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FROM THE EDITOR

Welcome to June and officially to Winter. We have some great stories inside this month and fabulous events for the month of June.

We have a winner! Two in fact! Meet Gemma and Grace, the winners of our Inaugural 4017 Story Writing competition. You can read their stories inside this month's issue. A special thank you to Cr Jared Cassidy for supporting this competition and to the Sands Social for providing the \$250 cash prize for our winner.

There are some fabulous shows and events in and around your community this month.

The stage adaptation of Stephen King's terrifying thriller - Misery - comes to the Sandgate Town Hall this month and after 4 years, St Joseph's Fete is back on in Bracken Ridge.

Plus give this month's CWA recipe a go, tackle our crossword and plan your weekend entertainment with our Gu Guide.

Scan the QR code below to hear an exclusive interview with Emily Eklund Power, the author of Shirley's Story: A tale of strength courage and hope on our GuideCast this month. Twenty years ago three of her children were murdered in their Bridgeman Downs home. Emily tells us how she came to write Shirley's story. Follow our Facebook page and keep an eye out for your chance to win a copy of Emily's book.

Until next month - happy reading, and listening.

Jodie



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The Stowaway Collective

STORY **DONNA PHILLIPS**

JUNE: We hope you'll accept our invitation to enjoy an evening of elegant classics in the historic ambience of Sandgate Town Hall on Saturday, June 3. Simply sit back and allow highly accomplished duo, György Déri (cello) and Roger Cui (piano), to transport you into the realms of experience that lovers of the art have enjoyed down through the ages.

JULY: Spending time with The Stowaway Collective's Chris Clarkson, Sebastian Flynn, Martin Reece, Christian Rizzalli, and Arash Zanganeh will be like an evening spent with old friends, on July 1.

Sebastian Flynn explains, "The Stowaway Collective have played for Sandgate MBTS before and were very well received as a trio, consisting of Martin and Sebastian with the addition of multi-instrumentalist and singer Christian Rizzalli.

"More recently, the trio drafted in Iranian percussion master Arash Zanganeh, adding incisive rhythms on a range of Middle Eastern hand drums and clay pots etc. The group also recently co-opted a fifth member with Chris Clarkson on Uilleann pipes (Irish bagpipes) and other wind instruments, collectively creating a rich and vibrant 5-piece ensemble with a unique approach both instrumentally and creatively.

"As we have already recorded a CD and have some track record as The Stowaways, it seemed best to retain the Stowaway concept to provide a sense of being hidden passengers in the shadows of different cultural traditions.

"So, the most recent incarnation of the Stowaway Collective has been formed with the intention to create and perform completely original music that the group now loosely refer to as 'music from an unknown country'."

And in a salute to the classics Sebastian adds, "The English composer Ralph Vaughan Williams referred to the simple 17th century English folk dance tunes that he was collecting as 'symphonies in miniature', given that they often displayed the same ground plan as a Beethoven symphony in miniature. We aspire to the ensemble bringing the same grandeur, vibrancy, and rhythmic vitality to its diverse sounds."

György Déri (cello) and Roger Cui (piano)
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Sandra Walshe

EASEL DOES IT FOR 4017 ARTISTS

STORY **EMMA SANDERS** PHOTO **BRUCE REDMAN**

The local art community will this year celebrate a decade of beautiful Bramble Bay brush strokes as the 10th Annual 4017 Community Exhibition bursts to life at Gallery 4017.

The 4017 Community Exhibition is a competition open to all artists living in the 4017 postcode and to those affiliated with Artrageous Arts.

Last year's winner, artist Sandra Walshe, encouraged the area's artists to get involved

- no matter their skill level or artistic appetite.

Sandra has been a regular at Artrageous Community Arts Centre for 20 years, and is also a member of the Sandgate and Redcliffe art societies.

"I received the 4017 Community Art Award last year, which entitled me to a solo exhibition to be held at Artrageous in Loftus St, Deagon, from June 9," she said.

"Supporting the local arts community is important to me and winning the 4017 last year was a pleasant surprise.

"For anyone interested in art I would say have a go. It feels good to show the community how you express yourself."

Sandra said her upcoming solo exhibition at Artrageous was progressing well and she was looking forward to sharing her artworks with the community.

"The pieces I will be presenting at the exhibition are a combination of landscape and figurative artworks," she said.

"My landscapes are from a recent holiday in Tasmania - I was so inspired by the beauty of Hartz [Mountains] National Park, which is at the edge of the Tasmanian Wilderness World Heritage Area.

"On the other hand, my figurative art pieces are purely imaginative and are completely different.

"Starting with a few charcoal lines, the people in my artworks appear, each with their own personality - you could say they come to me."

First prize in the competition is a solo exhibition to be held in June 2024 to the value of \$600.

This year's exhibition opening will be on Friday July 14 at 6.30pm at Gallery 4017, Artrageous Community Arts Centre, Loftus St, Deagon.

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Photos from the last St Joseph's fete, held in 2019.

ST JOSEPH'S READY TO PARTY AT FETE

STORY **BROOKE JACOBSON**

All the fun of the fair returns to St Joseph's in Bracken Ridge this month, with their 40th anniversary school fete.

It's been four years since the school held a fete, and for organising committee member Damian Dancer, it's a joy to see the event return.

"The P&F decided last year that it was time to bring the fete back, so we're making it a really big celebration this year," he said.

"This is the major fundraiser for the school's P&F.

"Funds raised go towards infrastructure for the school, and in previous years we've bought a big fan for the hall, fridges for all the classrooms, and we've purchased robotic equipment.

"We do run smaller fundraisers during the year like the Mother's Day stall, but this is the big one."

Damian said fete-goers could expect to see lots of food stalls, games and showbags, as well as pre-loved books and clothes, a plant stall and so much more.

"Our bake stall is very popular, and we have some thrill rides for the bigger kids, and some family-friendly rides for the younger ones," he said.

"What's new this year is we have an outdoor stage; this is a second stage, and we'll be using

that to showcase local artists and sporting groups.

"That will be near our food trucks to help keep the crowds entertained."

The school's P&F is also running a raffle, with a 2023 Mazda CX3 on offer for first prize.

Tickets will be on sale during the day at the fete, or they can be purchased ahead of time online.

"This event is so important to our school community, with the benefits it brings to our school, and to showcase the culture of our school, it's so worthwhile," Damian said.

"We're so lucky to have such an engaged and involved P&F, and we can't wait to see everyone at the fete.

"Everyone is welcome, we'd like to see the whole community there."

For more information about the St Joseph's School fete, or to buy raffle tickets, go to: www.stjosephsfete.com.au

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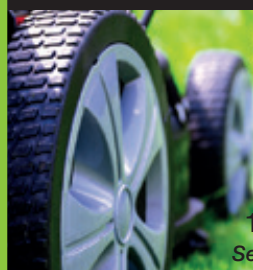
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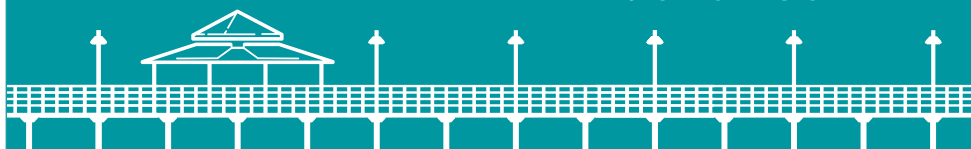
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Marching bagpipers Campbell, Raymond and Ray set the tone for the ANZAC Day Parade down the main streets of Sandgate Town.



It's Margaret's birthday (centre) and good friends Michael and Justine help her celebrate with family and friends with a party at Putia Restaurant, Banyo.



Love you Mum! Tash gives her Mum Clare a big hug for all she has given her. Happy Mother's Day to all our Mums!



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BY **BROOKE JACOBSON**

Wax lyrical with local poets

Sandgate's own Poets on the Park will meet up again on June 20. Anyone who loves poetry is invited to this gathering to recite and enjoy the magic of the spoken word. The monthly event takes place at 58 Rainbow Street, Sandgate. All welcome for a 6pm start. For more information search Facebook for "Poets on the Park Sandgate".

Full Moon aglow with award nominations

The Full Moon Hotel is a finalist in the QHA Awards for Excellence. The Sandgate favourite is a finalist in the following categories: Best Bistro – metropolitan; Best Detached Bottleshop – Bottlemart Boondall at Sue's Corner; Best Detached Bottleshop – Bottlemart Ibis Cellars; Best Family Dining; Best Game Venue – metropolitan; Best Hotel Bar general division – metropolitan; Best Marketed Hotel – general division. Winners will be announced on June 19. Good luck!

Beautiful beach walk

Learn about the natural wonders of the 4017 at the Laurie Jeays Beach Walk. The walk will be held on Monday, June 26 from 9.30am. Please meet at the Old Baptist Church on Flinders Parade, and wear sturdy shoes that can get wet. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Numbers are limited, so please book your spot by phoning: 0410 327 095.

Tea and history

Tea with History will be held on Friday, June 30 at the Sandgate Historical Museum. This is a great chance to learn about our local area and enjoy some tasty treats as well.

The Museum is located at 150 Rainbow, Sandgate. Cost for non-members is \$15 and members, \$10. Bookings are essential. Please phone 3869 2283 or email: info@sandgatemuseum.com.au

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For more information, contact Councillor Jared Cassidy's office on: 3667 6011.

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Would you like to contribute to Bramble Bites?

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Playground Named Uncle Lewis Orcher Place

STORY **ALYSSA MACKAY**

A local playground will be named in honour of Aboriginal Elder, Uncle Lewis Orcher, who lived and worked in the community for more than 60 years. This month, the revamped playground at O'Callaghan Park in Zillmere will be unveiled as Uncle Lewis Orcher Place.

Deagon Ward Councillor Jared Cassidy said Uncle Lewis was a fierce advocate, a compassionate Elder and a real friend to many on the Northside.

"As a long-term Zillmere local and respected community Elder, Uncle Lewis had a strong connection to O'Callaghan Park and the nearby Zillmere PCYC, becoming a vital part of their Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Youth Justice Program," Cr Cassidy said.

Uncle Lewis was a founder of Koobara Kindy, which began in 1974.

Gloria at Koobara Kindy said Uncle Lewis attended meetings with Brisbane City Council about moving the kindergarten from the old church hall to a new, safe site.

"He was a very strong advocate for social justice for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families and kids, especially children, giving them access to an early childhood centre such as Koobara where they are taught by Indigenous educators about their identity and to be proud of who they are," Gloria said.

Uncle Lewis was instrumental in organising the first Northside community NAIDOC celebration at O'Callaghan Park.

"We learnt a lot from him and he was like a library in himself, always speaking words of wisdom," Gloria said. "We still live in his dream of keeping the doors of communication open – to continue his legacy. He was a great mentor."

Keep an eye on Councillor Jared Cassidy's Facebook page for details about a special opening and dedication to Uncle Lewis Orcher Place.



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was proud to support the Vaisakhi Festival once again on Sunday 7 May at Curlew Park. A Citizenship Ceremony was conducted as part of the official part of the day and I had the honour of acting as the Presiding Officer at the Ceremony.



WITH **CR JARED CASSIDY**

The Council budget will be handed down on 14 June. I have been advocating for the funding of many local projects including increase in drainage funding, the Einbunpin Lagoon management plan, O'Callaghan Park masterplan, Cabbage Tree Creek water

quality, pedestrian safety plan for Sandgate Village, Dowse Lagoon maintenance funding boost to name a few. I am hopeful the Lord Mayor provides the long outstanding funds so these vital local projects can be finally completed.

With the Einbunpin Festival just weeks away, time is running out to put in a Stallholder application or Expression of interest to perform on 30 July. Stalls close on 12 June and performance EOIs close on 10 June so be quick if you want to take part.

I am holding a mobile office on Thursday 8 June at Taigum Square from 9am to 11am. It's a great chance to pop in for a chat. I hope to see you there!

am very excited to announce that work has begun on the Bill Brown Reserve Shared Pathway Project connecting the suburbs of Fitzgibbon and Bracken Ridge.



WITH **CR SANDY LANDERS**

The path will be 850 metres long and 3 metres wide using the existing vehicle maintenance track within the reserve. Six culverts will be installed along the project alignment to improve drainage and a bridge crossing will be constructed over the waterway adjacent to

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WITH **STIRLING HINCHLIFFE MP**

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The local schools sharing in this almost \$17,000 are Bracken Ridge State School, Sandgate State School, Norris Road State School, Taigum State School, Brighton State School, Sandgate District State High School and Holy Spirit College.

Sport plays a transformational role in the lives of kids, especially those who might be on the edge, and this investment is a great way to kickstart a life-long engagement with exercise and friendly competition.

This is fantastic news for many of our local schools and will encourage more participation, from more children, more often.

lighting, as well as wayfinding signage and line marking. This new shared path will improve connectivity between key recreational hubs on Telegraph Road and Roghan Road, including the Bill Brown Sports Reserve netball courts, Emily Seeböhm Aquatic Centre, Bracken Ridge Skate Plaza and BMX facility, Hidden World Playground, and dog parks.

This important new local connection is part of our commitment to expanding on our city's active transport network and creating more recreational opportunities for residents and visitors to enjoy. Further information can be found on my website at sandylanders.com.au

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WITH **ANIKA WELLS MP**

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We are also increasing funding by an additional \$54.3 million to critical Australian Apprenticeship supports to improve completion rates, including for 2975 apprentices currently in training in Lilley.

I'll be sending more budget news out soon, so keep an eye on your letterbox.

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TINY BUT MIGHTY

Dave Townsend, President of the Mini Club with Simon, Manager of the Brighton Hotel

STORY **EMMA SANDERS** PHOTO **BRUCE REDMAN**

Big things happen in Minis. The iconic tiny cars are beloved worldwide, and it was no different on May 28 when the Mini Owners Club of Queensland united to hold the London to Brighton Run.

The event saw hundreds of Mini owners and their noble puny steeds traverse from London St in Belmont, across Captain Cook Bridge and down Coronation Drive, up Mt Coot-Tha for a morning tea stop, then out to Samford and across Clear Mountain, through Brendale and finally to the Brighton Hotel car park for a show and shine.

Secretary of the Mini Owners Club of Queensland and event organiser Dave Townsend said the Mini spectacular was inspired by the original London to Brighton Mini event of the same name.

"The idea came from an event in England where the popularity of the run is known worldwide," he said.

"That event last year had 2100 vehicles doing the run, which started from Surrey near London and drove to Brighton on the south coast. Unfortunately, that will be last time it will be run in England due to the emission laws in London."

David said the support from the Brighton Hotel had been magnificent, with the pub embracing the opportunity to have so many Mini owners on site showing off their pride and joy.

"The support we have received from Simon and his staff at the Brighton Hotel has been amazing," David said.

"We were a bit surprised with the response that we have received from members and those outside of our club, it has been phenomenal.

"The cars finished in the car park of the hotel and when lined up it was a very special moment. The Hotel featured prominently in the day's events, and everyone got to know Brighton and will want to revisit."

And with the proliferation of electric vehicles, David said Minis may become a rare species sooner rather than later.

"This is the first time to my knowledge an event has been held in Brisbane that is based on the original event in England," he said.

"With the ageing of the cars, they are slowly diminishing in numbers. So to see so many of the cars in one place and driving through the city and suburbs was a special moment for drivers and onlookers."



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SPICY CORN, LENTIL & PUMPKIN CHOWDER

Serving: 4 people as a main or 6 people as a starter

INGREDIENTS:

1 tbsp olive oil
1 large white onion, finely diced
2 garlic cloves crushed
½ tsp cayenne pepper
200g split lentils
200g pumpkin, roughly diced into 2cm chunks
700ml vegetable stock - reduced salt
1 x 400ml tin coconut milk
1 Scotch Bonnet chilli, halved*
2 thyme sprigs
1 x 200g tin corn drained
freshly ground black pepper

METHOD: Heat the oil in a large saucepan over a medium heat, add the onion and garlic and sweat until softened but not coloured. Add the cayenne pepper and cook for 1 minute, then add the split lentils, squash, stock, milk, chilli and thyme. Bring to a simmer, then reduce the heat to low and cook for 20-25 minutes, until the pumpkin is tender and the lentils are soft, but not mushy. Add the corn, season with pepper and bring the soup back to a simmer.

Tip: For less chilli heat remove the seeds from the chilli before cooking.

To Serve: Spoon soup into bowls and drizzle with a little chilli oil and a sprinkling of flat leaf parsley.

***Note:** The Scotch Bonnet chilli is one of the main ingredients used to flavour the dishes of the Caribbean - it is sweet and very hot. Red chillies can be a substitute for Scotch Bonnet chillies.

1 tablespoon vinegar plus enough milk to make 1 & ½ cups



This month's recipe was made for a recent Caribbean themed QCWA Sandgate Branch lunch. The branch has rated the recipe 5 stars with many favourable comments. It is guaranteed to warm you up on a winter's day with the blend of spices and the sweetness of the corn and pumpkin.

Spiced Corn, Lentil & Butternut Squash Chowder found in Ainsley's Caribbean Kitchen. 16 July 2019; Publisher: Ebury Press available from the Brisbane City Library



The Sandgate branch of the QCWA meets on the third Wednesday of each month at the Sandgate Bowls Club; and they have a casual craft day on the first Wednesday of each month at the RSL sub-branch hall in Burnett Lane. Anyone interested in joining can email sandgateqcwa@gmail.com



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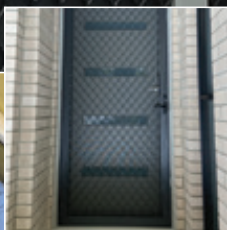
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'THE CHOICEST POSITION IN SANDGATE'

Kate Street, ca 1907. Town hall on the right.

STORY **PATTIE TANCRED**

History means change, which means that wherever you live you are surrounded by history. An ordinary suburban street, for instance, now quietly residential, may once have been a bustling thoroughfare hosting shops, businesses or government entities. Such is Kate Street, Shorncliffe.

Once Sandgate's main street, not only was Kate Street busier, it was bigger. Now running west from Rainbow Street to Barton Street, prior to 1913 it included what is now Pier Ave and ended overlooking the sea at Park Parade.

Having first appeared in government gazettes of 1853, Kate Street then featured regularly in real estate advertisements of the 1860s with allotments offered to "Gentlemen and others in quest of a seaside residence". Sandgate's popularity as a seaside resort all but guaranteed the success of these sales, as well as a booming rental market. In 1873, for example, a gentleman (or other) in search of holiday accommodation could avail himself of Bellevue Cottage (six rooms, kitchen and servant's room), to let in Kate Street. More land went on sale in 1879, excitable advertising urging prospective buyers to consider the benefits of Sandgate: "Glorious sea breeze! ... No doctors required! ... Bathing and fishing! ... Splendid garden land!"

In 1882, Kate Street became the centre of municipal government with construction of the first Sandgate town hall. Conveniently located nearby were the Sea View Hotel, also opened

in 1882, followed by the Musgrave Hotel, on the corner with Yundah Street, in 1884. Both establishments were especially well located to cater to the seaside-going crowds when the Sandgate railway was extended to Shorncliffe in 1897.

Another Kate Street business was A W Field: "Chemist, Druggist and Surgeon/Dentist ... prescriptions at strictly Brisbane prices ... Teeth carefully extracted". The street also hosted seaside accommodation, including a Mrs Watson offering a "comfortable home for ladies with children, or children without parents." Given the number of reports of arrests for drunkenness in Kate Street peppering the newspapers of the time, it is to be hoped that Mrs Watson's establishment was in "Lower Kate Street" far from the pubs. Mr Field, though, probably did a brisk trade in hangover cures.

Those who thronged Kate Street 130 years ago would not recognise it today, quietly residential, the pubs gone, the holidaymakers no longer surging up the street from the station and the town hall, which burned down in 1910, only a presence in old photos. There is still a glorious sea breeze, though, and splendid garden land.

With thanks to the Sandgate Historical Museum (opening hours: Sunday and Wednesday, 10am to 3pm). Photograph: John Oxley Library, State Library of Qld, Neg No 167734



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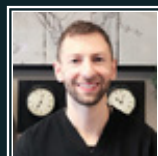
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LEONARD SUE-TIN: A DESCENDANT OF EARLY ENTREPRENEURS

STORY **ALYSSA MACKAY** PHOTO **BRUCE REDMAN**

Leonard Sue-Tin, 94, comes from generations of hard-working business owners.

In fact, the Sue-Tin family have contributed to making the local area the thriving community it is today. And it all began with a dream.

Leonard's grandfather, Matthew Sue-Tin, left his home in China in 1886 with the hope of finding wealth and prosperity during Australia's gold rush. Matthew and his brother, George became successful fruit and vegetable traders, shop owners and furniture manufacturers, eventually passing their legacy onto their children.

Born in 1901, Guy Sue-Tin (Leonard's father) grew fruit and vegetables on land he owned in Manly and Nudgee. From vending with horse and cart to selling at Rocklea Markets, pop-up stalls on Fifth Avenue, Sandgate and privately-owned land in Brighton, the family worked hard picking, washing, peeling and packing produce.

Guy developed his Brighton property into what is now Brighton Shopping Village on Beaconsfield Terrace. He also owned Sue Brothers, a furniture-making business in Bowen Hills, which later moved to Northgate.

Leonard's uncle, Jim Sue-Tin, purchased land in Boondall for a market garden and fruit and



vegetable shop. In 1962, Jim upgraded the site and established the shopping precinct Sue's Korner, which remains a significant landmark today.

When Guy passed away in 1981, Leonard and his brother, Lionel continued to run Sue Brothers and together with their sister, Corinne, inherited Brighton Shopping Village.

Leonard and his wife, Lorna still own the family home they purchased in Boondall more than 55 years ago – one of the first built in the area – choosing the location to be close to family and Sue's Korner. Today, Lorna, 93, still remembers how people would talk of Sue's Korner, purchasing goods from the original fruit and vegetable shop, delicatessen and Chinese takeaway.

Leonard said he was proud of his Australian Chinese descent, the businesses he managed, and the partnerships developed over time between the generations.

"I loved working and providing for my family – having a family-owned and operated business, offering others equal opportunities in work and life," Leonard said. "Sharing culture, stories and experiences. Serving the local community – a sense of community being a high value of the Chinese culture. Yes, there were challenges but my family saw these as opportunities to open up our minds, embrace the challenges and work harder, together."

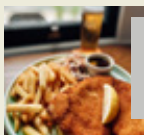
Leonard is the only living of his siblings. He and Lorna share six grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and eight great-great grandchildren. Leonard finished by saying his family appreciated the community wanting to keep the 'Sues Korner' name (with a K); even with the shopping village revamp. It means a lot to them.

Thanks to Leonard's granddaughter, Kym de Thierry with her assistance compiling this story.



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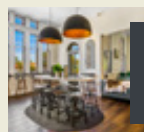
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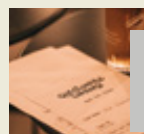
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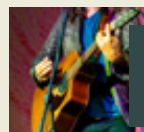
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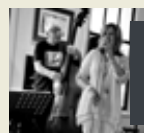
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There will be loads of live music, kids activities and of course lots of food options to ensure a great day for the whole family.

"The organising committee have been working hard behind the scenes to ensure this year's community festival is bigger and better than ever." Cr Jared Cassidy said.

"The Festival will be held on Sunday 30 July from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Einbunpin Lagoon Parkland right in the heart of Sandgate."

"Whether you're from a local school, community group, sporting club or local business, we'd love to have you along," said Jared.

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MISERY COMES TO LIFE IN DARK STAGE ADAPTATION

STORY **ALYSSA MACKAY**

Sandgate Theatre Inc are amping up the suspense with their latest production - a classic thriller that promises to have the audience on the edge of their seats.

Misery, a Broadway play by William Goldman adapted from the terrifying novel by Stephen King, is playing at the Sandgate Town Hall this month.

Sandgate Theatre Inc vice president and the show's director, Danny Cruise said Misery was "definitely their darkest play".

"I've been a Stephen King fan since I was a teenager and loved the Misery novel," Danny

said. "He turns the ordinary into something terrifying. But it seems so believable. I'm hoping to give the audience a night they won't forget in a hurry."

The story focuses on the relationships between the two main characters – Paul Sheldon, the best-selling novelist of a series of romance books featuring heroine 'Misery', and Annie Wilkes, Paul's deranged number-one fan.

"When Paul is seriously injured following a car accident, former nurse Annie brings him to her home, where Paul receives treatment and doses of pain medication," Danny said. "Paul realises that he is a prisoner and is forced to indulge his captor's whims."

Danny said he received a lot of interest from actors wanting to audition, thanks to the popularity of the novel.

"As it turns out, Ashley McArthur and Gary Farmer-Trickett were chosen for the role almost immediately," he said. "They were amazing. I was so excited. The Sheriff is played by Brighton resident, John Sayles, who received rave reviews for his role as Jim Trott in our last play, The Vicar of Dibley. It's the perfect cast."

The original 1987 novel and 1990 film adaptation starring Kathy Bates are well-known for some shocking scenes, including one particularly brutal act.

"This play is not for children," Danny said. "It's a little disturbing. But the funny thing is that after all Annie Wilkes did to Paul Sheldon, you might just feel sorry for her. It's not just random violence, there are a lot of emotions involved."

"I hope the audience will enjoy the rollercoaster of emotions and experience, just for a short time, who Annie Wilkes is and why she would kill for 'Misery'."

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Raising Awareness for MND with Sandgate Local Leanne Sklavenitis

STORY **KELLY WALKER**

This June marks MND Queensland's 40th anniversary of helping to support the thousands of Queenslanders who have been impacted by Motor Neuron Disease (MND). Approximately 140,000 new cases of MND are diagnosed globally each year and the chance of developing the condition is roughly 1 in 300.

Also known as Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), MND is a rare condition that

progressively damages neurons which control the muscles we use to move, speak, breathe, and swallow. As MND tends to progress quite rapidly, patients are generally given a life expectancy of only 2-5 years from the onset of symptoms.

Sandgate local, Leanne Sklavenitis, knows all too well how crushing an MND diagnosis can be. "It all started In 2016 when I had a clumsy fall and landed hard on my knee," she said. "Over the next 18 months, I experienced a range of other symptoms and just knew that something wasn't right." After a number of MRIs and a whole slew of other tests, as well as consultations with three different neurologists, Leanne was finally told the words she never wanted to hear.

"An MND diagnosis is a pretty hard thing to swallow," she said. "Being told at the age of 53 that I likely only had a few years to live was really tough." However, nearly six years after her diagnosis, Leanne is continuing to smash the stereotypical MND prognosis.

On Friday, June 23rd, as part of MND awareness month, MND Queensland will be bringing back their Story Bridge Climb to raise funds for this important cause. "The bridge will be lit up in blue as a tribute to those who have passed," Leanne said, "and I'm excited to be taking part in the event as a special guest speaker." Although MND has taken away Leanne's ability to speak in the traditional sense, she continues to make sure her story is heard through the help of eye gaze technology and AI voice output.

Since her diagnosis, Leanne has maintained her optimistic outlook and has been doing her part to hopefully one day find a cure. "I've been involved in research studies since very early on in my journey," she said. "I am really looking forward to continuing my visits to MND labs and advocating for funding to find a cure - it will happen!"

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Organic Gardening in June

STORY **SALLY EBERHARDT**

Bbbrrrr! Baby, it's cold outside. The cooler temperatures make working outside a pleasure so tackle some of the bigger tasks now. Labour intensive projects like digging new garden beds, putting in paving, building garden structures or doing some repairs and maintenance, are perfect ways to keep warm.

Another way to enjoy your organic garden and escape the chill is with a fire – there is something very relaxing about staring into the flames and basking in their warmth.

Stay within BCC bylaws by ensuring the fire is contained in a barbeque or another cooking device. Grill up some of those beautiful organic vegetables you have been growing. Cube them, if making kebobs, or cut into large slices, marinate in a little olive oil and seasoning (Tuscan Seasoning mix is a personal favourite) and cook up a storm. Use clean and dry combustible material so you don't smoke out your neighbours.

Now is also an opportune time for planning. Cosy up with your hot beverage of choice and scroll the Internet for fabulous garden ideas. Pinterest has beautiful pictures and YouTube will show you how to DIY.

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STORY **NADIA CHAPMAN**

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MEET OUR 2023 STORY WRITING COMPETITION WINNERS

BY JODIE MORPHETT

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This year, the Sandgate Guide with the support of Councillor Jared Cassidy launched a story writing competition for our local senior high school students. We were very thankful to have the support of the local high schools and were thrilled with the response we received. Our theme, Random Acts of Kindness, was embraced.

Before you meet our winners, I wanted to thank The Sands Social who kindly donated the first

prize of \$250 and Councillor Cassidy for also providing a lovely afternoon tea to present our winners with their prizes.

I am very excited for you to meet two very talented students, Gemma who was our overall winner, and Grace who was our runner up. Both ladies are year 10 students attending Bracken Ridge State High School. Gemma and Grace's stories embodied our theme and I am sure you will enjoy reading them. Congratulations Gemma and Grace and thank you for sharing your stories with us.

Random Acts of Kindness

STORY GRACE LEDGER

BRACKEN RIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL, YEAR 10

On the 6th of April 2023, my friends and I were at Chermside swimming pool, hanging out since it was the beginning of the two-week Easter school holidays. It was just before two o'clock when we decided to leave the pool and go to the local shopping centre for lunch and get some shelter from the blistering sun.

We began walking towards the shopping centre, talking and laughing. We needed to cross a busy street which was particularly heavy with traffic, so we had to wait a few minutes until the pedestrian crossing light turned green before we crossed. As we stood talking and laughing together, we noticed an elderly woman shuffling towards us, obviously intending to cross the same street we wanted to cross.

She was slow and seemed fragile, almost like a weak, newly born bird. Beside her, a younger woman hurried along as best she could. She was wearing sunglasses and a badge, and seemed a little unsure of herself as she navigated her way towards the crossing. As they got closer, we realised that the younger woman was visually impaired; her badge indicated as such.

My friends and I noted that the pedestrian crossing lights would soon go green and willed both women to reach the crossing in time. Upon hearing the signal, most of my friends ran half-



Grace (far right) with her family & friend at the afternoon tea

way across the street, whilst my friend Dylan and I stayed back to help both the women cross the street.

Dylan helped the lady who was visually impaired, whose name was Victoria, and I aided the elderly woman, whose name was Sue. We moved carefully across the road and were only halfway across when the pedestrian light flickered red. Dylan and I took our time with Victoria and Sue, making sure they felt safe crossing the street. People in their cars were impatient, some even blasting their horns in annoyance.

Seeing this, the rest of our friend group walked back onto the road to where we were crossing so that Victoria and Sue knew they were safe and well supported. Upon reaching the other side of the street, both the women thanked us and went on about their day; my friends and I continued on our way into the shopping centre to get some lunch and shelter from the blistering sun.

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS



Random Acts of Kindness

STORY **GEMMA BULL**
BRACKEN RIDGE STATE HIGH SCHOOL, YEAR 10

Homelessness. One word that affects millions of people. "There's nothing a child can do to address one of the world's biggest issues." Perhaps no one child, or adult, can fix this issue, but there are ways for anyone to help those affected by it. This is what Gemma and Llewie learned at the ripe ol' age of nine.

Year 4 student council representatives from Norris Road State School, Gemma and Llewie were in their usual Thursday meeting, when all of student council representatives were asked the following question "What is something you can do that will create a positive impact for someone else in the world?"

As the room fell silent thousands of ideas flooded Gemma and Llewie's minds, the question was so open-ended it left most people in the room stunned. They turned to each other, quickly having a hushed discussion. Gemma turned back to face the teacher and raised her hand.

"Donate food and clothing to homeless people."

"Good, but how?"

The pair sat in silence for a moment. "We can donate our old food and clothing to them."

"Yeah, and we can make posters so people can call us to donate."

"Or we could knock on people's doors."

Ideas started bouncing off each other like balloons. The teacher sat back in her chair, pleasantly surprised. 'Okay, so when are you going to start?'

Now.

The room dispersed, and with the instructions of Llewie and Gemma, the other student council members started making posters, writing a Facebook post for the school, and started arranging times when people can donate and where to.

After only a day's worth of organisation, the students started going around to the staff at their school, their peers, and the communities' houses asking for donations. Many people were more than happy to spare an old jumper or a few cans of beans. Over two weeks, the kids received over \$2,500 worth of food items, clothing, blankets, toiletries, and cash donations. At the end of these two weeks, the students worked with their school to organise a truck to go around Brisbane and hand out the donations, which had been organised and cleaned by the students.

The week following the big handout, the students were shocked to see that they were in the local newspaper, and underneath their picture, many "Thank yous" had been left by the receivers of their donations. None of the kids involved had been homeless before, but they knew that it was something very unfortunate to be put through. Even though \$2,500 is not a lot, and is not going to stop people being homeless, over the course of the two weeks, together, they have still made a difference.



WALK WITH THE 'ROOS' AT TINCHI TAMBA

STORY **PANAYIOTA**

'Only in Australia' do majestic kangaroos grace us with their presence at our very doorstep.

Sandgate residents are fortunate to have Eastern Grey Kangaroos living at theirs, specifically in Tinchi Tamba Wetland Reserve. These kangaroos first migrated to Tinchi Tamba years ago when their natural habitat was compromised by urban development and even most recently, the 2022 floods have left them struggling.

Under normal living conditions, kangaroos are an integral part of Australia's survival. For example, they consume enough plant life which aids in the reduction of enough vegetation that lowers risks associated with bushfire hazards. They forage, spread seeds, fertilise areas including nutrient deficient soils, and more.

Keep Sandgate Beautiful Association Inc (KSBA) was formed in 1971 to encourage community awareness and education of its incredible landscapes and the wildlife which call it home.

"KSBA has held Roo Walks through Tinchi Tamba over a number of years," said Jenny Carey, President of KSBA. "But this is the first time we're having an expert in kangaroos join us on the walk, so we're very fortunate."

Dr Beth Brunton, Ecologist, working at the University of the Sunshine Coast, has a broad range of research interests and at the heart of it is kangaroos.

"My current research focuses on the human impacts on wildlife, with a focus on Eastern Grey Kangaroos in urban environments," said Dr Brunton. "I'm passionate about applied research and inspiring change within local communities to develop innovative approaches to solving conservation challenges.

"I'm looking forward to getting to know the locals at the walk (human and kangaroo) and to share my knowledge of kangaroo ecology and the risks the kangaroos face here in SE Qld," Dr Brunton said.

A wonderful way to spend the morning, this walk is open to anyone with a reasonable fitness level. Numbers are limited, so book your spot, email ksbainc@gmail.com

Wear walking shoes, bring insect repellent, water bottle, morning tea and even binoculars. There are picnic tables where you can enjoy your morning tea afterwards.

For more information about the KSBA, see their website: www.ksba.org.au.

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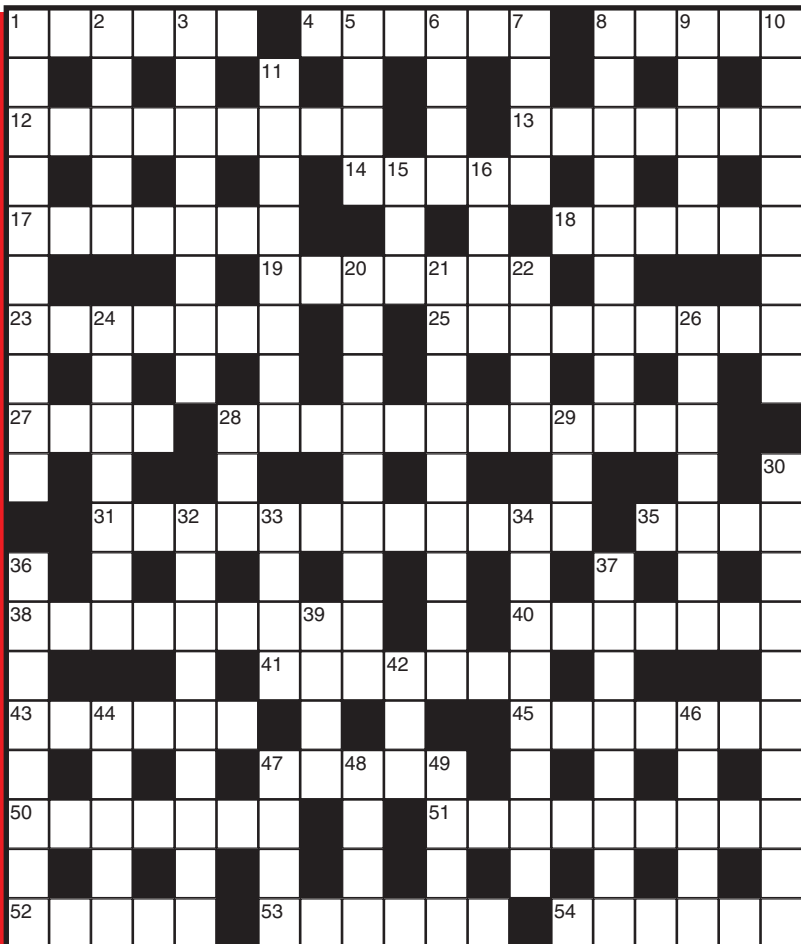
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- 31 Mediator
- 35 Let it stand (in editing a

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- 38 Be too strenuous
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- 2 Meets
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- 5 Cabins
- 6 New Zealander (coll)
- 7 Rodents
- 8 Italian sausage
- 9 Resting place
- 10 Squandered
- 11 Jewel
- 15 The girl
- 16 Couplet
- 20 Inhabitants
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- 24 Childish

- 26 Longest river in China
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THE CLASSIC IS BACK!

The global pandemic put pay to many local events, not the least of which was the Moreton Island Fishing Classic. After a four year absence this major event on the State's fishing calendar is back. It starts on Wednesday September 6 and finishes on Saturday September 9 and will be held near the Bulwer Fire Station on Moreton Island.

The competition's prize pool is a massive \$70,000 which is sure to attract the cream of the State's fishing fraternity as well as many from the Peninsula and surrounds. This year's sponsors include Moreton Island Adventures, ARB, Anaconda, Ray White Pelican Waters, Sea Legs, Sam Allen and Oztix.

All proceeds from the competition will benefit the Moreton Island Rural Fire Brigade which is in urgent need of new firefighting equipment. The format for this year's competition is similar to that when the event was first established in 2012. Among

the prizes to be given are heaviest species caught, mystery weigh-in species as well as a number of daily random prizes as well.

The junior anglers have not been forgotten with a vibrant junior competition planned as well. As one of the competition's aims is educational, a ladies and juniors casting competition will be held during the event.

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New President for Sandgate Historical Society

STORY **PANAYIOTA**

Forty-one years strong and the Sandgate and District Historical Society's very purpose is "to preserve the history of the Sandgate District.

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Volunteers include Ian Kulpa who's recently taken over as President from Pam Verney who served the Society for eight years.

"Pam Verney is remembered as a President who was totally dedicated to preserving Sandgate and surrounds history," Ian said.

"She was a tireless volunteer, conducting

history talks to schools, fundraising or just being there."

Ian's work will focus on a) continued good management and member services, b) the Museum and its collection, and c) increased awareness with local and broader communities.

"My nomination was motivated by a desire to offer some new insights," Ian said. "All this to enhance public engagement through guided walks, school excursions, ongoing research, other special projects.

"Our management team is already creating a new events calendar plus preparing for a Call for Volunteers."

For further information, contact info@sandgatemuseum.com.au or visit their www.sandgatemuseum.com.au.

Located at 150 Rainbow Street, Sandgate, they're open Wednesdays and Sundays, 10am - 3pm.

Fresh is best at Wellness Café

STORY **ALYSSA MACKAY**

Did you know there's a new café tucked away in the heart of Brighton, serving tasty breakfasts, fresh salads and hot meals?

The Wellness Café on 144 Lascelles Street sells locally-made fresh food and is open Monday to Friday between 7am and 2pm.

Owner Sheldon Marles said the café received compliments every day on the taste and quality of the food.

"We opened on 16 January to provide the community with a fresh-made, grab-and-go meal to support busy families, as well as to provide food with a difference, particularly the protein portions to a meal," Sheldon said.

"Ninety per cent of what we present to customers is made from scratch using no

preservatives or processed foods."

The all-day menu includes delicious options like pork and Asian slaw on a steam bun, Korean chilli and honey chicken with rice, and slow-baked lamb with vegetables and rice.

Sheldon said local businesses like the Wellness Café were a great option for people trying to break away from their routine and have a go at venues they have never been to before.

"They will most likely be surprised with what they find," he said.

"I am told every day by customers that they have never been into this café before and this is their first visit due to hearing about our great range of food."

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OCEAN TO ROCK THE RIVER

STORY **EMMA SANDERS**

If you love your tunes with a dose of nostalgia then get out of your dreams and into your car as the one and only Billy Ocean headlines Sounds of Rock at Pine Rivers Park in June.

Now in its 4th year, the music festival promises another epic year with a lineup for any and all old-school music fans.

"Sounds of Rock Pine Rivers will be something special, featuring international acts and some of the biggest names in Australian music," event manager Trevor Sands said.

"Headlining the day-long festival is the one and only Billy Ocean, along with his full band, singing all his greatest hits.

"There will also be Leo Sayer, Dragon, Bachelor Girl, Eurogliders, Thirsty Merc, The Black Sorrows and Russell Morris.

"So as you can see it's a stellar lineup with something for everyone."

Trevor said the event would be a great opportunity for the community and visitors to come together for a day of music, dancing and food.

"Sounds of Rock will bring people to this great area, which in turn supports businesses around the region, bringing in over a million dollars to the economy," he said.

"Locals and visitors will feel like part of the family - we are all music lovers who appreciate great music.



"Everyone is welcome and concert-goers will feel that warmth and community from the moment they enter the festival."

In addition to the huge musical lineup, Sounds of Rock will host a wide range of food vendors, with options for everyone. Trevor encouraged fans to grab a ticket quickly.

"There won't be a second release of tickets and with a lineup as good as this, you will need to get in as fast as possible," he said.

Trevor credited the past success of Sounds of Rock to the nostalgia it invokes in audiences.

"Our aim was always to take people down memory lane," he said.

"The concert is full of songs and artists that people have grown up with, and watching the crowd join in singing all the great classic songs is always the highlight of the event."

Sounds of Rock gates open at 12.30pm, with the event finishing at 10pm. For more information on the event or to purchase tickets visit oztix.com.au

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LUMINOUS FESTIVAL LIGHTS UP THE NIGHT

STORY **ALYSSA MACKAY**

It began as a candlelight walk with a handful of people and has since become Queensland's largest parade celebrating cultural diversity.

Now in its sixteenth year, Multicultural Australia's LUMINOUS Lantern Parade returns to South Bank Parklands on Friday, 9 June, with more than 10,000 people expected to attend the demonstration of solidarity and support.

Multicultural Australia CEO, Christine Castley, said the free event was an important celebration of Queensland's cultural diversity.

"LUMINOUS is all about highlighting the warm spirit of welcome, connection and belonging that is extended to everyone living in Queensland and celebrating the many culturally and linguistically diverse communities who have made their home here, letting them know that their cultures are accepted and embraced," Christine said.

"For 25 years, Multicultural Australia has worked in the Queensland community to create belonging and to change the conversation about the many communities and cultures who live here and who make a significant economic, social and cultural contribution in Queensland."

More than 100 groups will join the symbolic walk, from cultural groups and schools to religious communities and government and corporate organisations. Lanterns will take the form of giant wildlife and flora, celestial bodies and symbols of kindness.

The procession will begin at Flowstate, South Bank and wind its way down the promenade beside the Brisbane River before culminating

at South Bank Piazza for the LUMINOUS World Music Concert.

The concert will feature incredible live performances from musicians and dancers from around the world, including those from refugee and migrant backgrounds.

Headlining the concert is ARIA award winner, multi-instrumentalist, producer and songwriter, Nicky Bomba and calypso reggae ensemble Bustamento, who will energise the audience with their Caribbean vibes, horn section and steel pans.

Also taking to the stage will be the Bolivia Marka Dancers, Imanzi Cultural Dance Group, Afghan Dance Group, Heilani Polynesian School of Arts, Miramar Middle Eastern Dance Group, and more.

"The World Music Concert will feature music and performances that reflect the rich diversity of sounds, rhythms and traditions of Queensland's multicultural communities," Christine said.

The LUMINOUS Lantern Parade will also light up communities across Southeast Queensland, with a neighbourhood event at the Zillmere Community Centre on Saturday, 3 June.

For information visit www.multiculturalaustralia.org.au/luminous_lantern_parade_2023

LUMINOUS Lantern Parade

Friday, 9 June, 5:30-8:30pm

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STORY **BROOKE JACOBSON**
PHOTO **BRUCE REDMAN**

Sandgate's Post Office Hotel manages to combine the bright breezy charm of Queensland, with the cosiness of an English pub.

Owners Michelle and Ian have overseen the incredible renovation of arguably the 4017's most iconic building and that refresh goes all the way to the extensive food and beverage menu.

"Since the renovation we feel like the whole building has been opened up," Michelle said.

"As far as the menu goes, we have something for everyone and like to

describe our food as having a gastro pub feel."

The front bar of the Hotel features a range of beers on tap, including Guinness, and is the perfect spot for a relaxing pint or cocktail, with patrons able to sample from the 'bar bites' menu – the ideal snack to go with an afternoon drink.

The back deck has been fully enclosed and air-conditioned, and now offers full table service.

"It's family friendly, but still has that level of sophistication," Michelle said.

"Our sand crab lasagne is a stand-out, and our French rotisserie features cooked brisket, rolled lamb forequarter, porchetta and beer-marinated chicken from the Glasshouse Mountains."

For local business owners looking for somewhere special to take clients, The Vault is the place to be. Patrons can store private, premium spirits in lockers styled as vintage post office boxes, and there's



Michelle Christoe

room for private dining for up to 10 guests.

Ian and Michelle are looking to do more than simply offer a vibrant dining location.

"We want to boost the night-time economy in this community," Ian said.

"I feel like this area is a destination in itself – people can come here and dine out before getting the train to the entertainment. On Sundays, we're getting people coming from Petrie and other areas to enjoy what we have here.

"Sandgate is evolving and there's room for everyone and every type of venue here."

The Post Office Hotel has five spaces perfect for intimate gatherings, or events up to 150 guests, including the Telegraph Room on the second level which was once telegraph offices and accommodation for the Postmaster.

Michelle added the hotel was hosting regular events including whisky tasting,



wine classes, and live music.

"We're so happy to be part of this community and we just ask everyone to keep an eye out for our events, or if you want to host an event with us, please get in touch," she said.

The Sandgate Post Office Hotel is located on the corner of Bowser Parade and Rainbow Street, across the road from the Sandgate train station.

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Local DINING GUIDE



**Lower Moora Park,
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Artisan Coffee & Gelato Bar
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Feature: Cocoa Biscotti is a vintage artisan coffee and gelato bar located at the historic Shorncliffe Pier. We serve exclusive di Manfredi coffee and Maleny gelato alongside a selection of pastries, biscotti and sandwiches.

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2 Queens Parade, Brighton
Wine Bar
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Sat/Sun 1-9pm



**196 Flinders Pde, Sandgate
(opposite pool)**
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3269 6903

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Feature: Fish on Flinders is under new management and has been rebranded. Now Flinders Seafood & Bar, come down and try out Sandgate's newest hotspot for fresh seafood, yummy burgers, barista made coffee and ice cold beers, wines and spirits.



8 Queens Parade, Brighton
Coffee Shop
0430 753 768

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Feature: Moment Biscuits is a small, European-style boutique biscuit shop, a short walk from the Brighton foreshore. Pop in 7 DAYS A WEEK from 5:30am to 11:30am for freshly baked treats, artisan bread and (almond) croissants, loose leaf tea, milkshakes, iced drinks and smooth Italian coffee. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram for the latest promotions.





1 Loudon Street, Sandgate
(across from the town hall)

Breakfast, Lunch and Coffee

3269 1629

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Feature: Discover Sandgate's inspired new approach to casual eating. We're here to share the joy of real food and fresh local creations. Think deliciousness, delight and sustainability.

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154 Barrett St, Bracken Ridge
Bracken Ridge Tavern

Steak & Rib House

3269 7011

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Sinbad St, Shorncliffe

Bar Restaurant Functions

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1 Bowser Parade, Sandgate
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Feature: Originally built in 1887 as the third post office in Queensland, the iconic Sandgate Post Office has a new lease on life. Stylish and quintessentially Sandgate, it is a destination venue with an elegant gastro-pub restaurant 'The Dining Room', a vibrant Main Bar, a whiskey vault and alfresco dining. Five function spaces. Live music every weekend.
11am - late, Sun - Thurs and 10am - late, Fri - Sat



50 Keogh Street, Sandgate
Casual Dining
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THE SANDS SOCIAL RESTAURANT & CAFE

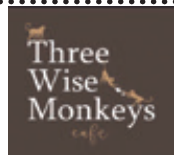
Feature: Looking for lunch or dinner with family and friends? Visit the newest restaurant in Sandgate, located at The Sands Social. Enjoy classic club style food as well as freshly made pastas and pizzas. Café is open all day from 10am. Members discounts available. Bookings are recommended.



227 Rainbow St,
Shorncliffe
Specialty Coffee House
0413 849 814

THE WIRED OWL COFFEE CO

Feature: At The Wired Owl, we love our coffee and are sure you will too. Try our delicious House Blend or weekly rotation of single origin coffees. Tantalising treats and teas are also on the menu.



Bracken Ridge Plaza, 250
Telegraph Road
Casual Dining
3261 6102 - Open 7 days

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Feature: Three Wise Monkeys Cafe is a local family owned Cafe serving fresh and flavourful meals and Brisbane's favourite Campos coffee.

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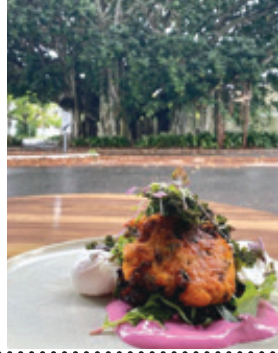


227 Rainbow St, Sandgate
Café
0413 940 277

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Feature: Welcome to The Witchin' Kitchen. Owned and run by two local sisters, one an experienced chef, the other a final-year Naturopathy student. Our food is a celebration of delicious and nourishing wholefoods, that are seasonally and ethically sourced and carefully crafted into dishes to delight.

Wednesday - Sunday, 7am - 1:30pm, closed
Mondays and Tuesdays.



JUNE What's On.

01 THURSDAY

🎵 CATHY DRUMMOND AT SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 11:30am



📖 BOOKS ANON. BOOK CLUB

EclecTea 7pm - 8:30pm

First Thursday of every month: Details
on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/events/165425998743196/>

02 FRIDAY



🎵 TONY DEE

EclecTea 5pm

🎵 UNPLUGGED CAFE

Sandgate Community Centre 7pm

🎵 TRACY VAUGHAN DUO AT SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 STEREO BLONDE

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

03 SATURDAY

🎵 SATURDAY ARVO SESH W MAK & FRIENDS

EclecTea 5pm

🎵 GYÖRGY DÉRI AND ROGER CUI

Sandgate Town Hall 7:30pm

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Sandgate Town Hall 7:30pm

🎵 SAFE SAX

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

04 SUNDAY

🎵 BRETT WHITMORE AT THE SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 1:30pm

🎵 MATTY CLARK DUO

Full Moon Hotel 2pm

★ BAYSIDE DIVAS - CONNECTIONS CONCERT

Sandgate Town Hall 2pm

🎵 SUNDAY JAZZ @ THE POSTIE

Sandgate Post Office Hotel 2:30pm

🎵 TUNES ON THE TURF - OPEN MIC

EclecTea 3pm

FULL MOON RISE TIME

Rise time 4.54pm



★ BAYSIDE DIVAS - CONNECTIONS CONCERT

Sandgate Town Hall 5:30pm

06 TUESDAY

🎵 TRIVIA TUESDAYS 2023

The Sands Social 7pm

08 THURSDAY

🎵 DAVE CLAYTON AT SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 11:30am

09 FRIDAY



🎵 OASIS MAK

EclecTea 4pm

🎵 3 LITTLE PIGS - MINUS SOME BACON DUO

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

🎵 STEVENSON STREET AT SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 8pm

10 SATURDAY

🎵 BEAVER DUO

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

🎵 FLOOR BURNERS AT THE SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 8pm

11 SUNDAY

🎵 RYAN HURRICANE AT SANDS SOCIAL

The Sands Social 1:30pm



🎵 DANIEL STONEMAN DUO

Full Moon Hotel 2pm

🎵 SUNDAY JAZZ @ THE POSTIE

Sandgate Post Office Hotel 2:30pm

🎵 TUNES ON THE TURF - OPEN MIC

EclecTea 3pm

13 TUESDAY

🎵 TRIVIA TUESDAYS 2023

The Sands Social 7pm

17 SATURDAY

🎵 **Kaffene at the Sands Social 8pm**



15 THURSDAY

🎵 **TRACY VAUGHAN AT SANDS SOCIAL**

The Sands Social 11:30am

🎸 **PREPPING YOUR POOCH FOR PUB(LICK!)**

EclecTea 6pm - 7:30pm

16 FRIDAY



🎵 **OASIS MAK**

EclecTea 4pm

🎵 **ME & JODIE LEE AT SANDS SOCIAL**

The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 **BAM DUO**

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

17 SATURDAY

🎵 **KAFFENE AT THE SANDS SOCIAL**

The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 **AUNTY JACK'S DUO**

Full Moon Hotel 8pm

18 SUNDAY

🎵 **CHANDLER JAY AT THE SANDS SOCIAL**

The Sands Social 1:30pm

🎵 **BEAVER DUO**

Full Moon Hotel 2pm

🎵 **SUNDAY JAZZ @ THE POSTIE**

Sandgate Post Office Hotel 2:30pm

🎵 **TUNES ON THE TURF - OPEN MIC**

EclecTea 3pm

20 TUESDAY

🎵 **TRIVIA TUESDAYS 2023**

The Sands Social 7pm

22 THURSDAY

🎵 **MARCO AT THE SANDS SOCIAL**

The Sands Social 11:30am

🎸 **UKULELE MEET-UP**

EclecTea 6pm - 8pm



24 SATURDAY
🎵 KlusterFunk
 at Sands Social 8pm

23 FRIDAY



🎵 OASIS MAK
 EclecTea 4pm

🎤 STAND UP COMEDY NIGHT
 EclecTea 7pm - 9pm
 Tickets available through Humanitix

🎵 SIDE HUSTLE AT SANDS SOCIAL
 The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 3 LITTLE PIGS - MINUS SOME BACON DUO
 Full Moon Hotel 8pm

🎵 MIDNIGHT GROOVE DUO
 Full Moon Hotel 2pm

🎵 SUNDAY JAZZ @ THE POSTIE
 Sandgate Post Office Hotel 2:30pm

🎵 TUNES ON THE TURF - OPEN MIC
 EclecTea 3pm

27 TUESDAY

🎵 TRIVIA TUESDAYS 2023
 The Sands Social 7pm

24 SATURDAY

🎵 KLUSTERFUNK AT SANDS SOCIAL
 The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 IMESSA DUO
 Full Moon Hotel 8pm

25 SUNDAY

🎵 MIKARA AT THE SANDS SOCIAL
 The Sands Social 1:30pm

30 FRIDAY



🎵 OASIS MAK
 EclecTea 4pm

🎵 POCO LOCO DUO AT THE SANDS SOCIAL
 The Sands Social 8pm

🎵 TRACE DUO
 Full Moon Hotel 8pm
 What's On In Jun - 56 Listings



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 Thur 29th June - Ipswich
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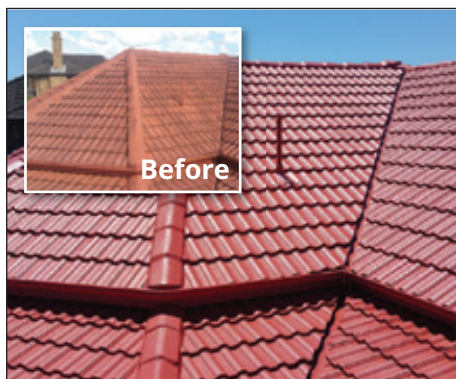


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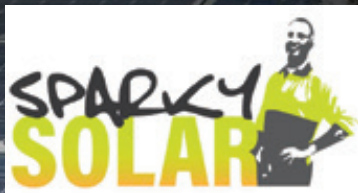
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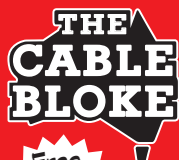
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