



GOOLWA COMMUNITY
CENTRE

ANNUAL REPORT

2024 - 2025



Sewing



Mosaic Pot

Acknowledgement of Country

The Goolwa Community Centre acknowledges the Ngarrindjeri and Ramindjeri people as the traditional custodians of the lands and waters on which we live, meet and work. We acknowledge their strong spiritual and cultural connection to country and pay our deep respects to Elders past, present and emerging

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Guess Who?



Mike and Sam hosting a cardboard construction workshop at the 2025 Wooden Boat Festival





Former President Margaret Gardner and Patron Cedric Varcoe.

President Garry Coombes

President's Report

Our Vision Statement which commences "A thriving, connected and inclusive Community Centre..." is a key focus for the Board of Management and for Centre Staff and Volunteers.

The energy and commitment of our manager and staff, together with the keenness of our volunteers' team is an incredibly valuable resource. Together they have worked tirelessly to deliver a broad program of services to our diverse community and have also raised the general profile and reputation of the centre.

One of our greatest challenges as an independent community centre is to secure long term financial stability. At the present time we are fortunate to have secured multi-year funding through the Department of Human Services Community and Neighbourhood Development funding. We also receive financial support through a Strategic Collaboration agreement with Alexandrina Council which we also hope to develop into a multi-year agreement so we are able to plan into the future.

During the year the Community Centre has been accredited as a charity and has attained Deductible Gift Recipient status. This is an important development and one which has taken up a great amount of staff time and effort. We expect this to be of huge benefit to us as we seek to broaden our funding base.

The Green Thumbs social enterprise program has continued to develop as an important part of our community effort. It provides a number of benefits. For our volunteers it is an avenue of community service which contributes to their mental and indeed physical wellbeing. Clients of the service receive gardening assistance which improves the amenity of their home. It also provides social interaction which is sometimes missing from their lives. Above all the service assists clients to remain in their homes as they age. Income from Green Thumbs provides a small but dependable contribution to the financial stability of the Centre.

For all these reasons we are keen to develop this service significantly in the coming years.





Board Members (Back from left) - Michael Masters, Lynda Lovell, Cedric Varcoe, Nick Metcalfe, Tracy Parkes, Garry Coombes
(Front from left) - Di Gordon, Margaret Gardner

The success of the Phoenix program and its extension has been a huge boost in encouraging social connections with vulnerable women. Indeed, we are now seeing some of the early participants continuing in the other programs of the Centre and contributing to extending support to other socially isolated community members.

Collaboration with a variety of organisations and entities has been and remains, a major focus for our efforts. Linkages with schools, Council, Indigenous organisations and many others have significantly raised our profile in the community and helped identify needs. Working with other groups will also enable us to multiply our services.

Provision of programs for youth has been a particular example, which has worked well this year.

Partnering has also enabled the Centre to extend its programs and services both in range and geographic location within the region. Some of these have given us access to additional accommodation, which remains a major issue limiting our growth, as our Cadell Street premises are almost at capacity, and hence limit our expansion.

At the end of 2025 we reach the end of our 2022-2025 Strategic Plan. We can be very proud of the progress which the Centre has made in this period, progressing towards the Vision which we set three years ago.

The Vision remains, and early in 2026 the Board of Management and the Centre community will be developing the next 3 year plan to take us forward.

Garry Coombes

Centre Manager's Report



Centre Manager Di Gordon

We have lots of great outcomes and good news to report 2024/2025! We started the new financial year with a new Finance Officer, Tracy Parkes who has vast experience in financial management and business development. Tracy began volunteering with the Goolwa Community Centre early 2024 assisting with policy development and governance documents. With Tracy's support we have attained ASES Recognition Level Accreditation and ACNC Charity registration with Deductible Gift Recipient status. This is a major milestone for the Centre as we are now able to accept tax deductible donations and bequests. We are also now eligible to apply for a myriad of philanthropic grants.

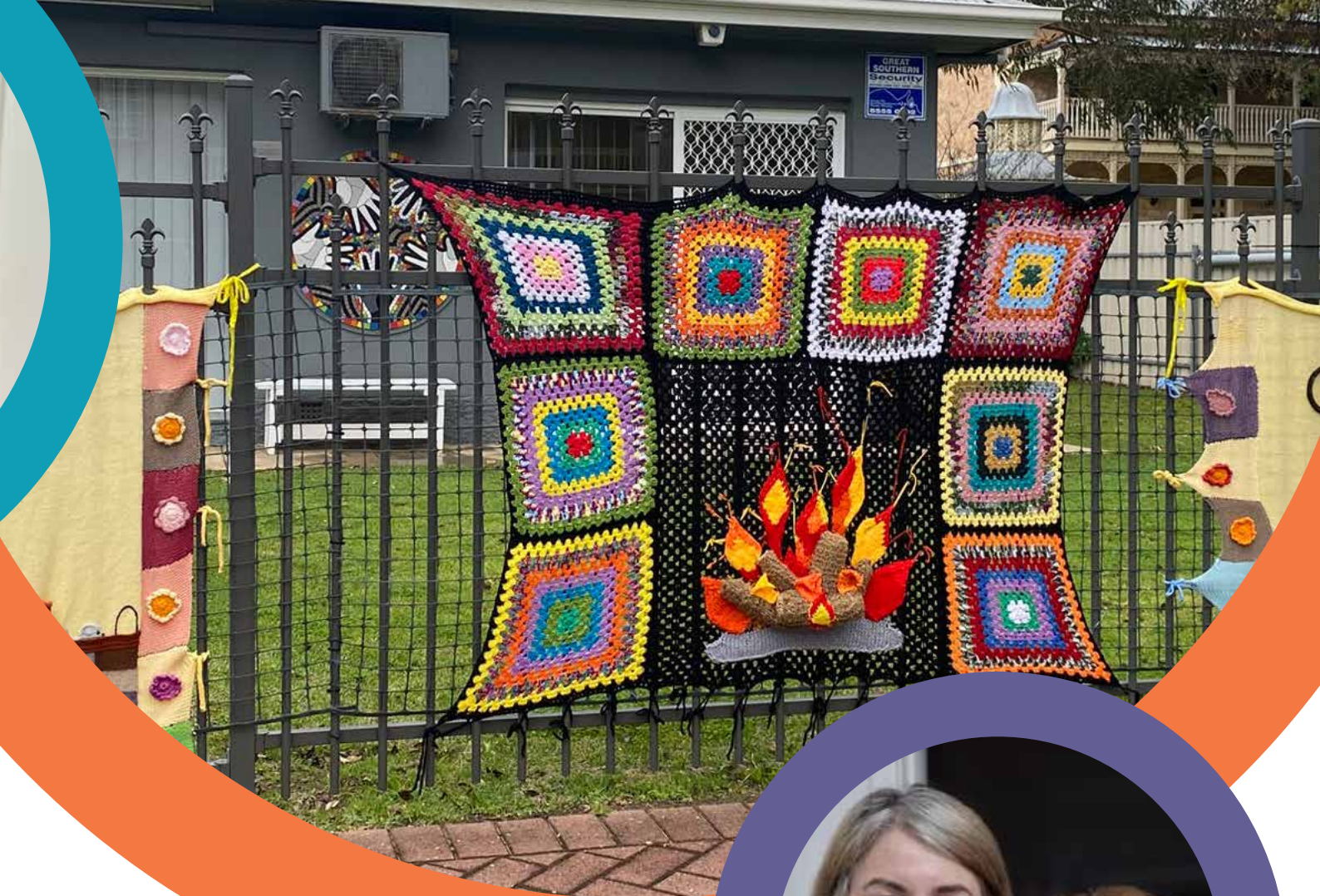
In the past year the Phoenix Program was fortunate enough to be granted another \$180,000 from the Department of Social Services and we were able to scale up the program and offer support to women in the regions of Milang and Strathalbyn. In the past year 15 women were supported through intensive case management to overcome barriers to engagement and referred to support agencies throughout the region. Sadly, the program finished on 30 June 2025 with Project Officer Jodie Price and Project support Kerry Coulter's contracts coming to an end. Despite our best efforts, we were not able to source additional funding to continue the program and retain Jodie's position. We were fortunate to have her services and generosity of spirit for three years and we wish her well with her next endeavour.

In 2024 we were approached by Gambling Harm support SA and asked to develop and deliver a program offering a broad range of activities that provides people with an alternative to playing electronic gaming machines. The Social Set program was a huge hit with the community over the warmer summer months.

Through the course of the year, we have introduced some new programs that respond to community needs including a Youth Arts program run after school every Tuesday and the very popular Coffee Club on Thursdays. Program updates on the Centre can be found on our website www.goolwacommunitycentre.org.au or our Goolwa Community Centre facebook page. To date, we have 3,600 followers.

On 25 October 2024, we were fortunate enough to have a visit from the Honourable Nat Cook MP, Minister for Human Services and later, on 3 December 2024 we were graced with a visit from Senator Karen Grogran who joined in with our morning tea for International Day of People Living with a Disability.

In the past year we have been successful with several grants including a grant from Alexandrina Council to purchase a PA system and sound system that can be used inside or outside, this will be particularly valuable for people suffering hearing loss. We also received \$12,185 from Carclew Youth Arts for the term one 2025 Youth Arts Program which explored a variety of arts practices leading up to a family friendly arts event at the 2025 Wooden Boats Festival Weekend.



Crochet



Deb & Di

In the past year we have continued to lobby for Customs House to be retained for use by the Goolwa Community Centre. We hope that with support from Goolwa residents and community organisations that our vision for Customs House may be realised.

We continue to be blessed with many new volunteers coming into the Centre looking to engage with others and give back to community. Through the year we also farewelled some of our longstanding volunteers including Jane Gunnery and Janet Wale.

We look forward to another vibrant and positive year in 2025/2026.

Di Gordon



A total of **662** people attended the Goolwa Community Centre

The Community Centre hosted



Programs
118



Sessions
908

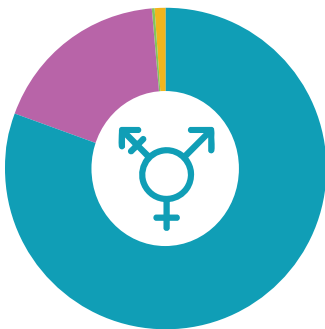


Visitations
5,092



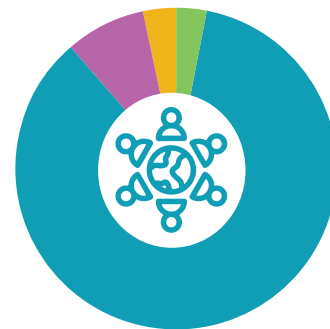
Contact Hours
14,279

Gender



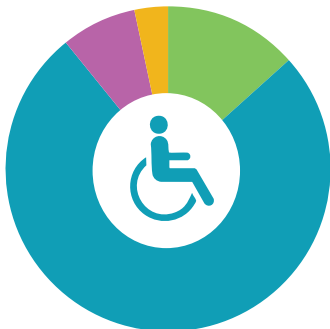
Female - 80.8% Male - 17.8% Non-Binary - 0.5% Unstated - 0.9%

Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander



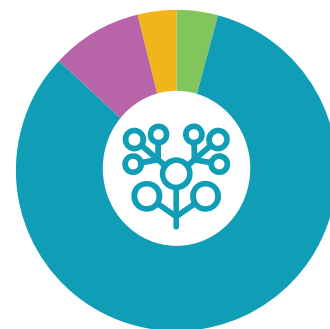
Yes - 3.2% No - 85.6% Prefer not to say - 7.9% Unstated - 3.3%

Disability



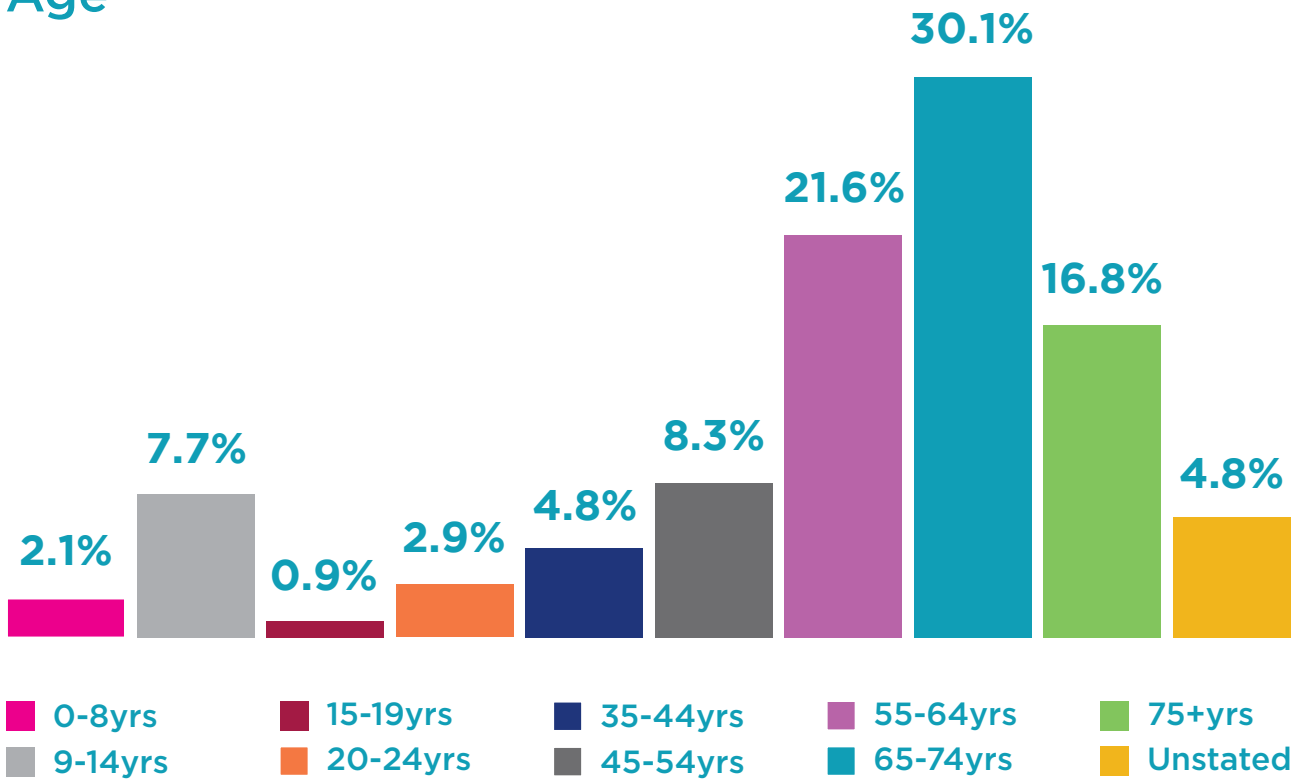
Yes - 13.3% No - 75.7% Prefer not to say - 7.4% Unstated - 3.6%

Culturally and Linguistically Diverse



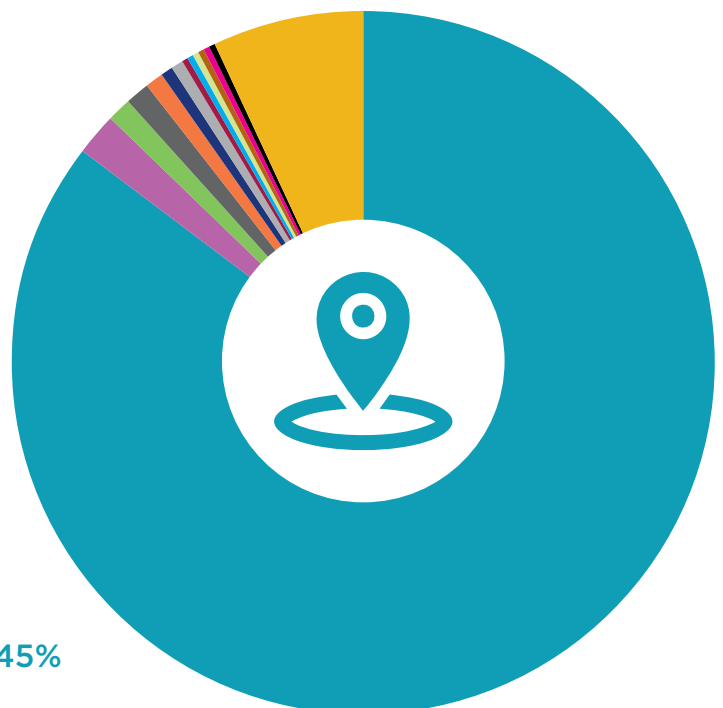
Yes - 4.2% No - 82.8% Prefer not to say - 9.2% Unstated - 3.8%

Age



Postcode Location

- Fleurieu Peninsula - 84.75%
5204, 5210, 5211, 5212, 5213, 5214, 5255, 5256
- Adelaide - Outer South - 1.95%
5124, 5159, 5162, 5164, 5169, 5172, 5173
- Adelaide - East - 1.2%
5056, 5064, 5065, 5066, 5067, 5069
- Adelaide - Inner South - 1.05%
5034, 5035, 5042, 5046, 5047, 5048
- Adelaide Hills - 0.9%
5122, 5152, 5216, 5217, 5234, 5244
- Northern Plains and Barossa - 0.45%
5412, 5421, 5556
- Adelaide - West - 0.45%
5019, 5021, 5032
- Murray Bridge - 0.45%
5253, 5254
- Adelaide - Inner Metro - 0.3%
5006, 5082
- Adelaide - Inner North - 0.3%
5109





Kia Carnival Work car



Fleurieu Phoenix Program

The past 12 months has seen the Fleurieu Phoenix program extended to the regional townships of Milang, Strathalbyn, Clayton Bay, Point Sturt, Goolwa and outlying regions within the Fleurieu Peninsula.

The program aimed to support vulnerable women who were experiencing social isolation and exclusion by fostering social connections, building confidence, expanding networks and connecting them to their communities. To achieve these objectives, the program partnered with local service providers, organisations, community & neighbourhood centres, churches and local community businesses to create targeted support workshops and sessions specifically tailored to the needs of the participants. The additional funding was provided by the Australian Government Department of Social Services (DSS) for a one-year period.

The second Phoenix program employed a community-supported approach to empower vulnerable participants aged 16-80 through intensive case management, provided advocacy, referrals, workshops and information. Case management was provided by the Phoenix support worker and project officer to each participant in the program and was pivotal in overcoming barriers for the women; the majority of whom experienced multiple complexities in their life domains. The referrals and advocacy to agencies ensured their foundational needs were met, enabling them to focus on building social supports, connections, confidence and meaningful life plans.

The program was also supported by four previous Phoenix participants who expressed interest in becoming mentors for women in the second program. The Mentors became an instrumental part of the program, welcoming participants to workshops/ sessions, providing emotional support and inspiration throughout, celebrating successes and sharing their own experiences, life challenges and how they overcame these.

The workshops were varied and well-received. They had a focus on building life skills and social connections. Coffee Club provided opportunities for social connection and



Jodie and Margaret at the Community Achievement Awards Night

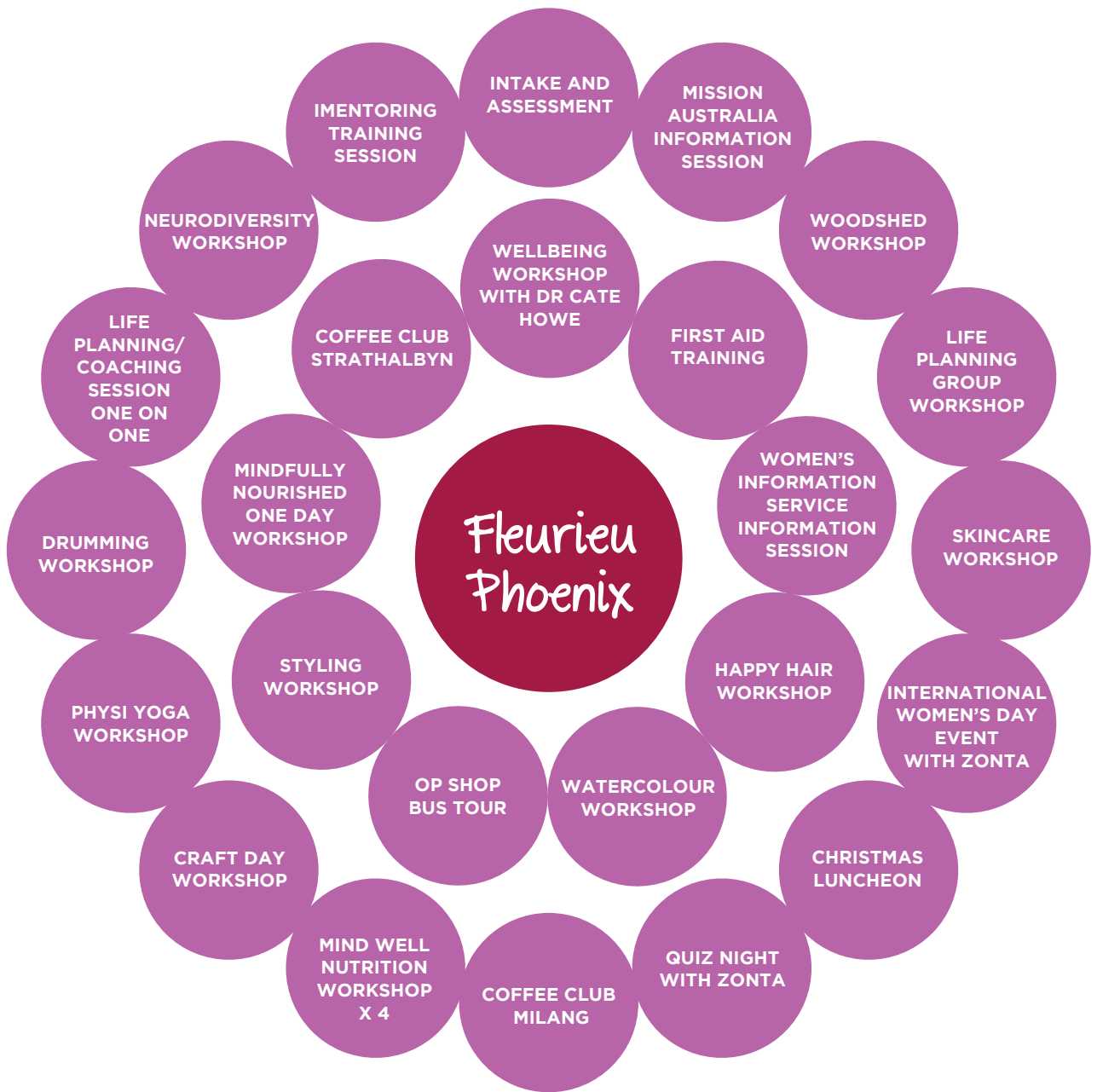
Claudia facilitating the Mindfully Nourished workshop

information about local agencies, programs and events as well as opportunities for participants to access free food, low-cost pantry items to assist to reduce the cost of daily living. The hosting venues, Country Life Compassion (Strathalbyn) and the Milang Institute, also offered emergency relief assistance to pay bills such as utility bills, car registration, specialist or other accounts that caused financial hardship.

The program has brought about profound positive changes to participants; alleviating social isolation and exclusion and fostering social connections and friendships. Individuals have gained confidence, a sense of belonging and mapped out supports and pathways for their futures. Participants have been empowered to explore new opportunities, prioritise their physical and mental health well-being, and engage in personal growth.

The program has been supported by local community centres such as Country Life Compassion (CLC), Milang Old School House Community Centre (MOSHCC), Strathalbyn Neighbourhood Centre (SNC) and Alexandrina Council. These partners provided use of meeting rooms and venues to conduct regular groups and workshops. The program sought to procure goods from local businesses in the region such as fuel vouchers, food for events, luncheons at local Cafes, catering and other resources.

The Centre wishes to take this opportunity to express sincere gratitude to the Phoenix Program's Project Officer, Jodie Price. Jodie was an invaluable team member and the care and compassion she brought to the role was instrumental to the success of the program. The Centre also wishes to thank support worker Kerry Coulter and acknowledge the valuable case management she provided to the women in the program.



Green Thumbs Report



With the departure of Janette Wale as Green Thumbs Coordinator we welcome Carole Ainsworth to the role. Carole has previously worked as Green Thumbs administration assistant and been welcomed by the volunteer gardening team. She is supported by administration volunteer Michelle Alexander. Together, they continue to build the profile of our Goolwa Green Thumbs social enterprise who provide a friendly, affordable gardening service to our client base.

In the past year, the Goolwa Green Thumbs volunteers have completed 414 gardening jobs for community members, totalling 1,015 hours.

We are fortunate to have a dedicated team of gardeners all working to serve our community. Goolwa Green Thumbs are always seeking new volunteers to service our growing customer base. It is a great opportunity to meet others with the same interest, learn new skills and develop friendships.

The services we offer continue to assist residents with advice and low-level gardening tasks at low cost so that our clients can relax and enjoy their gardens. We receive feedback from our clients and testimonials stating how pleased they are to have our assistance.

The volunteers are a loyal, reliable team who take pride in their work. The service offered by the Goolwa Community Centre through the Green Thumbs Program is well appreciated by the community.





Chez at Painting Workshop



Combined Youth Group Mulyawongk workshop with Cedric Varcoe

Weekday Workshops

Our weekday programs continue to be very popular. When at capacity, we are happy to add people to a waitlist who then have priority for the following term.

Besides our regular arts-based workshops, we offer some low-cost and no-cost options, including needle craft on a Wednesday afternoon, weaving on a Friday afternoon, yarn craft and the bustling and popular coffee club. In the past year we have developed in participation from Alexandrina Council, a free Youth Arts program for young people (aged 12-18 years). We also offer Crafty kids for primary school aged children (and their siblings) who come with their parents, grandparents and other care givers.

In addition to these social interest programs, the centre continues to offer services needed by the community including computer support, grief support, a food distribution program (Foodies) and tax help. Our Social enterprise, Goolwa Green Thumbs helps older residents maintain their independent living and provides a valuable social connection.

We are blessed to have highly skilled and experienced facilitators who tailor programs to cater to the varying needs and abilities of our community. People of all ages and abilities attend our programs, including support workers and assistance dogs.



Bird Watchig

Mini Mosaic Weekend Workshop with Sue Hoskin

Weekend Workshops

Our wide variety of weekend workshops continue to be very popular.

Over the past year, we've run a number of cooking courses at Middleton and Port Elliot, including bread making with Anita, Japanese dumplings (Gyoza) with Sachiko and Danish pastries with Bridget.

Bus trips also continue to be very popular and in the past year we have conducted bus trips to Hahndorf, Chihuly at the Botanic Gardens, Lobethal Lights and Harbour Town.

Other weekend workshops include cross-body bags, plein air watercolour, wood carving, gel printing, life drawing, mosaics, and travel workshops. We have also offered a free basic budgeting workshop as a response to the cost-of-living crisis. With increasing financial pressures, we are offering more no cost/low cost weekend activities in partnership with other community organisations.



Ghost Tour



Metal Detecting

Social Set Workshops

The Social Set program was funded through Gambling Harm Support SA and recognizes that one of the key drivers for people developing gaming machine addictions is social isolation. The Social Set workshops offer a broad range of activities that build social connections and provide an alternative to gambling. The series took place mid-week evenings during the warmer months, enticing people out to enjoy each other's company, have fun and maybe learn something new while making new friends. We offered a variety of activities with some of them having the same characteristics of gambling; the element of chance, the pursuit of the win, the reward (and the dopamine hit) but in a fun healthy way! Such activities included music bingo, metal detecting, star gazing and even a ghost tour.

The program also gave us an opportunity to attract new people to the Centre and develop partnerships with other community organisations.

290 people attended 19 sessions of the Social Set program (amounting to 861.5 hours of fun!) which provided a variety of opportunities for social connection, skills development and learning. 133 people attended the Goolwa Community Centre for the first time. A survey was undertaken seeking feedback from the program's participants and found that 20% of survey respondees gambled regularly (once a week or more) and 98% of attendees reported feeling better connected to their community after attending the program.

The program was promoted with the support of Goolwa's hotels and clubs.



Music Bingo



Araniani Cooking with Angela

Frances at Style up Op Shopping



Pinch Pots and Soup Bowls



Volunteers

At the Goolwa Community Centre we are extremely fortunate to have 55 volunteers who bring a wealth of skills, experience and passion for community. Some volunteers, like Jo, Bruce and Bernie, help facilitate programs, like computing, needlecraft, weaving, kids craft and the coffee club. We have five volunteers on reception for each day of the week and volunteers in marketing, records, volunteer coordination, program support and other administration roles.

Our Foodies volunteers donate an hour and a half of their time each morning to collect excess food from Woolworths and distribute to various locations around Goolwa to provide food security. We have volunteers who administer the Goolwa Green Thumbs program and around 15 volunteer gardeners who undertake gardening tasks and provide social connection for their senior clients.

We have two volunteers who help maintain the premises, undertaking minor repairs and odd jobs around the Centre and keep equipment and materials in tidy storage.

We have volunteers of the yarn craft group who have given their time to teach crochet and knitting to students of the secondary college. On Friday 4 April 2025, the yarn craft group presented 17 beanies to community development workers from Indonesia, who were undertaking a residency with Flinders University. The yarn craft group also held a stall at the RSL Christmas markets and raised over \$300 for their group. They continue to brighten the centre with their knitted panels on the fence.

Our Board members also are volunteers of the Centre and contribute their expertise to ensure smooth operations and strategic planning for the future.

We are blessed to have long-standing volunteers, some of whom have been with the centre for many years and we could not do without them. In particular I would like to acknowledge Bruce Binney who continues to come every week and shares his digital literacy skills. We would also be lost without Jacky Matheson, who has been a valuable team member at the centre for the last seven years and her role in data collection is vital in reporting to our funding bodies. Andy Treloar is also a long term volunteer who maintains our healthy veggie garden and collects and sells heritage seeds for the centre, a very popular item!

We have engaged in training opportunities such as 'Through their Eyes child safe' training and SAPOL's 'Working with Challenging Customers' training. We have a kind, caring and cohesive team here at the Goolwa Community Centre and enjoy working together and gathering for social occasions and celebrations.



Berni



Ed and Lorna, Deb and Kingsley



Shaynee and Elissa

Trivia Night





Grief Support Group

Sooner or later we all experience grief and loss. Loss is inevitable and part of our human condition; grief is a natural response to it. Yet in our Western societies we seem to be ill-equipped dealing with such profound experiences, and people often feel isolated and abandoned in their grief after loss.

Recognizing the need in the community, the GCC in collaboration with Centacare offered a 4-week grief guidance workshop in June 2023. As expected, the event was booked to capacity. The facilitators provided helpful tools and, most importantly, a community to share the experience of grief and loss in a safe and supported way.

Yet grief has no timeline. After the completion of the workshop a handful of participants decided to continue meeting regularly and self-guided to keep supporting each other on their grief journey.

Today, 2 years in, the Goolwa Grief Support Group has become a welcomed and welcoming space for anyone going through what can be one of the most challenging times in our lives. Sessions are held every first and third Monday of the month, 1pm - 3pm, at the GCC.

Claudia



Minister Cook's visit

Harbourtown Bus Trip

Financial Reports



Income & Expenditure Statement
for the year ended 30 June 2025

Income	2025
Grants	
Alternatives to Gambling Grant	30,045
Carclew Grant	12,895
Community Neighbourhood Development Grant	107,484
Fleurieu Phoenix Grant Income	180,000
Goolwa Community Centre Council Grant	93,870
Grant Income	1,570
Total Grants	425,864
Programs & Services	
Individual Support Services	4,550
Social Enterprise Projects	10,524
Workshop Attendance Fees	72,205
Total Programs & Services Income	87,279
Other	
Association Membership Fees	1,434
Donations	3,408
Venue Hire	541
Total Other Income	5,384
Gross Surplus	518,526
Interest Income	
Interest	5,809
Total Interest Income	5,809
Operating Expenses	
Program & Services Expenses	
Clinical Support	1,520
Garden Shed Expenses	677
Individual Support Contractor	3,143
Motor Vehicle Expenses	1,161
Motor Vehicle Lease	22,927
Program Facilitation	62,490
Program Facilitation - Vouchers	436
Social Enterprise Project Supplies	267
Workshop Supplies	18,755
Total Program & Services Expenses	111,376
Overhead Expenses	
Audit Fees	1,800
Bank Fees	78
Cleaning and Sanitation	5,471
Computer & Accounting Expenses	2,312
Depreciation	7,553
Domestic Supplies	1,887
Electricity	4,087
Entertainment	277
Freight	276
Insurance	4,628
Marketing & Promotion	985
Memberships & Subscriptions	592
Merchant Fees	1,098
Printing & Stationery	5,714
Rates	4,535
Repairs & Maintenance	2,860
Safety Equipment	1,622
Security	820
Telephone & Internet	2,914
Tenancy	16,664
Training and Development	145
Travel expenses	60
Venue Hire Expense	129
Total Overhead Expenses	66,509
Wages & Salaries	
Provision for Annual Leave	2,298
Provision for Long Service Leave	2,952
Superannuation	31,524
Wages and Salaries	283,998
Workcover	5,577
Total Wages & Salaries	326,348
Total Operating Expenses	504,233
Net Surplus	20,102

Balance Sheet

As at 30 June 2025

Assets	30 June 2025
Bank	
Card 1588 42898	2,611
Cash Sales Float	186
General 1535 45876	26,487
Gift Fund	500
Holding 1547 99886	41,019
Petty Cash	218
Sandhurst Managed Fund	111,851
Total Bank	182,873
Current Assets	
Accounts Receivable	1,300
Total Current Assets	1,300
Fixed Assets	
Computer Equipment	
Computer Equipment	21,454
Less Accumulated Depreciation on Computer Equipment	- 15,582
Total Computer Equipment	5,872
Kitchen Fittings & Equipment	
Kitchen Fittings & Equipment	3,824
Less Accumulated Depreciation on Kitchen, Fittings & Equipment	- 3,824
Total Kitchen Fittings & Equipment	-
Office Equipment	
Office Equipment	11,580
Less Accumulated Depreciation on Office Equipment	- 208
Total Office Equipment	11,372
Total Fixed Assets	17,243
Total Assets	201,416
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	7,867
Accrued Expenses	16,724
GST	1,898
PAYG Withholdings Payable	5,115
Provision - Annual Leave	17,319
Provision - Long Service Leave	2,952
Rounding	0
Suspense	- 60
Total Current Liabilities	51,815
Non-current Liabilities	
Lease - Sharp BP70C31 Printer	7,561
Sharon Pankhurst Fund	574
Total Non-current Liabilities	8,134
Total Liabilities	59,950
Net Assets	141,466
Equity	
Current Year Earnings	20,102
Retained Earnings	121,365
Total Equity	141,466

GOOLWA COMMUNITY CENTRE INC

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD


The Board has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

In the opinion of the Board the financial report as set out on pages 1 to 19

1. Presents a true and fair view of the financial position of Goolwa Community Centre Inc as at 30 June 2025 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that Goolwa Community Centre Inc will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This Statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Board and is signed for and on behalf of the Board by:


Garry Coombs (President)


Tracy Parkes (Treasurer)

GOOLWA COMMUNITY CENTRE INC

STATEMENT BY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

The Board of Management submit the financial report of Goolwa Community Centre Inc. for the year ended 30 June 2025.

Board Members

Garry Coombes (President)	Michael Masters
Tracy Parkes (Treasurer)	Nicolas Metcalfe
Lynda Lovell (Secretary)	Debra Grant (Resigned)
Diana Gordon	Margaret Gardner (Resigned)

Principle Activity

The principle activity of the association during the financial year was to provide support and services to the people of Goolwa and surrounding districts.

Significant Changes

No significant changes in the nature of the activity occurred during the year.

Operating Result

The surplus for the year was \$20,102 (2024 Profit \$19,898)

President 
Garry Coombes

Treasurer 
Tracy Parkes



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Report on Audit of the Financial Report

We have audited the financial report of Goolwa Community Centre Inc (the association) which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2025, and the income statement, a summary of significant accounting policies, other explanatory notes and the statement by the members of the committee.

In our opinion, the financial report of Goolwa Community Centre Inc has been prepared in accordance with Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profits Commission Act 2012, including:

- (a) Giving a true and fair view of the registered entity's financial position as at 30 June 2025 and of its financial performance for the year ended then ended; and
- (b) Complying with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1, and division 60 of Australian Charities and Not-for-Profit Commission Regulations 2013

Basis of Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards. Our responsibilities under those Standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial report Section of our report. We are independent of the registered entity in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibility of the Board for the Financial Report

The Board of the association is responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and have determined that the basis for preparation described in Note 1 to the financial report is appropriate to meet the requirements of the ACNC Act and the needs of members.

The Board's responsibility also includes such internal control as the Committee determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the Board is responsible for assessing the registered entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the Board either intends to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative to do so.

The Board is responsible for overseeing the registered entity's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: <http://www.auasb.gov.au/Home.aspx>. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

Henson Lloyd Accountants



Wayne Henson, CA
Director

Henson Lloyd Accountants Pty Ltd
5th September 2025



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