

2024/25

BRANCH REPORT



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Please note that names and years for service awards in the current calendar year are listed in the Annual Report of Meals on Wheels SA.

Barossa Valley

Our fortnightly frozen meal service has continued to grow, with increased demand prompting us to consider moving to a weekly delivery schedule to better manage the higher volume of orders.

In June, Barossa Village announced the closure of their hot meal delivery service. With limited time, we worked quickly to support the transition for customers choosing to move across to Meals on Wheels. Thanks to support from the MOWSA Customer Service Team, meals continued without disruption during the referral and assessment process. New customers were smoothly added into our existing delivery rounds, and feedback so far has been very positive. Many have commented on how much they enjoy the meals and the friendly connection with our volunteers, some of whom they already knew.

We're also grateful for our strong partnership with the Tanunda Homes kitchen team, who continue to do a fantastic job preparing our cook chill meals.

To celebrate Volunteer Week, we hosted a special morning tea for our volunteers. The event was kindly provided for by the Tanunda branch of the Country Women's Association, and we thank them for their generosity.

Berri

The Berri branch continues to provide a vital and much-appreciated service to the local community, with hot, fresh meals prepared by the Berri Hospital kitchen in line with Meals on Wheels guidelines. These meals are then delivered by our dedicated team of around 50 volunteers to 25 and 30 customers each week. The branch does not currently offer frozen meals, but the hospital kitchen prepares approximately 60 to 70 meals weekly for delivery.

Since the branch began operations, an impressive 387,982 meals have been delivered as of 30 June 2025, a testament to the enduring commitment of our volunteers and the strength of the program in the Riverland region.

Customers were treated to thoughtfully prepared hampers at both Christmas and Easter, coordinated by Renmark Branch Coordinator Ruth Sikorski. Meanwhile, volunteers came together to celebrate the festive season at the Berri Hotel for a Christmas luncheon, where many were recognised for their service with awards and warm appreciation.

One particularly special milestone was celebrated this year by Mary White, who marked an extraordinary 45 years of volunteering with Meals on Wheels. Mary was proudly featured in the local newspaper and on regional radio, sharing stories from her decades of service and inspiring others with her dedication.

The Berri volunteer team is known for its positivity and strong sense of community spirit. Their enthusiasm for helping others shines through in everything they do, and their commitment continues to make a meaningful difference to the lives of local customers.

Blackwood

The Blackwood branch proudly celebrated its 33rd anniversary this year with a number of memorable events. We began in November with our AGM and Awards Ceremony, where 3 of our dedicated volunteers, Wendy Cox, Anneke Jeffriess, and Helen Langeluddecke, were recognised for an incredible 20 years of service.

In March, we marked our branch's birthday with a cheerful BBQ held on the lawn under sunny skies. It was a relaxed and well attended event that brought our team together in great spirits.

Later in the year, we celebrated Volunteers Day with a delicious homemade soup lunch at the branch, once again superbly organised by our wonderful Social Committee.

With recent changes to the types of gifts we're able to give customers, our Social Committee went the extra mile to thoughtfully assemble Christmas hampers. Each included a potted plant, a crocheted dishcloth, and a calendar, all of which were warmly received and appreciated by our customers.

Throughout the year, our team delivered 13,781 hot meals and 3,865 frozen meals across our four delivery routes, a testament to the commitment and care of our volunteers.

A heartfelt thank you to our entire team of volunteers for your ongoing dedication, generosity, and support. You make everything we do possible.

Brighton

Volunteer numbers at the Brighton branch are slowly climbing, though we continue to seek support in the kitchen and administration on certain days. We're also delighted to welcome Shannon Chappell as our new Branch Support Officer, following the departure of Brenton Dawkins.

We currently have 135 active volunteers, though our numbers fluctuate throughout the year due to holidays and illness. Despite this, the team continues to rise to the challenge, preparing and delivering an average of 1,852 meals each week to 209 customers. This includes hot, frozen and special diet meals, and demand is steadily growing.

This year marked a special milestone for the Brighton branch as we celebrated 65 years of dedicated service to the south-western region of South Adelaide. Among our longest serving groups are the Brighton Uniting Church volunteers, who have been with us for an incredible 64 years.

We are also proud to have 15 individual volunteers who have each given over 25 years of service to their community, a remarkable achievement.

One such volunteer, Barbara Chantrell, recently "retired" after 37 years of commitment to Meals on Wheels. Her contribution has been outstanding, and she will be greatly missed.

To every one of our volunteers, thank you. Your tireless effort, generosity and care are truly invaluable to this organisation.

Burnside

Burnside branch is proud to have a strong, dedicated team of 139 active volunteers, including 6 who have achieved over 20 years of service, and 1 with 30 years of service. These milestones are a true testament to the heart of our organisation. They are people who care deeply about others and show up day after day to help those in need. We currently support 142 customers, delivering nutritious meals with care and connection.

Over the past year, we've improved our kitchen with a new Combi oven, sinks, and benches, helping us work more efficiently and safely.

We're more than a team, we're a community. We celebrate our achievements together, including Volunteers Week and Christmas with afternoon teas to show appreciation and build connections.

The heart and effort each person brings makes Burnside branch a truly special place to be. Together, we are not only delivering meals, we are delivering care, kindness, and connection.

Burra

The Burra branch held its annual volunteer luncheon and AGM in September. We've found that about half of our volunteers arrive early to attend the meeting, which has been a great way to keep everyone informed and engaged.

We're fortunate to have enough volunteers to comfortably manage our delivery schedule, with most doing a round just once every four weeks. In fact, our situation is a little different from many other branches, we're not short on volunteers, but rather on customers.

At Christmas, our customers received supermarket vouchers in place of the usual hampers, a practical alternative that was well received. Volunteers also received a small voucher as a token of appreciation for their continued support.

Our volunteers remain enthusiastic and committed, and we're never short of people putting their hand up to help, a great reflection of the strong community spirit here in Burra.

Campbelltown

It's been a busy and rewarding year at the Campbelltown branch, where our 85 dedicated volunteers have delivered meals to 218 customers across seven rounds. We are incredibly proud of the commitment and teamwork our volunteers show every day, whether stepping in to cover shifts or delivering meals in pouring rain, their willingness to go above and beyond never wavers.

Campbelltown have faced a few changes this year. Updates to the whiteboard system, a focus on cost-saving, and new procedures around late cancellations all brought challenges. However, we've worked through them together and embraced the improvements, knowing they're helping us deliver a better and more sustainable service.

Our customers have responded positively to the introduction of the new frozen meal options, with the grilled beef steak proving to be a standout favourite, often in such high demand it's hard to keep in stock!

In the lead-up to Christmas, we were fortunate to receive a generous donation of 220 handmade placemats. These were gifted to our customers, who were delighted by the thoughtful gesture and the sense of care it represented. Our volunteers also gathered to celebrate the festive season with a Christmas dinner and Awards Night at the Highlander Hotel. It was a wonderful evening where we proudly acknowledged the service milestones of several volunteers: four 5-year badges, one 10-year badge, two 15-year badges, one 20-year badge and one remarkable 30-year badge.

A heartfelt thank you to all our volunteers for your ongoing support and dedication to Meals on Wheels. We simply couldn't do it without you.

Charles Sturt

It's been another busy year at Charles Sturt, and we continue to feel the pressure of volunteer shortages, particularly when our regulars escape to the Northern Territory and other warmer climates for a bit of sunshine. Despite this, our meal numbers have stayed steady throughout the year, with only small changes here and there.

This year, we said goodbye to some long-serving volunteers and also our Branch Coordinator, Paul Skeldon, all due to health reasons and well-earned retirements. They are missed, both for their contributions and their company. We're incredibly thankful for the core group of volunteers who continue to show up, pitch in, and ensure everything runs smoothly. Their reliability and willingness to help when we're short makes all the difference. We were also happy to welcome our new Branch Coordinator, Michael Price, whose enthusiasm and fresh perspective have been a great addition to the team.

Thanks to this dedicated team, every meal goes out on time, delivered with a kind word and a friendly smile.

To all our volunteers, a heartfelt thank you. Please keep up the good work and remember: one delivered meal a day makes a big difference to the life of the person receiving it.

Christies Beach

The team at our branch has worked with tireless dedication throughout the year to improve the lives of so many within our community. With over 140 volunteers delivering up to 300 fresh meals a day, plus frozen options, our volunteers consistently come together to make a real impact.

Many go above and beyond in their roles, and this year we introduced a new way to recognise those exceptional efforts through our Volunteer of the Month Award, proudly supported by our local KFC. Our inaugural winner was the much-deserving Jenny Southall, chosen by her peers for her outstanding contribution.

In October, we gathered for our Annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon at the Lonsdale Hotel, a lovely afternoon attended by more than 65 volunteers. Earlier in the year, we also marked the retirement of our beloved stalwart, Doris Crain, who stepped down due to health reasons after an extraordinary 53 years of service.

A very special thank you goes to Kay Wickes for her tireless fundraising efforts across the year. Thanks to her work, we were once again able to provide each customer with a thoughtful bag of goodies at Christmas time, a gesture warmly received by all.

To every volunteer who has given their time, energy and heart: thank you. Your unwavering support truly keeps the wheels turning!

Clare

Our AGM was held in September, followed by afternoon tea kindly provided by the committee. All office holders were re-elected to their positions. As a thank you for their continued support, committee members later enjoyed a lunch together ahead of the next meeting.

42 volunteers attended our Annual Thank You Dinner at the Clare Bowling Club, where a delicious three-course meal was served before presenting service awards to our dedicated team.

For Christmas, we replaced traditional hampers with thoughtfully prepared gift bags for our 20 customers. These included a handmade Christmas tree decoration created by a committee member, a card photo frame, a festive stubby holder for the men, scented drawer sachets for the ladies, and a voucher for a meal at a local café or hotel.

Clare Woolworths generously donated personal care items such as tissues, soap, and hand wash, along with hand cream for the ladies and disposable razors for the men. We thank them for their support in helping us make the festive season special for our customers.

Copper Triangle

The Copper Triangle branches of Kadina, Wallaroo and Moonta have had a productive and rewarding year, full of both change and celebration. At our AGM in August 2024, we welcomed a new committee, with only one change in office bearer, the Secretary position. It was heartening to see most familiar faces return, demonstrating the ongoing commitment and passion of our team.

Positive feedback continues to come through regarding the quality and reliability of our meal service, and we were pleased to implement high-energy meals across the board this year. The change has simplified labelling in the kitchen and made things easier for our delivery teams, reducing confusion and helping to streamline daily operations.

Our volunteers were treated to several enjoyable social events, including our Annual Presentation Lunch, which continues to be an important occasion for volunteers from across Kadina, Wallaroo and Moonta to come together. A number of certificates and service badges were presented in recognition of long-standing dedication, and it was a fantastic opportunity to reflect on the contribution of so many. Our end-of-year Christmas party was also well attended.

A High Tea held at the Wallaroo Community Sports Centre to celebrate National Volunteers' Week was also a great success and carried special meaning this year as we farewelled Leonie Jauczius. Leonie has been a long-standing and valued volunteer, serving most recently as our Customer Service Coordinator at Kadina and previously holding many other roles. She was thanked with flowers and warm wishes as she retired, and we extend our deepest gratitude for all she's contributed to the branch over the years.

This year, instead of the usual food gifts for customers, our social club opted for \$20 supermarket gift cards at Christmas, a practical gesture that was warmly received. At Easter, we swapped the traditional chocolate egg for a fresh hot cross bun, and our customers have been grateful for every thoughtful touch.

Volunteer numbers remain a challenge, particularly in the kitchen and among drivers in Wallaroo and Moonta. Despite this, our team has gone above and beyond, filling gaps during periods of illness or leave and continuing to deliver meals with warmth and reliability. We're continuing to promote volunteering locally and welcome new faces whenever possible.

We're also adjusting to the new Customer Meal Cancellation Policy, and our teams have approached the transition with cooperation and care to ensure our customers continue receiving the best possible service.

To our committee members and volunteers across Kadina, Wallaroo and Moonta, thank you once again for your commitment, teamwork and generous spirit. A special thank you also goes to our Regional Branch Support Officer, Joanne Cameron, whose cheerful presence and steady support continue to guide and strengthen our operations throughout the year.

Cowell

Another year has passed, and we're pleased to report that things have run smoothly at the Cowell branch, thanks to the ongoing dedication of our wonderful volunteer team.

While customer numbers remained relatively low for much of the year, we've seen a noticeable increase in recent months.

Volunteer numbers have remained strong, with around 40 committed individuals supporting our work, a fantastic effort for our small community, and one that is deeply appreciated.

Our 2024 Christmas dinner was held at the Commercial Hotel and was very well attended. A big thank you to Hilton for continuing to support this special event, which provides an opportunity to come together and recognise the people who make Meals on Wheels happen locally.

Thank you once again to all our volunteers and office bearers for your contributions this year. Your time, care, and commitment are what make our branch the success it is.

Edwardstown

At Edwardstown branch, it's always a privilege to support our community with nourishing meals, but there's also been plenty to celebrate beyond the day-to-day.

Earlier this year, our kitchen played a starring role in a Meals on Wheels SA television commercial, which was a great opportunity for our branch to be involved in showcasing the wider organisation.

Thanks to the efforts of Project Officer, Sarah Harrison and a collaboration with a local Men's Shed, a new street library was installed outside the branch. It's been warmly received by the community and adds a lovely touch of neighbourhood spirit.

A special acknowledgement goes to Dean and Audrey Govan, who each reached an impressive 30 years of service with Meals on Wheels SA. Dean played a pivotal role in overseeing the build of our current kitchen in 2002, and together they have contributed immensely to the life and heart of the branch.

We are incredibly fortunate to have Kathy Inglis as our Branch Coordinator. Her leadership and commitment are deeply appreciated.

Enfield

We were excited to welcome our new Branch Coordinator, Leanne Scott, who joined us in February 2025 and has settled in beautifully.

In November 2024, we fired up the barbecue for a Bunnings sausage sizzle at Kilburn, raising a fantastic \$1,150. Those funds have gone a long way in supporting our Christmas hampers, helping us spread some extra cheer to those we serve.

One of our ongoing challenges has been maintaining enough drivers and deliverers. Like every branch, life happens, holidays, illness, and other commitments pop up. Thanks to the generosity and flexibility of our volunteers, we've always managed to make it work. A huge thank you to those who step in for the occasional extra shift, we truly couldn't do it without you.

We wrapped up the year with a lovely Christmas Luncheon at the RSL Kilburn, joined by special guests from the RSL, Port Adelaide Enfield Council, and Steve Georganas MP. We were also lucky enough to receive a flying visit from Andrea Michaels, South Australia's Minister for the Arts.

Gilbert Valley

We had a wonderful celebration in August, marking 50 years of Meals on Wheels in the Gilbert Valley. Our AGM and Luncheon was held at the Saddleworth Bowls Club, beautifully catered with a festive cake and decorations that made the whole afternoon feel like a real party. We were thrilled to welcome 35 guests, including our CEO Sharyn Broer, who gave a fascinating and heartfelt talk about the history of Meals on Wheels SA as the organisation celebrates its 70th year.

A highlight of the day was recognising the dedication of our volunteers. Certificates and badges were presented to those marking service milestones, with a very special acknowledgment to Barb Noack for an incredible 50 years of volunteering. What a legacy!

Earlier in the month, Committee Members Jill Behn and Mary Connell were lucky enough to attend the 70th anniversary celebration at Government House. It was a beautiful evening – they met Her Excellency the Governor, Frances Adamson, and even got to wander through the historic rooms of Government House.

Over the past financial year, our branch delivered 890 meals, with customer numbers continuing to change as needs shift. At the moment, we're delivering fresh meals in Riverton and frozen meals fortnightly to Rhynie and Auburn.

We're lucky to have around 90 dedicated volunteers across Auburn, Saddleworth, Tarlee and Riverton, most helping out once a month, with a few putting their hands up for extra shifts.

To finish the year on a high, we held our Christmas Lunch at the Tarlee Hotel, and made sure every customer received a hamper and gift to let them know we're thinking of them during the festive season.

Hallett Cove

In 2024–25, our 68 dedicated volunteers delivered an average of 300 hot meals and 70 frozen meals each week. Along with a nourishing meal, they also provided friendly faces and important wellbeing checks, something our customers and their families truly value.

In the week before Christmas, Father Christmas himself (volunteer Andy Redden in disguise) made special visits to our customers, spreading some festive cheer.

We held our volunteer Christmas Lunch at The Boatshed Café in Hallett Cove, and in June we hosted a pastry lunch to celebrate National Volunteers' Week and thank our team for their ongoing support.

And our fun fact for the year? One of our delivery routes included not one, not two, but three centenarians - a true highlight for the team!

Happy Valley

2024–25 has gone smoothly for the Happy Valley branch, with no major issues. Meals were delivered efficiently and with good spirit, and we've been lucky to welcome some excellent new volunteers to the team.

We're especially grateful to a core group of volunteers who've stepped up time and again to cover absences and help out where needed, often going above and beyond. A big thank you to all our volunteers for everything you've done this year, and for your continued support.

Our customer numbers have grown steadily, and we now have 8 delivery runs. Daily meal numbers are averaging around 200, which is a significant increase from previous years.

This year, we were proud to recognise a number of volunteer service milestones. 22 volunteers celebrated their 1st year with us, 4 volunteers reached 5 years, and 9 volunteers marked 10 years of service. 4 volunteers reached the 20 year mark, 1 volunteer celebrated 25 years, and another reached an impressive 35 years. 1 remarkable volunteer was recognised for 40 years of dedicated service. We also congratulated a volunteer who achieved 15 years of service and was awarded life membership, a well-deserved honour.

We also want to thank Shannon Chappell and Irene Zitis, our Branch Support Officers, for their help throughout the year, and acknowledge our Branch Coordinator, Michele Harris, for her ongoing dedication and generosity.

Socially, we hosted 2 barbecues, each with over 60 attendees including volunteers and their partners. Our Christmas lunch was another highlight, with around 100 people attending. Volunteers also purchased, packed and delivered festive tea towels to all customers at Christmas, a lovely gesture that was very well received.

Finally, thank you to our Committee for helping keep things running smoothly, both in the kitchen and behind the scenes at our events.

We're proud of what we've achieved together this year and look forward to continuing to serve our community.

Henley & Grange

Henley & Grange branch has enjoyed a strong year, thanks to the dedication of our hardworking volunteers and committed committee members. Their efforts have ensured we continue to provide our customers with a three-course meal every day. We're grateful for the support from our volunteers and the guidance of the team at Hilton, with particular thanks to our Branch Support Officer, Kyle Wood, for his ongoing assistance.

Our customer base and meal numbers have remained steady in comparison to last year. We currently support around 160 customers and deliver an average of 670 hot meals, 65 frozen meals, and 50 specials each week.

Over the Christmas period, we also distributed an additional 500 frozen meals, along with a festive plate, cup, and cards - a gesture warmly received by our customers.

We are fortunate to have 125 active volunteers, with numbers slightly lower than the previous year. As is common across many branches, several of our volunteers travelled during the winter months, but others willingly stepped in to take on extra shifts, both in the kitchen and on delivery, to ensure service continued without interruption.

In November, we held our annual Dinner and Awards Presentation at the Mosaic Hotel at West Lakes. The evening was well attended, with 75 volunteers and guests coming together to celebrate another successful year. Our thanks to the local businesses that generously donated gifts and vouchers for door prizes on the night.

We also extend our congratulations and sincere thanks to the following long-serving volunteers for their exceptional commitment:

- 15 years of service: Jude Cook, Colin Crase, Janet Dent, Patsy Stamp
- 20 years of service: Lyn Martini, Elain Tonellato
- 25 years of service: Margaret Carrick

Their contribution to the branch and community is deeply appreciated.

Hindmarsh

It's been a year of both challenges and progress at Hindmarsh branch. While the transition to the new database came with some teething issues, we're pleased to say things have now settled and day-to-day office operations are running more smoothly.

Our volunteers continue to be the heart of our branch. The care and attention they show our customers is deeply valued, not just by us, but by the families who regularly express their gratitude knowing someone is checking in and looking out for their loved ones. It's this sense of connection and compassion that defines what we do.

The camaraderie among our volunteers remains a real strength. Whether it's stepping in for each other or having each others back on a tough day, the team truly functions as a social and supportive hub for everyone involved.

Customers numbers tend to ebb and flow, currently sitting at around 120, with daily hot meal deliveries averaging between 80 and 90, and over 100 frozen meals going out each week. We do our best to be flexible, offering options like frozen meals ahead of time or pick-ups for customers running late, so that everyone gets what they need, when they need it.

We continue to feel the strain of low volunteer numbers. This puts extra pressure on our regulars, whose ongoing commitment does not go unnoticed. A heartfelt thank you also goes to our Branch Coordinator, Jonathan King, and Branch Support Officers, who never hesitate to step in, whether that's helping in the kitchen or jumping on a delivery run.

Their willingness to roll up their sleeves helps keep the wheels turning and is very much appreciated.

Kapunda Eudunda

Every day, our dedicated volunteers deliver more than just nutritious meals, they bring warm smiles and a "hello!" to members of the Kapunda and Eudunda communities.

Throughout the year, customer numbers have varied, with new individuals joining the service and others transitioning out due to improved health or moving into care facilities.

Volunteer support has remained strong with minimal shortages. We're grateful to those who have generously stepped in more than once during the rotation to cover absences. We are so thankful to our deliverers with everyone volunteering to their capacity.

We held a few social events this year for both our volunteers and customers. These events provide a wonderful opportunity to express our gratitude and strengthen community bonds.

Maitland

At our most recent Annual General Meeting, Maitland branch had the pleasure of presenting 21 service awards, an incredible 19 for 35 years of service and 2 for 10 years. We are fortunate to have over 40 dedicated and loyal volunteers supporting our branch, and we are truly grateful for their ongoing service. A special thank you goes to those who have delivered meals faithfully over many years and have now retired. Your contributions have left a lasting impact.

While we currently have four regular customers receiving meals. We pay tribute to the Maitland Hospital team, who have prepared and packaged meals for our branch since 1976. Their partnership and commitment to supporting our community have been instrumental, and we deeply appreciate everything they do.

In August, MoWSA hosted a Movie Day at the Capri Theatre. Thank you to Kaye Francis for coordinating a group from Maitland to attend and represent our branch.

We'd also like to extend heartfelt thanks to Judy Gerschwitz for her continued work preparing the rosters, and to our long-serving Secretary Chris Thomas for her reliable and efficient support. Both have played a vital role in keeping our branch running smoothly.

Millicent

The Millicent branch has had a successful and steady year, supported by a fantastic team of 86 volunteers who assist with delivery and driving, as well as 6 dedicated office volunteers.

We operate a six-week roster across 2 delivery rounds, 5 days a week, including all public holidays. All 4,927 meals this year were freshly prepared by the local hospital kitchen, a partnership we continue to value greatly.

Each of our 6 regular office volunteers takes on a specific role on their rostered day, ensuring things run smoothly behind the scenes.

A significant change for us this year was transitioning to the new computer database system, in line with MoWSA standards. We went live in early May and, while it's been a learning curve, we're gradually finding our rhythm. A big thank you to the central office staff for their support and guidance throughout the process.

Like many other branches, attracting younger volunteers with computer skills remains a challenge, but our team remains committed to adapting and moving forward.

Modbury

Another wonderful year wrapped up at the Modbury branch, and we couldn't have done it without the dedication and heart of our 102 amazing volunteers.

This year, we supported 317 customers, a slight drop from last year's numbers, which gave us a valuable opportunity to step back, review how we work, and make a few improvements along the way. Sometimes a little space brings fresh perspective, and that's certainly been true for us.

A special highlight was celebrating our 50th birthday as a branch, marked with coffee, cake, and great company.

We also wrapped up 2024 in style with a Christmas Dinner at the Tea Tree Gully Hotel, with 46 volunteers joining in for good food, laughter, and festive cheer.

Morgan

The Morgan branch is about 150km from Adelaide, nestled along the Murray River. Serving a community of around 600 people, our team of 10 dedicated volunteers delivers between 4 and 11 meals a day, providing not just food, but a friendly face and a wellbeing check to those we visit.

This past year reminded us just how important Meals on Wheels can be. One of our volunteers found a customer who had fallen and was lying in their backyard - they'd been there for over three hours. Thanks to that timely visit, help arrived when it was needed most, and the outcome was a good one.

We're also trying to give back and grow in other ways. The Chair, Jakob Gamertsfelder, recently gave a talk at Waikerie Rotary about the value of volunteering in small communities, and we're currently supporting the trial of a new community meals program in a nearby town.

Mount Barker

This year, the Mount Barker branch proudly celebrated its 50th anniversary. A special lunch was held at Auchendarroch House, bringing together many current and former volunteers, along with invited guests. A display of the branch's history, compiled from old newspaper articles, sparked plenty of interest and conversation.

The anniversary cake was cut by Ann Duell, who also marked an incredible 50 years of volunteering with us, a truly special milestone.

For Christmas, we gifted our customers beanies and fingerless gloves. These non-food gifts are always warmly received, and while they take a bit more imagination to organise, they're a practical and appreciated gesture, especially in the cooler months.

With COVID restrictions now behind us, many of our volunteers have returned to travelling. We're especially thankful to those who have stepped in to take on extra kitchen shifts or delivery rounds when needed - your flexibility helps keep everything running smoothly.

Meal numbers have increased significantly over the past 12 months, thanks in part to local population growth and our recent amalgamation with the Meadows branch. As part of this change, we've taken on the administration of weekly frozen meal deliveries in the area, with Meadows volunteers continuing their delivery rounds under the Mount Barker banner.

A huge thank you to our 114 dedicated volunteers who now deliver an average of 522 meals each week. Your ongoing commitment makes a real difference in the lives of our customers.

Murray Bridge

This year, the Murray Bridge branch proudly marked 55 years of delivering meals to grateful customers, thanks to the commitment and care of our dedicated volunteers. A special milestone was also reached on 1st July 2024 - our 1 millionth meal was delivered! To mark the occasion, a special delivery was made to customer Mrs Joyce Modra by Customer Services Coordinator, Sandra Walding, along with the Deputy Mayor of the Rural City of Murray Bridge, the Hotel Services Manager from Murray Bridge Soldiers' Memorial Hospital, a representative from SA Health, and members of Mrs Modra's family.

We're especially thankful to the Murray Bridge Soldiers' Memorial Hospital kitchen team, who continue to prepare and cook our meals with consistency and care.

Our AGM and Awards Afternoon Tea was held on Monday 5th August at the Murray Bridge Greyhound Club. It was a lovely afternoon, with a great venue, good food, and a warm atmosphere that everyone enjoyed. We're also grateful to local journalists from the Murray Valley Standard and Murray Bridge News, who regularly attend our events, take photos, and share our stories with the wider community.

As part of the celebrations for Meals on Wheels SA's 70th anniversary, we were pleased to have two staff members from Thomas Foods International join one of our delivery rounds on Friday 9th August. A big thank you to Thomas Foods for donating all the meals delivered on that day.

Our Volunteer Christmas Afternoon Tea was held on Monday 9th December. We were pleased to welcome General Manager Service Operations, Julie Bonnici, from Hilton, who spoke at the event. We were also joined by two representatives from our local Commonwealth Bank branch, Manager Belinda and her colleague Jacquie, who gave a helpful talk on staying safe online and protecting yourself from scams.

Thank you to Committee Member Maureen Klau, who raised \$300 for our branch by selling 30 Rotary calendars.

And finally, a heartfelt thank you to all our incredible volunteers. Your kindness, reliability, and dedication continue to make a real difference to the lives of our customers and the strength of our branch.

Norwood

In November, we held an early Christmas Luncheon at the Norwood Hotel, which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who attended.

We're grateful for the donated cards that were shared with our customers at both Christmas and Easter. These thoughtful gestures mean a lot and helped us mark the occasions in a meaningful way.

A special milestone this year - the Norwood branch turned 70 in March 2025! We look forward to celebrating this achievement later in the year.

Over the past year, we've noticed a decline in the number of meals being delivered. After reviewing the data, it's clear that while overall customer numbers have remained steady, many customers are now ordering fewer meals, with about half receiving three meals or less each week.

A big thank you to all of our volunteers for their ongoing commitment. We're especially grateful to those who took on extra deliveries to help cover holiday breaks over the winter months.

Thanks also to our Branch Support Officer, Jason Webb, and the entire central office team for their continued support throughout the year. It's very much appreciated.

Onkaparinga Valley

The Onkaparinga Valley branch continues to provide meals to customers across Woodside, Lobethal, Hay Valley, Balhannah, Lenswood, Gumeracha, Kersbrook and surrounding areas. Customer numbers have been steadily increasing, particularly for frozen meals. This option suits those who are often out and about and don't need a hot meal delivered daily, as well as those living in more remote areas who prefer to pick up their meals weekly from the kitchen, since volunteer delivery isn't always possible to the outer edges of our region.

We hosted a well-attended volunteer lunch at the Balhannah Hotel, a small way to thank our incredible volunteers for their time, energy and ongoing dedication. At Christmas, we delivered baskets of goodies to all our customers, thanks to the generous support of local businesses, clubs and members of our community.

These gifts were warmly received and, for some, they were the only present they received over the festive season. The branch also proudly took part in the annual Woodside Christmas Pageant.

We were pleased to welcome Garry Webster as our new Branch Coordinator, working across both the Stirling and Onkaparinga Valley branches. Garry has brought with him a range of ideas to streamline our systems and help us continue delivering a high-quality service, and he's quickly become known for his many colourful folders!

We also extend a sincere thank you to the volunteers who have recently wrapped up their time with Meals on Wheels SA. Your contribution has been deeply appreciated by our customers, our local branch and the wider organisation. Over the 2024-25 financial year, the branch provided 7,457 meals, an average of 621 meals per month.

Peterborough

This year marked a major milestone for the Peterborough branch - our 50th birthday. Volunteers and retired life members came together to mark the occasion with a delicious lunch at the Peterborough Golf Club. Afterwards, 4 of our longest-serving life members (Carmel Harvey, Marleine van den Ende, Beth Sandland and Judy Lock) joined hands to cut a very impressive 50th birthday cake.

A number of special guests travelled to Peterborough to help us celebrate the occasion, including the President and Board Chair of MOWSA, Kevin Reid; Member for the Federal electorate of Grey, Mr Tom Venning; Regional Advisor/EA in the Office of Senator Anne Ruston, Ms Bernadette Abrahams; and the Mayor of the Peterborough District Council, Mrs Ruth Whittle, OAM.

The day was a great success, not to mention a welcome, albeit brief, distraction from the effects of the severe drought that has beset our town and district over the past year.

Playford

It's been a big year of change for our branch, but thanks to our amazing office and kitchen volunteers, we've taken it all in our stride. Their experience, flexibility and can-do attitude have made all the difference as we adapted to a few operational shifts.

Our customer numbers dropped ever so slightly from 219 to 216, but our volunteer team has held strong with 56 dedicated members. Our drivers and deliverers have done a fantastic job adjusting to round changes, including the addition of a split round each day.

A special shoutout to our Branch Support Officer, Mark Allen, for being such a steady and supportive presence throughout the year. We're so grateful for his guidance and encouragement.

Port Adelaide Osborne

The Port Adelaide Osborne branch recently completed a major kitchen renovation designed to enhance meal production, improve storage capacity, and meet updated safety standards. While the renovations were underway, we adapted our operations by ordering meals in advance from the Hilton kitchen. These meals were heated and delivered to Port Adelaide just in time for distribution.

During this period, volunteers were unable to access the building, so they rallied together at the back of the branch, collecting hot boxes, loading trolleys and vehicles, and returning to clean equipment before it was collected and returned to Hilton for the next day's deliveries. While this temporary arrangement presented some logistical challenges, the dedication and flexibility of our volunteers ensured the process ran smoothly.

The result was a fresh, modernised kitchen space. Updates include non-slip flooring, stainless steel bench tops, expanded storage, new sanitation stations, and a much-appreciated additional freezer, which has improved the efficiency of storing and managing frozen meals.

This upgrade has positioned our branch to better meet the needs of our growing customer base, and we look forward to continuing to deliver nutritious meals in a more functional and safe environment.

Over the past year, our volunteers delivered 40,390 meals, bringing our total to an incredible 2,113,124 meals since the branch began.

Thank you to all involved for your patience, perseverance and ongoing commitment to delivering care and connection throughout our community.

Port Augusta

This year brought some changes for our branch. After many years of dedicated service, our long-serving Secretary retired in late April, leaving a gap in the office. Fortunately, we've welcomed two new volunteers who have taken on the role with confidence. We've also had extra support from one of our delivery volunteers, who has kindly stepped in to assist with office duties.

While our customer numbers remain steady and manageable, we continue to operate without a designated Customer Service Officer, a responsibility our Chair has willingly taken on temporarily. We are currently experiencing some challenges with deliveries, and on some days we're unable to have 2 volunteers per round. We'll be working closely with our Branch Support Officer to address this and actively recruit additional support.

As a hospital-based branch, we're pleased to report that our relationship with the Port Augusta Hospital kitchen staff remains strong, helping us continue to deliver a reliable and high-quality service to our customers.

Port Lincoln

The past financial year has been a busy and rewarding one for the Port Lincoln branch.

Our dedicated team of 62 volunteers delivered a total of 16,369 meals to customers, made up of 15,324 hot meals and 1,045 frozen meals.

This represents an increase of 1,520 meals compared to the previous year, a reflection of both growing demand and the unwavering commitment of our team. We'd also like to acknowledge the wonderful support of the Port Lincoln Hospital kitchen staff, whose efforts in preparing the meals continue to make a huge difference.

In early December, we held our annual Christmas Function at the Grand Tasman Hotel, with 35 volunteers in attendance. It was a great opportunity to relax and reconnect in appreciation of the year's work.

Sadly, our branch also experienced a significant loss with the passing of Cheryl Woodfield on ANZAC Day. Cheryl volunteered with Meals on Wheels for nearly 17 years as a driver and Committee Member, including 9 years as Assistant Volunteer Coordinator. Her warm presence and steady contribution left a lasting legacy, and she is deeply missed. We honoured her memory with a heartfelt afternoon tea at the St Thomas Anglican Church meeting area, attended by volunteers and friends from the wider community.

To each and every one of our volunteers, thank you. Your dedication and commitment are at the heart of what we do, and we are truly grateful for the time and care you give to support our customers.

Port Pirie

The year has flown by, with our Christmas and Awards Luncheon held in November at the Ports Football Club. Around 60 volunteers joined us for the event, where service awards were presented, including special recognition for 2 of our volunteers, Thelma Gould and Lorna Langston, who celebrated an incredible 35 years of service.

In June 2025, we held a combined Luncheon to celebrate both National Volunteer Week and Port Pirie branch's 60th Anniversary. The event was well attended, with around 50 volunteers joining us, along with Geoff Brock MP, who kindly spoke and thanked the team for their time and dedication.

At Christmas, our customers were treated to a meal courtesy of Nyrstar, a gesture that was very much appreciated. And at Easter the Smilers Club, with support from Woolworths, organised hot cross buns and Easter cards for our customers, adding a thoughtful and festive touch to their deliveries.

We'd like to extend our appreciation to our Kitchen Coordinator and Branch Coordinator for their ongoing support and hard work throughout the year.

Prospect

Prospect branch has faced its share of challenges this year, all of which were handled with commitment and care by our hard-working Committee.

Customer numbers have fluctuated due to changes in local demographics, with more young families and singles moving into the area and older residents relocating or transitioning into care. As a result, our route sheets are under constant review, with many of our newer customers requiring support for short-term periods.

To recognise and celebrate our volunteers, we hosted a successful sausage sizzle during National Volunteer Week and held our annual Awards Presentation Luncheon at the Kentish Arms Hotel in December. Both events were well attended and greatly enjoyed.

Volunteers also had the opportunity to enjoy the hospitality of Mr M Larwood, Mayor of Prospect, at the recent North Adelaide vs Crows SANFL game, including a lovely afternoon tea at half time.

We extend our sincere thanks to our dedicated volunteers who continually step up, often at short notice, to fill gaps in the kitchen and delivery rosters, ensuring our meals reach customers on time.

As we head into our 68th year, we remain proud to serve the Prospect community and deeply grateful for the people who make it all possible.

Renmark

It's been a busy and rewarding year for the Renmark branch, with many new volunteers joining our team, the majority helping out in the kitchen, which has been a great support to our daily operations.

We were fortunate to have new air conditioners installed just in time for the summer heat, which can reach up to 45°C. The upgrade has made a huge difference in keeping our team, freezers, and fridges cool and running efficiently.

As of 30 June 2024, the total number of meals delivered by the branch reached an impressive 695,206, supporting approximately 90 customers. From 1 July 2024 to 30 June 2025, we delivered an additional 15,716 meals, bringing our overall total to 710,922.

In September, we proudly celebrated Renmark's 60th birthday with a lovely Afternoon Tea at the local hotel. It was a wonderful event, with service awards presented by the Renmark Mayor and a special visit from Program Support Manager Rosslyn Andrews.

All of our customers received festive hampers at Christmas and Easter, which were very well received. To help support these efforts, we also held a successful Easter raffle, raising funds to go towards hamper costs and other branch needs.

One of the highlights of the year was when the local ABC Radio Breakfast Show was broadcast live from our branch. The crew arrived bright and early at 6:00am and stayed until 10:00am. Many of our volunteers were interviewed during the show, sharing what they love about volunteering and the roles they play. The coffee shop next door kindly provided coffee for everyone, and the morning was a fantastic opportunity to showcase the important role Meals on Wheels plays in the community, and just how meaningful volunteering truly is.

Salisbury

Our Christmas party was held at the Parafield Gardens Community Club, with 82 volunteers coming together to celebrate the festive season

It was a joyful afternoon filled with laughter and good company. Volunteer service awards were presented on the day, including a very special recognition for Helen Stone, who marked an incredible 40 years of service.

On April 3rd, the Salisbury branch proudly celebrated its 60th anniversary. We were honoured to welcome Salisbury Mayor, Gillian Aldridge OAM, who helped officiate the event and joined in cutting the celebration cake. She spoke warmly of the outstanding work our volunteers do to support customers across the Salisbury community. Memorabilia from the branch's history was also on display, including a journal from the very first Salisbury committee meeting.

Over the past year, the branch has supported a total of 330 customers. Our highest single delivery day saw 252 meals go out, and on average, we deliver around 1,020 meals each week.

In the final week of deliveries for 2024, our team managed a huge Christmas frozen delivery, nearly 800 additional frozen meals were delivered on top of our usual 170, bringing the total to just over 1,400 meals for that week alone. A big thank you to our volunteers for making this possible; your hard work, flexibility and team spirit ensured every customer received their meals in time for the holidays.

Stansbury

It's been quite a year for our branch, full of change, challenge, and ultimately, progress.

Earlier on, our customer numbers dropped and became a bit unpredictable, which naturally had us wondering what the future might hold. But instead of waiting to see what would happen, our amazing committee rolled up their sleeves and took action. We ran our own local media campaign, popped letters into letterboxes, and got the word out, and it paid off. We've seen a noticeable increase of new customers, some just for a short while during recovery, and others who've become regulars.

As a branch that delivers frozen meals, our real strength lies in the connection we bring with each delivery. In our tight-knit community, our volunteers and customers often know each other personally, and those deliveries come with a friendly face and a check-in that many look forward to.

We've got a strong, committed committee and a wonderful Customer Services Coordinator leading the way, and we're feeling optimistic, proud, and ready for whatever comes next.

Stirling

The Stirling branch has continued steadily this year, although we've faced some challenges with volunteer recruitment. We're especially grateful to Branch Support Officer, Peter Paues, and Branch Coordinator, Garry Webster, for their ongoing support, it's made a real difference to our operations.

Customer numbers have remained consistent, and we've continued to find meaningful ways to show our care. At Easter, customers received a voucher to enjoy a sweet treat of their choice, perhaps some chocolate or an ice cream. At Christmas, with changes to food gifting, we provided beautifully packed gift bags containing items such as hand cream, soap, a hand towel and other thoughtful goodies, along with a Foodland voucher. We're fortunate to receive generous support from our local op shop, which kindly contributes significant funds each year towards our hampers.

Strathalbyn

In November 2024, we held our Christmas Lunch at the Oasis Restaurant in Strathalbyn. It was a great opportunity to get together, with 50 volunteers attending. Jason Webb, our Branch Support Officer, joined us on the day to present the service awards, which was a highlight.

To finish off the year, the Committee decided to cover the cost of one meal for each customer during Christmas week.

We also delivered Christmas cards with the meals, and the gesture was warmly received by our customers.

Two of our volunteers had the opportunity to attend a reception at Government House celebrating the 70th birthday of Meals on Wheels SA. It was a special day, and they both thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

Over the year, we delivered 6,625 meals, including 954 frozen and 145 special meals, across 2 rounds. Volunteer numbers have gone up and down, but we currently have 66 active volunteers. Word of mouth remains the most effective way for us to attract new people to the team.

Tumby Bay

Tumby Bay branch delivered 4,879 meals over the past financial year, bringing our total since opening to an impressive 247,190.

A highlight again this year was the lunch hosted by the Hospitality Students at the local school. Held in celebration of National Meals on Wheels Day, the event was attended by 19 customers and committee members and was a wonderful opportunity to connect over a shared meal. We're grateful for the students' efforts and the positive experience they help create for our customers.

In October, our office computers were upgraded, a welcome improvement that has made life significantly easier for our Treasurers.

We marked a major milestone in October with our 50th Birthday celebration, held at the local Community Centre and attended by 69 volunteers, friends, and guests. We appreciated the support of General Manager Business Operations, David Smith, and Board Member, Richard Hearn.

Our Christmas Lunch in December was also the occasion for our annual volunteer awards, and it was very well attended; a fitting way to round out the year.

Our AGM took place in May. One new committee member was elected, while all office bearers continued in their roles. We are grateful to those who took the time to attend and contribute.

Two Wells

The Two Wells branch continues to operate from the meeting room at the local Community Centre, providing frozen meals to customers each Friday morning. We currently have 18 volunteers, and what a fantastic bunch they are. Their commitment and sense of community spirit keep everything running smoothly week after week.

Throughout the year, we've held a few informal meetings, often at Bella Mia Café in Two Wells. It's become a favourite spot for a coffee, a slice of cake, and a catch-up. In July, we farewelled our long-serving volunteer Judi Frost, who retired and moved away after an incredible 32 years of service. Judi also served as Treasurer, and we were fortunate that Ann and her husband David kindly stepped up to take on the role together.

We were pleased to welcome a new volunteer, Janet Edwards, along with several new customers. Our customer numbers fluctuate slightly, with around 15 people receiving meals across Two Wells, Lewiston, Mallala and Korunye.

This year, we reviewed how we distribute our Christmas hampers. Instead of food items, we prepared festive gift bags containing a calendar, a snowball and a card - thanks to Ann and Christobel for putting those together.

Our Christmas Luncheon and AGM were held at the Rising Sun Hotel in Port Wakefield. Committee Members for 2025 were elected: President Pamela Duncan, Secretary Ann Stodart, Assistant Rosa Settimio, and Treasurer duties shared by Ann and David Stodart, with Pamela offering support. The entire volunteer team makes up our committee, and it's lovely to note that many volunteers work alongside their partners.

During the event, Lorraine Goss received special recognition for 35 years of service, while Mac Crabb and Ian Gameau were each awarded for 5 years of contribution. It was a memorable day, made even better by the delicious Christmas lunch.

In May, we welcomed another new volunteer and began supporting a new customer from Thompson Beach, who collects meals fortnightly. We continue to share our space with the Two Wells Melodrama Group each May, and everyone works together with good humour and cooperation.

National Volunteer Week saw each of our volunteers receive a voucher from the Adelaide Plains Council - thank you to Ann for coordinating this. In June, we enjoyed our Mid-Year Luncheon at The Blacksmith's Inn in One Tree Hill. The crackling log fire added to the cosy atmosphere, and it was the perfect setting to present Pauline Bastiaans with her 10-year service award. It was another lovely occasion shared in great company, just one of the many rewards of volunteering.

A few of our volunteers managed to sneak away for well-deserved holidays in warmer climates, but we're always glad to see them back. Once again, a big thank you to our wonderful team of volunteers. You do amazing work, and your efforts are noticed and appreciated. Special thanks to David, the much-loved 'funny man with the hat', who brings joy to customers every Friday, to Ann for her tireless coordination, and to Rosa for managing the bookwork and customer needs each week. Your support to the whole branch is invaluable.

Waikerie

It's been an eventful and meaningful year for the Waikerie branch. Our customer numbers have remained steady, and while we've farewelled a number of long-term volunteers who've retired, we're so grateful for their years of service. Like many branches, we're finding it a challenge to attract new volunteers, but the dedication of our current team continues to keep everything running smoothly.

We celebrated the festive season with a Christmas Lunch at the Waikerie Club, which was enjoyed by all. Our customers received Christmas hampers and gift vouchers, generously donated by local businesses; a heartfelt gesture that was truly appreciated.

To mark both ANZAC Day and Remembrance Day, every customer also received a handmade felt poppy, adding a personal touch to these special commemorations.

The kitchen remains a happy and productive space, full of camaraderie and care. This year, we were especially proud to celebrate one of our volunteers reaching an incredible milestone - 40 years of service. What an inspiring commitment to our community.

To all our wonderful volunteers: thank you for the love, warmth and dedication you continue to show every day.

Warradale

The Warradale branch continues to deliver high-quality, fresh hot meals to around 250 customers. Throughout the year, we've had the pleasure of celebrating several milestone birthdays with our customers - special moments that remind us how meaningful our service is to the people we support.

Our Volunteer Coordinator, Mary Smith, has been working hard to recruit additional support in both the kitchen and on the road, and we thank her for her ongoing efforts to strengthen our team.

We're pleased to report that our kitchen renovation is now complete and running smoothly. A special thank you goes to our Branch Support Officer, Shannon Chappell, for his dedication and steady support throughout the year, especially during a time of change with a rotating group of Kitchen Coordinators.

From our branch administration, the reliable backbone of our operations, to our kitchen volunteers, drivers, deliverers, and committee members, the whole team continues to work together with purpose and unity, all in the interest of delivering the best possible service to our customers.

West Torrens

Over the past year, our branch has experienced a welcome lift in both volunteer numbers and retention, with morale continuing to stabilise and strengthen. This growing sense of team spirit has had a positive impact across the board.

We celebrated the end of the year with a festive Christmas event held at the branch. Around 33 volunteers came together to enjoy a delicious spread of roast meats, vegetables, and desserts, all prepared onsite with care. It was a wonderful way to acknowledge everyone's contributions.

Our customers were also thought of at Christmas, with volunteers preparing cheerful hampers that included bonbons, hand towels, and other thoughtful goodies, bringing a little extra joy to the season.

Throughout the year, we delivered a total of 25,330 meals. Pleasingly, we've seen a decline in cancellations and an increase in hot meal deliveries during the latter half of the year, reflecting the smooth and reliable service our team continues to provide.

Willunga

Willunga branch has had a steady and productive year, delivering approximately 3,092 meals across our wide service area of more than 20 kilometres. At our busiest, we supported 23 customers, and while numbers have recently dropped to 15, our delivery run remains quite efficient thanks to 5 husband-and-wife teams who share the route.

We are fortunate to have a wonderful team of 36 dedicated volunteers, many of whom deliver once or twice a month, ensuring our customers receive not just meals but friendly faces and connection.

Last year's Christmas party had to be postponed due to ongoing COVID concerns, but we were able to celebrate together before Easter with a delightful 'Drinks and Nibbles' garden party, generously hosted in the beautiful garden of volunteer Jo Pavy. We're keeping our fingers crossed that we can return to our usual Christmas celebrations this year.

Yankalilla

After 3 years of empty spaces on our roster our Volunteer Coordinator's efforts have borne fruit and the roster is filled.

Our customer numbers have shown a marked increase over the past year. We are delivering over 150 fresh cooked meals and about 30 frozen meals each week.

We have now had a Branch Coordinator for 15 months and her administrative work has made life easier for some Committee Members while her frequent assistance in the kitchen is appreciated by our daily volunteers.

It is not uncommon for Meals on Wheels branches to have many long term volunteers and Yankalilla is no exception. At our next volunteers' lunch we will be marking Caroline Weatherstone's 50 years of service, the first 35 of which were with the Mount Barker Branch. We will also be farewelling Libby Edge and Valda Bartlett after 25 years of being part of our team. Libby was also a branch Committee Member for many years.

In March Anne Minke, another of our 25 year veterans, passed away due to ill health.

We saw Anne's commitment to Meals on Wheels when, early in the COVID-19 pandemic, we received a circular from MoWSA central office, in which it was suggested that volunteers who were 80 or more should consider pausing their volunteering due to the risks and unknowns. Anne read the circular, turned to her work-mates and said: "Well, that doesn't have anything to do with me. I'm not 80 'til next month." Vale, good friend.

Craig Harris, our branch Secretary, is a member of the Branch Operations and Services Committee. We have gained a lot from his involvement at State level because of his personal reports on the meetings and because he takes any of our concerns directly to the committee.

We thank Helen Woolford, our Kitchen Coordinator, for her excellent work, which makes things easy for the rest of us. We also thank Rhonda Smith for her contribution as Assistant Kitchen Coordinator and her new Committee Member helper Lyn Karan. These 3 spend many hours ensuring that everything is ready for the kitchen staff.

We thank all of our volunteers for the service that they provide. Your time, care, and commitment make a real difference in the lives of our customers and help keep our branch running smoothly. Thank you for being such an important part of the Yankalilla Meals on Wheels team.



Meals on Wheels extends heartfelt thanks to the organisations and individuals whose generous donations and support have sustained us throughout the year.

A special thank you to our dedicated volunteers for their invaluable contributions in the kitchen, on deliveries, in the office, and through our social support and new initiatives.
Your generosity and hard work are deeply appreciated.

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