

COMMUNITY UPDATE

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Pictured above: Graham and Jo McGrath had the audience singing, tapping and clapping.

Singing along to some classics

Sea Lake hostel residents enjoyed a wonderful concert with the Touring Entertainers – Graham and Jo McGrath.

The duo entertained residents with music and songs from the 1950s and 60s, evergreens and country songs.

There was lots of toe tapping and hand clapping as the residents showed their appreciation.



Pictured above: Music is a great way to build connections and harness fond memories.



Podiatrist (New Grad)

Are you a new Grad looking for a change of scenery? We currently have an exciting opportunity for a recently graduated Podiatrist to join our dynamic and enthusiastic Allied Health team at MTHCS.

Check out our career opportunities on our website



For more information on what the job entails, please refer to our website <https://www.mthcs.com.au/careers/current-vacancies>

Virus spreads further

A Health Department survey of more than 800 people in northern Victoria has found the Japanese encephalitis virus has infected more people than first thought.

The survey found approximately 1 in 30 participants had evidence of having a prior Japanese encephalitis infection. This suggests many more people may have been infected than the number of ill or symptomatic cases reported – 13 – in last year's mosquito season. While vaccination against Japanese encephalitis is available, there are a number of mosquito-borne diseases known to be circulating in Victoria – such as Murray Valley encephalitis and West Nile (Kunjin) virus – for which no vaccine is available. That's why avoiding mosquito bites is the most important measure to protect against mosquito-borne diseases.

GP services available

A new GP clinic roster is now available for our Sea Lake Clinic. Contact us today on (03) 5070 2118 to book your appointment.

MON		TUES		WED		THURS		FRI	
FEB. 27	FEB. 28	MAR. 1		MAR. 2		MAR. 3			
		Dr George Marcus Telehealth		Dr George Marcus Telehealth					
MAR. 6	MAR. 7	MAR. 8	MAR. 9	MAR. 10					
Dr Quentin Miles	Dr Quentin Miles	Dr Quentin Miles	Dr Quentin Miles	Dr Quentin Miles					
MAR. 13	MAR. 14	MAR. 15	MAR. 16	MAR. 17					
PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb					
MAR. 20	MAR. 21	MAR. 22	MAR. 23	MAR. 24					
Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb	Dr Martin Robb					
MAR. 27	MAR. 28	MAR. 29	MAR. 30	MAR. 31					
Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius					
APR. 3	APR. 4	APR. 5	APR. 6	APR. 7					
Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	PUBLIC HOLIDAY					
APR. 10	APR. 11	APR. 12	APR. 13	APR. 14					
PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius	Dr Heinz Tilenius					
APR. 17	APR. 18	APR. 19	APR. 20	APR. 21					
Dr Allan Tan	Dr Allan Tan	Dr Allan Tan	Dr Allan Tan	Dr Allan Tan					
APR. 24	APR. 25	APR. 26	APR. 27	APR. 28					
Dr Denis Chew	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Dr Denis Chew	Dr Denis Chew	Dr Denis Chew					

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Domestic Services Assistants

The MTHCS Early Years team is searching for cleaners at the Murrayville Early Learning Centre, Underbool Early Learning Centre and Manangatang Pre School.

Successful applicants must be enthusiastic and be willing to work as a team.

Closing date: Tuesday 14th March 2023



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Heat threat remains

Heat kills more people than any natural disaster. Please remember to check on those who are most at risk on hot days - your neighbour living alone, the elderly, and people with a medical condition. Extreme heat can affect anybody. It can cause illnesses such as heat cramps and heat exhaustion which can lead to the life-threatening condition, heatstroke. Heatstroke is fatal in up to 80 per cent of cases but it is preventable. Those most at risk are older people, young children and people with a medical condition.

Find out more at: betterhealth.vic.gov.au/heat



When it's hot, checking on others can save a life

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