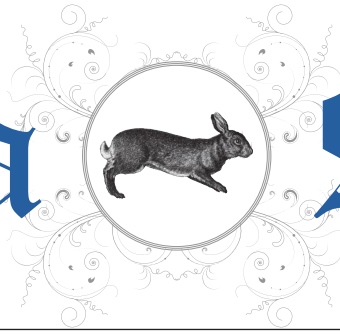


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## HUTCH HUSSEIN Labor Candidate for Polwarth



Hutch Hussein wants to deliver a better future for the people of Polwarth including Winchelsea residents.

She's standing as the Labor candidate because she wants to be a direct voice to government for the many people in the region who've been neglected by poor local representation.

At this election, as a marginal seat, Polwarth residents have the opportunity to elect a direct voice and advocate to Government - someone who won't just promise, but actually be able to deliver a better future for Polwarth.

Hutch lives in Torquay with her young family. Trained as a social worker, Hutch has spent her working life, spanning more than two decades, empowering young people, those experiencing family violence and people from refugee backgrounds.

Hutch has held senior management roles, including as a Deputy CEO, in leading community organisations and charities as well as serving as a Ministerial Policy Adviser. Locally, she serves on her children's School Council, convenes the Surf Coast Rainbow Families Group and sits on the Executive of Dyslexia Support Victoria.


The Andrews Labor Government has a strong record of delivering health, education and jobs. But we will do more. We will do what matters! Labor will recruit more nurses, deliver free kinder and TAFE, real action on climate change and improve our roads.

For Winchelsea in particular, Labor has already announced exciting news for residents, businesses and visitors, through a \$330,000 grant for Surf Coast Shire Council to undertake Stage 2 of the Barwon River Loop Walk.


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## Proposed renaming of streets - Winchelsea

At its 25 October 2022 meeting, Council declared its intention to rename the following streets in Winchelsea:

- Davidson Street from house numbers 1-11 and 2-16 to Warner Street.
- 22 and 24 Riverview Drive to Smith Street.
- Sinclair Close and Moran Way to Sinclair Circuit.

The full report outlining the above proposals is included as part of the 25 October 2022 Council minutes: [surfcoast.vic.gov.au/CouncilMeetings](https://www.surfcoast.vic.gov.au/CouncilMeetings)

For a hard copy of the minutes or a map of the proposed roads, please call **5261 0600**.

**SUBMISSIONS WELCOME**

We will consider any written submissions on these proposals that are received by 5pm on Tuesday 13 December 2022.

Email your submission to [info@surfcoast.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@surfcoast.vic.gov.au).

Or post it to:  
Manager Assets & Engineering  
Surf Coast Shire Council  
PO Box 350, TORQUAY 3228

Anyone who has made a written submission to Council and requested to be heard in support of the written submission is entitled to appear in person or by a person acting on their behalf before a meeting of Council's Submissions Committee at a date and time to be confirmed.

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# Riverlee Artists' Spring Exhibition

The Globe Theatre was buzzing on the weekend with people who braved the weather and travelled from all directions to attend this wonderful Art Show.

On arrival they were greeted by the bright cheery smile of Carole Blake, who very efficiently pointed out the voluntary gold coin donation box (proceeds to Op

Shop) as well as explaining that the delicious aroma wafting through the hall came from the supper room where scone maker extraordinaire Leslie Christie was preparing for Devonshire teas.

Thank you for your generosity Leslie.

Artists paint....not bake

Our numbers were down a little this year

with competition from many other art events in the Geelong region. So many artists have emerged this year after discovering their talents during Covid shutdown, which gives so much choice to the buyers.

The Winchelsea Riverlee Artists Collective continues to produce high quality work sought after by many collectors.





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 Doors open at 6:30. Patrons must be seated by 7pm  
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## Backing Winchelsea's fast growing community

The Labor Government is continuing to support Surf Coast Shire's fast-growing community with the infrastructure it needs.

Labor Member for Western Victoria, Gayle Tierney today announced the latest round of projects from the Labor Government's \$50 million Growing Suburbs Fund.

The fund supports councils build the community centres, town hubs, playgrounds, parks and reserves they need, with 47 successful projects across 15 local government areas to benefit from the investment.

The Government is investing \$330,000 towards the final stage of the Barwon River Loop Walk in Winchelsea.

The project will deliver the final 2km stage of the trail, connecting the four quadrants of the Winchelsea township together. It will activate the much loved Barwon River precinct, improving access to facilities and services and enhancing the visitor experience in this key tourist destination.

## Winchelsea Taxis is now Surfcoast Taxis

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## Op Shop opening

We are unable to receive donations  
 until further notice!

Due to recent water damage  
 the Op Shop has closed while  
 repair work is completed.

Shop stock was unaffected  
 but has been relocated.

10 am to 3pm

All proceeds to Hesse  
 Hospital.



# Flood Recovery

As Mick O'Mara commented in the Star of 11th October, our floods at Winchelsea so far have been quite benign. Interesting, and picturesque, perhaps, but certainly not a disaster like our friends to the north have experienced. Nevertheless, there will be a bit of cleaning up to do in due course. Thanks for the reminder, Mick, to watch out for snakes in the debris!

There are some good things about it of course. The ground is getting a good soaking, a change from the 'green drought' a local farmer mentioned in my hearing not so long ago. When he had cause to dig through the grass at his place, the earth beneath was still dry and dusty. Water storages are full for the first time for years, and up and down the country another good thing must be occurring. Our depleted underground aquifers will be replenishing at last.

My brother, who is at Menindee near Broken Hill, tells me that the desert is flowering magnificently. Fish are jumping in the Darling, now a swift-flowing torrent. Across Australia, the deserts are in bloom, which means that billions of tiny creatures will also be benefiting.

My garden is thriving, as yours probably



is too, along with all the weeds that threaten to overwhelm it! Obviously, our country needs flooding rains. How do we organise ourselves to keep out of the way of them, and not cause them to have worse consequences?

It is an amazing world we live in, full of complexity and challenge.

I was reading the last chapters of Job, in the Bible, recently. We don't know when he lived, but probably in very ancient times. We don't know where he lived, but probably not in Israel. He faced so much disaster, trauma and anguish, and called out to God: Why? Why?

It is a constant cry of us humans, whenever disasters come.

Job doesn't want so much of God's attention! 'Leave me alone,' he says, 'for my days are but a breath.' But he keeps on wanting to know that God is for him, and with him.

When God does speak to him, he takes him on a tour of creation, showing him God's kingly rule through the many wonders and threatening realities of the world. God reveals his loving care and concern for every part of creation to this human being who, along with the rest of us, has been given by God shared responsibility to care for it too.

God did not fully explain why disasters had come, but Job's vision of God is greatly expanded. He has a new appreciation of the scope and harmony of God's world. The world is beautiful and terrifying, and in it all God is powerful and wise and mysterious. It is marvellous beyond all wonder that this one has spoken to Job! And speaks to us, too.

Job has grown in wisdom. He is both delighted and ashamed.

Like Job, we are all creatures of dignity and worth, called to live well in a challenging and wondrous world.

**Rev Lynne Clarke, Acting Minister, St Thomas' Anglican Church,**

## COVID-19 Weekly Data

There were 10,226 COVID-19 cases reported in Victoria this

week, an increase of 20.1 per cent on the previous week. The average daily number of new cases this week was 1,461, up from 1,220 last week.

The number of active cases in Victoria is 9,607 up from 7,851 at the same time last week.

The seven-day rolling average of patients with COVID-19 in Victorian hospitals is 231, a 34.3 per cent increase when compared to the same time last week.

There are currently 256 COVID-19 patients in hospital in Victoria. 8 patients and 1 cleared care are in intensive care. There are 3 COVID-19 patients on a ventilator. The seven-day rolling average of patients in intensive care in Victorian hospitals is 7.

In the past three months, 4,039 COVID-19 patients were hospitalised in Victoria.



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# Letter to the Editor

Hello Marejka Knigge,

I acknowledge receipt of your undated and unsigned information sheet relating to Hesse Street, Winchelsea.

This was not requested and I find your response disingenuous and unsatisfactory.

My concerns expressed to you were on behalf of the residents of Heath Court and the Winchelsea community generally who had been exposed to a very large young male participant rampaging in and around Winchelsea.

Multiple police interventions occurred and correspondence from your agency advising residents to secure themselves in their cars/ houses and seemingly trying to avoid contact with your client demonstrated that your management plans were totally inadequate.

This does not inspire confidence in your ability to manage 1 let alone 3 seriously challenged individuals.

We are not concerned with the construction nor the paint colours that might be chosen but that someone has failed their due diligence.

These units are being built opposite a kindergarten and adjacent to a day care centre.

No communication or consultation occurred with the community about the site's location and suitability.

In your correspondence to me no mention is made how you propose to manage such clients nor how you seek to redress the concerns and lived experiences of our community.

Your total focus is on your participants and not the community at large.

How do you expect these residents to be welcomed into our community unless you can guarantee that the community will be supported and secure.

Your letters to the residents was indeed fatuous and facile requiring the community to be held to ransom and

housebound because of your management failures.

I expect an intelligent and relevant response to our concerns and addressing how you will keep the Winchelsea community safe and able to go about their daily affairs without fear of these behaviours being repeated.

Awaiting your response.

**John Tebbutt,  
President.  
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# Winchelsea Bowls Club

## 'Kitty 'n Jack'

It will be fantastic to actually experience some better weather conditions for bowling, however we are still more fortunate than some clubs whose greens have been closed or are unplayable due to the continual rain.

### Bowls Results

October 29th Saturday - Division 1 def Colac City at home, 96 shots to 89 shots winning 2 rinks each.

November 5th Saturday - Division 1 drew with Camperdown Golf away, 88/88 shots 1 rink, ladder 3rd. Closest results in many, many years.

October 29th Saturday - Division 3 def Colac City 3 away, 80 shots to 62 shots winning 3 rinks.

November 5th Saturday - Division 3 def Camperdown Golf 3 at home. 102/61 shots, 3 rinks ladder 1st.

October 29th Saturday - Division 4 were def by Cobden at home, 31 shots to 50 shots.

November 5th Saturday - Division 4 were def by Camperdown away, 34/48 shots 1 rink. Ladder 8th.

October 25th Midweek - Division 1 def Colac City at home, 73 shots to 61 shots winning 1 rink 2 drawn rinks. Ladder 5th, tight in the top 5.



October 25th Midweek - Division 3 def Lorne away, 81 shots to 56 shots winning 2 rinks. Ladder 3rd tight in the top 4.

No Midweek Bowls on Melbourne Cup Day.

WINCHELSEA BOWLS CLUB BOARD AND MEMBERS WOULD ONCE AGAIN LIKE TO THANK ALL SPONSORS FOR THEIR SUPPORT AND ACKNOWLEDGE CORANGAMITE FINANCIAL SERVICES FOR THEIR CONTINUED SPONSORSHIP OF OUR CLUB DURING SEASONS 22/23.

### Around our green

The Ladies Consistency Singles final still needs to be played, and the Men's 100 up to be finalized. We also have other Clubs Tournaments to support if we want them to support us. It is difficult to complete these matches due to the inclement weather and State events which take precedence.

The State events are hoping to be over by Christmas so they delay everything but all the best to the competitors and may the bowls be with us all!!

## HILARY MCALLISTER Candidate for Polwarth

Hi there! My name is Hilary McAllister, and I am your Greens Candidate for Polwarth. I am a passionate local, ready to fight for our community to ensure our needs are heard in parliament.

Our region has some of Victoria's most amazing natural environments. From the

beautiful coastline to the inland rivers and forests, we have enviable surroundings, but they need our protection. The Greens are committed to halting the damaging gas extraction around Victoria, including in the Otway Basin, phasing it out by 2030. We will push the government further and faster to address the climate crisis to protect our precious coastline and communities. The Greens are committed to achieving net zero emissions by 2030, whilst offering a job for job guarantee for anyone working in the coal and gas sector.

The Greens will invest \$10 billion into renewable energy projects, including a publicly owned grid. To transition our

homes of gas, we will offer rebates to retrofit existing gas appliances, and stop gas connections to new homes from 2025. We will also support businesses to go gas free, which will help ease the rising cost of gas and electricity.

Other policies that will benefit the people of Winchelsea include building more accessible, affordable and sustainable public homes, limiting rent increases and regulating the short stay industry to free up housing for people who want to live and work in our community. More bike infrastructure, EV chargers and increasing public transport will allow us to rely less on our vehicles, as well as investing in EV's and chargers.

# Winchelsea Star

Articles are most welcome and must carry the name and address of the sender.

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### Heart Foundation Walking Group

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**Why:** Walking is a terrific way to catch up with people and be active!

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# What's on in Winch

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Come and join voices with others on Wednesday 23rd November at 5.00pm in the Shire Hall. Gold coin donation is all that's required

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272 Torquay Road Grovedale, the Uniting Grovedale and Uniting Church Grovedale site.

There will be:

- Coffee available 7.30am to 1pm
- Uniting \$1 Book sale 10am to 2pm (See flyer attached)
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An update of Armstrong Creek's Ministry will be provided.

Film (PG) is about the struggle of a father's determination to look after his children when his wife leaves them. Against all odds and the faith of his little daughter, makes this film a great watch.

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Mon - Fri

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Sat and Sun

8:47am, 2:49pm, 8:37pm

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7pm Second Wednesday of Month  
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### Bus to the Hub

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### Winchelsea and District



### Combined Probud Club

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Facebook - Winchelsea Playgroup 2019

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6:30-8:30pm

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## RICHARD RIORDAN MP Member for Polwarth

### 'How will your policies benefit the people in the Winchelsea area?'

As a lifelong local I am committed to our amazing region and my vision for Polwarth is: A sustainable and economically diverse region with healthy people and a resilient environment.

Winchelsea residents and those in surrounding areas tell me they want safe roads, fit for purpose community facilities, better health and aged care services, lower taxes, reduced costs of housing and living, amongst a range of other issues.

I am committed to a fairer share for Winchelsea and country Victoria. A Liberal Government has a 25% of infrastructure commitment to be spent in the country, not the 10% or less it has been under Labor. A Liberal Government will shelve the \$35b Box Hill train, and instead spend an extra \$10b over 10 years on increased State roads maintenance as well as an extra \$18m over the next 4 years for Polwarth Shire roads. A commitment to a new women's and children's hospital in Geelong with accessible parking will be a huge benefit to the Winchelsea community.

The Liberals plan a Geelong metro train service with \$2 return trips to Geelong, and 6 services a day Geelong to Colac. A 4-year halving of V/line fares will see

Winchelsea more affordably connected to the rest of Victoria.

If re-elected I have also committed \$2.5m to build a new community pavilion at the Birregurra Recreation Reserve and \$250,000 for the Victorian Lakes Pipeline Project Study, supporting agriculture, tourism and recreation in the region, by bringing reclaimed water back to Winchelsea and Lake Modewarre.

I have also committed the Liberals to bringing reform to local Government. Many country Victorians want a fairer and more transparent rates system that treats all homeowners, businesses, and farmers fairly. Its time to end the uncertainty in our yearly rate notices.

This November I respectfully ask for your vote.

## Winchelsea Open Gardens Day

An open garden is a glimpse into another world. One full of colour and life with a story to tell. Each one has its own character and will trigger something different in their observers. The best gardens are planned worlds of art, they are made to be enjoyed.

On Sunday 13th November five gardens across Winchelsea will open their gates, giving you a glimpse into these beautiful worlds of tranquillity, charm and history.

'Murdeduke' is a family home going back generations. Most of the garden as it stands today was developed in the late 1940s by Jessica and Jim Wilson, the present owners grandparents. The beauty of this garden is the overwhelming sense of history you feel when you first walk in. The circular carriage-way and two-storey bluestone homestead built back in 1875 are unmistakable marks of a time long since passed. The formal garden incorporates open spaces, sculptures and water features with lush trees, roses and perennials of varying strong colours. This garden has a tale to tell and has something for everyone.



'Narwee' is a country garden full of colour and buzzing with life. Combining the perfect balance of edibles and flowering plants, the garden includes an orchard, vegetable garden, roses, iris, salvias, and teucrium. What stands out the most of this vibrant garden is the pops of colour of drought tolerant plants. This garden is alive with those colour and will sing to you as you walk its journey.

'Chittering' has a tranquillity to it that relaxes you instantly. The trees and surrounding cottage garden have slowly grown over time into a layered escape of serenity. The story includes a formal rose garden, a wisteria clad pergola, orchard, and vegetable garden. Low maintenance garden beds featuring dry climate Mediterranean plants, succulents, and shrubs surround the house. Bring a book, immerse yourself in this world and escape for a while.

'Coombe cottage' has an energy about it that is both new and old. From the moment you step through the gates you feel a sense of a traditional native garden with an 1860 bluestone cottage, but the journey continues as you turn a corner into a modern wide expanse of lush green grass lazily down to a billabong. The sculptures around the garden will both surprise and delight. Sitting on approximately 3 acres this eclectic garden of natives, exotics, succulents, orchards make the perfect home for a variety of birds.

Walking into the garden of 'Calluna', you feel a tranquil park like feeling, with a variety of deciduous trees, native trees and shrubs. The northern garden features a sprawling lawn, rose arbour and native garden. A wonderful borrowed vista of the golf course is the Western boundary of the property. A productive vegetable garden and orchard are on the south boundary. All providing a peaceful atmosphere and a haven for those lucky enough to experience it.

Come and experience all these gardens have to offer at the Open Gardens of Winchelsea, on Sunday 13 November from 10am to 4pm. Tickets available at each garden entry point.

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The Grade 4 and 5 students went off to camp in preparation for next year when they join the Senior Learning Community together. It was an opportunity to form new bonds and friendships and build the foundations for important leadership opportunities they will have in 2023.

The students were brimming with excitement when the bus departed and the students have had an absolute ball participating in the various activities on offer. Despite the poor weather, the camp managed to jam pack days with fun and exciting experiences for our students and everyone came back raving about how much fun they had.

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## Church News

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### St Thomas' Anglican Church

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Activities at St Thomas' during the week.

Monday 10.00 am - Mainly Music.

Wednesday 10.00 am - Know Your Bible.

Thursday 10.00 am – Playgroup, meets fortnightly, next time, 17th November.

Friday 10.00 am - Know Your Bible.

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stthomaswac@gmail.com

### St John's Catholic Church

in Harding Street meets for Mass at 6.00pm on Saturday evenings.

Baptism preparation is on the first Tuesday of the month at St Mary MacKillop Church, Bannockburn.

Please contact Anita, 0409 432 833 or Father Joseph Panackal, 0404 598 558

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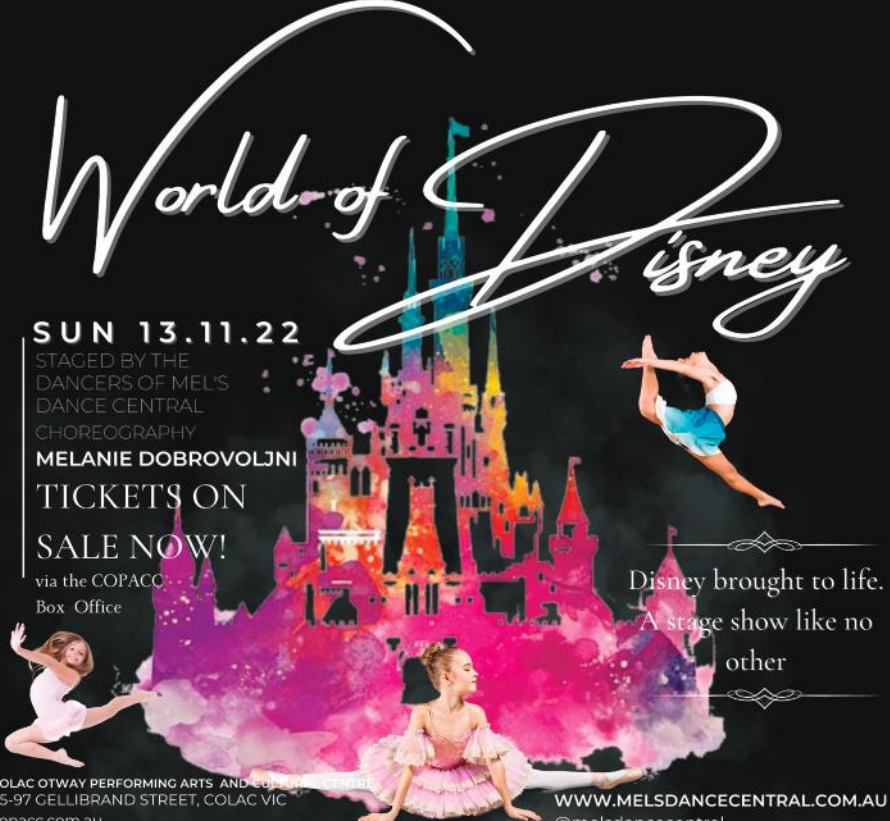
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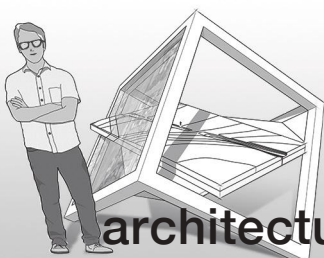
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Applications close at **Midnight Monday 21 November 2022.**

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