

# NEWSLETTER



APRIL 2025

CHSP UPDATE

## UPCOMING MUSICALS / EVENTS



### BEAUTY AND THE BEAST MUSICAL

We proudly invite you to 'Be Our Guest' at Disney's brand-new production of Beauty and the Beast the Musical!

This enchanting and timeless tale has been brought to life in a reimagined production boasting all the spectacle and grandeur audiences know and love.

Members of the original creative team have reunited on this breathtaking musical featuring all of the spellbinding songs of Alan Menken, Howard Ashman and Tim Rice including Belle, Gaston, Human Again and Be Our Guest. Beauty and the Beast is a much-loved classic that will fill the hearts of a new generation.

Contact TBCC on 8572 3513 to book your seat.



### CATS THE MUSICAL

Experience the 40th Australian Anniversary of Andrew Lloyd Webber's record-breaking musical CATS, opening at her Majesty's Theatre in September 2025.

Call TBCC on 8572 3513 to join our waitlist.

## HYDRO POOL & SHOPPING BUS

Every Wednesday the TBCC mini-bus travels from Tailem Bend to Murray Bridge to take consumers to either the Hydro Pool or Marketplace. This is a door to door service, and can assist with groceries.

Bookings are essential. Contact TBCC to secure your seat.

**Times:** Departs Tailem Bend at 8am and arrives back by 11am

**Cost:** \$5.00 return.

## SOCIAL SURPRISE BUS TRIPS

Each month our amazing volunteers take the TBCC mini-bus out to explore new places. The "surprise" is.... the destination is unknown by the attendees.

Upcoming Dates:

- Tailem Bend - 1 May - 19 June
- Murray Bridge - 15 May
- Meningie - 1 June

Cost - CHSP \$10.00 | Non CHSP \$20.00

Bookings are essential. Contact TBCC to secure your seat.

## C4C UPDATE

The Communities for Children team have been busy planning for upcoming events. We have a Mother's Day Craft session at Tailem Bend on 9 May. Keep your eye out on our Facebook page for details.

### PCMG

Parent Child Mother Goose invites parents and carers to cuddle, communicate and connect with their child through Songs, Rhymes, and Stories.

Our PCMG sessions are held each week during the school term, see below for days and times:

**Tuesday** – Mannum Leisure Centre Senior Citizens Rooms – 9.30am

**Wednesday** – Meningie Kindergarten – 11.00am

**Thursday** – Tailem Bend Primary School – 9.30am



## CHSP MMCPN CARE PLANS DATA UPDATE - COMING SOON

Consumers will be receiving an updated Booklet with new Standards etc and a new registration form to complete.

This keeps TBCC compliant with the Department of Health and Ageing.

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## GOLDIES LUNCH

Join us at our next Goldies Lunches on Friday 30 May & 27 June. Bookings are essential, as our seats fill up fast.

Cost - CHSP \$10.00 | Non CHSP \$15.00



### OUR GOLDIES LUNCHES 2025

FRIDAY'S 12 NOON – 1.30PM

Join us at **TBCC** for a Social Lunch and Chat.

TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS  
CAN BE MADE FOR YOUR  
CONVENIENCE TO AND FROM  
LUNCH  
(TB CONSUMERS ONLY).

**CHSP \$10 P/P**  
**NON CHSP \$15 P/P**

EVERYONE WELCOME | BOOKING ESSENTIAL

**TAILEM BEND  
COMMUNITY CENTRE**

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28th February 2025

28th March 2025

30th May 2025

27th June 2025

29th August 2025

26th September 2025

4th November 2025

5th December 2025

## PHOTOS FROM OUR GOLDIES LUNCH ON 28 FEBRUARY 2025



## TBCC Needs More Volunteers

Have you got some spare time  
to volunteer at TBCC?

We have opportunities in the following areas:

Gardening  
Catering  
Reception

## MMCPN UPDATE

Murray Mallee Community Passenger Network is in the process of signing another three new volunteer drivers and ten renewals to our driver accreditation program. This is significant achievement for the MMCPN, highlighting both the growth and ongoing commitment of the communities who support this vital service. The addition of new volunteers brings fresh energy and enthusiasm to the team, expanding the capacity to meet the increasing demand for transportation.

At the same time, the ten renewals reflect the dedication and reliability of existing drivers who continue to understand the importance of their role in helping others. Together, these new recruits and returning volunteers will help ensure that more individuals can access essential services like medical appointments and community activities, further strengthening the network of support within the community. It's a win for both the drivers and those who rely on the service, fostering a sense of connection and care.

BusBiz who run the Coorong Coaches medical bus has had a price increase in 2025 of \$2 per return trip. The increase in the cost of the medical bus service can be seen as a positive step toward ensuring the long-term sustainability of this essential service.

With the rising cost of fuel, maintenance, and operational expenses, this small price adjustment helps to keep the service running smoothly. The increase will help ensure that the bus remains a reliable option for those who need it most, including individual with medical conditions, seniors and others who depend on it for access to healthcare.

## MEDICAL SERVICE BUS

Air-conditioned and wheelchair accessible medical service from Keith to Adelaide operating on weekdays, excluding public holidays.

For eligible people living in the District Council areas of

- Coorong
- Karoonda East Murray
- Mid Murray
- Rural City of Murray Bridge
- Southern Mallee
- Tatiara

Appointment times in Adelaide need to be  
between 11am & 2pm.



## PRICING (as at 1st January 2025)

Tailem Bend pricing incorporates Tintinara, Coonalpyn, Coomandook, Yumali, Meningie & Wellington East.

KEITH - ADELAIDE / MT BARKER  
\$39 Return | \$20 One Way

KEITH - MURRAY BRIDGE  
\$24 Return | \$12.50 One Way

TAILEM BEND - ADELAIDE / MT BARKER  
\$33 Return | \$17 One Way

TAILEM BEND - MURRAY BRIDGE  
\$18 Return | \$9.50 One Way

MURRAY BRIDGE - ADELAIDE  
\$28 Return | \$14.50 One Way

MURRAY BRIDGE - MT BARKER  
\$18 Return | \$9.50 One Way



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