



Tivoli Tattler

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Welcome to The Tivoli Tattler



Hi there Tivoli Family and Friends

We have made it through Isolation into the transition phase of rejoining our communities.

I have even had to get out the trusty diary again. It has been so nice to have the down time but, I'm sure like many of you, you are all looking forward to getting out and about again.

As we get more and more freedom to do the things we love, it is important to still remember to stay safe and healthy, quite a challenge given we are coming into our winter months.

Here is a funny story care of Sandy:

Miss Beatrice, the church organist, was in her eighties and had never been married. She was admired for sweetness and kindness to all. One afternoon the pastor came to call on her and she showed him into her quaint sitting room. She invited him to have a seat while she prepared tea.

As he sat facing her old pump organ, the young minister noticed a cut-glass bowl sitting on top of it. The bowl was filled with water. In the water floated, of all things, a condom! When she returned with tea and scones, they began to chat. The pastor tried to stifle his curiosity about the bowl of water and its strange floater, but soon it got the better of him and he could no longer resist.

"Miss Beatrice", he said, "I wonder if you would tell me about this?" pointing to the bowl. "Oh, yes" she replied, "isn't it wonderful? I was walking through the park a few months ago and I found this little package on the ground. The directions said to place it on the organ, keep it wet and that it would prevent the spread of disease. Do you know I haven't had the flu all winter!" The pastor fainted.

Jean



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Just because we won't be together to celebrate your special days doesn't mean we will forget you owe us a cake.

- ◆ Eiva Indrams
- ◆ Jean Edward

Happy Birthday

Everyone

Joke Corner - A bit of light Covid humour



Recipe - Sticky Date Muffins

Ingredients : Muffins

1 cup coarsely cut pitted dried dates
2/3 cup boiling water
1/2 teaspoon bicarbonate of soda
50g softened butter
1/3 cup dark brown sugar
2 eggs
3/4 cup SR Flour

Toffee Sauce

2/3 cup golden syrup
1/4 cup dark brown sugar
40g butter
1/2 cup of thickened cream

Method

- Grease 6 hole muffin pan (large)
- Combine dates, boiling water and soda in a bowl, stand for 10 minutes.
- Beat butter and sugar in a bowl until light and

fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time beating between additions until combined, fold in sifted flour, stir in date mixture, mix well (mixture might look curdled at this stage)

- Divide mixture between muffin tray.
- Cook in a moderate oven (180C) for about 20 minutes, or until cooked when tested.
- Allow to stand in pan for 5 minutes before turning out.

Toffee Sauce

- Combine the golden syrup, sugar and butter in a small saucepan, Stir over low heat until sugar dissolves and butter is melted.
- Bring to boil, and boil uncovered for 2 minutes or until slightly thickened.
- Cool for 5 minutes then stir in cream.
- Enjoy

Jim Clayton

I was born in England in 1946 and in 1948 I brought my mother and older sister to Australia because it is better here.

I went to school in Cowra, Walpole, Tone River, Three Springs, Geraldton primary, Geraldton High, St Pat's, Christian Brothers Highgate and Mount Lawley High, but they didn't teach me much.

I then joined the RAAF and learned some useful stuff there. After 6 years in the air force I was qualified as an aircraft electrical fitter but haven't laid a hand on an aircraft since.

I travelled the world for a few years seeing many parts of Europe and the Middle East and discovered sailing boats, I've done a lot of sailing since.

Of course I always wanted to perform on stage but lacked the courage until well into my sixties when I took a few

tentative, nervous steps, first playing guitar and singing at small gatherings, then the Music hall at All Saints Gosnells for three seasons.

Then five years ago my wife Anita who does voluntary work for the Arthritis Foundation brought me to a Tivoli show that was for the benefit of that foundation.

Well! I saw 20 gorgeous women and three men performing wonderful songs, dances and comedy in ravishing costumes with fabulous sound and lighting, and food in the interval. Heaven!!

I applied for an audition the next day.

