



Neighbourhood Watch SA

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REYNELLA NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AREA 146

NEXT MEETING 7pm 16th September

Reynella Sports and
Social Club Rooms

Guest Speaker: Red Cross

Topic:
EmergencyRedi

Around the House NHW Bin Stickers

We have a number of NHW Red
Bin stickers to give away.
If you would like one for your red bin
please call Joy on 0418 839 046.
These stickers show that NHW is
active in our area which helps
crime prevention.

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Secretary:
Stefanie

Newsletter Co-ordinator:
Dawn Ph: 0410 538 122

Police Co-ordinator:
Constable D.C.

Area News

Next Meeting: Red Cross - EmergencyRedi Program

Our next meeting will be held on
Wednesday 16th September at 7pm.

We have a guest speaker from Red
Cross attending to discuss the
'EmergencyRedi program'.

Some of the information to be
discussed will include:

- The overall impact of emergencies
and why we should prepare
- How to assess your own risks and
capacities
- How to prepare your household for
an emergency.

This will be a valuable information
session for you and your family's
safety. *Everyone is welcome*

Schnitzel Night Fund Raiser

Venue: - Crown Inn Old Reynella

Date: - Tuesday 13th October

*\$5 from the sale of every schnitzel
will be donated to Reynella NHW*

Time: from 5.30pm

To book please call the **Crown Inn
on 8381 1319.**

This is our only fund raiser for the
year. If you can, please join us with
your family and friends to help us
make it a successful event.

PERSONAL ALARMS



We have a limited number of
small personal alarms (approx.
5cm tall) to give away.

The alarms are equipped with a loud
120 decibel alarm, which sounds when
activated.

They can send a free SMS to an
emergency contact.

The alarm can be concealed or attached
to a belt or a lanyard (keyring and
lanyard are supplied).

Full instructions are supplied.

If you would like one of these alarms
please contact **Joy on 0418 839 046** or
come to our next meeting.

SECURITY REMINDER

Do not park your car in the street unless
absolutely necessary.

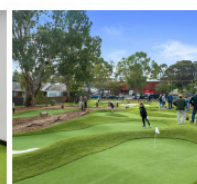
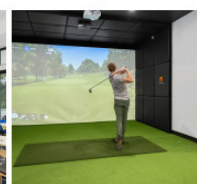
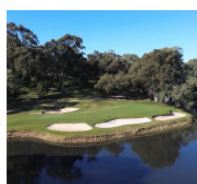
If you leave your car in your drive way
make sure it is locked and there are no
valuables left in plain sight.

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South Australia



HERE'S SOME TIPS

from Neighbourhood Watch
on how to secure your home.

THIEVES HATE ROSES!

Plant prickly bushes under your windows
to deter thieves from breaking in.



TIDY UP YOUR TOOLS!

Wheelie bins, ladders and garden tools
can help thieves enter your house.



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and easy ways to improve your home security.



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the Quiz!



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SAFER COMMUNITIES



Government of
South Australia

Crime Stoppers

Contact Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000
or online. You can remain anonymous.

Let the police know what is taking
place in our area.

REMOTE ACCESS SCAMS

Source: <https://www.banksa.com.au/online-services/security-centre/protect-yourself/types-of-fraud>

A remote access scam is when someone contacts you and as part of their conversation, requests you download software or an app that shares remote access to your device.

Remote access scammers are after access to your computer or mobile, which will enable them to see the information on your device. Once access is shared, scammers often coerce you to sign into internet banking and perform transactions.

They may also use this access to steal your personal data or gain access to your friends and family's information.

Signs this may be a scam

- Someone contacts you needing assistance to catch hackers, fix NBN or computer issues, help with secretive tasks or to provide a refund - **Hang up**. Legitimate organisations will not require your assistance with any of these scenarios.
- An unexpected caller is asking to access your device by downloading software (e.g. Team Viewer, Any Desk or Quick Support). They may ask you not to tell anyone - Do not follow their directions. **Just hang up**.
- A caller is asking you to logon to Internet Banking or share your Secure codes - **Hang up**. Never logon to Internet Banking if you are sharing access to your device. Never share your Secure codes with anyone.
- A caller asks you to make transactions, or 'refund' a deposit you see in your account and coaches you what to say to the bank - **Do not make any payments or action any refunds**. Always be honest with the bank so they can help protect your money.

Tips

- Never provide remote access to an unsolicited caller.
- Verify the call is genuine by calling the company on a publicly advertised number, not on a number provided by the caller or in an SMS or pop-up window.
- **Never share your Internet Banking passwords or Secure codes with anyone.**

REPORTING CRIME

Emergencies

Call Triple Zero (000) in an emergency.

Where life or injury is threatened, or danger to people and property.

Non-Emergencies

Call 131444 for non-urgent police assistance.

For reporting after a crime, reporting a missing person or making police-related enquiries.

Crime Stoppers

Report information about criminals and suspicious activities to Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or at www.crimestopperssa.com.au

Cybercrime

To report cybercrime, or to get further information about frauds and scams, visit:

SAPOL: www.police.sa.gov.au/scams

AUSTRALIAN CYBER SECURITY CENTRE

Website: www.cyber.gov.au

IDCARE Phone: 1300 432 273

Web: www.idcare.org

SCAMwatch:

www.scamwatch.gov.au



INVESTMENT SCAMS

Source: <https://www.banksa.com.au/online-services/security-centre/protect-yourself/types-of-fraud>

An investment scam is where scammers convince you to invest in **high return** investments.

The investments vary widely and may be in shares, real estate, bonds, mortgages, options or foreign currency trading, bitcoin, even betting syndicates and foolproof prediction software.

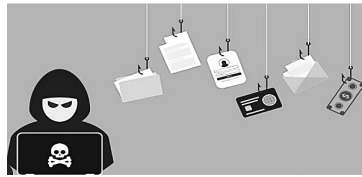
Scammers may claim to be bankers, stockbrokers, financial planners or other investment professionals, they may seem knowledgeable on investment matters and even send you links to legitimate looking fake websites and prospectus documents.

Often the account name you are directed to pay differs to that of the investment company.

Online investment scams have been known to use celebrities' names and pictures (without them knowing) to endorse their schemes.

Signs this may be a scam

- **The return on an investment sounds too good to be true** - Always research before any investment, fully understand the risks. Get independent financial advice from your accountant or financial adviser.
- **You are told you can access your Super before you retire** - It is illegal to access your super early under normal circumstances and the taxation office can apply penalties if you do.
- **You are put under time pressure to invest or subscribe now** - Do not act immediately. Check financial advisors are registered via the ASIC website.
- **You are offered software that can predict sports or racing**



events or financial markets for high returns - Caution! No person or computer software can predict the future reliably.

- **You are offered support to help you invest via remote access to your device** - Do not download software or an app that shares remote access to your device. Scammers use this to access your personal and financial information.

Remember

- If it seems too good to be true, it probably is! Be suspicious of investment opportunities that promise a high return with little or no risk.
- Do not give your personal or financial details to unsolicited callers or reply to emails, SMS or advertisements offering financial advice or investment opportunities.
- Always do thorough research on apps, investment companies or advisors, and check for a valid Australian Financial Services Licence. Always look up the organisation's official information or website yourself, do not use any links you may receive via emails, pop ups, or advertisements. You can visit moneysmart.gov.au to check the list of 'Companies you should not deal with'.
- Do not let anyone pressure you into making decisions about your money or investments. Always seek a trusted second opinion.
- Install and keep security software up to date on all devices. Do not open suspicious texts, pop-up windows or emails – just delete them.

**PROTECT YOURSELF
KNOW THE SCAM**

"I don't believe everything I'm told, do you?"

Anyone can be a target for scammers – so be on the look out. Scammers use sophisticated methods to take your money.

To learn how to **PROTECT YOURSELF** and **KNOW THE SCAM** visit www.scamwatch.gov.au

Report all scams to the police assistance line by calling 131 444.

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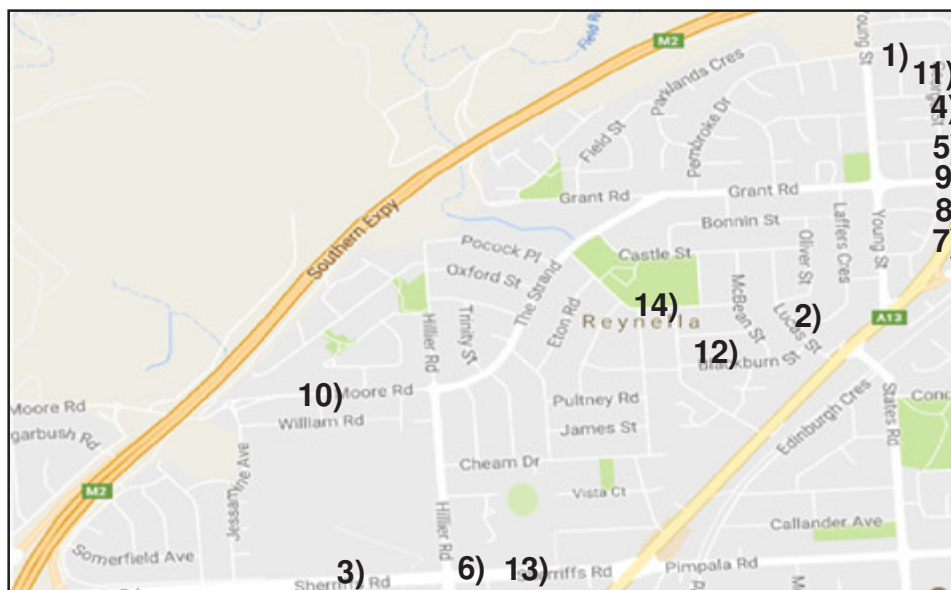
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Police Incidents 29 May - 04 August 2026



Date Location Details

PROPERTY DAMAGE

- 22/06/26 Pett St Attempted break in to vehicle.
- 28/06/26 Lucas St Damage to screen door at residential premises.
- 4/07/26 Sherriffs Rd Minor fire causing light damage.
- 4/08/26 Concord Dr, Old Reynella Damaged caused to victim's belongings.

THEFT

- 27/05/26 Old South Rd, Old Reynella Theft of property.
- 29/05/26 Sherriffs Rd Theft of CD player.
- 6/06/26 Old South Rd, Old Reynella Shop theft from service station.
- 7/06/26 Old South Rd, Old Reynella Shop theft from service station.
- 24/06/26 Old South Rd, Old Reynella Shop theft.
- 10.7/07/26 Moore Rd Theft of radio.
- 11.7/07/26 Old South Rd, Old Reynella Shop theft from service station.
- 12.23/07/26 Main South Rd, Old Reynella Theft from retail store by two suspects.

TRESPASS/BREAK-IN

- 13.6/06/26 Sherriffs Rd Break-in to hair salon.
- 14.14/06/26 Robertson St Break-in to residential address.

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- Remove all valuables from your vehicle
- Conceal valuables before you park – if they cannot be removed
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