

Neighbourhood Watch SA

Neighbourhood Newsletter of Linden Park NHW Area 249

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LINDEN PARK

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AREA 249

NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 7.30pm **21st March 2025**

Bill DeanLounge, Burnside Community Centre

Neighbours Day BBQ



Warrego Reserve Sunday March 30th

11.30am - 2pm **Free lunch**

All Linden Park residents are invited!

Linden Park NHW Coordinator

Arth Tiwari Phone: 0421710889

Police Coordinator TBA

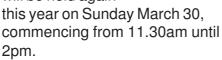
Police Attendance 131444 DIAL 000

(to report a crime in progress or has just been committed)

Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000

NEIGHBOURS DAY

Our annual lunch in Warrego
Reserve to celebrate
Neighbours Day will be held again



The free lunch will comprise sausages, bread, onions, sauces and soft drinks, and all Linden Park residents are invited to attend.

This an excellent opportunity to catch up with friends and neighbours, or even meet new ones as the demographic of the suburb is changing so rapidly these days.

Please bring your own chair if you want to sit down as there is no seating, apart from the small gazebo.

PLAY IT SAFE – ONLINE AND OFFLINE

eSafety and the Australian Football League have joined forces to tackle the important issue of online safety within the AFL community.

Follow the link below to the set of easy-to-follow guidelines developed by eSafety to encourage players and fans to be respectful online.

https://www.esafety.gov.au/ newsroom/whats-on/play-it-safe-andfair-online-and-offline

More information on resources to help keep children safe online and tips for a safer more positive internet are available at the Safer Internet Hub:

https://www.esafety.gov.au/ newsroom/whats-on/sid

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 131 444 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

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH MONTH

March is Neighbourhood Watch Month. Follow link below and take the Secure Score home security quiz to find out how your home rates and what steps you can take to improve your home security.

https://www.nhwa.com.au/resources/ secure-score/



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.

WHAT IS **NEIGHBOURHOOD** WATCHSA?

🜠 NHW SA is a community crime prevention program delivered by

Neighbourhood Watch Volunteers Association of SA Inc. in partnership with SA Police. The vision of NHW SA is to create a safe and connected community.

Local Neighbourhood Watch Areas (like this one) work with local SA Police to help prevent crime. Together we can take action on local issues and help raise awareness of safety and security.

Benefits of Volunteering

Joining can benefit your local community and provide you with many valuable opportunities.

Whether you want to be a leader for change, develop new skills or simply get to know your neighbours.

There are different volunteer options, each with different benefits. Find out more on the NHW SA website: www.police.sa.gov.au/ nhw/home/why-join.

TAKE THE TIME TO PREVENT A CRIME

Don't Forget to Lock Up



Your House Your Car Your Valuables

HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF FROM SCAMS



STOP - Don't give money or personal information to anyone if unsure.

Scammers will offer to help you or ask you to verify who you are. They will pretend to be from organisations you know and trust like, Services Australia, police, a bank, government or a fraud service.



THINK - Ask yourself could the message or call be fake?

Never click a link in a message. Only contact businesses or government using contact information from their official website or through their secure apps. If you're not sure say no, hang up or delete.



PROTECT - Act quickly if something feels wrong.

Contact your bank if you notice unusual activity or if a scammer gets your money or information. Seek help from IDCARE, report scams to Scamwatch and cybercrime to ReportCyber.

What you can do to protect yourself today:

- 1. Beware of anyone offering you easy money through investment or a job. Visit moneysmart.gov.au to avoid investment scams.
- 2. Check invoices and bills before paying, by independently calling the business on the publicly listed number
- Add steps to show who you are when you log into your online services. This could be a code sent to your phone, a token, a secret question or your face or fingerprint.
- 4. Never provide information, passwords, or codes over the phone or via text to anyone. Contact government, businesses, and banks through official channels.
- 5. Immediately report any suspicious activity to your bank.
- 6. If you need crisis services or emotional support, contact Beyondblue 1300 224 636 or Lifeline on 13 11 14.

Scamwatch www.scamwatch.gov.au

IDCARE 1800 595 160 www.idcare.org

ReportCyber www.cyber.gov.au





Help protect your car and property from thieves!

















National operation of DV intervention orders

Laws have been introduced across Seek advice about your options Australia so that all intervention orders (which are domestic violence-related) are nationally recognised and enforceable.

This means, wherever your order is issued, it will apply in all states and territories so that you are protected wherever you may be in Australia.

South Australia Police supports victims of domestic violence and attends domestic violence situations.

We give the highest priority to the protection and ongoing safety of victims and their children.

Domestic violence is a pattern of abusive behaviour by one person against another:

- in a couple relationship such as marriage or dating
- within a family across generations.

It occurs in all social, age and cultural groups.

Domestic violence includes:

- physical violence
- sexual violence
- emotional abuse
- verbal abuse
- property damage
- financial abuse
- threats to harm
- stalking.

Domestic violence is damaging to victims, their children, family and friends.

Where possible we try to hold the person responsible for the violence accountable for their actions.

Find out more about domestic violence on the 1800RESPECT website.

Help and support at domestic violence situations

Police assistance

Call Triple Zero (000) if the situation is an emergency.

Call 131 444 for non-urgent police assistance.

If you live in the metropolitan area contact the Family Violence Investigation Section in your District:

- Eastern, phone 7322 4890
- Northern, phone 8207 9381
- Western, phone 8207 6413
- Southern, phone 8392 9172

Counselling and emergency accommodation

Domestic Violence and Aboriginal Family Violence Gateway on 1800 800 098. National Sexual Assault Family & Domestic Violence Counselling Service on 1800 RESPECT (1800 737 732).

Dealing with Graffiti

Rapid and Continual Removal of graffiti is one of the best deterrents to stop graffiti returning to the site.

Painting over the graffiti is most effective way to remove the graffiti.

When the graffiti is removed by the "paint out method" be sure to match the colour of paint being used - as close as possible to the existing colour of the fence prior to the graffiti damaged.

Be sure to paint the graffiti over in a "block" formation and DO NOT follow the lines of the tag.

> **Report Graffiti Crimes** and Criminals

> > **Public Property**

City of Burnside Council 8366 4200

Stobie poles or ETSA boxes SA Power Networks 131 261

> **Payphones** Telstra 132 203

PublicTransport & Private property SAPOL 131444





THE BEAUMONT BISTRO

is open every Thursday night for dinner from 6.30pm

Family friendly all children welcome

Bookings essential

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50+ CLINICAL EXERCISE PROGRAMS



IF YOU WANT...

- Improved balance and posture
- Enhanced mental health & wellbeing
- Improved body composition (more muscle & less fat)
- Raised self-confidence
- Enhanced ability to undertake activities of daily living independently
- Reduced effects of chronic diseases, (e.g. Athritis, Diabetes, Osteoporosis and Heart Disease)

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Date Location Details

PROPERTY DAMAGE

1. 22/12/24 Devereux Rd Damage to Christmas lights. Value \$60.

2. 07/01/25 Sturdee St Damage to vehicle parked on the street.

3. 10/01/25 Portrush Rd Damage to vehicle parked on the street.

THEFT

4. 10/11-27/2/25 Greenhill Rd 10 incidents of drive off without paying for fuel. Total Value \$587.82

5. 10/11/24 Greenhill Rd \$150 shop theft - OTR

6. 20/11/24 Hughes St Theft of motor vehicle from outside home.

7. 24/11/24 Beatty St Theft of copper pipes worth \$1,500.

8. 13/12/24 Hawke St Items stolen from yard of house.

TRESPASS / BREAK-IN

9. 29/11/24 Greenhill Rd Attempt to enter house via fly screen. Damage \$300.
 10. 03/12/24 Hay Rd Attempt to gain entry to residence. Minor damage.
 11. 06/01/25 Devereux Rd House broken into, items stolen. Value \$25000.

12. 15/01/25 Portrush Rd Front window smashed to unoccupied business.

Cash register stolen and recovered.

13. 02/01/25 Park St Unknown person entered yard and left a pair of shoes.
 14. 26/02/25 Beatty St Residential premises broken into. Items stolen.

HARRIS

Daniel Oliver, Your Linden Park School Zone Specialist

Call 0400 877 705

