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Presidents Report 2022 AGM

Dear Members and General Community

The year just past has been a long and difficult one that presented several challenges.

We lodged a Town Planning Application for the NEW Art By The Sea Gallery that also included an external all abilities and wheelchair-friendly toilet block.

An initial Planning Permit was issued on the 19th of April 22 however it contained some conditions that would have provided limited operational opportunities plus restrictive fire management conditions. The Association worked through those conditions with CFA and WSC with a satisfactory outcome arriving 30th June 22.

The End Of Year Xmas Community BBQ & EOSSF events were all well attended with the EOSSF raffle raising just under \$2000 for the 3X3 Basketball Court seat upgrade.

Together with the continued development of the Community Plant Nursery, Community Garden and RV site now called the **Golden Paradise Beach Community Tourist Park** we have provided improvements to the Park and raised funds for up-and-coming projects.

With the assistance of substantial private community donations this year the Association will now be able to commence the first stage of the Art By The Sea Gallery and Information Centre.

While our financial position improved at end of June 2022, increasing costs are now impacting and will slow proposed future projects. I would like to pass on my sincere thanks to all of the Committee and Volunteer workers for their contribution that has made so much possible in difficult times.

The incoming Committee remains unchanged from last year.

President: Ken Dyster
Vice President: Chantell Drew
Secretary: Andrew O'Rorke
Treasurer: Janine Macleod
Committee: Robyn Toogood
Chris Alexander
Jeff Marsh

Kind Regards

Ken Dyster (President)

PS

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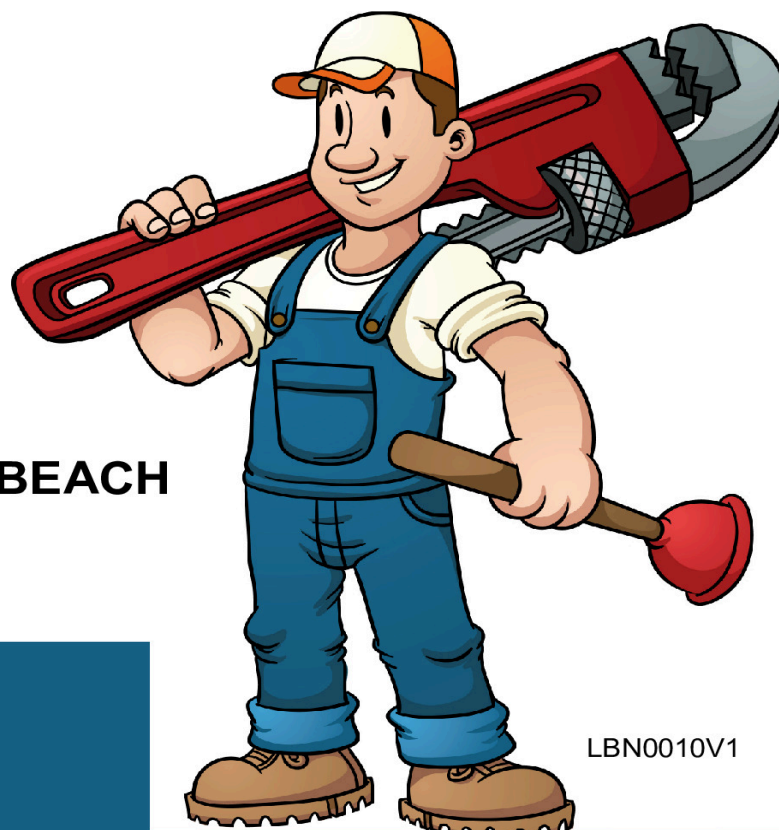
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Winter is over and Spring is here. The course is looking good but once the Spring rains start and the weather warms up the grass will start to grow again.

I'm sure many of you have noticed that some of our beautiful mural is now partly gone. The clubhouse has now got weather and rodent-proof large storeroom, thanks to Lee Chicken.

We have contacted Simon White and hopefully, in the not-too-distant future, he can revisit our area and complete his artwork.

Upcoming Spring Events

September 24th – Start of Stableford Championships

October 8th- Golden Beach Real Estate Cup

October 22nd- KC Constructions Cup

October 29th- Melbourne Hoardings Cup

November 26th- OnePlan Surveyors Cup

Winter Event Winners

Monthly Medal Winners-

June 18th- Kevin Clare

July 16th- Glenn Vandeleur

Aug 20th- Glenn Vandeleur

Trophy Day Winners

June 25th The Presidents Cup – Colin Price

July 23rd Paradise Beach Cup - Jack Gill

Aug Club Championship Postponed due to rain

If you are a member of our Facebook Page, you may have noticed that we have a new Trophy for the Friday Chook Run winner, thankyou Cam and Bernie. The rubber chicken creates a great laugh for us at the club.

There will be a Cancer Fundraiser Event held on Melbourne Cup Day starting with a Golf game in the morning, more details will be on our Facebook Page when available.

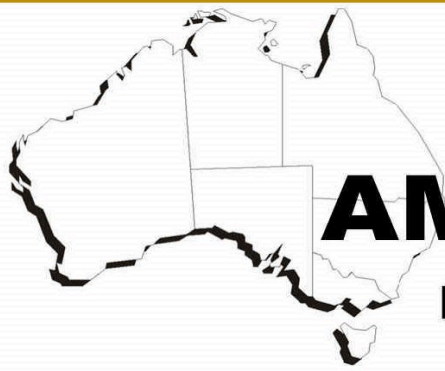
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Hello to all.

Welcome to Spring. Some fine weather ahead will hopefully allow us to increase the days we are open.

At the beginning of July, we held our Annual General Meeting.
Leanne Dempster of the Golden Beach CFA, Chaired the meeting.
The results of the meeting are:

Vice President	Ted Ameer Beg
Vice President (Governance)	Danny Oxford
Treasurer	Diana McNeill
Secretary	Sue Parratt
Committee	Daryl Greig
	Brian Tracey
	John Cassidy

Thank you to Leanne and all of the members who attended on the day.

We continue to get orders for the outdoor tables that we construct. With two being currently under construction and another two to be commenced.

Two of the tables that we constructed for the Wellington Shire have been placed in the pedestrian mall between The Clocktower and the Gippsland Center.

Correction: In the Winter report we inadvertently referred to Dr David Monash by the incorrect name. We apologise for this and hope that David can forgive us for this indiscretion.

Also, we have added some extras to the lathe, donated by David, that will allow us to create some interesting items.

As alluded to, winter has seen a curtailing of activities at the shed, and some members have not been able to take advantage of the reduced opening hours. We hope to see all our members, current and prospective, during the warmer weather.

Ted Ameer Beg
Vice President GPB Men's Shed

Danny Oxford
VP Governance GPB Men's Shed



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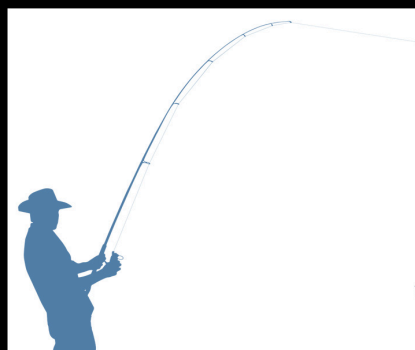
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It's Spring and recent heavy rain reinstated Lake Veronica for a few weeks. Fortunately, the new entry roadway is now above last year's flood levels and we can access the community clubrooms.



Thank you to Wellington Shire Council for funding these works.

Clearing walking tracks, removing overgrown vegetation from around the oval, mowing and green waste burns were the main activities during winter. This work will continue through to the end of September. We still have an excess of mulch for gardens. Bring your own trailer and garden fork and help yourself.

We are waiting on Wellington Shire Council to prepare a plan for maintaining the firebreaks along the boundary of the reserve in preparation for summer.

VMMR Licensed Bar & Bistro: The Bistro opens at 5.30 pm and the kitchen closes at 8 pm. We need community support for the Bistro to stay open and financially viable. Thanks to the hard work of our volunteers and staff we had a very successful Christmas in July lunch and weekly patronage at the bistro during winter has been great. Since reopening 12 months ago the VMMR has absorbed price increases for food, drinks, transport, energy costs and staff wages. So that we can remain financially viable and continue to operate the bistro as a service to the community we have no alternative but to increase the prices of meals and drinks from the 1st of September. Memberships are available and we offer loyalty cards.

The weekly raffles contribute much-needed funds to the maintenance account for the upkeep of the grounds and facilities. Thank you to the local businesses and individuals who support us with weekly prizes.

A huge thank you to the extended Braden family for the donation of office equipment and furniture for the new office area. They have also provided expert assistance in setting up the new financial accounting package for the VMMR. We appreciate their generosity and support.

We have had conversations with Wellington Shire Council representatives in regard to plans for future improvements and maintenance works. Sketch plans are on display in the dining room.

The VMMR Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday 1st October at 2 pm at the community clubrooms. There are two vacancies on the general committee, so if you are a member and have time available to volunteer your services to help manage the reserve, then please come and have a conversation with any of the committee before 24th September.

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Spring! Time to start planning for all those extra summertime activities when daylight saving starts on the 2nd of October. We hope you follow the community centre Facebook page where we try to share with you some information about activities happening locally, more broadly in the Wellington Shire, and activities at the centre.

The main hall has been booked for a Photo Competition on 29th of October. Contact the GB Surf Life Saving Club for more information.

Regular weekly activities at the centre changed during winter. Book Nook & Craft have merged and is open every Tuesday from 2pm to 4pm. A great opportunity to meet and discuss your favourite book, borrow a book or sit and chat while knitting for charity or making your own craft projects. Goods are sent off to the missions being supported. Wool is available.

The Wellington Outreach Library service is available every Thursday morning from 10-12noon in the meeting room at the Community Centre. You can order your books online through the library service and ask for delivery to Golden Beach.

At the centre we also offer a recycling service for print cartridges, pens, CD's, phones, and small size batteries. Drop them in the box at the front door.

We had a safety issue with the gas supply at the centre and this has now been resolved. Thanks to ELGAS the faulty tank was removed and a replacement supplied. Wellington Shire Council provided funding and a local tradie has fitted a cage over the bottle for safety and security.



There are some major maintenance works planned in the coming weeks with the guttering being replaced and the fascia repaired and painted. Thanks to Wellington Shire Council for providing maintenance funding for this project.

We have plans in place to upgrade the kitchen facilities and will be sourcing quotes from local tradies.

The **Annual General Meeting** will be held on Thursday 8th of September at 2pm at the centre. If you are interested in becoming involved with the maintenance and management of this community facility then please contact us. We are not a member organisation, any resident of Wellington Shire is eligible to nominate for the Committee of Management. Nomination Forms are available at the centre and nominations close 1st September 2022.

Are you planning an activity and need a large venue? Contact us for all hall hire enquiries on M: 0422 219931 Hire Forms are available at the centre or via email on request.

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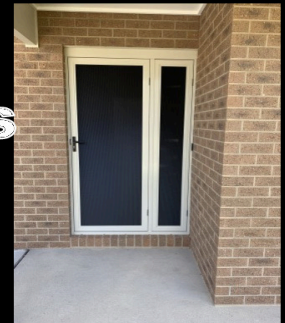
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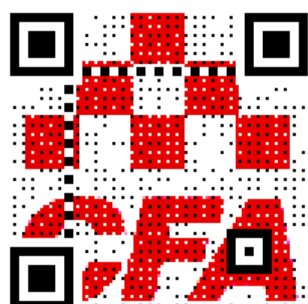
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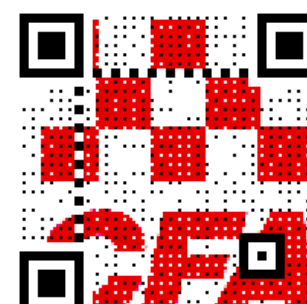
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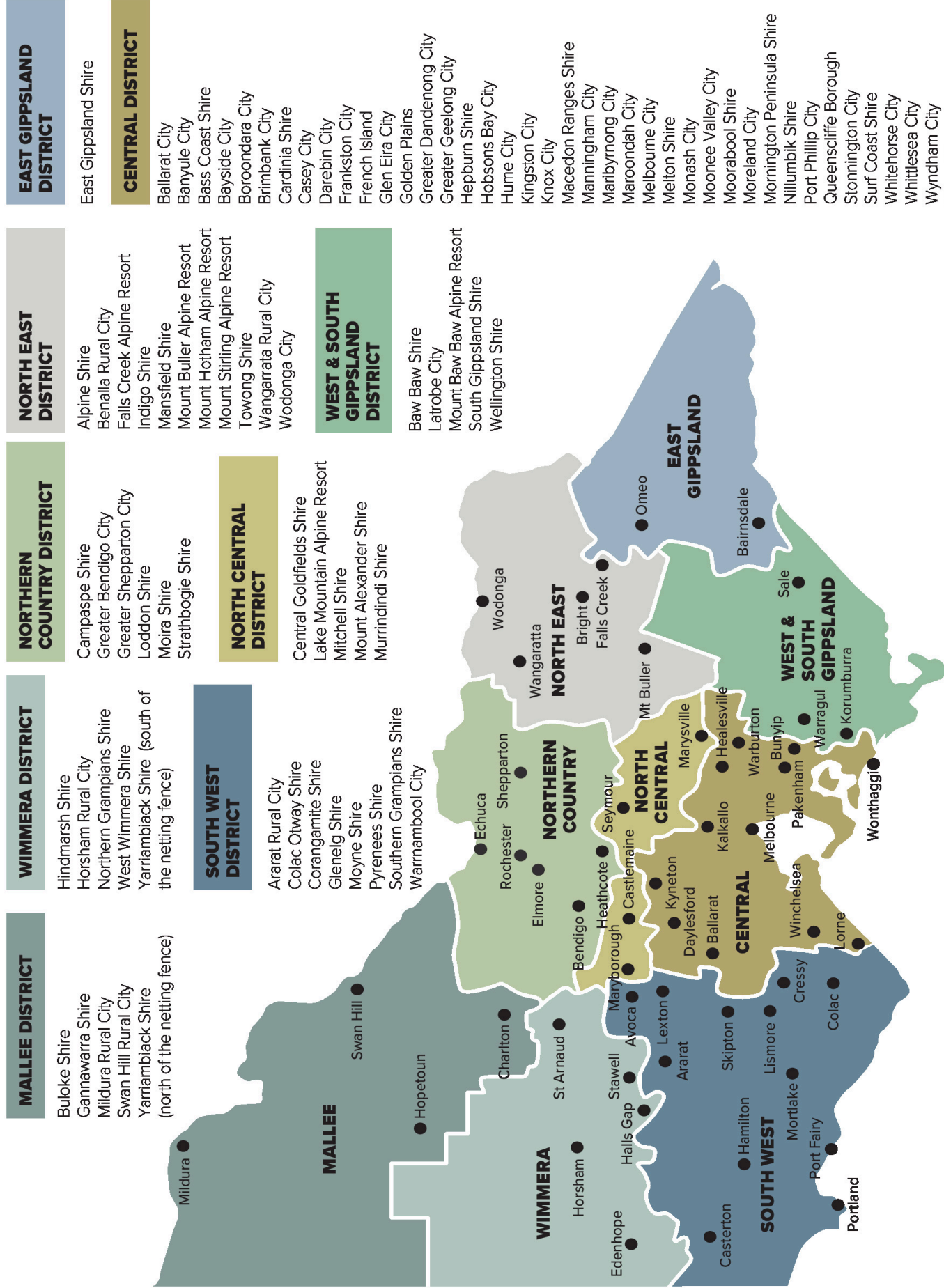
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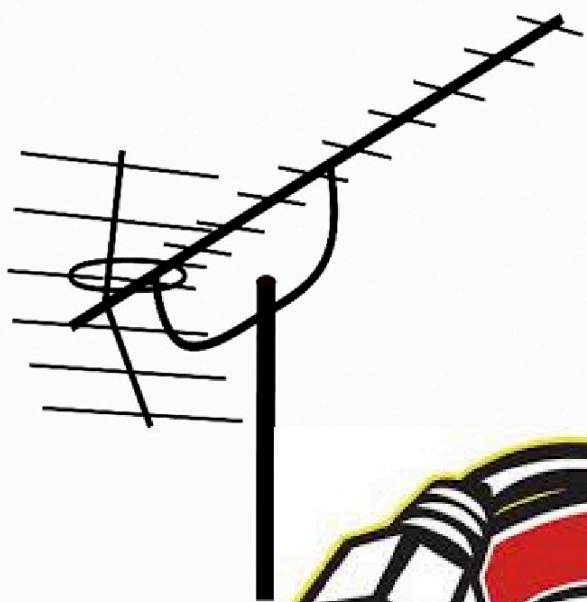
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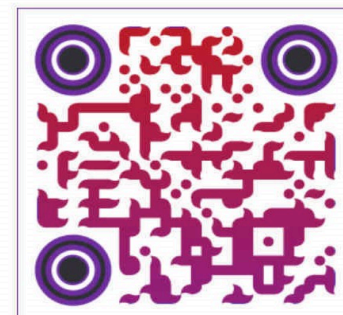
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Reminder for dog owners over excessive barking

Wellington Shire Council is asking pet owners to ensure their dogs are not barking excessively, following an increase in complaints since more people have been working from home.

While barking dogs might have gone unnoticed when people worked onsite, Council is receiving more complaints with more people at home.

Wellington Shire Council Mayor Ian Bye said excessive barking by dogs was one of the main sources of conflict between neighbours.

"Dog owners just might not realise that their pet is causing too much noise, as the barking may only happen while they are out," Cr Bye said.

"At the moment we've got a lot of people working from home and it means excessive barking is getting noticed more often, so there are a few simple things we ask people to do to make sure it doesn't become a big problem between neighbours."

While barking is a natural behaviour for dogs, pet owners must ensure their dogs do not annoy neighbours by barking excessively.

"There are many reasons a dog might bark excessively – it might be due to boredom, or it could be behavioural problems, or even just someone walking past the property," Cr Bye said.

"The important thing is that as a pet owner, you try to work out what exactly is causing your dog to bark and then take the steps to make sure it's not causing an issue for your neighbours."

Some solutions to excessive barking might include spending more time with your dog outside the yard, providing it with toys and shelter, blocking the view beyond the property fence, or obedience training.

Cr Bye said it was equally important that if neighbours are affected by excessive barking noise, they try to resolve the issue with the dog owner.

"If it is safe to do so, neighbours should approach the dog's owner in a polite way and try to discuss their concerns."

If neighbours cannot resolve the issue, people can lodge a complaint form with Council.

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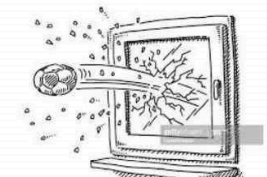
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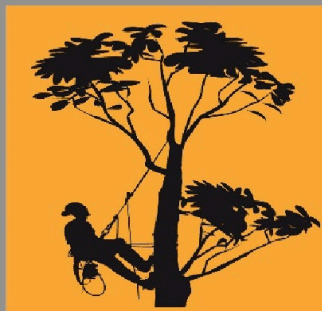


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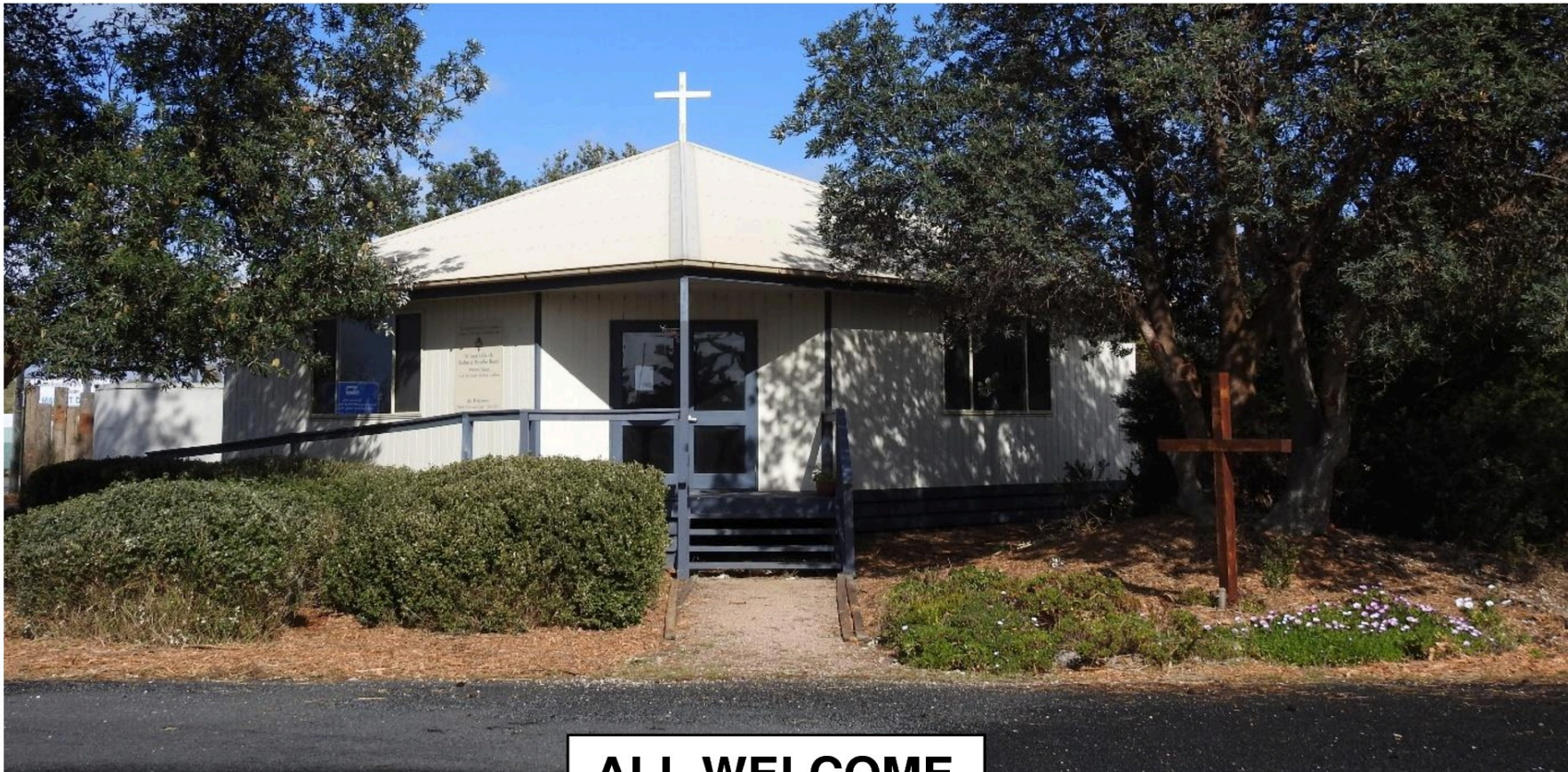
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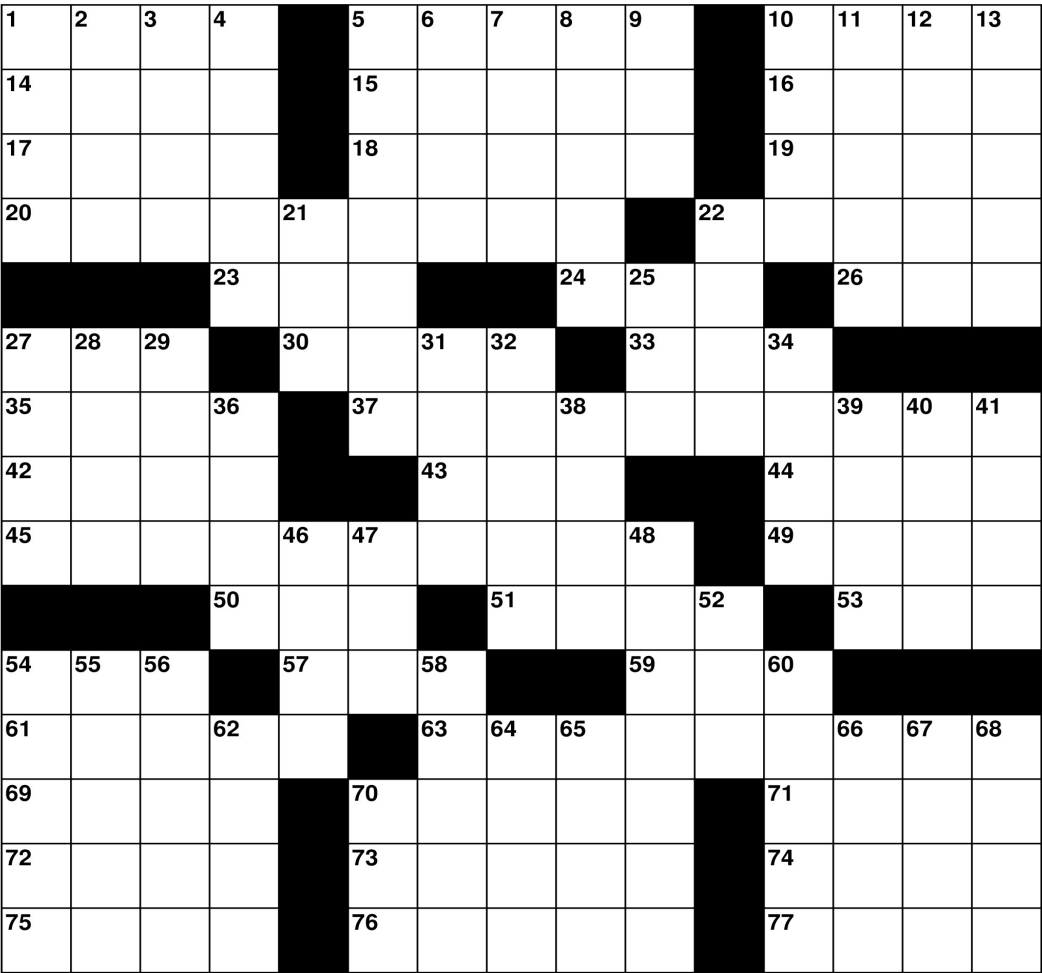


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Feature Crossword Puzzle

FAMILY AND FRIENDS



ACROSS

- 1 Invitation abbreviaton
5 Brushes
10 Twofold
14 American river
15 Pull__ (sweaters)
16 Opposed
17 Dinner
18 Be worthy of
19 Bridge
20 Chattered idly
22 Young human
23 Rio de Janeiro
24 Airport abbr.
26 Mesh
27 Former president of U.S.
30 Chancy
33 Bard's before
35 Glean
37 Close relationship with another
42 Neglect
43 Snake like fish
44 Shekel
45 Medieval entertainer's art
49 Large African river
50 Duet

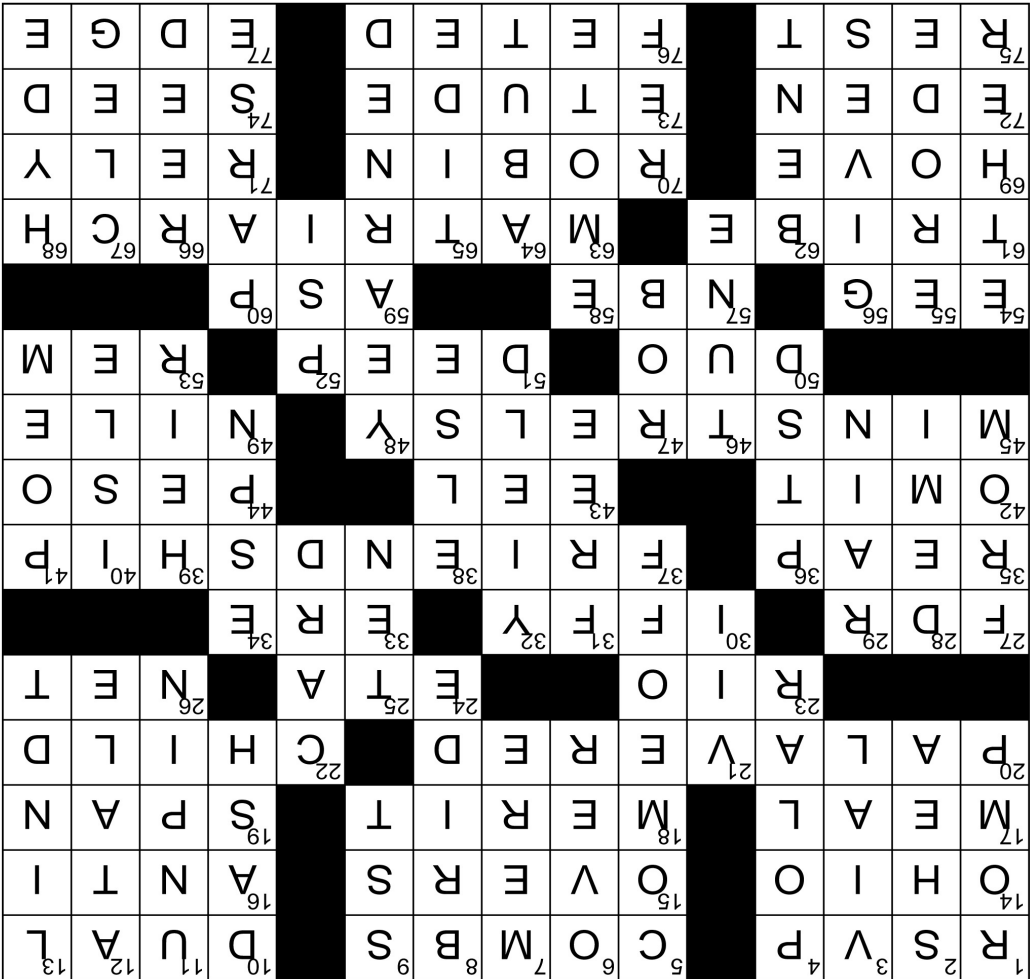
- 51 Insightful
53 Rock group
54 Electroencephalograph (abbr.)
57 Compass point
59 Poisonous snake
61 Numerous families or the like who have a common language, culture and ancestry
63 Female who acts as head of household, family, group or tribe
69 Heave, past tense
70 Spring birds
71 Depend
72 Adam's garden
73 Musical composition
74 Germ
75 Sleep
76 Gave a lavish party
77 Inch



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FAMILY AND FRIENDS



DOWN

- 1 Fun
2 Popular stadium
3 Bottle
4 Opposite
5 Detach (2 wds.)
6 Ended
7 Meager
8 Female about to or just married
9 Fast plane
10 Sprint
11 Unfasten the pins of
12 Dickens' "___ of Two Cities" (2 wds.)
13 Gourmet chocolate brand
21 Roman numeral seven
22 Ask for identification
25 Decade
27 Package label
28 Prefix for half
29 Water from the sky
31 Loose
32 Pay
34 Sports channel
36 Posttraumatic stress disorder

- 38 Otherwise
39 Person who has right to receive holdings upon the death of another
40 Island
41 Verse
46 Adjust
47 Extort
48 Longed
52 Pounds per square inch
54 Anesthetic
55 Eat away
56 Lends
58 Show emotions
60 Analyze syntactically
62 Bowed
64 Connect
65 Brand of laundry detergent
66 Marsh grass
67 Fly
68 Dr. Jekyll's "partner"
70 Game official

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