen any other like it.









"We are really excited about the charcoal rotisserie in particular, and the venue itself has some beautiful soft tones to it and celebrates the ocean and the local area. We are really excited for people to come in and experience something different."

While patrons await the grand reveal, Chris invites everyone to come in and enjoy the public bar and be amoug the first to see the progress.

"Our gaming room is spacious and a gold class gaming room, with a marble bar set to dark and gold tones," he said. "The public bar is bright, airy and nothing like the nightclub that used to be there.

"Our public bar has got really nice cold beer, great facilities, excellent TAB, and sporting screens. The staff are really lovely, and the best part is if you come in now you can sneak a peek through the doors and get a preview of the main attraction of the lounge area it will have booth seats and beautiful, huge pendant lights."

THE KOMO 99 MARINE PARADE **REDCLIFFE** P 3284 6520

# **Joen** DINING GUIDE



161 Redcliffe Pde, Redcliffe

**Bakery Café** 

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Japanese, Sushi

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Story Eve Vickerson Photo Bruce Redman

MEAC is a military acronym for giving a set of orders so that each soldier knows what they need to do and why.

Knowing why is important. It gives you purpose.

General manager of SMEAC Inc Tim Cuming said that one of the most important words in the English language was 'purposeful'.

"Without it you've got nothing," Tim said.

"What we're trying to do is replace that sense of purpose. It's about reconnection. We want to integrate people back into society, retrain them and give them purposeful, meaningful employment."

The Redcliffe local co-founded the not-for-profit with fellow veteran Ray Carson, to help save the lives of veterans by giving them the best opportunity to transition from life in the defence force.

"It's about veterans helping veterans to help the next generation," Tim said.

"Since 2001, we've lost about 41 [soldiers] on operations and at the same time we're looking at about 680 to suicide."

As an ex-paratrooper, Tim knows all too well the challenges facing ex-defence force personnel.

"At some point, a soldier will get discharged. Sometimes it happens really quickly. You've been part of a really important team, working together.

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Your life depends on each other. Then, that sense of purpose that you have in the military and the camaraderie with all your mates are both no longer there."

SMEAC Inc's mission is to establish Camp X-Ray on the site of a derelict school campground. Tim hopes to refurbish it into Australia's first Veteran Transition Facility Centre to be run and operated by veterans.

"We're trying to get a system going where we can train up veterans to run adventure programs for school camps. It will be done professionally and safely."

Tim said that they also plan to run intervention programs for disadvantaged youth to give them positive pathways instead of entering the youth justice system.

"We want to build them up instead of knocking them down. We want to teach them [outdoor] skills like how to climb, how to rappel; as well as skills like turning up on time, thinking skills, being able to communicate, and learning how to plan."

They need to get planning approval from the local government and secure \$2.5 million in funding to get the centre up and running.

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elebrate the prolific and inspiring songs of Cat Stevens as Darren Coggan takes to the stage at Redcliffe Entertainment Centre this month. Darren has been performing the insightful works of Cat Stevens for 10 years, and takes his audience on a personal journey of the musician's life.

Darren said the show would be a celebration of the music of Cat Stevens. He was lucky enough to meet the legendary singer and songwriter in 2007.

"I was invited over to London and got to meet the man," Darren said. "I heard some incredible stories first-hand about his own personal journey and the reasons why at the height of his career – in the mid '70s – he walked away from everything.

"I try to take our audience on a similar journey and celebrate Cat Stevens' greatest hits. It's a really beautiful show and we are presenting this particular tour with a string quartet, which I'm really excited about.

"It's a really intimate presentation and his music lends itself to that with beautiful songs and stories."

Darren had a great start to the tour with a sell-out performance to 1400 guests at QPAC, and said he was looking forward to bringing the tribute to Redcliffe.

"I don't come out and pretend to be Cat Stevens or dress up like him," he said. "I come out as myself and it's a show about my relationship with the music of Cat Stevens. I take the audience on a journey of discovery similar to what he went through and celebrate his great catalogue of music.

"I think the music of Cat Stevens – even though some of these songs are 50 years old – have messages of peace and tolerance and understanding, and all those beautiful themes are still so very relevant in our world today."

Darren said the show would leave the audience feeling positive and encouraged about the future and that was the secret to the show's success.

"All of these songs become bookmarks in our lives, and they seem like they have been written specially for us," Darren said. "These great songs speak very clearly not only to his original fans, but to today's generation also."

You can purchase your tickets or find out more information: www.redcliffeentertainmentcentre.com. au/Events/Cat-Stevens

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# WHAT'S **AROUND TOWN**



#### Story Nadia Chapman

The Redcliffe Markets is putting on two Easter bonanzas this month, so grab your Easter baskets and come on down.

These free events will take place on Good Friday and Easter Sunday, from 8am-2pm on Redcliffe Parade.

Organiser Natalea Noves said the event was not one to miss, with multiple activities and hundreds of stalls to browse.

"You'll find the freshest artisan produce, fashion, design and homewares from designermakers. Easter-themed decoration, an egg hunt, and chocolate." Natalea said.

Kids will receive chocolate from the market's very own Easter bunny, and there will be raffles and prizes that everyone can enter.

"With egg-ceptional desserts and sweets, plus gifts and games galore, you'll never get bored," Natalea said.

Bookings aren't essential.



If you're ready to have a boogie-woogie, the Jumping Goats Bar is hosting the Piano Wizard, Andrew Farrell, this month.

The free event will take place on Friday, 9 April, from 7-10pm and is the perfect place to relax and have a drink or two.

The Piano Wizard is a singer and songwriter who is most famous for Australian blues, jazz, and extraordinary classic piano playing.

Andrew uses all 88 keys on the piano, providing a real depth and texture to his musical performance, while his vocal range complements the rest.

Locals can expect to hear a mix of Leonard Cohen, Ray Charles, and Oscar Peterson, to name a few.

Bookings are essential and tickets include a beer, wine or soft drink on arrival.

If you're looking for some family fun this Easter, Emerge Church is hosting a Good Friday Fun Day for everyone in the local community.

This free event will take place on Friday, 2 April, from 3-5pm at the Redcliffe Church and is filled with fun activities for all ages.

There will be inflatable jumping castles, coffee stalls, lawn games, live music, markets, barbeque, prizes, face painting, kids' activities, and much more.

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#### GOOD FRIDAY DJ SET

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 6PM

#### **JULACHY STEWART**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### 03 SATURDAY

#### **01** THURSDAY

#### **BRIAN AVERY**

CACTUS JACKS 6PM

#### **Q2** FRIDAY

#### **★ REDCLIFFE FESTIVAL OF SAILS P.10**

SUTTONS BEACH 9AM - 4PM



#### **■ MABEL MCCORMACK**

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 12PM

#### **★ GOOD FRIDAY FUN DAY P.46**

**EMERGE CHURCH 3PM** 

#### JACK SWEENEY

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### **LACHY STEWART**

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### CV MUSIC -TEX

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### STEVE SPARROW

THE AMBASSADOR OF REDCLIFFE 6:30PM

#### THE MOD SQUAD

BRAMBI F BAY BOWLS CLUB 7PM

#### **□** ALPHASTOMP

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### 04 sunday

#### **★ EASTER POP-UP** P.46

REDCLIFFE PARADE 8AM

#### **■ BRIEF DIVIDE**

**CACTUS JACKS 2PM** 

#### PENINSULA JAZZ GROUP

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 2:30PM

#### CHEYNE STARKIE

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### ☐ SHANTYMAN & FRIENDS

#### **SEA SHANTIES**

JUMPING GOATS BAR 5PM

#### 08 THURSDAY

#### **JELLA JONES**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

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#### FRIYAY DJ SET

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 5PM

#### **BEN STOCKS**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### THE PIANO WIZARD ANDREW FARRELL

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

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BRAMBLE BAY BOWLS CLUB 7PM



#### **ANDREW FARRELL AT THE JUMPING GOATS BAR P.46**

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### **I** FRANK'S REBELS

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 8PM

#### 10 SATURDAY

#### CHRISTIAN VILLANUEVA

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### **IZCANDI K MUSIC**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### **™** MERLIN - THE ULTIMATE

#### **ONE MAN BAND**

BRAMBLE BAY BOWLS CLUB 6PM

#### **I**STEVEN PETERSEN

THE AMBASSADOR OF REDCLIFFE 6:30PM

#### 11 SUNDAY

#### **THREE LEGENDS IN CONCERT** P.18

REDCLIFFE ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 2PM

#### **JELLA JONES**

**CACTUS JACKS 2PM** 

#### IN KIDDNKELLY GANG

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 2:30PM

#### STEVE MCLOUGHLIN

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### J LIVE MUSIC - BELLA PATON

JUMPING GOATS BAR 4PM



#### 14 WEDNESDAY

#### JAZZ & JAM

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### 15 THURSDAY

#### **I** BRIAN AVERY

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### 16 FRIDAY

#### FRIYAY DJ SET

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 5PM

#### CV MUSIC -TEX

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### I LIVE MUSIC - STEVE MCLOUGHLIN

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### **J**DAMIEN SAUL

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 8PM

#### 17 SATURDAY

#### **I** EBONY REID

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### JELLA JONES

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### **IPETER RYAN**

THE AMBASSADOR OF REDCLIFFE 6:30PM

#### 18 SUNDAY

#### **□** BRIEF DIVIDE

CACTUS JACKS 2PM

#### **■ PETRA AND HER UKULELE**

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 2:30PM

#### JOSH AND ELLIE

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### **I**LIVE MUSIC - LACHY STEWART

JUMPING GOATS BAR 4PM

#### 22 THURSDAY

#### **★ MINI MUSIC & ARTS FESTIVAL P.58**

CROCKATT PARK 9AM

#### **IJ TBC**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

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#### 23 FRIDAY

#### FRIYAY DJ SET

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 5PM

#### **JELLA JONES**

CACTUS JACKS 6PM

#### **A TASTE OF THAILAND IN REDCLIFFE**

WILD CHERRY EVENTS 6:30PM P.20

#### LIVE MUSIC - GABRIELLE KERR

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### **ARJ BARKER COMES CLEAN P.8**

REDCLIFFE ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 8PM

#### **□** FRANK'S REBELS

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 8PM

#### 24 SATURDAY

#### **I**ELLA JONES

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### **■ BEN STOCKS**

CACTUS JACKS 6PM

#### **□** ANGIE WHITELEY

THE AMBASSADOR OF REDCLIFFE 6:30PM

#### **DANNY MOSE AND FRIENDS!**

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

#### 25 SUNDAY

#### **I** BRIAN AVERY

CACTUS JACKS 2PM

#### CRAIG, FRANK & MICHAEL

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 2:30PM

#### CHEYNE STARKIE

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 3PM

#### 27 TUESDAY

#### **FULL MOON RISE TIME**

5.33PM



#### 28 WEDNESDAY

#### **A TASTE OF IRELAND - MATINEE P.6**

REDCLIFFE ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 4PM



#### JAZZ & JAM

JUMPING GOATS BAR 7PM

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#### DARRIN LEIGH

REDCLIFFE LEAGUES CLUB 6PM

#### **TBC**

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

#### 30 FRIDAY

#### FRIYAY DJ SET

SUTTONS BEACH PAVILION 5PM

#### CANDI K MUSIC

**CACTUS JACKS 6PM** 

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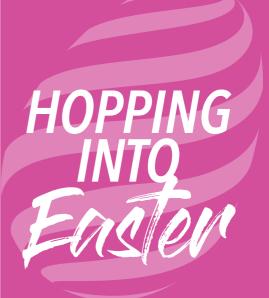
**OF CAT STEVENS P.44** 

REDCLIFFE ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 7:30PM

#### **I**ROUNDABOUTS BAND

MORETON BAY BOAT CLUB 8PM







#### Story Jenn Carrington

oosely tied to Christian tradition, our modern Easter is represented by the Easter Bunny rewarding good children with eggs to remind them of rebirth and resurrection, and bless them with fertility. But how did the hare make its way into our history books?

For German- and English-speaking nations, Easter is derived from Ostara, a pagan goddess of fertility, and for most other languages it stems from the Hebrew holiday known as Passover, or Pesach.

Way back in 1682, the Easter hare was published in a German children's book, mentioning a rabbit that brought eggs to well behaved children during the season of Eastertide or Ostara.

Traditionally, Easter commemorates the resurrection of Jesus from the dead, three days after dying at the hands of the Romans at Calvary. But in today's world, the religious aspect is not always featured or acknowledged, as the commercial trend of Easter has seen a surge in confectionery, Easter eggs and the Easter Bunny, with the origins of Easter expanding to celebrations, feasting, games, and unique customs.

One widely accepted tradition is the hot cross bun. These sweet and spicy buns date back to

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12th-century Monks who made and decorated them with a cross in remembrance of Jesus' death. Also known as Good Friday buns, folklore stories state Queen Elizabeth I, in the late 16th century, made it law that hot cross buns could only be made at Easter and funerals.

In addition to hot cross buns, the Easter Bunny, and eggs, the Easter Christian festival and holiday is further celebrated in various ceremonies, rituals. and cultural events around the world.

Similar to Australia, the UK and many European countries decorate eggs for Easter, and there is lots of chocolate involved. And in some European countries like Bulgaria, traditional meals such as ham and eggs, and lamb roasts with sweet bread are common.

However, in Poland, Slovakia, and the Czech Republic, Easter customs are much more startling. Spanking on Easter Monday was traditionally carried out by men, softly spanking their women with a handmade whip called a pomlázka. The willow rod whips were decorated with colourful ribbons and the ceremony ended with cold water being thrown over the women. According to

folklore, legend declares that women should be spanked with a whip to keep their health, beauty, and fertility for the next year. Fortunately, this tradition is no longer very popular, and has been replaced with an all-day water fight known as Dyngus Day, or Wet Monday.

Much tamer customs are observed around the world such as the USA, with Easter egg rolling contests, and in Bermuda, colourful kites are flown on Good Friday.

Further south in Columbia, Easter or Holy Week is the largest celebration of the year, with dances, parades and home-cooked feasts. In Russia, floral wooden painted eggs have famous symbolism. Many of the eggs are exquisitely handcrafted and decorated with flowers that have bloomed to represent new life and the renewing of the spirit. In Russian folklore they are meant to bring people good luck and have become popular with collectors.

So wherever you are from and however you acknowledge Easter, enjoy the festivities - and those chocolate eggs.



# Dragon Friends Review

Story Nick Allford

have a confession. I'm in love with a Dungeons & Dragons podcast. Wait... before you dismiss this review as a deep dive into a nerdy world filled with geeks huddled in a dark room throwing dice around, Dragon Friends is so much more.

Think of this podcast as a live improv show where six Aussie mates muddle their way through a Dungeons & Dragons campaign. So, what is D&D? It's a fantasy tabletop role-playing game where you use your imagination on an adventure led by a Dungeon Master (in this case 'Dungeon Daddy Dave') who narrates the story and decides your fate with the role of a die. I'll admit I've never even played a single game, but you don't need to be a player to enjoy this show.

They give each other a hard time, the way only a group of old friends can, which for me is its most endearing quality and the reason why delicate ears shouldn't be listening. It's definitely not for the faint of heart.

If you want to listen to a group of hilarious mates poking fun at each other while hunting for treasure and battling monsters, all set to a live musical score, I can't recommend Dragon Friends enough.

## Celebrated Chef Joins Meals On Wheels

Story Eve Vickerson

rom overseeing 100 chefs at Perth Arena events to being named Chef of the Year at the 2014 Restaurant and Catering Industry Awards, David Clem is now bringing his exceptional culinary skills to the Redcliffe Meals on Wheels Service.

In his new role, David said he was keen to "keep the quality up, keep it fresh and also to bring new technology into the kitchen".

Having worked in acclaimed venues both nationally and internationally, David has a wealth of experience in the culinary world. He said that he got his start in the Sunshine State.

"I started in a hotel in Queensland doing my training there and then went to Perth; after that, London for a couple of years in hotels and then back to Australia," he said. "Back home, I did 15 years in a conference centre. From there I went over to Western Australia and opened Perth Arena."

As well as delivering high-quality food, David said that Meals on Wheels Redcliffe was focused on meeting people's dietary needs and preferences.

"Whether it's dietary directives from doctors and dietitians or a matter of personal preference, making sure that we get those right is a big, big thing," he said.

More info at www.mealsonwheelsredcliffe.com.au



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covert, dangerous partnership with Soviet officer Oleg Penkovsky (Merab Ninidze) in an effort to provide crucial intelligence needed to prevent a nuclear confrontation and defuse the Cuban Missile Crisis.

Release Date: 01 Apr 2021 Director: Dominic Cooke

Main Cast: Benedict Cumberbatch, Merab Ninidze, Rachel Brosnahan, Jessie Buckley, Angus Wright

Genre: Thriller



#### **BLACK WIDOW**

In Marvel Studios' actionpacked spy thriller Black Widow, Natasha Romanoff aka Black Widow confronts the darker parts of her ledger when a dangerous conspiracy with ties to her past arises. Pursued by a force that will stop at nothing to bring her down, Natasha must deal with

her history as a spy and the broken relationships left in her wake long before she became an Avenger.

Release Date: 29 Apr 2021 Director: Cate Shortland

Main Cast: Scarlett Johansson, Ray Winstone, Rachel Weisz, David Harbour, Florence Pugh, O-T Fagbenle

Genre: Action, Science Fiction, Adventure



#### TOM & JERRY THE MOVIE

When a young family moves in, Jerry the mouse is determined to scare them away. The family adopts a stray cat, Tom, to help rid them of their pest problem. In an epic battle for the house, Tom & Jerry discover their adoration for the family and work together to protect them.

Release Date: 01 Apr 2021; Director: Tim Story

Main Cast: Chloë Grace Moretz, Ken Jeong, Pallavi Shar-

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#### Story Patricia Higgins

rom sea creatures to sailing action, Brisbane Whale Watching is again offering sightseers the chance to experience the Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht Race up close and personal.

This 73rd iteration of the Gladstone Ports Corporation event can be viewed from the vantage point of the luxury cruise vessel MV Eye Spy, with standard and VIP tickets available.

History meets cutting-edge sophistication on the day cruise, with all the thrills of the race to be enjoyed aboard a high-speed, air conditioned catamaran over the Easter long weekend.

Captain Kerry Lopez, managing director at Brisbane Whale Watching, said she found it amazing how the very first Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht Race was held back in 1949 and how it has endured ever since (bar last year, due to COVID).

"Did you know that during the first ever race there were seven vessels and only two of those were fitted with radios; the other five were supplied pigeons by Brisbane's Homing Pigeon Club, and had to release two a day with their updates," she said.

The MV Eye Spy crew and all its guests have witnessed many boating highlights over the years, including the 70th Anniversary Race of 2018.

"It was the magnificent Black Jack 100 competing against the clock to try and break the race record held since 2004 by Skandia Wild Thing," Kerry said. "Travelling at an average speed of over 18 knots, they smashed the record by a massive four hours with a finishing time of 16 hours, 53 minutes and 57 seconds."

Captain Kerry is passionate about providing a 5-star experience for her passengers (including gourmet catering) so that they can take in the characteristic atmosphere of boating competitiveness, in true front-row style.

"With three levels, six outdoor viewing platforms, floor to ceiling windows and air conditioned cabins, anywhere you decide to watch the race [on the vessel] will be a first class experience."

With seating limited, she recommended booking early to avoid disappointment.

You can book tickets for the Brisbane Whale Watching Brisbane to Gladstone Race Cruise at www.brisbanewhalewatching.com.au, or by calling 3880 0477.

Brisbane Whale Watching Brisbane to Gladstone Race Cruise Friday, 2 April, 9am-1:30pm Departing Redcliffe Jetty Redcliffe Parade, Redcliffe.

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Story Alyssa Mackay

t's time for toddlers and pre-school aged kids to dance, play, and get creative at a special music concert just for them.

Moreton Bay Regional Council has created the free Redcliffe Mini Music and Arts Festival especially for children aged under five, to be held at Crockatt Park in Woody Point this month.

Mayor Peter Flannery said children would be smiling from ear to ear with a huge array of creative activities to participate in, and a line-up of A-list performers set to entertain.

"I'm a big believer in the importance of these kinds of family events for locals, especially littlies," Peter said.

Musician Linsey Pollak will take to the stage performing his Paper Scissors Rock show, playing instruments made from household and garden objects.

Linsey said the show was fun and musical and would show kids that music is all around us.

"I use bagpipes made from rubber gloves to clarinets made from garden hose and a whole range of different instruments, which together, with the use of live looping, builds up a whole orchestra of sound," Linsey said. "I'm aware with an audience of pre-school aged kids you've got adults in the audience too, and I'm just as keen to make the show work for them," Linsey said. "It's not just fun, quirky sounds. It's very important to me that the quality of the music is strong.

"I love doing shows that are a real mixture of ages from very young kids to adults."

DJ Micki will also be there to keep the party rolling with popular beats, while high-energy band Red Rocket 3 blast off playing their new single, Planets.

There's plenty to keep the little ones entertained including a hands-on arts and craft zone where they can make a musical instrument, a sports zone, free amusement rides, and a selection of food stalls and markets.

The festival will follow a COVID-safe event plan with attendees required to check-in using a QR code upon arrival. Free parking is available around the venue.

For info, go to www.moretonbay.qld.gov.au/ Events/Redcliffe-Mini-Music-Arts-Festival

Redcliffe Mini Music & Arts Festival Thursday, 22 April, 9am-1pm Crockatt Park Oxley Avenue, Woody Point.

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## NEW JOB SEEKING PLATFORM GETS PERSONAL

Story Patricia Higgins

t has been said that your smile is your logo and your personality is your business card, and that sums up the idea behind new job platform Employmeet.

Employmeet is described as the Moreton Bay region's online meeting place for employers, job seekers, and volunteers – with a personalised twist.

Those seeking a position upload a video that aims to showcase not only their skills, but their character as an individual, and can have employers to come to them (and not the other way around).

Employmeet founder and facilitator Ryan Elson said it was a way to break through some of the obstacles ingrained in the traditional job-seeking process.

"A job seeker may well be perfect for a business, but they never get to meet because the system is simply too cumbersome – people need to see and hear each other to see who fits where," he said.

According to Ryan, his new platform is a time-saver for local employers.

"Business owners receive hundreds of plain white resumes every time they put an ad up on a website and become absolutely overwhelmed," he said.

It was through noticing these types of shortcomings that Ryan became motivated to create change in the recruitment industry.

"I got the idea three years ago whilst training jobseekers and seeing how many of them were great but they weren't getting seen," he said.

However, it wouldn't prove a straight road to success for Employmeet.

Whilst having completed multiple trips to meet prospective investors around the country, Ryan still found himself needing to get his platform off the ground.

"Eventually, I spoke to Luke Howarth and then the team from Moreton Bay Region Industry and Tourism (MBRIT) who offered me amazing guidance and assistance to get this project up and running," Ryan said.

The platform is now just a few weeks post-launch and showing healthy figures both in terms of job ads available and job seeker profiles.

What's been the best piece of feedback Ryan's received so far?

"This could change everything," he said.

You can access Employmeet as a Moreton Bay-based employer, job seeker or volunteer at www.employmeet.com.

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Magazine-styled designer look - a winning formula.



Tina Leveridge

Story Robyn Baker Photo supplied by Tina Leveridge, InStyle Realty

atching neighbours achieve record prices might have many considering what they need to do to sell. How do those who achieve the highest price in your suburb do it without expensive renovating? How do you stand out? Real estate agents will give you obvious things to do such as declutter, repair, and bake bread, for example, as key to selling your property. But what if you want to take your home to the next level?

One thing that has become more well recognised is staging – when you employ someone to make your home look like a designer home with carefully selected furnishings. Some buyers have been known to purchase specific pieces also as they fit in so well.

What's involved? Some designers will work with your existing furnishings and others will bring in all of the furnishings because let's face it - not everyone loves Grandad's old chair!

Tina Leveridge from InStyle Realty is a designer and real estate agent who realised some time ago that to achieve the absolute highest price

62 REDCLIFFE GUIDE **APRIL 2021**  for her vendors, staging was part of her winning formula. The proof this formula works is in the before-and-afters in pricing, once Tina has teamed her designer skills with some unique suppliers. Most vendors remain in their property and enjoy the results of a perfectly presented designer-styled home.

Tina said, "Whilst selling properties I realised this was something that owners appreciated, for an additional fee for my services and hiring select pieces. It just kept paying off well beyond expectations and I found that more and more vendors were seeking me out for these services."

Virtual staging is also becoming popular using specialist virtual staging products where bare rooms can be stylishly furnished for viewing online. One photographer who works with virtual staging is John Pires from Property Images. Virtual furnishings can be realistic and give appeal with many different styles of furnishings and with no lifting required.

John said, "I use the most advanced digital manipulation technology available to place



realistic furniture, fittings and decorative elements into images, so a bare property looks more appealing. It appears quite realistic and most people find it hard to tell the difference."

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# FISH OF THE MONTH Red Emperor

#### Lutjanus sebae

hile mainly a reef and offshore fish, young red emperor along with many other juvenile reef fish species, frequent the shallow waters of Moreton Bay before moving out to deeper water as they mature.

Juveniles are distinguished from adults by three dark red/brown vertical bands with a pale background colouration. As they grow, they change to a pink/red colour, while the banding fades to nearly gone completely.

I've caught and filmed quite a few not far from Redcliffe and across to Moreton Island. Although, having caught fish over 10kg out on the Great Barrier Reef, I am yet to get one of legal size (55cm) in the Bay.

Growing to over a metre long and over 30kg with a tasty firm white flesh, large flakes and a delicate flavour, they are superb eating quality and rate 5/5 stars for me. I like grilled fillets, but if baked whole they also make an incredible centrepiece for any large dinner gathering.

Peter Hansler is a local fish enthusiast who promotes and educates about our native fish and responsible angling via his website rainbowrunner.ausfish.com.au. If you have a question for Peter you can reach him via email at phansler@hotmail.com.

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Story Hellen White

Redcliffe Memorial

s another Anzac Day approaches, we remember those who gave their lives for the freedoms we enjoy today.

In the years between 1914 and 1918, Australia had a population of approximately 5 million. 400,000 young, fit Aussie men and women volunteered to go to the other side of the world to fight for king and country. Of these, 61,800 died and 153,509 were wounded. So many more had mental scars that couldn't be seen or cured.

On 25 April each year, we honour those who made the ultimate sacrifice for us. 106 years ago, so many young Australians and New Zealanders died on a lonely beach in Turkey, now known as Anzac Cove.

Plans for the Anzac memorial, set to the north of the jetty, began in 1966 when the RSL began discussions for the city's first permanent memorial. Redcliffe City Council's deputy engineer, Anton Vankan suggested natural stone and wrought iron. The stone cairn on a concrete base bears a replica of a sword on each side; these were cast from navy gunmetal. A plan was put into place to beautify the foreshore, with memorial gates, Norfolk pines and a grassed area incorporated.

At the official opening, on 20 April, 1969, RSL sub-branch president TJ Wallace said, "Anzac Place is a fitting memorial to fallen comrades and is a means of showing sub-branch gratitude for the support of Redcliffe people over the years."

South-East District RSL president Merv Clarke, who officially opened the memorial, said, "Anzac Place is a perfect setting, backed by the rising sun and blue sea, and with the memorial itself flanked by Norfolk Island pine trees."

Placed on the beachside park opposite the RSL in 2011, the original memorial was replaced with the current patinated and polished bronze Cenotaph of Remembrance that we see today. It is inscribed with the names of past and present conflicts that our armed forces have been involved in.

Australia has lost over 90,000 dead in all wars since 1914 with over a million casualties. As the sun rises on the fluttering Australian flag on 25 April, we remember the oft-quoted phrase, "The price of liberty is eternal vigilance."

We will remember them. Lest We Forget.

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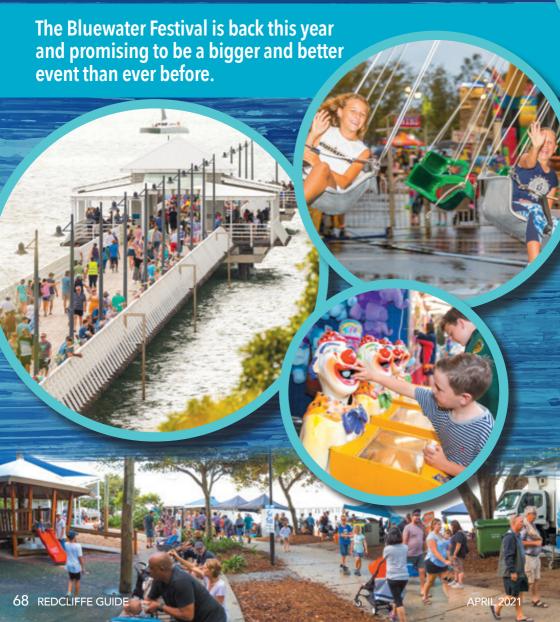


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# BLUEWATER Festival

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Sandgate Bayside Chamber of Commerce president Bill Gollan said he was really looking forward to the 2021 famous Bluewater Festival.

"On Good Friday, our Sandgate bayside area is the centre of the universe," Bill said. "It is the place to be.

"We've got a special guest firing the cannon at the start of the Brisbane to Gladstone Yacht race this year. The multi-hulls start at the end of the Shorncliffe Pier around 11:00am and you can almost reach out and touch them, they're that close. There are a couple of really big ones this year too."

Bill said the festival officially opened at lunchtime, with many activities for the family to experience and entice them to come back for years to come.

"The famous dragon boats will be back this year," Bill said. "And people can have free rides on them - it's one of the most popular attractions at the festival.

"Of course, the Easter Bunny will be there, and we have some incredible local artists, bands, and kids' acts to keep everyone entertained throughout the day."

Bill said from 4.30pm the Bluewater Festival would morph into the Bluewater Beach Party and have everyone dancing into the early evening.

"There will be some great bands to rock on to," he said. "We have a great Creedence Clearwater Revival band and a Cold Chisel band that are very popular."

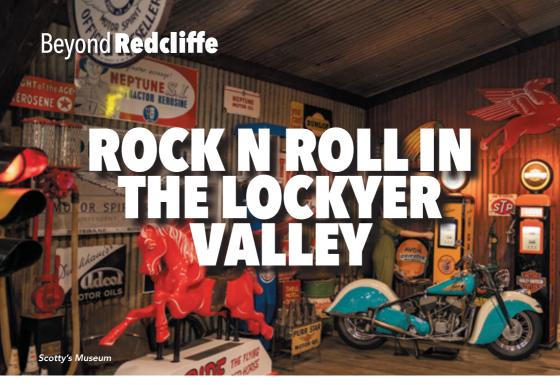
The evening will come to a close after the bay skies are lit up with the Bayfire Fireworks Spectacular. Bill said the fireworks would be simulcast live on 99.7 Bridge FM with the soundtrack, and they will also be broadcasting the yacht race live.

"In 2019, we had over 12,000 people down there, so I think this year will also be a great turn out provided the weather stays good," he said. "It's a day for everyone - the locals, plus the thousands who visit our part of the world for the day and line the cliffs and beachfront. This year is going to be bigger and better than ever before."

For more information, visit www.bluewaterfestival.org.au



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Story Jenn Carrington
Photos Warwick Green

Sunday, Monday, Happy Days Tuesday, Wednesday, Happy Days Thursday, Friday, Happy Days The Weekend Comes My Cycle Hums Ready To Race To You Oh Happy Days!"

his song from the 1970s and '80s iconic hit TV show Happy Days entered my head the moment I stepped foot inside Scotty's Garage and the T-Bird Diner.

The 1950-1960s inspired museum and restaurant the Barn is nestled on three-and-a-half acres of lush Lockyer Valley farmland and it's a life-long dream come true for proud co-owner Scotty Wright.

"In 2011, just after the floods, we started to build the garage," Scotty said. "But I've been collecting since 1996.

"It all came about with buying the 1956 Thunderbird car, so when it was 40 years old, I started collecting all this," Scotty said.

On arrival at the Barn, the '56 Thunderbird is parked out front amongst a plethora of vehicle parts, vintage memorabilia, and the entry to the Garage.

This is where you will find Scotty doing museum tours while his wife Sarah runs The Barn, catering for hungry and thirsty visitors.

Once inside the Garage, it's mesmerising to walk amongst the restored cars and motorcycles of a bygone era, and notice the tribute to the days of poodle skirts and slick rockabilly pompadours, carried through to the T-Bird Diner.

With the juke box filled with tunes from Elvis to Buddy Holly, and a dance floor to ruffle skirts and jive the night away, the T-Bird Diner evokes the fun and authenticity of the era.

"I grew up in the '70s, but it's the simplicity and the innocence of the time compared to where we are now; and when things were cool, even the cars of the time were stylish, influential and individual," Scotty said.

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"The '50s and '60s were all about not needing supplements to have fun. Life was the high in those days."

Scotty said investing in classic cars and memorabilia was not the driving force behind the business, and gets most satisfaction and enjoyment when elderly visitors come to the property.

"It's so precious when it comes to history, but it's not about money in relation to the importance of preservation," he said.

"We've been privileged and honoured to have a local gentleman from Gatton celebrate his 99th, 100th and 101st birthdays here with us, and we see dementia patients coming through who come alive when they walk into the shed.

"Their carers say it's incredible to listen to them talk animatedly about specific items as if they have literally stepped back in time. It's extremely rewarding."

Scotty said the tours and events grew from so many motorcycle and car clubs making daily drives to the region.

"We now have a constant influx of car and bike clubs coming through as it's a really lovely drive from Brisbane," he said.

"We are a revolving door for club events and all sorts of activities, from weddings to birthdays. Any excuse for a party."

Aside from the Barn, the Garage, and the T-Bird Diner, there is also Flagstone House available for bed and breakfast stays, and sprawling farmland perfect for boutique weddings.

Just one-and-a-half-hour's drive from Brisbane, you can easily spend a few hours here enjoying a banana split or hamburger in the Barn, a walk around the grounds, and enjoy a very informative tour with Scotty.

The Barn and Scotty's Garage Friday, 10am-3pm Saturday & Sunday, 8am-4pm 1709 Flagstone Creek Road Upper Flagstone, Toowoomba www.thebarnandscottysgarage.com.au



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## Sandgate Hearing Ph: 3603 1370 | 8 Nash Street, Sandgate

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Lyric (tiny invisible aid)

The world's first 100% invisible hearing aid, Lyric provides clear, natural sound and is worn 24/7 for months at a time.

Phonak Lyric'



Lyric is a very small, discreet hearing aid that is placed in the ear canal near the eardrum, to provide 100% invisible hearing.

Designed to suit mild to moderately-severe hearing loss, Lyric uses the natural anatomy of the ear to amplify sounds, providing a full, natural listening experience.

Our hearing care professionals are part of a small number of clinics in Australia that are fully trained and certified to fit the Lyric hearing aid.

#### 24/7 benefits

- ✓ 100% invisible Placed in your ear canal, Lyric remains completely out of sight - invisible to the world.
- Clear, natural sound Enjoy natural sound in all listening situations
- ✓ No batteries to change or charge Enjoy maintenance-free wear for months at a time
- 24/7 reliability and comfort Wear Lyric around the clock for months at a time without removing1 for activities such as exercising or even showering.1
- Tinnitus relief Provides greater relief from tinnitus than daily wear hearing aids.2



- 1. Lyric is water resistant, not waterproof and should not be completely submerged
- 2. J.Henry et al. (2016) Randomised controlled trial: Extended wear vs conventional vs combination devices

#### **HAPPY CUSTOMERS**



LYRIC made mu life Easier... While caring for my husband who has

Parkinson disease. I had no time to fiddle with external hearing aids. After reading about Lyric, I went to the clinic and I walked out hearing clearly. I'm grateful my doctor suggested calling Sandgate Hearing. Ronnie Lam is very caring. There's no pressure or rush and Ronnie makes sure you're absolutely satisfied. Lyric may not be for everyone, but if it is for you, you won't be disappointed. It has changed my life dramatically.

#### Jean Conneman -**Newport Waterways**



#### **Exceeds Expectations**

Two things led me to purchase my hearing aids from Sandgate Hearing. First - they were much cheaper for the same products I'd purchased elsewhere. Second - Ronnie is so thorough in his testing and setting up of the hearing aids. You get a cheaper yet personally tailored product that exceeds expectations.

Michael Geary - Brighton

- The Commonwealth Hearing Service Program Central Auditory Processing Test
- · Paediatric hearing assessment
- Workcover, NDIS hearing assessment
- Micro-suction earway removal
- Tinnitus consultation
- Custom musician earplug
- · Custom industrial noise plug
- Custom swim, surfer & snore earplug

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