

Hello Member

and welcome to our Autumn E-News | Along the Riesling Trail ...

Visit our website at <u>http://rieslingtrail.com.au/</u> for up to date information of what's happening on the Riesling Trail and around the Clare Valley.



Autumn in the vineyards ... photo taken by Skillogalee Estate. Their Cellar Door and Restaurant is open 9.30am-5.00pm every day.

From the Chairman



Almost any weather is good for being on the Riesling Trail, but this is especially so in autumn. With cooler weather and great autumn colours the trail and surroundings are very appealing. Even the recent hot weather though didn't deter many people from using the trail – user numbers were higher for January and February this year, compared with previous years. We expect the trail to get much busier in the next few months, including the annual half marathon on Sunday 2 April.

To improve safety for Riesling Trail users we have installed bollards along Station Road in Clare. Although not a barricade, they will deter people from driving their vehicles onto the trail to turn or park there. We especially thank the Clare and Gilbert Valleys Council for locating the underground services and drilling the holes, to John Dickeson who used a jack hammer to dig out the rockier ones and the volunteers who helped put them in so neatly.

The timber bridge, a few hundred metres north of Tatkana Road, has now been replaced with a much stronger steel-framed bridge as part of our annual bridge replacement program, funded by the Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing. This has been done very well by Jason Gill and 'Gilly' and supervised by Trevor Mace. The plan next year is to replace the bridge north of the crossing at Jollys Way (Mintaro Road). These replacements are necessary because the supporting timber beams are getting close to their useful life.

Our next development project on the list in the next few months is a shelter and

bench seat on the western side of the Wakefield River bridge at Auburn.

And finally, I wish to thank Stephanie Toole (from Mount Horrocks Wines) and Jeffery Grosset (from Grosset Wines) for their generous financial help to the Riesling Trail over many years, including contributions to the Wakefield River bridge, the Quarry Road bridge and the shelter to be erected next to the Wakefield River.

> Allan Mayfield Chairman

Work along the Riesling Trail

Bollards have been installed in Clare opposite Bottling Dynamics to protect the surface of the trail from vehicles travelling along Station Road.

Thank you to the workers – Bill, Trevor, Allan, Gerry, Troy and John. And thank you to the staff from the Clare & Gilbert Valleys who dug the holes... the post-hole digger made the job a lot easier.



New Bridge completed near Tatkana Road Penwortham



Allan and Mark putting in the new Business Partner Signs, Grosset Wines and Mt Horrocks Wines. The statue is situated just outside of Grosset Winery, Shelter and Signboard is situated outside of Mount Horrocks Winery.



parkrun every Saturday morning

Peter's 250 parkrun

Julie's 200 parkrun

Kathy's 100 parkrun

Annabelle's 100 parkrun

Sam's 25 parkrun



For a one off donation to the Riesling Trail please click here DONATE

This donation is tax deductible and is very much appreciated by the Committee. These donations assist to make the Trail safer, more accessible, more enjoyable for all the runners, walkers and cyclists who use it on a regular basis.

We thank you very much. The Riesling Trail Committee.

The new Plaque for the Monica McInerney Statue was added recently.



Welcome to our two new Business Partners

Mount Horrocks Wines and Grosset Wines



Mount Horrocks Wines Stephanie Toole The Old Railway Station 12 Curling Street Auburn SA 5451 P: 8849 2202

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Jeffrey Grosset and Stephanie Toole

SOUTH AUSTRALIA'S TOP 21 FEMALE WINEMAKERS, VITICULTURALISTS AND INDUSTRY ADVOCATES WHEN IT COMES TO SOUTH AUSTRALIAN WINEMAKING, WOMEN ARE CRUSHING IT. HERE WE CELEBRATE 21 IMPRESSIVE WOMEN IN WINE.

STEPHANIE TOOLE

OWNER AND WINEMAKER, MOUNT HORROCKS STEPHANIE TOOLE CAREFULLY CRAFTS WINES MADE TO ENJOY WITH FOOD, WITH AN EMPHASIS ON STRUCTURE AND GENEROUS FRUIT FLAVOURS. ESTATE GROWN GRAPES ARE HAND-PICKED AND GENTLY HANDLED TO ENSURE THE VARIETAL AND SITE-SPECIFIC FLAVOURS, AS WELL AS ITS ORGANIC AND BIODYNAMIC STATUS, ARE RETAINED.

JESSICA GALLETLY LIFESTYLE EDITOR

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Bentleys Hotel, Clare





The Clare Hotel



The Little Red Grape, Sevenhill



Arts Collective



Discovery Park, Clare



Molleys Chase



Clare Valley Caravan & Cabin Park



Neagles Retreat Accommodation





Right: Jeanneret Wines









Skillogalee Wines



Watervale Hotel









UPPside Restaurant & Cellar Door



Riesling Trail Bike Hire M: 0418 777 318



Scoot the Valley Bike Hire [We have re-located to 167 Main North Road, Clare SA 5453 M: 0456 670 820



Tim Adams Wines



Sevenhill Cellars Winery Warehouse Sale



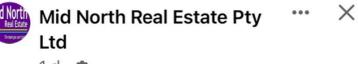


Battunga Cottages



Sussex Squire Wines





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SOLD! 29 Main North Road, Watervale



Graeme Nield of Mid North Real Estate





Jeanneret Wines

The lovely Maria at Mathies Meat Shoppe

Below: Bed in a Shed at Leasingham



Thank you for your continued support of the Riesling Trail,

it is very much appreciated.

Traker Readings - 2023

		USER	NUMBERS 2023					
MONTH	White Hut Rd	Clare	Sevenhill	Watervale	Au- burn	TOTAL	YTD	
January	514	3752	3032	1261	634	9193	9193	Read 31/1
February	528	2981	2265	941	532	7247	16440	Read 28/2
March						0	16440	
April						0	16440	
May						0	16440	
June						0	16440	
July						0	16440	
August						0	16440	
Septem- ber						0	16440	
October						0	16440	
Novem- ber			*********			0	16440	
Decem- ber						0	16440	
TOTAL	1042	6733	5297	2202	1166	16440		
MONTHL	Y VARIATIO	NS Clare	Sevenhill	Watervale	Au- burn	Total	YTD	
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Feb-23	528	2981	2265	941	532	7247	16440	
Feb-22	581	3098	2373	1092	301	7445	16027	
Variation	-9.12%	-3.78%	-4.55%	-13.83%	76.74%	-2.66%	2.58%	2
YTD 2023	1042	6733	5297	2202	1166	16440	16440	
YTD 2022	1205	6309	5448	2360	705	16027	16027	
Incr/Decr	-13.53%	6.72%	-2.77%	-6.69%	65.39%	2.58%	2.58%	

Tax Deductible Donations are now easy to make

We rely heavily on donations to maintain and improve the Riesling Trail.

Individuals can claim their donations as a tax deduction if the funds are directed through

the Australian Sports Foundation.

Simply click on the link which will take you to the Australian Sports Foundation website,

Payment Options **<u>Click here</u>**. or search the Riesling Trail website at

The Riesling Trail | The Riesling Trail Development Fund (asf.org.au)

This method of donating is mainly for Donors who do not have an ABN for tax purposes.

Thank you for your support of the Riesling Trail, any donation is greatly appreciated.

If you have a specific project you would like to see completed and can make a significant contribution towards it, please contact the committee to discuss your requirements."

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Thank you to our Honorary Business Friends

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A special thank you to the Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council for printing of the Newsletter for distribution to Members who do not have email.

Finally ... sincere thanks to you, as a Business or Individual Friend of the Riesling Trail for your continued support to upkeep and continually improve the Trail for users.

... from the Riesling Trail Team

Every season, another reason

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