I would like to pass on my congratulations to Wynyard’s Zac Smith for winning the 2015 Baldock Medal. Zac performed extremely well this year with a best on ground performance in the finals series propelling him to this recognition. While I have written this message before the Grand Final on the weekend, I’m pretty confident I’ll be making another congratulations to the Wynyard Cats, but we’ll save that for next week.

The Wynyard Men’s shed will be holding a memorial service for unmarked infants graves next Tuesday (22 September 2015) at 2pm at the old Wynyard Cemetery on Austin Street near the corner of the Esplanade. The service will be conducted by Louise Priest.

On a more disappointing note with several thousands of dollars’ worth of damage done to trees, plants and public infrastructure over the past couple of months. For example two ornamental pears and six waratahs were taken from the cemetery, five trees from Pellissier Court, 100 trees taken from the walking track, $6000 worth of damage to the lights in Civic Square, Wynyard, $800 of damage to the new seat in Richard Gutteridge Gardens, and the list goes on and on. While Council has reported this to Tasmania Police and hopes those responsible are found, we are left with the ongoing cost of replacing or maintaining our public spaces, which comes at ratepayer’s expense. If you have any information, or see something suspicious, please contact Tasmania Police on 131 444 or Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.