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Kimba Community Development Group

## 'Renovation meets Innovation' Night a Sell Out as the Igniting Kimba Arts Program bursts into action!!

The celebration of the "Renovation" of Kimba's fabulous mural 'Sharing our History', a memorial to our pioneers, along with the launch of the 'Innovative' Silo Art project proved to be a great night with people turned away when tickets sold out.

The 'unveiling' was enjoyed by about 120 people in the twilight with much admiring of the completed works accompanied by bubbles and nibbles supplied by the Kimba Community Development Group (KCDG) committee.

Rabobank representatives, Sue Molineux and Debbie Flint, plus Mayor Dean Johnson completed the honours of cutting the ribbon.

The revamp of the mural to its former glory was commissioned by the KCDG and was completed by original artists John Turpie and Siv Grava. Newcomer to the district, Steve Rigg, worked alongside of the experienced Elliston artists. The mural was first painted in August 2001 and commissioned at that time by the Kimba Show Society.



Sponsor Rabobank's Deb Flint, Mural Artists Siv Grava, John Turpie, Steve Rigg, KCDG Chair Heather Baldock, and Council Mayor, Dean Johnson

The project was funded with assistance from the District Council of Kimba through the Tourism Budget, Rabobank, Kimba Senior Citizens, Kimba Lions Club, Kimba Gateway Hotel, Tina and Barry Wakelin, and Margaret and Brian Applebee. Peter McGilvray kindly loaned his scaffolding.

The mural is the first in a range of projects and activities to make up the Igniting Kimba Arts Program.

Once the celebrations were done and dusted, guests moved to the Kimba Gateway Hotel where a fabulous 'Spit & Veg' meal was provided by the Hotel. Locals had the opportunity to meet the Mural artists and also Cam Scale, the Silo Art artist.

The KCDG's Igniting Kimba Working Group launched the Silo Art Supporter Packages and shared some information about the project, how people could contribute at a range of levels, recognised sponsors to date and talked about what else we can expect to see over the next few months as the Igniting Kimba Arts Program is rolled out.

The very generous donation by the Gateway Hotel of the meal allowed the 'Renovation meets Innovation' night to raise about \$2800 from ticket sales with a further almost \$200 from the sale of left over Police Ball echo holders. Some patrons donated significantly when later in the evening they purchased the same echo holders all over again. However it was all for a good cause!



The evening followed in the wake of three community workshops held on the Thursday and with school students on the Friday for Cam to gather ideas of what locals think might be great to have painted on the Viterra silos here in Kimba. From these, and his impressions of our community, Cam will place his interpretation on suitable art work for the silos and present a Concept Design to the working group in about July. The actual Silo Art will commence after mid-August and be completed ready for any official opening on September 22<sup>nd</sup> prior to Kimba's 90<sup>th</sup> annual Show.

## MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR



Council lodged an application to the State/Local Government Infrastructure Partnership fund for replacement of two single bedroom units at our Kimba Pioneer Memorial Village. Following consultation we have decided to replace these units with new, larger two bedroom

units. Advice has been received that Council was successful in the application and tenders will be called shortly with construction anticipated to commence in November, 2017.

We have also applied to the Building Better Regions fund for a community engagement and economic development workshop series. If successful, world renowned facilitator Peter Kenyon would bring a team of professionals to run community workshops to identify and develop a range of strategies to develop and build economic development frameworks. We are genuinely excited at this opportunity and hope to find out if we are successful by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

I thank everyone who attended the official opening of the New Jerusalem Family Practice. It is wonderful to have a full time doctor again covering our community's medical requirements and it was great to have a crowd to welcome Daniel and Monica to our town.

Kimba was again very well represented at the Eyre Peninsula Local Government Association annual conference, this year in Lower Eyre, where we learned from some terrific presenters as well as making the most of networking opportunities. We also attended an information day presented by the Regional Development Australia Whyalla and Eyre Peninsula, with an economic development focus, which has been of particular strategic interest for our council in recent times. Electricity continued to be high on the agenda and we learned of the RDA's plans and investigations for long term solutions for the Eyre Peninsula. We will also host representatives from ElectraNet at our April meeting for continued discussions on our districts electricity supply and infrastructure requirements.

The South Australian Ambulance Service presented prior to our March meeting and our local volunteers are desperate for new members. As a past volunteer, I would encourage anyone who would like to investigate becoming an Ambo for our community to talk to Annie Clements or any of our local volunteers. This is a vital and extremely rewarding service, so please consider it seriously.

The launch of "The Thing About Kimba" shop local and information campaign was a wonderful night. Congratulations must go to the Kimba Community Development Group and in particular Carmen Rayner for all the hard work and passion injected into this campaign. If you haven't already, "Like" the Facebook page to keep up to date with happenings and special offers from local businesses.

Fellow elected member and Kimba police officer, Geoff Churchett was supported by the Hospital Auxiliary committee in bringing the SA Police Band back to Kimba and what a night it was! World class entertainment and fantastic community support raised much needed funds for our hospital. Well done to the whole community for making this night a huge success, whilst recognising Geoff's amazing contribution over many years.

Finally, the innovation and rejuvenation project to update the mural on the show pavilion has been a huge success. Thanks again to the Kimba Community Development Group and their tireless leader Heather Baldock for an excellent project, with spectacular results! The unveiling was followed by an equally successful Igniting Kimba, Silo Art project fund raiser at the Gateway Hotel. A huge crowd enjoyed an amazing meal, fantastic night and contributed to the fund raising efforts for a project that will gain national attention for our town.

## NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next two Council meetings will be held on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2017 at 2pm** and **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2017 at 2pm** in the Council Chambers. All members of the public are welcome to attend.

Check out our website at: [www.kimba.sa.gov.au](http://www.kimba.sa.gov.au) and our Kimba District Council facebook page

## NEW STAFF MEMBER

Council would like to welcome its newest staff member Keely Westhoff to the team. Keely will commence on Monday April 3<sup>rd</sup> fulfilling the position of Administration Trainee. This position has been made possible by obtaining funding through the Regional Youth Traineeship program.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

Council's website now has an Upcoming Events section on its home page!

Community groups are encouraged to submit their events so that tourists and visitors to the area can see what is happening in our town and so community members can stay up to date.

Instructions:

1. Go to [www.kimba.sa.gov.au](http://www.kimba.sa.gov.au)
2. Scroll down to the Upcoming Events section, click view all events and calendar
3. Click on the submit your public event link
4. Enter your community event information, submit.
5. You will be given a reference number and sent a confirmation email
6. Your event will be reviewed by Council before being posted on the website.

If you have any questions about this process please contact the Council office.

## JP APPOINTMENTS

Council's CEO Deb Larwood is a Justice of the Peace. If you are requiring the services of a JP please ensure you ring the Council Administration Office and they will make an appointment time for you to see Deb.

## KIMBA PROMOTIONAL VIDEO

Would you be interested in featuring in Kimba's Promotional Video – an initiative of the Kimba Tourism Committee and Regional Development Australia. If interested please register your interest: 86272026 or [council@kimba.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@kimba.sa.gov.au)

## #KIMBACOMP

Checkout Council's instagram account: [instagram.com/kimbadistrictcouncil](https://www.instagram.com/kimbadistrictcouncil). Council is utilising instagram and facebook to promote our town and keep community members up to date!

To celebrate the new Halfway Across Australia sign Council launched a competition to give away a \$100 prize for one lucky Instagrammer who snaps a picture of the refurbished sign. We would like to thank all who got creative and took a photo with the sign. The winner was: [Idelauras](#).



Our next Instagram Competition started on 31<sup>st</sup> March. To celebrate the refurbishment of the town mural at the recreation reserve and launch of the Igniting Kimba Arts Program another \$100 prize is up for grabs. To enter snap a picture of the mural and tag #KIMBAMURAL and #KIMBACOMP on Instagram. This competition is open to locals and tourists, so get your cameras/phones out and take some pics!

## HIGH STREET KERBING

Work is progressing well on this significant upgrade along High Street from South Terrace to Martin Terrace. Paving has commenced, trees have been planted and kerbing installed on the eastern side. SA Power network contractors are engaged to remove the limbs of the remaining eucalyptus gum on the eastern side due to them protruding through the powerlines, before council's contractors can remove the remaining trunk and stump. It is anticipated that all work on the western side will be completed this financial year whilst full completion will be completed in the new financial year. Plans are still available for viewing the project at the Council office or contact the Works Manager on 0428515002 if you have any queries.

## KIMBA REFUSE AND RECYCLING CENTRE

Please be advised that the Refuse and Recycling Centre will be closed on the following days:

**Easter Sunday – 16<sup>th</sup> April 2017**

**ANZAC Day – Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2017**

## ANZAC DAY

April 25<sup>th</sup> was officially named ANZAC Day in 1916, the first anniversary of the landing of Australian and New Zealand Army Corps on the Gallipoli Peninsula in Turkey during World War I. The Gallipoli battle established the ANZAC tradition of courage, determination and mateship.



On Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April Kimba will honour Anzac Day with the traditional march along High Street from Landmark to the Memorial Cross Garden at 10 am. Anyone with relatives who have served or are currently serving in the military forces is welcome to join the march, assemble at the Landmark corner at 9.45am. If anyone wishes to lay a wreath please contact the office prior to ANZAC day to let us know.

A service will follow in the Remembrance gardens with morning tea and ANZAC biscuits after the service. A pooled lunch will be held in the RSL Clubrooms. Everyone is welcome to bring along food and join members in an afternoon of comradeship.

The Ode;

*They shall not grow old as we that are left  
grow old,*

*Age shall not weary them,  
nor the years condemn,  
At the going down of the  
sun*

*And in the morning,*

*We will remember them.*



## LIBRARY NEWS

### School Holiday Activity Program

The School Holiday Activity program will be held Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April at 11 am till 12 noon for school aged children. Please contact library staff if you would like your child to attend on 86272221.

### eSmart

I am pleased to announce that Kimba School Community Library is now eSmart accredited. The eSmart Libraries Framework provides skills and resources for the library community to confidently manage cyber-issues and continue to embrace the positive

aspects of online activity. It is a tool to assist the library community to develop smart, safe and responsible digital behaviours. The online world is becoming a greater part of everyday life and libraries are the knowledge centres at the forefront of providing access and assistance to the community. If you have any queries or concerns regarding cyber safety please contact library staff.

### Holidays Opening Times

Monday - Closed

Tuesday–Friday: 10:15–12:30pm 1:00–4:30pm

We will be closed ANZAC Day April 25<sup>th</sup>

## FIRE PERMITS

Due to the number of complaints received regarding breaches of fire permit conditions in provision with the Fire and Emergency Services Act reported breaches will be now forwarded to SAPOL for investigation. This may result in a fine being issued. To prevent this please adhere to all the guidelines as required.

### **LOCAL PERMIT GUIDELINES FOR THE 2016/17 FIRE DANGER SEASON**

The Bushfire Danger Season for the Kimba District is from the 1<sup>st</sup> November 2016 to the 15<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

### PERMIT GUIDELINES

1. Permits will be issued from the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in February 2017 and burning will not be undertaken with a Fire Index of 25 or greater, except for the following:-
  - a) Permits required for CFS Training
  - b) Other at discretion of Fire Prevention Officer.
2. Permits will only be issued for a maximum of one week (Council Staff) and one month (CFS Captains).
3. Burning is not to be commenced until a physical copy has been received.
4. The time for lighting of fires for **burning off** be no earlier than **10am** or later than **9pm**, day light saving time or at the discretion of the authorised officer. **N.B:** Time restrictions for narrow stubble row burning will not be enforced as landowners need to manage this type of burn at the appropriate time with the appropriate weather conditions.
6. That these permits are issued only for burning grasses, stubble and heaps of grass type litter.

Check out our website at: [www.kimba.sa.gov.au](http://www.kimba.sa.gov.au) and our Kimba District Council facebook page

- Burning is prohibited on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays at all times.**
- The issue of permits for grain dryers exempt the condition of the Fire & Emergency Services Regulations 2005 Section 33(5)(a)(c)(d).
- The users of Allora Field Bin Dryers may be exempt of Section 33(5)(a)(c)(d) of the Fire & Emergency Services Regulations 2005, by the endorsement on their permit by the Fire Prevention Officer providing that a minimum of 400 Litres of water connected to an engine driven pump on a mobile unit is at hand and the operator on site.
- That a minimum of 400 Litres of water connected to an engine driven pump on a mobile unit is at hand and the operator on site, and a further 1,000 Litres of water be available in the paddock area where burning is to occur.
- All other permit conditions applied to **Permits** must be adhered to.

## **PERMIT NOTIFICATION**

The following must be notified of the intention to light a fire. The notification must include the name of the permit holder, the permit number, the location (i.e. Section and Hundred) and time of lighting.

- The District Council of Kimba Administration Office – 8627 2026 **each and every day**, at least two hours prior to lighting a fire **for the burning of grass, stubble or heaps of material**. Administration staff will then notify Region 6 of the burn off.
- Department of Environment, Water and Natural Resources if burning if within one kilometer of a national park (phone 86 48 1883 and leave a message if office unattended)
- Your neighbour's
- Adelaide Fire – 8204 3782
- Relevant Area CFS Captains:  
Waddikee: Alex Cant – 0407088084  
Kimba: Trevor Clifford – 0414422217  
Yalanda James: Robert Dart – 0427871733  
Buckleboo: Darren Hunt - 0428274045

**NOTE:** Any Permit issued may be revoked at any time by an Authorised Officer if conditions are considered too dangerous for burning off operations. SA Police will be notified of any breaches to permit conditions or burning without an appropriate permit.

## **CFS Officers authorized to issue permits:**

James Woolford:	0427274033
Dean Wilmott:	0428817032
Ian Davey:	0428272408
Brian Cant:	0427275012
Alex Cant:	0407088084
Shannon Mayfield:	0427272847
Hayden Lienert:	0428274082
Clint Rayner:	0427272603

## **EASTER SERVICE TIMES**

### Harvest Christian Centre

14<sup>th</sup> April Good Friday Service – 9am

16<sup>th</sup> April Easter Sunday Service – 9am

### Uniting Church

14<sup>th</sup> April Good Friday Service – 9:30am

16<sup>th</sup> April Dawn Service at Whites Knob Lookout

16<sup>th</sup> April Easter Sunday Service – 10am

### Anglican Church

Holy Communion Easter Sunday Service – 11:30am

### Catholic Church

15<sup>th</sup> April Easter Saturday Service – 6pm



National  
Radioactive Waste  
Management Facility

A public consultation process will be held in Kimba after two landowners volunteered sites for Australia's National Radioactive Waste Management Facility. Over the course of 90 days, communities near the properties 'Napandee' and 'Lyndhurst' will discuss these proposals.

The National Radioactive Waste Management Facility project team will be available in Kimba during the 90-day consultation period. The team will have an office at 47 High Street, Kimba on Tuesdays from 11am to 5pm and Wednesdays from 9am to 3pm.

You can also book in a time outside of these hours.

Call 13 28 46 or email

[radioactivewaste@industry.gov.au](mailto:radioactivewaste@industry.gov.au) to book a meeting.

## **Country and Outback Health – Rural Counsellor**

Marg Murchinson is the new mental health counsellor for EP and visits Kimba on a fortnightly basis.

Marg has worked extensively with people of all ages and will continue to work with schools and aged care facilities as well as individuals in the community.

People can call Marg directly to make appointments on 0427 252 148 or book appointments on 8621 3800.



## “Healthy Mind, Healthy Life”

**Developing your resilience and building a stronger you!!**

**WHAT:** A 20 week self-help and self-awareness program. Designed for you to undertake at home, at your pace and at a time that suits you. 10 topics for you to work through and help develop you as a person and reach your potential: Practice thought awareness, cognitive restructuring, overcoming fear of failure, build self-confidence, coping strategies, random acts of kindness, sleep, health and nutrition, develop strong relationships, personal goal setting and putting it into action every day. An online program with information, worksheets, tools and strategies to assist your progress.

**WHEN:** A launch date of May 26, with guest speakers from Mentally Fit EP, and an information session and program overview. All welcome to come along and find out more.

The course will commence on June 5, covering one topic every two weeks for a course timeframe of 20 weeks.

**WHO:** Open to anyone who wants to learn more about themselves, what makes you tick, how to overcome challenges in your life and become a stronger and more resilient person.

**COST:** \$100 all inclusive, drive away, no more to pay, a new model you!!

Registrations Close Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2017.

To register or seek more information, please contact any of the following members of the Kimba Mental Health & Wellbeing Group: Meagan Lienert, Chelsea Woolford, Therese Francis, Abby Richards, Michelle Rayner, Paul Rogers, Helen Tucker, Laura Fitzgerald, Maxine Enright, Gabi Ashmeade

## Kimba & Gawler Ranges Historical Society

With the help of the Grey Nomad and Job Seekers programs many upgrades have been conducted at the museum grounds over the past twelve months.



Achievements have been: Restoration to a school desk, painting of several items, a display area in the Railway Shed, and the grounds tidied.

Paving has been done under the verandah and in the paint shed. Thanks must go to the District Council of Kimba for donating the used pavers and also for the big improvement to the entrance roadway with the removal of divers and ditches.

The One Teacher School has been jacked up to level the building, numerous documents typed and printed to make it easier for researchers and a shed is in the early stages of being constructed.

**WANTED:** Any used corrugated iron, needed to complete the shed project, also willing helpers.



Contact Merv Lee ph: 0427272303 or Brenton O'Donohue ph: 0419277241

## Blossoms Florist & Giftware

Fresh flowers available Daily

To Order ring Jacinta on 0427274048

Deliveries to Kimba most days

Follow us on facebook – “blossoms florist & giftware”

Website coming soon

*To all my valued customers*

*I wish to advise you that I am now working from home. The business will still run with the same great products.*

*I will have fresh flowers in each week, just ring me on 0427274048 and I will deliver for you*

*I post each day on my facebook site to keep people up to date ( sorry if your not on facebook, )*

*There will be a website coming very soon!*

*I am more than happy for people to visit me at home – please just ring first*

*Thankyou for your past support and your patience with the change of business*

*I look forward to continuing to service your flowers and giftware needs*

*Cheers – Jacinta*

## Ambulance volunteering is even for the not so brave!

The Cleve, Cowell, Kimba and Lock ambulance stations are currently recruiting for volunteers.

In Kimba, Deb Kemp works for the local council and is an ambulance volunteer during the evenings or on her day off. "We have a great team here but the numbers are dwindling. People have moved away and we have an ageing population so it makes it difficult to get new people," said Ms Kemp. "I see this as my way of giving back, being involved in my community and also keeping fit and healthy".

"I would encourage anyone who is thinking about becoming an ambulance volunteer to speak to us and see how rewarding it is. I was someone who thought they couldn't do it as I'm not very brave. But you just have to come into it with a caring attitude. If you are caring and compassionate you can overcome any obstacle".

Regional Team Leader Shaun Rieck said SA Ambulance Service needs more people willing to volunteer in the areas as numbers are declining. "The people who volunteer in Cleve, Cowell, Kimba and Lock do an amazing job, but they need more support," said Mr Rieck. "In this area, you are likely to be called to transfer patients from hospital or attend an emergency".

In Kimba there's a specific need for cover during the day so we are keen to hear from parents who have children at school or anyone who can do office hours. In Cleve we have a particular challenge in that there are only five volunteers on the team so a small amount of people are doing a lot."

Husband and wife team Matthew and Trish Leonard have been with the Cleve team for over 20 years each. Matthew leads the volunteer team and he is also the training officer.

"I really enjoy the training side. I enjoy working with the team on the road and seeing them apply their skills. I like passing my knowledge on to younger members," Mr Leonard said. "It's a privilege to practice out your skills with your team. Even though I've been doing this for many years, you still get nervous, but I try to focus on my clinical skills where I know I'm strong and there is always back up from the team."

Trish Leonard said she and her husband are lucky to be able to work together as volunteers on the team and that's what has kept them going for so long. "It's a community thing. If I didn't do it we wouldn't have an ambulance service half the time so I feel like I'm relied on in my community," said Mrs Leonard. "If we had some more volunteers though it would make life easier for all of us and we could share the load."

For more information on becoming an ambulance volunteer call Shaun Rieck on 0429 678 250

For general information about becoming a volunteer and what's involved call 1800 655 306, email [SAASvolunteer@sa.gov.au](mailto:SAASvolunteer@sa.gov.au) or go to [saambulance.com.au](http://saambulance.com.au).



Kimba Ambos: Muffy Inglis, Deb Kemp, Annie Clements and Katrin Koch



### WORKSHOPS, EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

**Mental Health First Aid course, April 10 & 11 in the hotel function room.**

**JUNE/JULY - De-clutter workshop with Rebecca Mezzino**

Marni Enright presents  
**Mindfulness for Parents of children Aged 0-6**  
**JUNE 25, JULY 24 AND AUGUST 7.**  
3 x 2.5 hrs per session @ the Council chambers with a light dinner included.

**"Healthy Mind, Healthy Life"**  
**Developing your resilience and building a stronger you!!**  
A 20 week self-help /self-awareness program -  
More info in this newsletter  
**MAY 26 LAUNCH AND INFO SESSION ~ REGISTER BY**  
**MAY 30 ~ START JUNE 5**

**Comedian Anthony Lamond with**  
**ex Australian Cricketer Wayne Phillips**  
Wayne is a regular on talk back radio, a sought after M.C and is a very funny man. He came out public about his Mental Health Issues and Depression a couple of years ago and shares his story and advice.  
**THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 21ST**  
**@ Kimba Gateway Hotel**  
Tickets will include Dinner ~ All Welcome

**For more information on any of the above please contact on one of our group:**

Meagan Lienert - Chelsea Woolford - Therese Francis  
Abby Richards - Michelle Rayner - Paul Rogers - Helen Tucker  
Laura Fitzgerald - Maxine Enright - Gabi Ashmeade

### Port Augusta Veterinary Services

are pleased to advise that a Veterinarian and Veterinary Nurse will be consulting in **KIMBA** on the following dates:

- 20 JUNE 2017
- 01 AUGUST 2017
- 12 SEPTEMBER 2017
- 24 OCTOBER 2017
- 5 DECEMBER 2017

We will continue to consult and perform surgery at the RSL Rooms. Please contact our friendly professional staff for an appointment on (08) 8642 4011.



Kimba Area School  
proudly presents



**Thursday August 31st & Friday 1st September**

**Kimba Institute**

Adults \$15.00 Children \$8.00  
Family (2 adults & 2 children) \$30.00

Directed by Anna Davidson Choreography by Kellie Hunt  
Vocal Coaching by Sally Inglis

Auditions for the cast of Shrek Jr have been completed and will involve students from Year 4 - 12

Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture  
and the Book by William Steig

BROADWAY JUNIOR COLLECTION®

Book and Lyrics by David Lindsay-Abaire Music by Jeanine Tesoro  
Originally produced on Broadway by DreamWorks Theatricals and  
Neal Street Productions

Original Production Directed by Jason Moore and Rob Ashford  
"I'm a Believer" by Neil Diamond

Licensed exclusively by Music Theatre International (Australasia).  
All performance materials supplied by Hal Leonard Australia.



**LOCAL PHONE  
DIRECTORY TO BE  
UPDATED**

The Apex Club of Kimba is once again updating the local phone directory. We will be posting out update slips in the coming weeks, and more will be available at the Kimba Post Office.

We intend to have the 2018 copy ready for sale at the Kimba Show.

Keep your eyes on the post. For any info, contact Clint Powell on 0427 695 641, cpowell@pringlecrouch.com.au

**Backyard Blitz:** The Apex Club of Kimba would like to congratulate our Backyard Blitz winners, and extend a huge thank you to those who purchased tickets.

We would also like to acknowledge and thank our prize sponsors Rawnsley Park Station, Mark Baldock and Butterfield Farm Direct.

1st Prize	Apex members for a day - Therese Francis
2nd Prize	2 nights' accommodation in Eco-villa luxury at Rawnsley Park Station - Katrin Cant
3rd Prize	8x5 Trailer load of Firewood - Annie Beinke
4th Prize	20 small square Pea straw bales - Rowan Ramsey
5th Prize	Assortment of stock feed from Butterfield Feed Direct - Pete Davidson

Again, thanks everyone for your support.

## SHREK Comes to Kimba

Kimba Area School has a two decade-long tradition of staging a biennial musical production and this year's production will be Shrek Junior with performances on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August and Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2017.

We feel incredibly privileged to have such a community spirit within Kimba Area School and have had students from amongst the Year 4-12 student population audition over the past few weeks. Along with the cast, numerous other students are always keen to volunteer their time in preparation activities such as painting and assembling props and scenery, sound & lighting and backstage crew.

### Sponsorship

One way that yourself and/or your business can contribute to the quality and continuation of Kimba Area School's tradition of a biennial musical production is by considering becoming a sponsor.

All funds raised from sponsorships will go towards production costs such as set construction and costumes as well as providing us with the opportunity of inviting industry professionals to work with our cast and crew in the form of Vocals and Drama Workshops, a possible excursion to visit the Whyalla Players' performance and costume facilities in Whyalla, a Sound/Lighting specialist to work with the crew and the ability to invite local Hair & Makeup artists to work with our students.

If you are interested in sponsoring the Kimba Area School Production please feel free to phone Marina Clifford on 0417812797 or email Anna Davidson [anna.davidson482@schools.sa.edu.au](mailto:anna.davidson482@schools.sa.edu.au)

### A big thankyou to the following sponsor's current to March 28<sup>th</sup>

Kimba Area School Parents and Friends for their substantial donation towards Sound & Lighting Equipment hire.

Gold Sponsors: S.A.L. North West Livestock & Real Estate, Ramsey Bros., Kimba Transport, Phillips Livestock & Bulk Transport, Kimba Districts Football & Netball Club

Silver Sponsors: Grant Harris Haulage, Lienert Contracting & Seed Cleaning; Lienert Engineering

Bronze Sponsors: Bank SA Kimba, Lachlan & Tania Yates

### A Call for Help

We are conducting a tidy-up and stocktake of the props and costumes from previous musicals in the Parents and Friends Room next to the Primary Playground from 9:30am on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April. Helpers welcome!

Would you like to join the committee? Or help with locating props, sewing costumes, painting, props construction, hair and makeup, promotion and design? Our next Committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 6:30pm in the Kimba Area School Library. RSVP to Anna Davidson via the school on (08) 86272074 or the email address above.

We are on the lookout for the following props: Seats-eg Tree Stumps, Sandwich, Boots, 'Beware Ogre' sign, Shrek's buckets, Pinocchio's growing nose, Magic wand, Granny dress, Forest, Swords, Map (to Duloc), Torture devices (giant rolling pin, giant spatula, an eggbeater, a carton of milk, etc.), Raffle/bingo cage, Farquaad's Little hat, Royal Highness' file, Fiona's tower, Fairy tale books, Dolls, Books, Sunflowers (fake), Onion (fake), Puss in Boots puppet or teddy, Sign - Yunita Pal Avenue, Long beards, and/or hair, Stocks and/or Ball & Chains, Bits of rusted armour, Tambourine, Bed, Fake Flower, Handkerchief, Cave, Fake Birds, Trees, Basket, Blow up deer, Flute/Tin Whistle, Daisy chains, S'nothers - Squirrel gizzards, and mulch, The barn, Fake Campfire, Firewood (small), Fake Sunflower, Broomstick horse, The deed to the swamp, Suitcases with their (fairy-tale creatures') belongings, Lantern, Crown, Flames, Charred crown, 'True Love's Kiss' signs

Please contact Pam Larwood on 0428887081 or Anna Davidson if you have something you could loan or donate.



Work With People with  
Mental Health Issues

Last time this course will be offered FEE FREE on EP

Mon 10 - Tues 11 April in Kimba Gateway Hotel Function Room  
2 days from 8.45am - 4.45pm each day

### To register contact:

Jo Seyfang Ph 7210 3080 or [joanne.seyfang@tafesa.edu.au](mailto:joanne.seyfang@tafesa.edu.au) or  
Megan Cox M 0427 272 119 or [megan.cox@tafesa.edu.au](mailto:megan.cox@tafesa.edu.au)



## ACCOMMODATION NEEDS ALL MET IN KIMBA

The selection of accommodation available in Kimba can meet all needs when you have family & friends visit



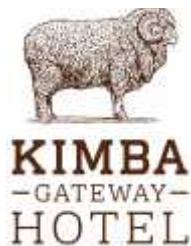
**Olive House** hosts, Hannah Woolford and Tom Davey believe in providing visitors and travellers with an enjoyable and relaxing experience. Their aim is to offer a service that encourages people

to return to Kimba and experience all it has to offer. Whether it is for work, visiting family or attending community events, they will take the stress out of being away from home.

This is a belief that the founding business owners, Lorraine and Ray Willmott had for the 15 years following the establishment of Olive House. Hannah and Tom were lucky to continue this family legacy when they purchased the enterprise in 2015.

Olive House allows visitors to enjoy space and independence. There are 3 bedrooms; 2 with sunrooms adding to the luxurious feel of the home. Olive House has the capacity to sleep up to 6 people, perfect for families or groups. The Kitchen has everything you could possibly need for preparing meals, dishwasher included! They even supply you with some light breakfast options. The bathroom is well planned with a separate shower and toilet. The fully equipped laundry is an added bonus. All linen is supplied. The main living area has reverse cycle air-conditioning and there are ceiling fans in each bedroom. Relax indoors or make use of the outdoor BBQ area while enjoying the beautiful garden.

Bookings can be made through Hannah 0428 274 008  
E: [hannah.w@live.com.au](mailto:hannah.w@live.com.au) or online via Facebook: Olive House Accommodation Kimba or Airbnb.



**Gateway Hotel's** Shaun, Maree and the team of twenty staff are proud of the Hotel and the services it provides to both locals and travellers.

Each day they welcome back local patrons and greet travellers from all walks of life with a story to tell; where they come from and their adventure that has brought them to Kimba.

The Hotel has 27 guest rooms across four different styles that accommodate for the budget conscious, the luxury traveller and everyone in-between. They offer a complimentary continental breakfast for all in house that is appreciated by travellers wanting to hit the road early.

Shaun and Maree highly recommend the Executive Rooms in the 'Old Post Office' and the 'Early Settlers' on the western side of the main building. These rooms have a classic and luxurious feel and are filled with character and local history.

The Hotel Team is dedicated to providing travelling guests with a taste of warm, friendly and sincere country hospitality. Guests often comment on their surprise at the size and facilities of our local pub and all comment on its abundant character and charm and will often make the effort to ensure their return journeys bring them back to Kimba.

**The Kimba Motel Roadhouse and Caravan Park** offers both Motel rooms and Powered/Non powered sites in their caravan park.



The motel offers single, twin share, double and family rooms and all rooms have air-conditioning, kettle, toaster, fridge, TV, DVD player, and ensuite bathroom.

The Caravan Park has all drive through sites so no tricky reversing and has laundry facilities – washing machine and dryer available.

Discount rates are available for long term accommodation and also for Top Tourist & Golden Chain Members

The Roadhouse Dining Room is open from 7am to 8pm for dine in or take away meals + Licensed Bar. Check out the yummy in-house made Indian curries!



**Chrissie's Palace** - for several years Chris Lehmann has been agent for the Kimba 53 High Street Flats and house at 3 South

Terrace, which has accommodated locals, short stay travellers, seasonal workers and permanent occupants.

Chris identified a need for accommodation that provides capacity for self-service, such as food preparation, entertaining venue, internet, vehicle safe keeping and pet friendly.

Thus 'Chrissie's Palace' – group, team, contractors and family accommodation has evolved. As the host, Chris is available at all times, however does not reside on the premises when occupied.

Chrissie's Palace is ideal for visiting Contractors: shearing teams with dogs; and service suppliers needing group accommodation. Sporting events are another favourite need; visiting family for funerals; business meetings with visiting guest speakers; and mining consultants. Communication needs are well catered for with over 500 MB's of internet service in a large office with all facilities available as is land line phone for free.

The home is stocked with food and condiments (just replace if you use it all). This property is an upstairs and downstairs venue, with 2 bathrooms (one still in progress) completely self-contained. At \$50/night/person, the premises accommodates 7, however, extra beds for another 7 are available if needed.

Chris has also set up 'Kimba Backpackers and Travellers' at her Nugent Road house. The focus here is budget stays. Share accommodation or private is available for up to 8 people. Many Backpackers travel through Kimba and Chris has located work for many of these staying at the Nugent Road homestead. The property is completely fenced, welcoming your pet, whilst giving a good walking pet location, also close to local supermarket.

Priced at \$45/person/night inclusive of GST, this is economy based, especially as a continental breakfast is supplied. All other facilities are available to allow food preparation.

# The Thing About Kimba

A brand new Shop Local Campaign has kicked off in Kimba.

We want to tell you all about our Local Businesses, to see them with fresh eyes and a new appreciation of what they mean to our Community, to our sporting bodies, service groups, local clubs and organisations. Do you know what Local Businesses sponsor your favourite clubs and associations? Do you in turn support them?

Join us on [www.facebook.com/thethingaboutkimba/](http://www.facebook.com/thethingaboutkimba/) and check out all participating businesses



## AGSAVE

Wez & Lisa Schmidt, offering you quality products and outstanding customer service

for all things agri-business.



## CHESTWOOD MEATS

We don't have dog bones, we have bones for dogs. Pam & Daryl are busting their chops (haha), to bring you the very best locally sourced lamb & beef and a huge range of

delicious smallgoods and ready-to-cook meat products.



## EILEEN'S

Coffee, mighty fine coffee.

And cakes, oh the cakes.

And lunch, lunch is really, really good.

## KIMBA FRIENDLY GROCER & NEWSAGENCY

For so much more than papers and magazines, Cheryl stocks a huge range of free-range and organic health food products, an excellent toy section, gifts and much more.



**Hornhardt**  
Financial Services

## HORNHARDT FINANCIAL SERVICES

With over 33 years experience in the banking industry, let Craig's

expertise lead you through the maze of options to the best solution for your business.

## GRANT HARRIS HAULAGE

For all your bulk haulage needs, give Tige a ring.



## IGA KIMBA

4 Generations of Johnson's have been serving you fresh fruit

and vegies and with all the major renovations taking place, they are set to make it for another 4.

## J&M HARDWARE

Gavin & Kerry, or their very lovely gnomes, are happy to help you with any general hardware, paint, electrical, gardening or landscaping needs, just to name a few of the many services they offer.



KE & DM PAHL Pty Ltd

## KE & DM PAHL PTY LTD

Machining & Milling,  
Welding TIG & MIG,  
Bending & Forming,

Profile Cutting - just a few of the broad range of services we offer.

## KIMBA GATEWAY HOTEL

Shaun & Maree offer superb country hospitality, a huge array of function choices, wonderfully cold beer and really great meals.



## Want the chance to win one of 3 x \$100.00 vouchers to spend locally?

Get your "The Thing About Kimba" Loyalty Card from participating businesses for just \$5.00 and be in it to win it. Cards are on sale from Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> of March. Spend \$20.00 or more to have your card validated. When all the spaces are filled (12) drop your card into the entry box at The Newsagency for your chance to win.

One winner will be drawn every 4 weeks for 12 weeks. Draw #1 20.04.17. Draw #2 18.5.17. Draw #3 15.6.17.

**The Thing About Kimba** - In 2016 28 Kimba business owners out of a possible 56 responded to the Kimba Community Development Group's detailed survey. That's a pretty good result. And so are the following contributions these retail businesses have given to our community:

**In the 2015 calendar year 28 local 'retail' businesses gave the following to our 'local' community groups in:**

Cash \$ sponsorships or donations?		Goods/Discounts?	
Total All Surveyed	\$72771.38	Total surveyed	\$43470
Average amount*	\$2798.90	Average amount*	\$1571.92
Highest amount	\$11000	Highest amount	\$15000

In-kind work/service?	
Total All Surveyed	\$76600
Average amount*	\$1023.03
Highest amount	\$8000

In 2015 13 businesses sponsored organisations not directly local but linked to local community members.

**On average local businesses sponsor 7 groups/clubs in one year**

\*Average amounts determined from total number of respondents

**Volunteers and Effects of Volunteering**

- 81% Local Business owners volunteer in the community
- 88% of their employees volunteer
- 60% agree that it can effect productivity through interruptions during the day, taking time out of the work day to volunteer or workers leaving to volunteer.

We know our local businesses value supporting our community and this initiative is to support you!



**CHASIN ACES**

Live @ the Kimba Gateway Hotel  
Saturday 29th April 2017  
9pm till late

## Calendar of Events

- 8 – 9<sup>th</sup> April Yeltana Showjumping Championships
- 11<sup>th</sup> April Kimba Community Development Group AGM, 7.30pm, Gateway Hotel. All welcome
- 22<sup>nd</sup> April Footy/netball Trial Games in Kimba
- 25<sup>th</sup> April ANZAC Day
- 2<sup>nd</sup> May Kimba Photographic Society, 8pm, Institute Supper Room.
- 6<sup>th</sup> May Twilight Footy/Netball in Kimba v Cowell
- 11<sup>th</sup> May Kimba Show Trading Table
- 28<sup>th</sup> May Pony Club Rally
- 6<sup>th</sup> June Kimba Photographic Society, 8pm, Institute Supper Room.
- Kimba Community Development Group Meeting, 7.30pm, Gateway Hotel. All welcome
- 19<sup>th</sup> Aug Mock Hen's Night, Waddikee Club
- 31 Aug-1 Sept Shrek Jr - Kimba School Production
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept **SAVE THIS DATE** - Kimba Art Prize Gala Evening & 'Unveiling of Silo Art'
- 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept Kimba 90<sup>th</sup> Show

**Merit Award – Best Presented Area**  
*Congratulations*  
**Robyn & Vern Andrews**  
A bimonthly acknowledgment organized by Kimba Community Development Group, supported by KESAB



**\$5**

**FRIDAY NIGHT HAPPY HOURS**

Beers  
Wines  
Spirits  
5-7pm

**KIMBA GATEWAY HOTEL**

\* Includes pints of beer on tap, wines served by the glass & basic spirits

## Ignite Kimba Arts Program Silo Art Support Packages

On Friday at the Renovation meets Innovation evening the Igniting Kimba Working Group launched the Supporter Packages to raise funds for the Silo Art.

The Supporters Packages make up one part of a multi-pronged fundraising plan and target various levels of donations and/or sponsorship:

Individual \$50	Arts \$100
Bronze \$500	Silver \$1000
Gold \$3000	Platinum \$5000

The levels allow people to contribute at whatever level they feel comfortable with. Support can either be in the form of a donation (no gst) or sponsorship (gst exclusive). The Working Group has already started contacting potential corporate sponsors for the Silo Art project so that funds are also coming from outside our community.

Several sizeable grants have been submitted by the Working Group and there are more to be applied for as they become available. There is also significant fundraising planned.

If you or your business would like to discuss these packages please feel free to contact either Sue Woolford or Heather Baldock and we can forward a copy of the Packages with full details of what opportunities your sponsorship could provide for your business and our community.

### "Celebrating our 90<sup>th</sup> Show: A Walk Down Memory Lane"



The 90<sup>th</sup> Kimba Show to be held on Saturday September 23 will be celebrating with A Walk Down Memory Lane.

With the refreshed Pioneer Mural on the outside of the show pavilion, the committee wish to extend this to a revamp of the inside of the building prior to this year's show. Anyone interested in assisting will be very welcome and can contact Kerri Cliff to register their interest.

Our committee welcomes Dale Baldock, Megan Dickenson, and David and Barb Schmidt. Symon Allen and Naomi Tree have stepped down from committee roles however Naomi continues as the website and show-book co-ordinator.

The committee have been brainstorming ideas for activities and entertainment and are fundraising towards this and the huge cost of running the show. Sponsorship letters have gone out and Membership forms will be out soon where individuals will have an opportunity to contribute to the 90<sup>th</sup> show. We sincerely appreciate the support of our sponsors and the valuable contribution by our many volunteers. If you would like to help in any small way please contact one of our committee members.

A range of activities relating to the history of the show is planned so if you have memorabilia, skills or ideas that would work well with the Walk Down Memory Lane we would love to hear from you.

The shearing competition is extremely important to the show and we aim to hold a meeting with interested parties soon for planning. If you have an interest as a participant, sponsor or volunteer (judges, scorers etc.) and wish to be involved, please contact Amy Wright or Kerri Cliff so we can include you in our discussions.

Let's make this a wonderful community event, acknowledging the long history it has in our district.  
Amy Wright

## SPECTACULAR SHOWJUMPING SET FOR KIMBA

The 43<sup>rd</sup> annual Yeltana Showjumping Championships will be held on April 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>, hosted by Kimba Pony Club and the Eyre Peninsula Showjumping Club.

A full program of events will run over both days with three championship Showjumping events on Sunday afternoon which will see local riders compete against some of the state's best competitors.

For something different this year an unofficial dressage competition will be held on Saturday and a full program gymkhana with hacking and games on Sunday morning.

The Platinum Ag Services Under 21 Championship will run first for the juniors and is always a hotly contested event. This will be followed by the Agsave Merchandise 115cm Championship for horses with less than 60 points on their card.

Kimba IGA is again sponsoring the 'Arthur Whyte Memorial Senior Championship', where the jumps get pretty high, in honour of the event's founder the late Mr Arthur Whyte. We have received some top-quality entries for this event so spectators are in for a treat.

Spectators are welcome with full catering all weekend. The ever popular Calcutta, run on one of Sunday's Championship events, will be held after tea at the Kimba Pony Club shed on Saturday night with a BYO license and music to finish off.

The club has been busy painting rails and putting in some new clubhouse facilities and is looking forward to hosting this long running event.

For any enquiries about the event contact Katie Eatts, Gabi Ashmeade or Lisa Schmidt.

The Kimba Community Development Group extends its thanks to all the people who contribute to the bi-monthly Kimba Newsletter, including the ladies who have been folding it for many years. The next Kimba Newsletter will be out in early June. All items, ads, dates etc would be appreciated in late May. Please forward to [heather.baldock@bigpond.com](mailto:heather.baldock@bigpond.com), or PO Box 460, Kimba



KCDG meets every two months usually on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday  
Next meeting is the AGM on Tuesday April  
11<sup>th</sup>, 7.30pm at the Kimba Gateway Hotel.

All Welcome.

Apologies or inquiries to  
Chair Heather Baldock or Secretary Jess Haywood