

# May Newsletter

## CEO NEWS

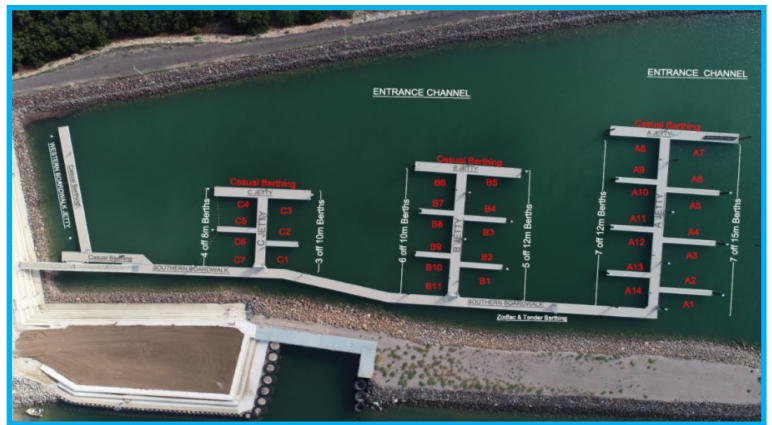
### New Marina is now open!

There are 32 permanent berths in the brand new Franklin Harbour Marina - 'The Anchorage' - located at the end of the Main Street at Cowell. Being able to walk on and walk off of your boat is the ultimate in easy and enjoyable boating. Being able to do this within walking distance to shops/hotels is truly a luxury but that is exactly the lifestyle you can enjoy berthing your boat at Cowell. We are now accepting applications to rent marina berths and our rates are very competitive as you will see below. You can choose to pay annually or quarterly.

Below is a plan of the marina and marina berth rates. If you want to reserve a berth or just enquire please contact council. You can drop in, call [08 8629 2019](tel:0886292019), or email us on [council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au)



Berth size	8 metre	10 metre	12metre	15 metre
Annual	\$1,800	\$2,100	\$2,500	\$3,100
Quarterly	\$495.00	\$577.50	\$687.50	\$875



### Unsealed Road Network rebuilding/repairs

There are significant ongoing works in our district to repair and rebuild our unsealed road network that was seriously damaged in late Jan/early Feb as a result of very heavy rainfall associated with ex tropical Cyclone Tiffany. These repair works have been accelerated and we now have three separate contractors working in the district rebuilding roads and raising the rubble needed for these works. Some of these works are very major and have very large equipment involved so please take extra care on the roads.

The damage to these roads has been particularly difficult for farmers needing to move large equipment for seeding, and we thank them for their patience and, in many cases, assistance with emergency road repairs. I never cease to be both amazed and impressed by the resourcefulness, ingenuity and resilience shown by our farmers in dealing with difficulties and finding solutions, they just get the job done.

**Shane Gill**  
Chief Executive Officer

## 2022/2023 Draft Annual Business Plan for Consultation

Council has prepared a draft 2022/2023 Annual Business Plan and Budget for Public Consultation in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 1999. A copy of the Annual Business Plan and Budget is available on our website [www.franklinharbour.sa.gov.au](http://www.franklinharbour.sa.gov.au) or for a fee, from the Council Office at 6 Main Street, Cowell SA 5602, by request in writing to PO Box 71, Cowell SA 5602, or by phoning 86292019.

The community is encouraged to provide input to the 2022/2023 Business Plan and Budget by written submission addressed to the Chief Executive Officer at the above address or by email to [council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au) by no later than Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2022 at 12.00pm.

Council will set aside one hour at its meeting on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2022 from 1.00pm for any persons who wish to make personal presentations on the draft plan. Persons wishing to appear before Council should contact the undersigned by the 5<sup>th</sup> July 2022.

For further information please contact:

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(08) 8629 2019

Shane Gill  
Chief Executive Officer

**District Council of Franklin Harbour**  
**Kerb Side Recycling**  
First and Third Tuesday of every month

- ♦ Paper
- ♦ Newspaper
- ♦ Magazines
- ♦ Catalogues
- ♦ Cardboard
- ♦ Shredded paper (contained inside paper bag or box)
- ♦ Milk containers
- ♦ Milk containers (rinsed with lids off)
- ♦ Aluminium cans & tin
- ♦ Plastic bottles & containers (rinsed with lids off)
- ♦ Yoghurt & butter containers (rinsed with lids off)
- ♦ Pizza boxes (without food scraps)

- ♦ Packaging contaminated with food (cling wrap, aluminium foil)
- ♦ Tissues & paper towel
- ♦ Empty & dry paint cans
- ♦ CD's, video tapes or tapes
- ♦ Clothing & fabrics
- ♦ Polystyrene foam packaging
- ♦ Polystyrene foam trays & cups
- ♦ Crockery or drinking glasses
- ♦ Glass
- ♦ Broken toys
- ♦ Non-rinsed containers
- ♦ Plastic lids from jars & bottles
- ♦ Plastic bags & other soft plastics
- ♦ Food scraps & garden waste
- ♦ Nappies

### RED CROSS

*Telecross (or Telephone Support) - a telephone support program that involves amazing Red Cross volunteers calling vulnerable community members to make sure they are safe and to have a good chat. This happens every morning, of everyday throughout the year! Even Christmas!*

*If you are concerned about yourself, a family member or friend and you believe that a phone call in the morning would ease your mind or make sure your family member or friend is safe please call our office on 08 6557 1250 and we'd love to support you through this program.*

**Rainfall for May as of 19/05/2022**  
**23.2 mm**

### District Council of Franklin Harbour



A friendly reminder to tie-down rubbish in trailers when transporting to the landfill site.

There has been a number of incidents recently where rubbish has had to be collected from along Melrose Road as it hadn't been tied down. Expiations for littering may be issued for those identified as dropping their waste.

It is also an offence to carry an unsecured load under the Road Traffic Act 1961.

Please help keep our town beautiful.

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**Emergency / Out of Hours**

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# Community News

## LIBRARY NEWS

### Did you know....

Our public access computers are available free of charge and can be used for a wide range of things including online study, internet browsing and shopping. There is a small charge for printing. If you're unable to make it to a funeral, many Funeral Homes now live stream services and our computers can also be booked to view those services that fall during our opening hours.

### Being Digital

We're happy to announce the dates for our upcoming digital sessions. We currently have five sessions scheduled and the success of these sessions will help map future sessions. Sessions must be booked, so please either email us on

[cowell.library@libraries.sa.gov.au](mailto:cowell.library@libraries.sa.gov.au) or phone on 8629 2320 to guarantee your spot. Places are limited.

### Sessions:

- Thurs 9 June @ 10.30am – 12pm: My Gov & Covid Vaccination Certificates
- Thurs 16 June @ 2pm – 3pm: Digital drop in
- Thurs 23 June @ 10.30am – 12pm: Protecting your identity
- Thurs 30 June @ 2pm – 3pm: Digital drop in
- Thurs 7 July @ 10.30am – 12pm: Getting to know your device

*Digital drop in sessions are not on any particular subject, if you have a query or would like to learn more about something come and see us and we'll do our best to help.*



### Giveaways

We have a number of biographies looking for a new home at the moment, pop in and check out what is available.

### Seed library & plant exchange

We're excited to welcome small groups back into the library, and in particular our gardening group. We feel terrible to have started such a wonderful group and then be impacted so heavily by Covid. We've got a number of ideas on the table for future meets and would love your help to decide what to concentrate on next. Come along on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 9.30am**, we'd love to see you and feel free to bring some produce, herbs or plants you might like to share.

### Bookchat & cuppa group

We'd also like to welcome back our Book Club members, who will no doubt be as excited as we are to have a meeting back in the library. Come along and chat about our recent titles *The Girl in the Letter* and *I thought I knew you*, and if you haven't read them, don't worry come along anyway. Next meeting:

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 2pm.**

### Covid Restrictions

Just a reminder, as the library is located on school grounds, face masks are still required as to is social distancing. Thank you for understanding.

### Home Delivery Schedule

We are now implementing a regular home delivery day, which will be the last Thursday of every month. If you are located in the township and would like to receive a delivery, whether it be particular titles or a bag of mixed titles please let us know, we are more than happy to deliver.

### Dr Joy O'Hazy

Please be advised that Dr Joy O'Hazy a Women's Health Practitioner will be conducting appointments at the Cowell Medical Practice once a month on the following dates: 29th June. Please contact the surgery on (08) 8629 2504 for an appointment.

### Feel Like Trying Your Hand in a Game of Cards?

Every Monday & Wednesday from 12:45pm to 4pm  
Cowell Uniting Church Hall located in Second Street  
Cost: \$2.00 with afternoon tea provided  
Card Games Include  
Bridge, Hand & Foot and many more  
For further information please contact :  
Angie Turner on 0429 150 545



### Events Calendar

If you have an event or meeting that is open to the public please notify Council and we will promote it in our dates to remember and on the Council website events calendar.



### Community News

If you would like something put on the community news page, please let the Council Office know via email to [council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au](mailto:council@franklinharbour.sa.gov.au) or in person by the 2nd Friday of each month. Topics can include (but not limited to) sports results, births, deaths, special birthdays and good news stories.

### Cowell Refuse REMINDER

Just a friendly reminder that the Opening hours for the Cowell Refuse site will be **Monday, Wednesday & Friday 2pm to 4pm & Sunday 10am to 12 noon.**

Building resilient businesses that tap into their strengths and support systems to overcome farming adversity and challenges.



Do you operate a South Australian grain or livestock business?  
Do you want to learn how to manage and adapt to risk?  
Do you want to improve your business' economic, environmental and social resilience?

Get subsidised access to leading advisers who will deliver both on-farm support and group workshop learning to prepare you and your business to bounce back in the face of adverse climate and other challenges through the new AgRi-Silience program, a joint project between Livestock SA and Grain Producers SA.

Participants will finish the program with a **Resilience Roadmap**, which will help you build resilience and boost productivity, profitability and sustainability over the long-term.

Local facilitators will deliver facilitated learning, expert guidance and coaching, along with the support of subject matter experts with specialist skills in strategic farm business management and planning, farm risk management and decision making, natural resource management and personal and social resilience.

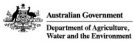
You will get one-on-one support from subject matter experts to help boost your business' resilience.

Each participating business is required to contribute \$500 (ex. GST) and, where there is a genuine need, may be able to access reimbursement for travel and childcare costs from PIRSA.

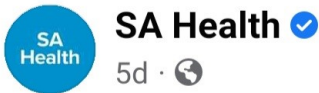
#### AGRI-SILIENCE WILL HELP YOU AND YOUR STAFF:

- Improve your financial literacy and, in the process, learn new ways to build the financial viability of your business.
- Become more confident in decision-making by conducting risk assessments.
- Learn new skills and techniques to build your own personal resilience.
- Become high-performing contributors regarding decision making and operations.

Apply now: [bit.ly/Livestock-Agri-Silience](https://bit.ly/Livestock-Agri-Silience)



This project is part of the Farm Business Resilience Program and is jointly funded through the Australian Government's Future Drought Fund and the Government of South Australia. Delivered by Livestock SA and Grain Producers SA.



New Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) Collection Points have opened across regional South Australia.

If you are a close contact, you can access a kit of two free rapid antigen tests from a RAT Collection Point.

#### ■ Cowell

The Cowell RAT Collection Point is located at Cowell Hospital and is integrated with the Cowell Hospital COVID-19 PCR testing site.

2.30pm to 3.30pm Monday to Friday and 2.00pm to 2.30pm Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays

Drive-in

# MODERNA Vaccinations now available at Cowell Pharmacy

Moderna vaccines are available for those 12 years old and above. Vaccinations are by appointment only, so please reserve your slot by talking to staff or calling the pharmacy

FOR INQUIRIES,  
CALL US ON  
**8629 2064**



You must register on the SA Health website to collect your kit: [www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/COVIDRapidAntigenTesting](https://www.sahealth.sa.gov.au/COVIDRapidAntigenTesting)

## RAPID ANTIGEN TEST COLLECTION POINT

### New Collection Points

**CLEVE  
COWELL  
ELLISTON  
KINGSTON SE  
MAITLAND  
WUDINNA**

## SCHOOL HILL

In the early years of settlement of our families in the Miltalie district, the families of the area considered it necessary to build a Sunday school so that the young families could be given the benefit of religious instruction. A building measuring about 20 x 20 was erected in the year 1885, two years after my Grandparents had settled in this new district. The building was later used as a school building. In 1892 the education department had bought the two acres of land, which this building was situated. This section was section 14; hundred of Miltalie and it contained 469 acres. It was originally surveyed on the 2nd March 1892 and was the first tenure over this land, via Miscellaneous Lease 3443, issued to William Jacobs for a term of 21 years.

On the 5th of January 1892, an application was received from W. Jacobs on behalf of the residents of Miltalie, for two acres of his lease to be made available as a site for a day school and other public purposes. Approval was subsequently granted by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the surrender of two acres from the Miscellaneous Lease 3443 upon payment of the amount of 1.4.0. Today's currency \$2.40 being the purchase money required.

A survey defining the boundaries of the school site was executed by Licensed Surveyor Mr. A. Smith on the 5th July 1892, and a Land grant, Volume 564 Folio 138 issued over this parcel of land on the 19th August 1892 in the names of W Jacobs, J. W. G. Mildwaters, J. Story, R. Hornhardt and A. Venning as trustees for the site. However the trust was not incorporated in the Land Grant, thus making it a free and unrestricted title. Land Grant Volume 564 Folio 138 (Section 14c) and Certificate of Title Volume 1701 Folio 97 (Section 14) were transferred into the name of Roy Henry Jacobs on the 21st November 1947. The titles were subsequently transferred on the 31st March 1980 to Poodra Springs Pty. Ltd.

This school became known as Miltalie School No. 1 and was occupied as such until 1915 when Miltalie School No. 2 was opened about 7 miles north of the previous site.





# NEWSLETTER



## DATES TO REMEMBER

### DISTRICT COUNCIL OF FRANKLIN HARBOUR COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday 8th June 2022 @ 1:00pm in Council Chambers

## Camping Around Franklin Harbour

Did you know that camping areas are provided in the following areas within the Franklin Harbour:

The RV Park, Beach Access Sites on Beach Road, Port Gibbon , Lucky Bay and Ulbana Weir (Payne's Weir)

All campers must have self contained toilet facilities except where toilet facilities are provided.

Permits are required to camp within the Port Gibbon & Lucky Bay area for \$15 per night per vehicle or \$75 per week per vehicle with a maximum stay of 14 days. These can be purchased at the allocated pay stations at the locations listed as well as the Council Office, Cowell Hardware, Cowell Roadhouse.

Permits are required at all other camp sites including Ulbana Weir, RV Park and accesses along Beach Road for \$10 per night per vehicle or \$50 per week per vehicle with a maximum stay of 14 days.

Local Residents and Rate Payers are able to camp at no cost.