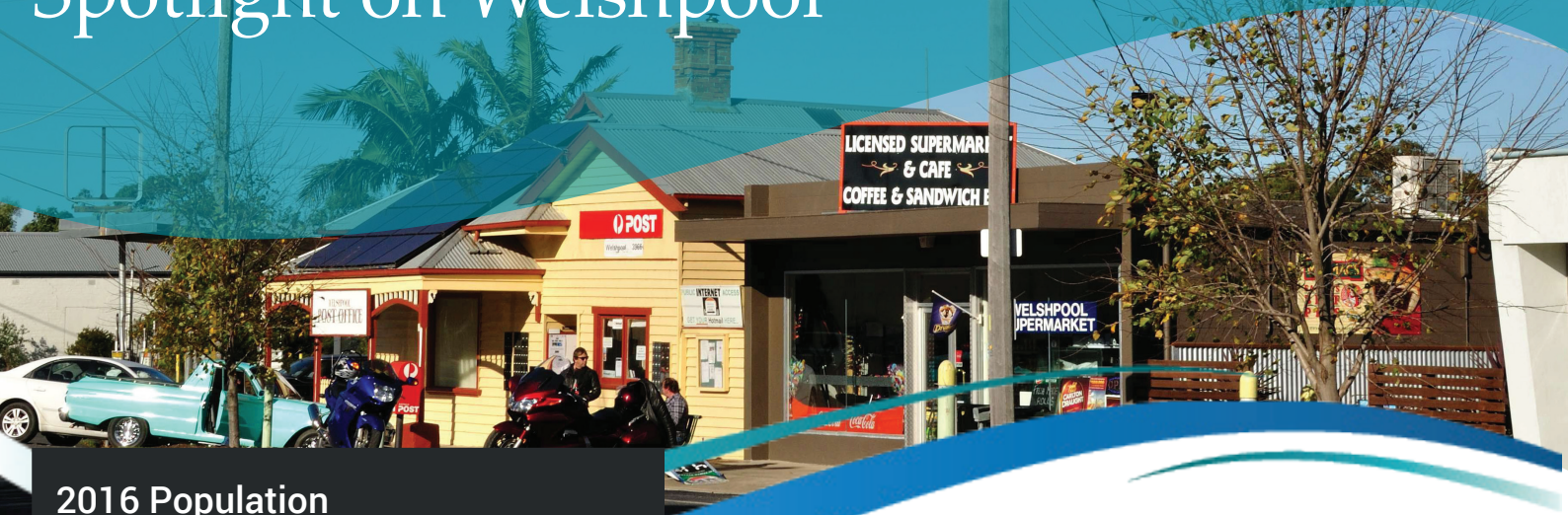


Spotlight on Welshpool



2016 Population

Welshpool, 56
Median Age 50
South Gippsland 28,936



South Gippsland
Shire Council



Population by Gender



76%

24%



Population Growth 1911 - 2036

Welshpool's population made a fairly steady decline from 1911 through to 2011 and then had a rapid rise to 2016.



Employment

There are 158 people in the workforce with 102 people employed full time.



Diversity

46 Welshpool residents were born overseas.

4.5 percent of households speak a language other than English at home.

The top language spoken is,

- Italian

Most people moving to Welshpool in the past five years came from other parts of Victoria.

Most people moving to South Gippsland from other parts of Victoria came from; Casey, Frankston, Mornington Peninsula and Yarra Ranges.



Education

All of the children in Welshpool attended a government primary or secondary school.

60 people in Welshpool attended an educational institution in 2016.



Car Ownership

30 percent of households have one motor vehicles.

38 percent of households have two motor vehicles.

25 percent of households have three or more motor vehicles.

Income



The individual weekly median income in Welshpool is lower than South Gippsland.

Mortgage repayments and weekly rents are lower in Welshpool than South Gippsland.



Care

15 Welshpool residents reported needing help in their day to day lives due to a disability.

8.1 percent of the population provided unpaid assistance to a person with a disability.



Key Points in History

1860's Jetty used by fishermen and their catch placed on railway wagons for Melbourne.

1930 A long jetty was built and used in World War II by minesweepers and refuelling of vessels.

Housing



There are 173 dwellings in Welshpool with 140 occupied.

There are more couples without children living in Welshpool than South Gippsland.

TOP 5

The top five industries of employment include:

- Dairy Cattle Farming
- Road Freight Transport
- Sheep Farming
- Accomodation
- Beef Cattle Farming