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About Forgotten Australians

The people who identify as Forgotten Australians (Wards of the State) are generally now 40 years of age and upwards. They are the survivors of the approximately 500,000 children who were in institutional or other out-of-home care in the last century.

Abandonment and loss of family

All these children suffered from deep and lasting feelings of abandonment. The loss of family, often including separation from siblings, caused grief, feelings of isolation, guilt, self-blame and confusion about their identity.

Neglect and exploitation

The Senate report also revealed a history of neglect and cruelty by institutional staff and management, of abandonment and exploitation that have left at least half a million Australians, as well as many Former Child Migrants, physically and psychologically scarred. Physical deprivation was common. Children were cold and hungry. Hard physical work was part of their daily lives. Particularly demeaning and very difficult tasks were given as punishments.

Brutality

Punishments for very small offences or perceived disobedience could be harsh and cruel – severe physical attacks and beatings are reported by many. Alternatively, children were locked in a cupboard or a cell in solitary confinement or made to stand for many hours in one position. Bed-wetting was punished with beatings, cold showers and humiliations, e.g. parading naked past others.

Redress

Redress for Historical Institutional Abuse is for people who experienced physical, emotional or psychological abuse and neglect as children in various institutional settings in Victoria before 1990 as Wards of the State.

Support

There are several support and advocacy groups for care leavers/Forgotten Australians.

Open Place: provides a range of support services to all Victorian Forgotten Australians who, as children, were placed in care *prior to 1990* regardless of where they currently reside in Australia. Services available include counselling, support to access records and assistance in connecting with family members, social and support groups and co-ordinated support to access health and other community services.

Contact: Free call: 1800 779 379

Care Leavers Australia Network (CLAN): a national support and advocacy organisation run by care leavers/Forgotten Australians.

Contact: Free call: 1800 008 774

Applications opened on 10 December 2024 and are expected to be open for 18 months. Redress will be managed by the Department of Families, Fairness and Housing.

If you apply and are found eligible, you will be offered:

- a payment of up to \$20,000, a personal acknowledgement or apology, up to 20 counselling sessions.

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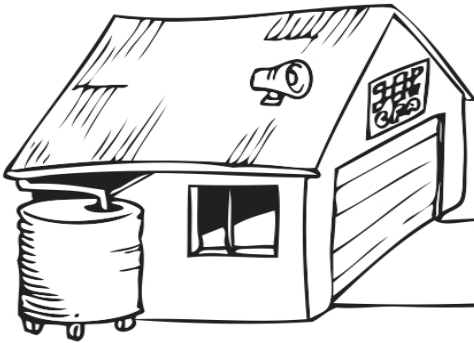
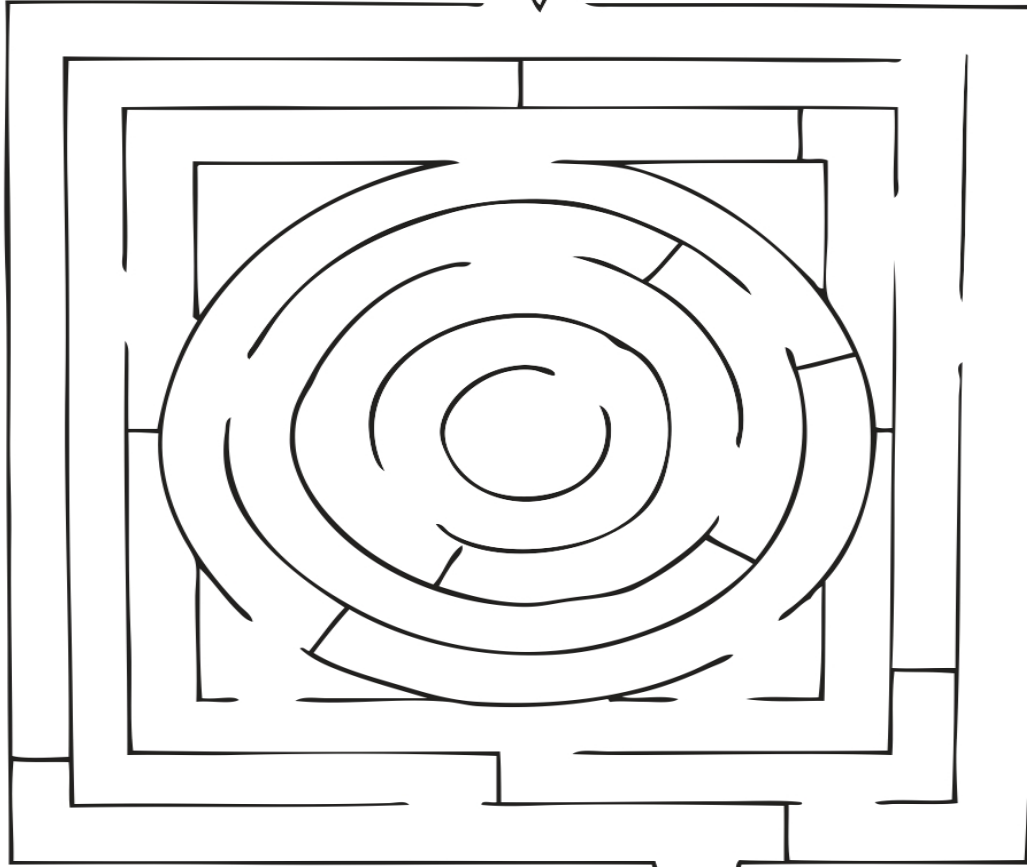
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2020	92.6	138.15	35.75	145.5	100.5	46	43.5	122	58.5	98	60	44	984.5
2021	67	37	35.75	61	54	76	93	44	100	113	93	22	833.0
2022	37	6	49	76	42	96	52.0	146	49	169	102	74	898.0
2023	30	29.5	66	77.0	75.0	75.0	31	55	49	147	88	124	846.5
2024	154	35	10	121	36	36	111	33	77	76	62	39	790.0
2025	82	30	48	31	25	45							

TALKIN' ...FISHIN'.....PIER AND JETTY

Pier or jetty fishing gives you the chance to fish water that is generally deeper than you can cast into or fish from the shore line, it gives you a clean and solid structure to stand and supports wheelchair access as well, is safe for families, carry all your gear and setup for the day, chairs, bait bucket, lunch and esky's giving yourself a clean and comfortable spot that you just can't get on the beach or rocky shore.

If you are taking the smaller family members with you they'll enjoy the experience more, but please make sure they wear a life jacket or at least a buoyancy vest, safety first always. The height from the water can alter greatly according to the tide fluctuation in the rise and fall volume of water or the actual construction of the structure you're standing on also keeps you dry and clear of any wave action. Surprisingly rough and windy conditions can be the most productive days as the baitfish shelter below the pier and around its pylons this is where the predator fish know to look for them. Challenges are going to be actually netting your fish and lifting it up to the platform, this will require a different kind of landing net. Rather than the traditional handle type, these are rather like a crab or yabbie net that's suspended by a long rope to the water surface, guide the fish into the hoop then haul it up. Other specially designed equipment is available for pier fishing like rod holders, seat buckets, lights etc. Usually you will have other Anglers fishing in close proximity to you, try using a high-vis line with a clear leader of 5 or 6 mtrs to the baits, that way everyone can see where your line is and will help others avoid casting over your line and reduce the inevitable tangles. A weighted rig will go to the bottom, naturally, but also creates a greater angle to yourself and rod. Sinkers and hooks flying about on a pier can be very dangerous and cause some serious injuries, so be aware who's around you and look behind first before casting. Using a float set up at the appropriate depth is a great way of showing an indication of a fish biting and again everyone can see where you are fishing also using a high-vis line.

Fish regulations size and bag limits are usually displayed on an engraved plaque nearby, so familiarize yourself or get an up to date fisheries hand book with all the information you need, check you're fishing licence requirements are compliant for the whole family. Some of the older piers have gaps or cracks between their boards, some wide enough to drop a line in and pull a fish through, thin bodied trevally are a great species for this type of fishing but 'Crack fisherman' are a special breed of angler!



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BUNYIP- GARFIELD PROBUS CLUB

Our Club each year hold a Soup and Sandwich Luncheon at which we select a Charity we would like to support on that day and Angel Flight was our choice this year.

Our speaker this year was Peter Moran who is a pilot with the organisation that give not only of his time but also the use of his own plane and costs except they pay for fuel and landing costs at airports. Angel Flight is a charity which coordinates non - emergency flights assisting country people to access specialist medical treatment otherwise they wouldn't be able to continue treatment because of the vast distances and high travel costs but these flights are free. They also assist in helping transport medical staff and supplies when needed. The organisation has no Government support so they rely on corporate and community donations. Peter has flown to all different places to transport patients that need on going treatment and he is just one of over 3000 registered pilots who assist across Australia-wide. Peter spoke of some of the patients he had got to know as they had to have on- going treatment over along time .

After the meeting we had a lovely lunch of Hot Soup and Fresh Sandwiches which we all enjoyed. Before we had afternoon tea we presented Peter with amount that we had raised for Angel Flight through the day which was \$1,800 which was an amazing effort for our Club. Peter thanked everyone on behalf of Angel Flight for the day. They then thanked everybody who had helped in anyway.

The Fabulous Film group still continue to enjoy a great collection of Films .

Coffee Club is always well attended down at Brewsters at Garfield.

Our outing this month was to the Yakult Factory in Dandenong for a guided tour of how they produce Yakult which is a healthy Probiotic. The company started in 1994 and as Australia was the first English speaking country to launch Yakult and then they had to educate and convince consumers about the benefits of bacteria and their role they play in digestive health. We were able to view the process of the culturing process, creation of their unique bottles and how they fill and package the finished product. Why do we need Probiotics. Some of today's lifestyle factors such as stress and poor diet that can upset the balance of bacteria in the intestines so by introducing Yakult which has Live microorganisms it helps to promote a healthy gut which is good for all of us. We learnt a lot some of which was over our heads but very interesting. At the end we were able to have a taste of it before being given a show bag to take home. We then went to the Pink Hotel for lunch .

Helen

BUNYIP-GARFIELD PROBUS CLUB

Caravan and Camping Group

Our caravan and camping group travelled over 2 days to Mildura for a one week stay. The first afternoon we gathered for Happy Hour and collected our program for the week. Then we went to the Gateway Hotel for dinner.

On Tuesday a small group went out to Mungo National Park with Alison and Phil as their guide. Mungo is one of the world's very special places. Aboriginal people have walked in the footsteps of their ancestors since dreamtime. The park contains artefacts of Aboriginal life that dates back 40,000 years and is home to Mungo Lady and Mungo Man-the oldest human remains in Australia. Meanwhile others went to the Mildura Visitors Centre for a short introduction talk about Mildura. Rio Vista Historical House, which was owned by the Chaffey brothers, was well worth the visit before going back for a BBQ in the park.

On Wednesday another small group went to Mungo National Park while the others carpooled for a tour of some of Mildura's Farms. At the Minter Family farm, the manager gave an interesting talk in the almond field about growing them and we also saw their asparagus site. The almond farm known as Select Harvest is the largest grower and processor and is the third largest grower worldwide. Almond orchards use more water than other orchards to grow their almonds. Lunch was at Nangiloc Tavern before heading back to the caravan park for a Quiz night.

On Thursday, we left the park in two groups, the first group went to Orange World, which is a 50-acre working citrus property offering education and informative tours around the picturesque property of avocado, citrus varieties and tree grafting areas. We had a ride on the tractor train with Mario, who entertained us with his stand-up jokes (he was a character!). We then swapped around and visited Varapoolia Estate which grow seven different varieties of Olives. We also tasted their award-winning olives along with a lot of products that contain olive oil. We then all went back to the park to get ready for our special theme night (Sunraysia Tropical North). Everyone came in their amazing made-up ideas. There was a Mafia Boss, Miss Sunraysia, Sunflowers and all kinds of fruit such as Grapes, oranges, along with orange pickers. Well done everyone. We then had a delicious roast dinner before being entertained by Phil Stone.

On Friday, we were up early for Egg and Bacon Breakfast, then a small group went to visit the Australian Garlic Producers for an interesting talk by grower, Nick. Some others went on a cruise on the paddle steamer 'The Rothbury'. We then gathered on the riverbank at 'Lock 11' for Happy hour where we enjoyed yummy nibbles. We then enjoyed 'Trails of Light' on Lock Island, which is an experience that merges different lights with the natural environment.

Saturday began with a pancake breakfast then we looked back on the week's activities and the special awards were handed out. The rest of the morning was free. Some went to the Market before coming together for a game's afternoon. That night we went to the Working Mans Club for dinner, before saying goodbye to everyone. A big thank you to the ones who organized a great week.

Helen

2025 Stan Henwood Award winner Geoff Young



Cardinia Shire Council announced this year's 2025 Stan Henwood Award recipient at the annual volunteer reception held at Cardinia Cultural Centre on Thursday 22 May.

This annual event is an opportunity to celebrate with our local volunteers and formally acknowledge their contributions to our community for National Volunteer Week (19 – 25 May).

The Stan Henwood Award honours lifetime achievements in community service and volunteering. This year, it was awarded to Geoff Young.

Geoff has been a dedicated leader in the Cardinia Shire community since 1995, significantly contributing as the Scout Leader of the Garfield Scout Group. He served as President of the Garfield Rotary Club (1999-2006) and has been involved with the Pakenham Rotary Club as President and Assistant Governor since 2006.

Since 2003, Geoff has led the Pakenham and District Agricultural and Horticultural Show Society, and has been part of the South and Central Region Show Societies since 2010. From 2012 to 2021, he was instrumental in the Pakenham Bluelight program and played a vital role in disaster relief during the Labertouche fires.

Geoff's commitment to community engagement and multiculturalism inspires others in the Cardinia Shire to embrace challenges and work towards a brighter future.

Cardinia Shire Mayor, Councillor Jack Kowarzik, congratulated Geoff and expressed his gratitude to the shire's many volunteers for their ongoing efforts.

"I want to give a big shoutout to Geoff for being the recipient of the 2025 Stan Henwood Award. His dedication over such a long period of time should be commended, and he's a deserving recipient", said Mayor Kowarzik.

"I also want to recognise all the nominees: Ron Harmer, Ray Spencer, Denise Davidson, Sarah Kelly, Kirra Kruzicevic, George Fry, Meg Platte, and Sunny Duggal. Thank you for your unwavering commitment to serving our community throughout your many years of volunteering."

"Thanks to all our fantastic local volunteers. Your contributions never go unnoticed and are a huge part of what makes Cardinia Shire such a great place to live."

For more information about the Stan Henwood Award, visit: www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/stanhenwood

For details about volunteering opportunities in Cardinia Shire, phone 1300 787 624 visit www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/volunteer.



Bunyip Tennis Club Welcomes a Junior Winter Team!

By Kristy Neilson

Bunyip Tennis Club has a junior team competing in the Berwick District Tennis Assoc. winter season this year – something they haven't done in quite a while!

Bunyip's junior team is playing in Section 16, which is an introductory level of play involving doubles only matches – perfect for beginners. It's lots of fun and a great way to prepare for the summer competition and for higher levels of tennis competition down the track.

We have shared some photos of the junior team's match on Sunday, May 25th – which saw Bunyip take a win over Narre Warren Gold! It was a fantastic effort from our young players.

Thank you to local photographer Ken Schultz for giving up his Sunday morning to take these fantastic photos.

For children who would like to give tennis a try, lessons are available right here in Bunyip! Tennis lessons for juniors are available on Monday and Wednesday afternoons at the Bunyip Tennis Club. For more information, contact Head Coach **Chris Millidonis at Ace Active Tennis on 0404 077 673.**

Chris and his team also offer coaching options for adults!

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- **Berwick & District Junior Competition** – An entry point for juniors.
- **West Gippsland Premier League** – A new senior comp, featuring high-level matches and exciting "gather rounds" at central venues.

More information can be found at <https://play.tennis.com.au/bunyiptenniscub>



Bunyip's 2025 Section 16 Junior Team:
Sam, Luke, Noah and Asha





BRAG UPDATE July 2025

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Julie shows how to deposit clean soft plastic.

Although it is not necessary to fully clean the soft plastic before depositing it in the Terracycle box, it is very important that the plastic is dry and as empty as possible; this will avoid moisture damage and unpleasant smells.

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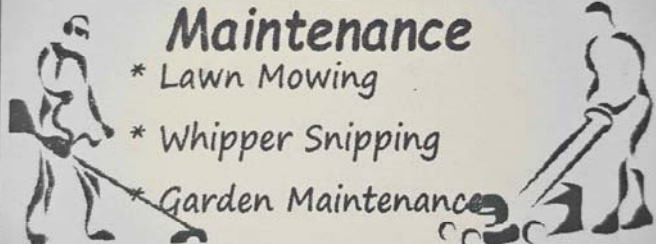
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Gippsland Line Upgrade set for completion

Gippsland communities can look forward to better train services, with the [Gippsland Line Upgrade](#) set for completion after a major construction blitz this winter and new services to follow.

The Victorian Budget 2025/26 includes funding to deliver services every 40 minutes along the Traralgon Line, which will be made possible by the completion of the project.

The project is delivering a new train control system, updating the line's infrastructure to ensure trains can safely run more often, and more reliably.

Due to Gippsland Line Upgrade works, as well as Victoria's Big Build works impacting the metropolitan section of the network, coaches will replace trains on the Traralgon and Bairnsdale lines for part or all of the journey from **Saturday 14 June until Wednesday 13 August**.

Works to complete and commission the line's new signalling system and complete the Gippsland Line Upgrade will take place during this time.

Crews will carry out signalling construction along the line, including cabling and installing track-side signalling equipment between Drouin and Traralgon needed to complete the new signalling system which will enable more frequent services on the line.

Works will also include safety testing of new infrastructure along the 70km stretch of rail line, driver training, and the complex commissioning work needed to bring the new system into operation and enable trains to use the new platforms at Morwell and Traralgon stations and safely operate more often.

This is part of the Victorian and Australian governments' investment in the Gippsland Line Upgrade, which has upgraded stations, duplicated track to make services more reliable, delivered a new bridge over the Avon River in Stratford and enabled modern and accessible VLocity trains to travel to Bairnsdale.

The Department of Transport and Planning is developing a new timetable for the Gippsland Line, with further information on timing for the new services to come.

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Sunday July 20	9:00am	Garfield Uniting Church (13 Garfield Road)
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