

NEWSLETTER

# ADELAIDE LETS

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## WHAT'S ON?

As you know, members can contact each other and arrange trades at any time. We also have the opportunity for face to face trading each month -

- First Thursday at the Spire Uniting Church, Beulah Park,
- First Sunday at Zen Market Woodside,
- And Third Saturday at One Planet Market Payneham.

Unfortunately the first two events have been paused and won't be going ahead until the situation is more amenable. The OPM is still scheduled to happen, and we'll keep you updated if this changes.



## ONE PLANET MARKET

**Saturday, 21st August 2021 at 9 AM - noon.** 374 Payneham Road, Payneham.

LETS members stalls as well as local growers, information and morning tea, produce swap (no fruit please due to fruit fly regulations), repair café.

Please let us know at [letsadelaide@gmail.org](mailto:letsadelaide@gmail.org) if you're coming and having a LETS stall, so we can reserve space for you.

Free talk - Frogs In The Suburbs  
Book here:-

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/frogs-in-the-suburbs-how-do-we-keep-them-there-tickets-161418157053>

Join Steve Donnellan to discover the diversity of frog species that occur on the Adelaide Plains and the eastern suburbs in particular.

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## LAST MONTH'S EVENTS

We were so fortunate that our July One Planet Market went ahead as planned, just before the lockdown. Lots of people enjoying our time with like minded folk. The Introduction to LETS workshop presented by Sarah was well attended. We were very happy to answer lots of questions and 7 new members joined up (see New Members list below). All of them received the special 25 units for joining on the day and some of them immediately did some LETS shopping and picked up some market goodies.



### Incentive to introduce a New Member

We always encourage members to let their friends and relatives know about LETS, and if they join up after your recommendation, we like to give you a credit of 30 units as a Thank You.

One of the questions asked in the registration form is "Tell us how you heard about Adelaide Local Exchange Trading System (SA) and why you wish to join" so this is where your friend would let us know they heard about it from you. We can then credit your account when their new account is registered.

### Gratitude for LETS Offers of help

During my recent holiday to WA there was a covid lockdown and the rule for returning to SA was for Geoff and myself to self isolate for 2 weeks and have 3 covid tests. Geoff could stock up on essentials but I also put up a Want, asking if any of our members would be willing to help with topups of fresh vegies and fruit. It was so heartwarming to have great responses. As it happened the restrictions were removed before I returned and we didn't need the help, but the offers were so appreciated. Thank you so much Amanda, Sheila, Neil and Jan. You too may like to tell us about your good LETS experiences, either as a few words for the newsletter or you can click on the Give a Recommendation form which you'll find on the left hand side of the front page when you log into your account.

Sue Andrews

# NEW MEMBERS

Welcome to New Members

Alsa0679 Diana (Windsor Gardens)  
Offers meditation, budgeting

Alsa0772 Sherree (Blair Athol) Offers  
lavender cuttings

Alsa0773 Quinn (Stepney) Offers  
yoga classes

Alsa0774 Sherwin (Stepney) Offers  
tennis social lessons

Alsa0775 James (Highgate) Offers  
Home computing advice

Alsa0776 Jessica (Ridgehaven)  
Offers Jams, marmalades, vegetable  
and flower seedlings and seeds

Alsa0777 Velda (Adelaide) Offers  
cactus plants

Alsa0187 Sharon (Campbelltown)  
Offers shelving unit

Alsa0191 Cherie (McLaren Vale)  
Offers Sweet Dreams pillow spray  
and refill bottle



## Can You Fulfil These Wants?

Fulfilling wants is a great way to start trading and earning units as you get to know other members.

Fresh veggies, silk roving, house cleaning, willow pieces, dusting, healing massage or Bowen Therapy, open fire hotplate, size 26 raincoat, ladies size 8 roller skates or ice skates, rainwater plumbing, COVID face masks, shack renovation, fruit tree grafting, recycled containers, heater, monarch caterpillars.

Log in to your account on [www.communityexchange.net.au](http://www.communityexchange.net.au) to see whose wants you can help with.

## Trading Tips

Keep your offers updated on the community exchange.

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Add a photo to your want or offering, remember "a picture speaks a thousand words"

If you have a website, Facebook page, photo sharing page, include this in the description of your offer.

Provide a full description, the more description you provide the more likely it will interest others.

If you can cook food, what sort of food?

If you can sew, what is it that you sew? is it alterations, is it crafts, is it custom made items etc.

If you have produce, what is it?