

# The Elliston Echo

January 2016



## AUSTRALIA DAY ELLISTON



Tuesday 26th January 2016

Breakfast at Trudinger Park 8.30am

Hosted by:

District Council of Elliston, Elliston Community & Visitor Information Centre, Elliston Men's Shed

Please join us for.....

Bacon — eggs — pancakes — coffee, tea & juice

*Gold coin donation please (to go to the Men's Shed)*



**Award Presentation 10.00am**

(Council will advise further details asap)



## 60th Wedding Anniversary

Congratulations to  
Bill and Mary Williams  
on their 60th  
Wedding Anniversary.

Married 14th January 1956  
St Luke's Church, Colton.

We wish them all the very  
best as they celebrate this  
milestone with their family.

The 'Elliston Echo' is now published before the first day of each month. If you have a community notice or some interesting news you would like to share with the community, please email, fax or drop into the Centre before the 26th of the month.

**If you would like the Elliston Echo to be emailed to you each month please let us know.**

Produced by the Elliston Community and Visitor Information Centre Visit our website for events and more [www.elliston.com.au](http://www.elliston.com.au)

Email address - [info@elliston.com.au](mailto:info@elliston.com.au)

# Notice Board

## Elliston Surgery Times

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 9am—5pm

To make an appointment call 8687 9110

## THANK YOU ALAIS!

We are sorry to advise that Alais Manners has retired as our op shop manager after many years of exceptional service to the Centre.

Through Alais' efforts and the donation of items from the wider community the Centre has been able to allocate funds toward various events and the running of the Centre each year.

The op shop has a wonderful reputation on the EP and we hope to be able to continue to maintain the high standard set by Alais and Gary.

On behalf of the Centre, we wish you both a happy and rewarding retirement and hope you are aware of the high regard in which you are held!

## *Thank you!*



Summer is fast approaching and it is time for us to cool off in pools and beaches around the state! Unfortunately every year in Australia we are saddened by drowning s; water safety is a vital skill that young Australians need to learn. SA Water VACSWIM is a program to waterproof the confidence in young South Australians, in and around the water.

We would love if you could help create awareness of the program through your newsletter and website. Below is our logo along with a few paragraphs that can be inserted, otherwise we can send you a flyer and more information.

“SA Water VACSWIM is a program to waterproof the confidence in young South Australians, in and around the water. It is a South Australian Government supported initiative to provide children aged 5 to 13 years with opportunities to develop a range of skills and positive experiences in the areas of water safety, confidence and competence in the water, personal survival activities and basic aquatic emergency procedures.

These skills are delivered at over 130 pools, beaches and lakes throughout South Australia by one of three primary program providers – Royal Life Saving Society, Surf Life Saving and YMCA – who engage qualified instructors to teach the children of South Australia.

The majority of programs take place from Monday 4th to Tuesday 12th January 2016; they run for 45 minutes a day for 7 days.”

Let me know if you require any other information.

### Regular Events

- **Patchwork and Craft**  
Tuesdays 10.30am at the Sports Centre
- **Dance Fitness**  
Fridays 4.30pm at the Health Centre
- **Elliston Strollers**  
Heart Foundation Walking Group  
9am Tuesdays - meet at Trudinger Park
- **Easy Moves**  
Fridays 2pm at the Health Centre
- **Tai Chi**  
10am Saturdays in the Community Hall  
Gold coin donation

For more information contact *Gillian Darby*  
*Mid West Health Community Centre*  
(08) 86879012



# Church Dates

## One Heart Church Service

Sunday 3rd January @ 11am  
Service will be conducted by  
Rob Santostefano, followed by shared lunch  
ALL WELCOME

## Anglican Church

Not available at time of printing

## Catholic Church at Elliston

Not available at time of printing

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

*May 2016 be happy and healthy  
for you and  
your family and friends*

Jess and I have enjoyed our annual leave over Christmas and look forward to 2016. A huge thank you to the volunteers at the Centre for their hard work and endeavour during the year and in particular while we have been away—it is much appreciated!

I am back on deck now and Jess will return toward the end of January.

Cheers, Jill and Jess

*PS Apologies for late distribution of the Echo.*

## Op Shop

With Alais retiring this year, we are looking for a volunteer to undertake care of the op shop.

If you are interested in offering your time for a few hours a week, please contact Julie 0428 879 290 or Jill 0412 760 669 to discuss as we are hoping to "share the load."

## **Elliston Camera Club 2016 Calendars**

# ONLY \$15

Available from the Elliston Community & Visitor  
Information Centre & Elliston Post Office

## Elliston Community & Visitor Information Centre

*Now available to Hire:*

**Golf Clubs** — \$5 per day

**Tennis Racquets** — \$5 for 2 hours  
(Balls included)

*(A deposit  
of \$5 per hire  
will be  
refunded on  
return of all  
items.)*



Please note that any items hired must be returned to the Centre during business hours and are not available to hire after hours.

## **Thank you to the Men's Shed from the C.W.A.**

**The Elliston CWA** wish to sincerely thank the members of the Elliston MEN'S SHED for an outstanding effort in the renovation of our kitchen and bathroom.

We appreciate that this job was a big ask from us, and we will always be grateful for your expertise.

Thanks also to the District Council for the distribution of the TV fund.

**From the Members of Elliston CWA**



## The life you change won't just be your own.

**Become an ambulance volunteer.**

The ambulance officers in Elliston are all volunteers. To maintain a local 24-hour service at Elliston we need more people. Don't rely on someone else to volunteer. **We need you!**

For more information:  
call Tim Wilson on 0428 829 855

SKILLS FOR LIFE

1800 655 306  
saambulance.com.au





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Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1. New Year's Day	2.	3 One Heart Church Service @ 11.00am
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25.	26. <b>Australia Day</b> <b>Breakfast 8.30am</b> <b>Award Presentation 10.00am</b>	27.	28.	29. Easy Moves 2pm @ the Health Centre Dance Fitness 4.30pm @ the Health Centre	30. Tai Chi 10am in the Community Hall. Gold coin donation	31.