

WEEKLY TIMES MESSENGER

Information: Bureau of Meteorology (Week ending Wednesday February 5th, 2004)



February Daily Extremes

Highest maximum: 43.4 in 1981. Lowest maximum: 15.8 in 1939.
Lowest minimum: 7.8 in 1918. Highest minimum 32.9 in 1899.
Wettest 24 hours: 141.5 mm in 1925.
Strongest wind gust: 105 km/h in 1955.

Temperature (C)

Highest: 37.1 on 5th
Normal: 29.2
Lowest: 13.3 on 4th
Normal: 17.1

Rain (mm)

Total: 0.0
Monthly total: 0.0
Monthly average: 14.1
Yearly total: 9.8
Yearly raindays: 6

Sunshine (hours)

Total: 72.8
Daily average: 10.4
Normal: 10.1
Monthly total: 54.5

Wind (km/h)

Maximum: 44 on 31st

Evaporation (mm)

Maximum: 8.0 on 1st
Minimum: 4.2 on 31st
Normal: 6.7

Henlet Beach
3.20pm, 5/2/04, 33°C.

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IN BRIEF

Civic Trust seeks memories, photos of 1954 'quake

PEOPLE with memories or photos of the damage caused by the earthquake that rocked Adelaide on March 1, 1954, are being urged to contact Primary Industry and Resources.

With the 50th anniversary of the event approaching, the Civic Trust of SA has initiated discussions on the State's current preparedness for a similar event.

The quake, which measured 5.5 on the Richter scale, caused major damage to the quiet suburb of Darlington and wrecked the University of Adelaide's seismograph.

In the city, window panes fell onto Gawler Place, the spire of Maughan Church was damaged beyond repair and the bee fell from the spire on

Beehive corner. Photos and information can be posted to seismologist David Love at PIRSA 101 Grenfell St, Adelaide 5000 or emailed to pirsa.customerservices@saugov.sa.gov.au

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CHARITY Barnardos is calling for entries in the 2004 Barnardos Australia's Mother of the Year awards.

Nominations are available for any mother (natural, adoptive or foster).

Entries close on Sunday, February 29 at midnight. Details: www.barnardos.org.au.

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THE Variety Gold Heart Campaign is a national promotion (January 12 - February 27) where major cinemas across Adelaide —

Hoyts, Greater Union and Wallis Cinemas — sell ET Gold Hearts to their patrons for \$3.

All funds raised from the campaign will go towards helping Australia's sick, disabled and disadvantaged children.

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THE Australian Press Council has submitted the terms of entry for its 2004 award, which recognises the best essay submitted on a set topic.

The topic is: Responsible Reporting - balancing the Public Right to Know and the National Interest.

Entries are invited from tertiary students (as at June 30, 2004) only. The word limit is 2500.

Winners will be selected

by a panel of three judges and prizes of up to \$2000 awarded. The deadline is June 30, 2004.

At the request of the previous judges, the council specifies entries must demonstrate an effort to research the topic and argue it seriously.

It also requests that entries be typescript and double-spaced. No formal entry form is required.

Entries to: The Executive Secretary, The Australian Press Council, Suite 10.02, 117 York St, Sydney, NSW, 2000.

Details: (02) 9261 1930, (1800) 02 5712; fax (02) 9267 6826; or email info@presscouncil.org.au, web: www.presscouncil.org.au.