



South

Newsletter March 2009

Edited version for non-member information

LETS South Committee for 2008/9

Chairperson, Webmaster, Complaints Resolution, Public Officer * Richard

Treasurer: Barb

Secretary: Elinor

Markets: organized by the Committee at present

Transactions, Membership: Resource Guide: Jay

Office, New Memberships: Newsletter Liz

Waldorf School Representative: Rodney

Publicity Judith

The future Newsletters are likely to change in both format and content. The reasons for this are many. We feel that the Newsletter is the main communication tool for sharing information within LETS South whilst being aware of our limited funds. This is balanced with the desire to remain effective.

Until our next Committee Meeting, I am a "Guest Editor"* for this Newsletter.

Promote yourself and your offers for free in the Newsletter. Write about what you do don't just advertise.

www.letssouth.com is your website. It is a facility for **all** members as well as an information source for potential members. If you check it out, you will find :

- a template for transaction slips
- a list of financial members, updated monthly
- a noticeboard of barter sales and wants
- Information of events, such as barter markets
- Committee member contact details
- Membership renewal forms

And much more

Contact me if you wish to add anything or advertise. Richard MN 231

PULLMAN Power wash carpet shampooer. Used twice – still under warranty. Paid \$199 sell \$B80.00 neg.

Clare (258)

**Sunbeam "Big" Oscar Food Processor with continuous flow. Attachment.
In excellent working condition. \$B80 Clare (258)**

Report ~ LETS South Membership

As expected it has been fairly quiet for Membership over these hot Summer months. Hope you all had an enjoyable Summer holiday time and have coped with the very hot weather.

Since the last Market in November, 6 Members have joined or rejoined and we welcome them to LETS South and hope they will be able to take an active part in our LETS Community.

During these economic times it is expected that people will continue to see the attractions of being part of a barter system and seek to make it a part of their lives. LETS South will have Markets at the Aldinga Institute this year, as previously and there will be an information stall there for prospective Members. It will be possible to join on the spot and begin trading immediately. If you bring relatives or friends with you when you attend and they want to join we can arrange that straight away.

New Members are encouraged to visit the Market to meet others Members and to trade and have their first stall. If you wish to book a stall please phone Rodney or the office on 85562705.

Our Returning Members are ~

Irene No 692

Jo and Lucas - No 526

Rhonlyn - No 474

New Members ~

Tomoko - No 691

Bronwyn & Dominic - No 693

Jacqui Yard - No 694

Members now paid up -

Chris - No 216

Hugh - No 467

Lisa - No 603

Please see new Resource Guide for their offers and contact details.

20 piece china set. Silver rimmed with field daisies decoration \$B12

Clare (258)

News Update

Our next Barter Market is on Sunday 15 March from 11am to 2pm. As usual it will be held in the **Aldinga Institute**, Old Coach Road Aldinga.

Come along and trade, have a chat and catch up. As they say, 'it does no harm to network' and sell your goods and services.

METRONOME was ~~\$59~~ now \$B20

Quality key wound metronome. Adjustable tempo -

40 to 209 beats in antique wooden case.

Clare (258)

The Victorian Bushfires

Liz Hughes has tried to make contact with various LETS groups in the affected areas in order to offer the support of LETS South. As yet, there has been no further contact as it was not possible to get through at that time. If anyone has contacts in those area please let Liz know at the LETS Office 8556 2705

Constitution

At the last AGM we said that the Constitution was going to be revised this year. Due to other issues, with higher priorities, this review and revision will be put on the 'back burner' for the time being.

Please let us know about what you think about LETS South; positive encouragement and caring criticism welcome.