



# Port Julia Progress Association

## NEWS FROM THE RED SHED DECEMBER 2025

### Port Julia – 150<sup>th</sup> Year in 2026



**PORT JULIA** will be celebrating its **150<sup>th</sup> Birthday** in October next year. A Sub-Committee has been organized to make plans to celebrate this great milestone. We need input from permanent residents and holiday home owners for suggestions on functions or activities that would be appropriate to celebrate this exciting time in our history.

**Di is planning to put together a Port Julia Cookbook, and is looking for seafood recipes.**

If you can help please contact her - [digals1616@gmail.com](mailto:digals1616@gmail.com)

You may have some other suggestions to help celebrate the 150<sup>th</sup> Year, or if you would like to join the Sub-Committee, let Di know.

### 2026 Calendars

The Port Julia 2026 calendar has been printed and is **available now**. These can be picked up from the Brian Cherry Community Hall. Ask the Caretakers to open the hall so that you can obtain your copy - please take only one per family. Thank you to Fraser Ellis, MP for the paper and printing of the calendar.

### Seating

You will have noticed that Yorke Peninsula Council has been installing the new outdoor tables and seating purchased by the PJPA.

They have nearly finished, and only have some seats along the walking trail to complete the full installation.

They look fabulous.



## **Christmas Dinner**

The Christmas Dinner was held at the Brian Cherry Community Hall on **Saturday, 6 December**, and Golden Roast catered this year. Fifty three people attended and enjoyed lovely roast meats, vegetables, salads and yummy sweets. Father Christmas visited us as well.



## Membership Renewal

Thank you to those who have paid their 2025/2026 memberships already. If you haven't done so, please renew your membership as soon as possible.



## Car Boot Sale

The PJPA Car Boot Sale at the Bush Campground was held on **Saturday, 15 November**. We had lots of sellers, but unfortunately not enough buyers! There were many events on Yorke Peninsula with the Garage Sale Trail promotion that weekend. However, we will try another car boot sale in the future. Thank you to those who participated.



## **Australia Day Brunch – Monday, 26 January 2026**

There is a change in the menu for 2026 – we are serving egg and bacon rolls, orange juice, tea and coffee. The cost will be \$5 for adults and children. You are welcome to stay after the Brunch for a game of bocce. A flyer with all the details is attached. All funds raised will be donated to the Royal Flying Doctor Service.

### **Rum Balls Recipe**

#### **Ingredients**

- 250g Arnott's Milk Arrowroot biscuits crushed
- 395 g Nestle Sweetened Condensed Milk
- 1 cup coconut
- 1/4 cup cocoa
- 1 1/2 tbs rum to taste
- 1 cup coconut to decorate (extra)

#### **Method**

- Step 1 - Combine all ingredients.
- Step 2 - Wet hands and roll mixture into small balls, then coat in coconut.
- Step 3 - Refrigerate or freeze for later. Great for Christmas gifts.



**Website** - Please check out the Port Julia Progress Association website where there is a lot of information included at [www.portjuliapa.org.au](http://www.portjuliapa.org.au)

You can contact me if you have any issues or email our Secretary, Colleen Bennett – [secretary@portjuliapa.org.au](mailto:secretary@portjuliapa.org.au)

To all residents and families, Best Wishes for the Festive Season and a wonderful New Year.

**Kingsley Coulthard**  
**President & Committee Members**  
**Port Julia Progress Association**



**Christmas Drinks** at the Red Shed on Tuesday, 23 December from 4pm onwards. Bring your nibbles, drinks and a chair. All welcome.



# PJPA AUSTRALIA DAY CELEBRATION AND BRUNCH

**WHERE:** BRIAN CHERRY COMMUNITY HALL

**WHEN:** MONDAY, 26 JANUARY 2026

**TIME:** 10.00AM

**RAISING THE AUSTRALIAN FLAG**

**NATIONAL ANTHEM & SONG OF AUSTRALIA**

**BRUNCH:** Egg and bacon rolls  
Orange juice, tea & coffee

**BYO alcoholic or other beverages**

**COST:** ADULTS & CHILDREN - \$5.00  
All funds raised will be given to the  
Royal Flying Doctor Service



**Join us for a game of Bocce  
following the Brunch!**

**BRUNCH BOOKINGS are ESSENTIAL  
AND NUMBERS ARE LIMITED,** and can be  
made through contacting our Secretary  
(Colleen Bennett) by email –  
[secretary@portjuliapa.org.au](mailto:secretary@portjuliapa.org.au)  
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RSVP by 19 January 2026

