

Red Cliffs Connections

A newsletter for the Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre



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visit our website: www.redcliffscommunity.org.au or stay connected via our Facebook: www.facebook.com/redcliffsresource

Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre acknowledges the Latji Latji & Barkindji people as the traditional owners and custodians of this land and pays respect to their elders past and present.

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Red Cliffs Grow & Share Garden

Upcoming Events

General Garden Day

Water Wise Gardening

Friday 13th November

10am to 12 pm

10am to 12 pm

Saturday the 7th December

XMAS BUNTING FOR SALE NOW AT RCCRC



Behind each blue tree lies a story Blue Tree Project was founded with a mission to help spark important conversations and encourage people to speak up when experiencing mental health concerns. We believe help is never as far away as it feels. Blue trees dotted across every continent of the world (minus Antarctica) are both beacons of hope, and conversation starters. Something that began out of tragedy now offers a positive way for people to connect and help change the way we view and talk about mental health.



We are painting
a tree
Blue for
Red Cliffs



Thursday the 5th of December
Meet 9am at the 23 Indi Avenue, Red Cliffs



We will recommence Chatty Cafe in 2025. Below is a great picture by RCCRC volunteer Leanne Jarvis of our November Chatty Cafe. Pictured: Pauline Klien, Janet Borradale, Graeme Benson, Jill Larsen and Brenda Benson.







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Launch of the Red Cliffs Carers Support Group

On the 15th November 2024, The Red Cliffs Carers Support Group had a launch event at The Red Cliffs Club. See all the pictures and names at: https://supportcarersredcliffs.org.au/launch-of-the-red-cliffs-carers-support-group













Carers that join the Red Cliffs Carers Support Group receive a Red Cliffs Carers Pass, offering flexible access to activities that recognise their unique challenges while providing understanding and support. Information sessions will bw held throughout 2025.

Click here to sign up for your pass



When you see the black Red Cliffs Carers Pass logo on activities, that means it is exclusively for unpaid carers.

Our next activities are Bon Bon Making & Pastel Drawing.



Thursday the 5th of December

10 to 12pm

at

Workspace3496

38 Indi Avenue Red Cliffs



FREE

Bookings essential 50243455





Make Christmas Bon Bons Wednesday, 4th December



1pm to 3 pm with Carolyn call 0350243455





*Red Cliffs carers pass program

Carers Resources

Organisation	Description	Link
carerhelp	Caring for someone at the end of their life is a very important role. People who do this help the person they care for and that person's family and friends. They also help the community by reducing the pressure on our health care system. Carers are vital members of the Australian community and we are so thankful for what they do. Caring for someone who is dying can be very difficult. Often, people are caring for someone who is very close to them. This makes the end of life very emotional, which can be hard to cope with. Relationships can change significantly, and the caring role can become much more intense at this end of the caring journey. The Australian Government has funded three CarerHelp projects.	carerhelp.com.au
	The third CarerHelp Rural Connect project started in 2023 and will be completed in 2026. The aim of this funding is to develop resources for rural carers and offer rural carers a once off online education and support sessions with a health professional.	
Carer Gateway	Carer Gateway is an Australian Government program providing free services and support for carers. The Australian Government works with a range of health and carer organisations across Australia, known as Carer Gateway service providers, to deliver services to carers no matter where they live in Australia.	www.carergateway.gov.au
Carers VIC Australia	Carers Victoria is the statewide voice for family carers, representing and providing support to carers in Victoria.	www.carersvictoria.org.au

Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre will be holding information sessions to assit carers throughout 2025.



RED CLIFFS

BUS STOP OPPOSITE RED CLIFFS RESOURCE CENTRE WEDNESDAY'S 9:00 - 10:00 AM

Connect and walk around Barclay square with the ability to walk at your own pace.

This is an opportunity to hear about health and well being events that are happening in the community.



For more information or to register contact Yvonne: ydingle@schs.com.au or call SCHS: 5022 5444



With Melanie Wellness

BOOKINGS REQUIRED*

Total cost for 4 week program is \$40

This program is for men and women*

Next program Starts

Monday the

3rd of February 2025

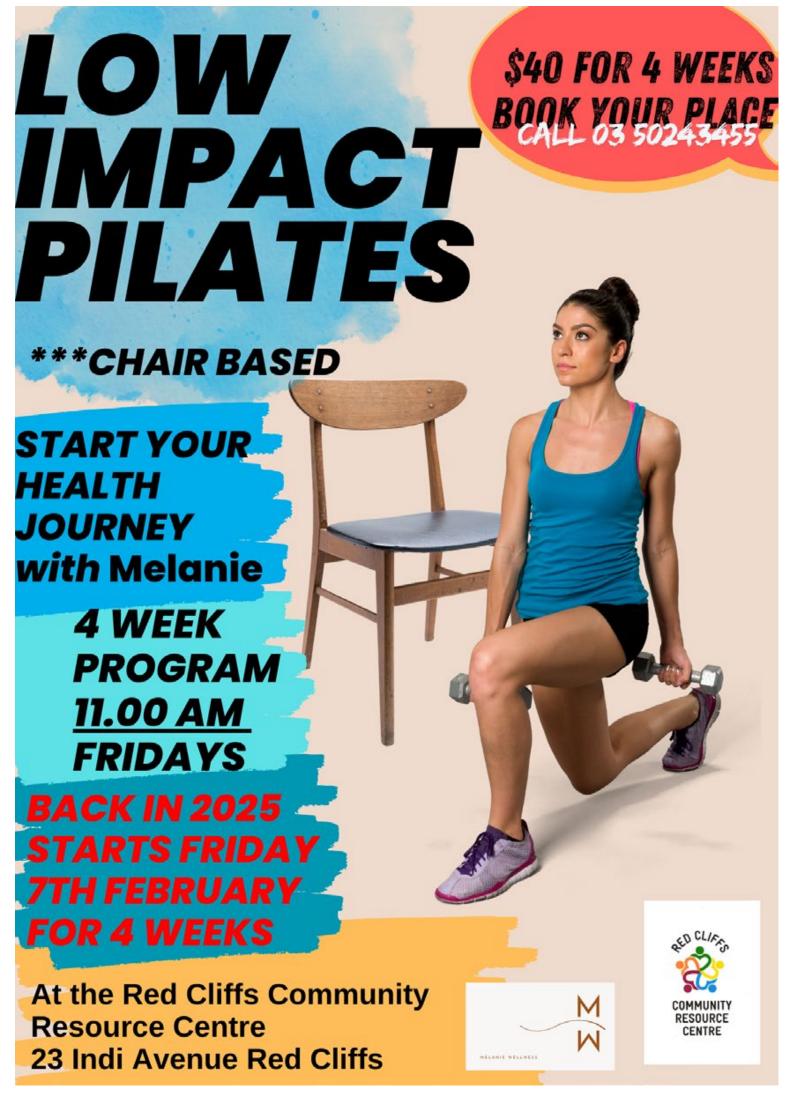
for 4 weeks

10.30 am at 23 Indi Avenue Red Cliffs



contact 0350243455 or rcresource.reception@gmail.com





Reddy, Set, Cook





Snaps from Reddy, Set, Cook November's theme:

Sustainable cooking

























Next Garden Day 10am to 12 pm

Saturday

7th December

With Larry



All welcome.

More Info phone 0350243455







"Water wise information for gardens."

10am to 12 pm



All welcome.

More Info phone 0350243455



Happy Snaps From the Garden





Peter working on the garden



Gardening Guru, Larry



Participants making portable wicking beds

• Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre •



Service available at RCCRC Friday 6th & 20th of December from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm



SHARE SWAP GROW ENJOY

Share or Swap your seeds with others.

Label the envelope provided with the name of the seeds and any other info you want to

include.





At the Red Cliffs Community
Resource Centre
23 Indi Avenue Red Cliffs





Community Paramedic Clinic

Blood Pressure & Health Assessments

Where: Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre

When: Every Monday from 1pm - 3 pm.

Last day - Monday 16th December 2024 to return Monday 6th January 2-25

The CP@clinic Program is a free health check-up. You can talk to a paramedic about your health and well-being. All personal information will be kept private.







Last day for 2024: 10th December





Connecting and empowering local communities to tackle plastic pollution at its source.

Make bags to reuse and share.

Tuesdays 9.20am to 11.30am @ RCCRC Operating every Tuesday in School Terms



Boomerang bags can be purchased from Gio's Bread, 61 Indi Avenue Red Cliffs





Members of the Men's Shed will be having their break up on the 19th December.

Sessions will being again on the 16th January 2025.



Thanks to all the supporters of The Red Cliffs Mens Shed in 2024.

We look forward to building and connecting in 2025.



Building.....a community

Discover a community to belong to & mates that make it all worthwhile.

Red Cliffs Men's Shed is located at Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre, 23 Indi Avenue Red Cliffs.

Governed by the Australian Men's Shed Association (Member: AMSA101238) We provide a welcoming environment for men from Red Cliffs and surrounds who are from all walks of life where they can socialise and enjoy a wide range of activities.

Come and visit The Shed Thursdays 10am - 3pm

Ph: 50 243 455 or email redcliffsmensshed@gmail.com. to book before coming or to get more information.





Be Connected

Every Australian online.



Thursdays in Victorian school terms. BOOK TODAY!! 5024345



DIGITAL ESSENTIALS CLASSES

Wednesday mornings 10.00am to 12noon.



Using different digital devices
Applying for jobs online
Using Apps and digital communication pathways

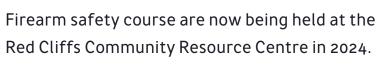
Only operates during Victorian School terms.

Bookings are a must. Ph: 03 5024 3455

or email: rcresource.reception@gmail.com



FIREARM SAFETY COURSE



Book via link: https://tinyurl.com/ FirearmSafetyCourse



2024 Scrapbooking, Card Making Workshops Red Cliffs Community Resource Centre

Tuesday 3rd
December
12 noon
Cards \$25
Scrapping
\$30



Tuesday 10th Dec 12 noon Cards \$25 Scrapping \$30





2H1338 Vintage Santa Embessed foil Cords Created by Cheryl Peterle



Tuesday 17th December lunch at the Red Cliffs Club at 12 noon, RSVP by Monday 16th for booking numbers.

BYO a kris kringle gift to share value up to \$20

Bookings essential, by Friday before workshop so kits can be made up, Call Carolyn on 0412868447

Glass recycling

Put lightly rinsed, empty glass bottles and jars into the bin loose, not in bags.

Lids to be removed, plastic lids disposed of in the general rubbish bin. Metal lids recycled in the mixed recycling



- Glass bottles including beer, wine and olive oil bottles
- Glass jars including pasta sauce and condiment jars
- Glass bottles and jars for medicine
- Broken glass jars and bottles accepted





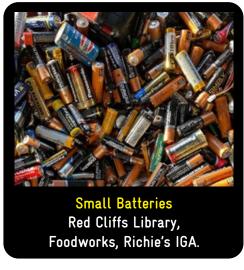


Plastic bags or packaging, loose lids and caps from bottles or jars, corks, pumps, sprays, droppers, cardboard, crockery such as plates, dishes, mugs, drinking glasses, glass cookware, vases, light bulbs.

Purple bins are emptied monthly - To find your collection day visit:

https://www.mildura.vic.gov.au/Services/Waste-and-Recycling/My-bins/Find-your-bin-day

Recycling in Red Cliffs & surrounds.





















Other recycling places.
AS & CO accept a wide range of items for recycling - Check out their list on their website

Blister Pack Recycling

Blister packs are made from a combination of materials like plastic and aluminium which cannot be separated through household kerbside recycling.

Pharmacycle is the solution to this wicked problem.

Welcome to the largest and only end-to-end recycling program for blister packs in Australia.

Click on the following videos to explore how a blister pack is broken down into key parts that can be used by our partners, allowing us to give each blister pack a second life.



Episode 1- The Journey of a Blister Pack



Episode 2- Breaking down the Blister Pack



Episode 3- A new life for Blister Packs

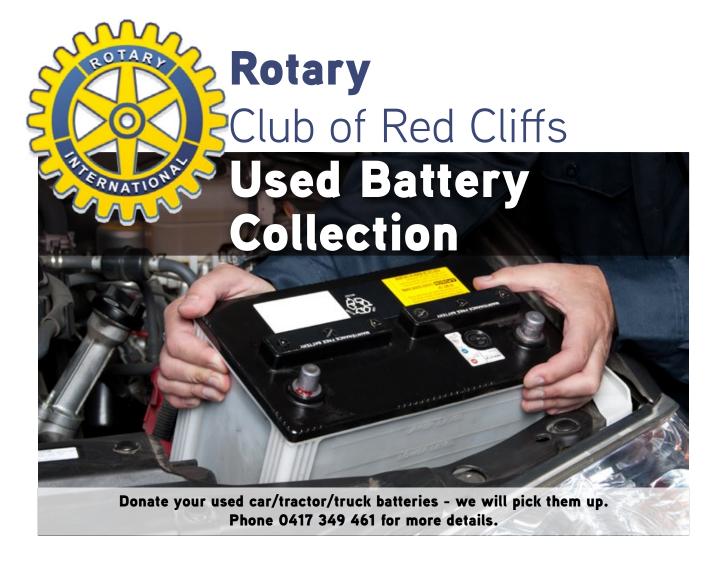
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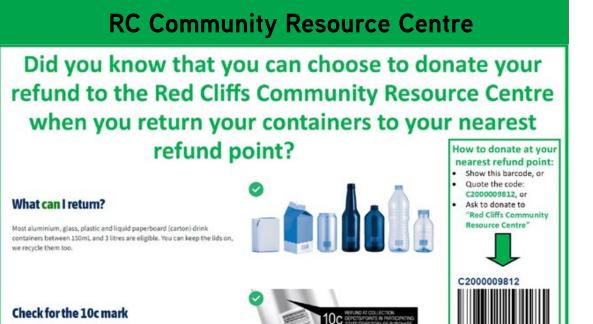
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Mildura
114a-118 Langtree
Avenue Mildura

My Chemist Mildura 69 Langtree Avenue Mildura

Chemist Warehouse
Shop G002
Mildura Central
Shopping Centre, Cnr
Deakin Ave & Fifteenth
Street, Mildura

Chemist Warehouse
Mildura Homemaker
Centre, Cnr Fifteenth
Street and Benetook
Avenue, Mildura





Recycle & donate your refund to

Look for the 10c mark on the drink container label. It is often located near the





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- Search and select our name when prompted to nominate a club, school or charity
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RUN BY THE COMMUNITY. WHERE TO GO AND
WHAT TO DO IN RED CLIFFS. KEEPING YOU
INFORMED OF WHAT'S ON IN RED CLIFFS WHILE
BUILDING ON OUR COMMUNITY.

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Thank you to all our staff and volunteers for the incredible work they have done throughout the year.





