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BUNYIP QUILT SHOW

The Bunyip Annual Quilt Show was held in the Bunyip Hall in August. All proceeds (\$3,000) went to the Friends of Hillview (Volunteers for Hillview Bunyip Aged Care).

There was a wide variety of quilts, 57 in total, showing the skill and creativity of the talented people who made them.

There was also a variety of crafts including, embroidery, leatherwork and bags. We also had a number of stalls selling fabrics, wool and toys.

Thankyou to all stallholders for supplying gifts for the raffle.

The People's Choice – Quilt

Was won by Roberta Axnick – In the form of stained glass with native birds and plants (pictured)

The People's Choice – Craft

Was won by Lorraine Box

Major Raffle - Quilt

Was won by Cheryl from Neerim South

A big congratulations to Di Patten for organising the show

and to all the volunteers: **Graham, Arthur, Ian, Lix**

and Elaine. Liz's scones and cream were a delicious treat.

We're hoping next year is bigger and better.

Hope to see you there.



Bunyip Rainfall Totals



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
2020	92.6	138.15	35.75	145.5	100.5	46	43.5	122	58.5	98	60	44	984.5
2021	67	37	35.75	61	54	76	93	44	100	113	93	22	833.0
2022	37	6	49	76	42	96	52.0	146	49	169	102	74	898.0
2023	30	29.5	66	77.0	75.0	75.0	31	55	49	147	88	124	846.5
2024	154	35	10	121	36	36	111	33	77	76	62	39	790.0
2025	82	30	48	31	25	45	76	46	63.5	70			



SPRING IS HERE

Taking the time to be prepared

Taking steps to get prepared before the fire season. Reducing the vegetation around your home is one of the most important things you can do to keep your home safe in a bushfire.

Preparing your property key notes:

- Move your winter woodpile away from the house and sheds.
- Prune tree branches, so they are not overhanging the roof.
- Prune back plants and garden beds near doors and windows.
- Remove fallen leaves and twigs from around your property.
- Clean out gutters
- Keep grass shorter than 10cm.

Take the time to test any systems that are part of your fire plan

- Sprinklers
- Pumps
- Generators

Have you thought about emergency vehicle access to your property?

- Ensure your property number is clearly visible from the street.
- Gates and driveway entrances must be wide enough to allow emergency services vehicle access.
- Electric gates must be able to be opened manually in the event of power loss.
- When parking in a narrow street, allow enough clearance for emergency services vehicles.
- Drivers must not park within one metre of a fire hydrant.

WHAT ABOUT A PROPERTY ADVISE SERVICE VISIT

Here at Bunyip Fire Brigade, we are passionate about keeping our community safe!

DO YOU EVER WONDER.....

- How do I keep my family and home safe from fire?
- How do I prepare my home and property?
- When should I leave?
- Am I ready to go? What should I take with me?
- Will anyone come and help me?

If you answered YES to any of the above questions OR have burning questions of your own Bunyip Fire Brigade are here to help answer all your questions and offer the advice to get you well and truly on your way to being confident in your preparedness in the event of a fire.

NOW THE HOW –

WHAT DO YOU NEED TO DO?

If you feel that you would benefit from this service, send an email to our Brigade Community Safety Coordinator k.shanks@cfa.vic.gov.au . Our Community Safety Coordinator will pass on your details to one of our fully trained and qualified Property Advice Visit Service Facilitators, who will be able to make a suitable convenient time to walk you through step by step and offer advice on practical ways to prepare your property from a FREE comprehensive package designed by the CFA. This package gives you the opportunity to learn more about property clearing, water tank fittings, LPG gas tank storage, where to find warnings and advice updates and understanding these warnings, leaving early emergency kits, action plans for pets and livestock and how to build a bushfire plan and much more. Although the Fire Danger Period is still to be introduced in the region, residents should be aware of weather conditions along with Cardinia Shire Council Local Laws. Cardinia Shire Council can be contacted on 1300 787 624

TALKIN' ...FISHIN'..... SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL

When fishing for whatever species the name of the game is attraction, shaking your tail feather as it were, is going to enhance that attraction 10 fold.

Soft plastics incorporate into their design, tails that shake and shimmy using the flow of water current to stimulate a lifelike movement and adding sparkle and flash is an added feature. Bibbed hard bodied lures generate their movement from the opposite end, being the curve or pitch angle of their concave mouth positioned bib. The body remains pretty much rigid but segmented designs with 2 or 3 joins in their body will add more swimming action.

Game fishing lures are large like the intended quarry they search out. The solid epoxy heads are manufactured with dolly eyes and flash, fitted with tassel like bodies called skirts, brings to mind Hawaiian dancers shaking and wiggling their skirts too. There are hundreds of combinations of this style of sport fishing game lures. Jigs can be a consistence of lead headed hooks with either feathers or synthetic fibres tied around them or a combination of both with flash materials involved, all hiding the hook setup.

Trout lures and freshwater varieties use blades and rubbery fingers that flutter and spin to create disturbance in the water to entice action. Poppers surface skip, splashing and diving shallow to create noise along with lots of splashing and movement, a basic design that is retrieved at a fast pace to get the action in it. Irresistible to pelagic surface feeding fish like trevally, tuna and salmon varieties.

Flies are another challenge all together, the materials tied into their design must be carefully selected for the species your targeting, most of the movement is added through the rod tip or stripping of the line through the rod guides, either in the speed or the jerking motions in the retrieve rate. Generally, your fly is an imitation of insect or baitfish if saltwater is your game. Either way most lures are much about attracting the buyer as much as the fish!



BUNYIP HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC

Did you know that Bunyip had a Caledonian Society?

What is a Caledonian society you might ask..... It is a group that aims to bring together people of Scottish birth. The term "Caledonia" is the Roman name for Scotland. In Bunyip a group was formed in August of 1907 following on from a Caledonian gathering a few months previous. The Scots of the district were convinced that they would be have solid support. A committee was formed consisting of Messrs. Young, McGregor, Ross, McIntosh, and Hill and Mr James McIntosh became secretary. The first sports day was held on the 22nd January 1908 followed by an evening concert, and these events including banquets, continued into the 1930's, except for a short break during the war years.



Scots Wha' Hae. HIGHLAND GATHERING NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Entries for the **Bunyip Caledonian Society's** gathering on January 21st closed on Saturday last and a number of late entries came to hand by post on Monday and were included. The secretary (Mr T. D. McGregor) stated that the three principal events filled splendidly, whilst for the open events and dancing and piping entries are still coming to hand daily. Several members from the **Leongatha Society** has promised to attend, and replies to many invitations sent out have not yet been received. Everything points to a most successful gathering. The concert in the evening should eclipse all previous efforts as the professional artists are of the very highest order. With fine weather the **Bunyip Society** should stop up a few more rungs of the ladder during the year 1914.

Scots Wha' Hae." *Bunyip Free Press and Berwick Shire Guardian* (Vic. : 1914 - 1915) 15 January 1914
<http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article129628140>

Bunyip Historical Society Inc

Including Tonimbuk,
Iona,

Garfield & Garfield North

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bunyiphistory.org.au

bhs@bunyiphistory.org.au

BRAG

Reducing Bunyip and Districts carbon footprint



Solar panels on Bunyip basketball stadium thanks to i-wire Electrical and Solar for the prompt installation ..in time to catch the summer sun.

Big news comes with bragging rights!

Bunyip Renewable Action Group has successfully secured the **AusNet Grant Community Energy Resilience grant**. This means a battery and back up portable generator will be installed at the tennis/netball clubhouse. When there are prolonged power outages it will be available to the community to charge phones, have a shower or even cook a meal.

BRAG is eager to help the footy club keep the drinks cold whilst cooling off the power bill. BRAG is working with the **Footy Club Committee** to develop a project plan to **upgrade the outdated bar fridge and cool room** to reduce power consumption. To kick this off RES will donate \$3000 which will cover the purchase of one double glass fronted fridge.

Solar panels on the Basketball Stadium... one project ticked off....see picture above.

Another successful grant and initiative from BRAG! Following a successful 4-month trial **soft plastic recycling at Bendigo Bank Bunyip** will continue for another 12 months thanks to the Community Bank Bunyip and District and the Community Enterprise Foundation for continuing the sponsorship. It is great to hear the community is filling the Terracycle collection box up at least once a week! BRAG plans to put two boxes there once the new order arrives.



EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Wednesday 29 October
BRAG elected committee members and reflected on a fantastic year. Connecting with local community groups and interacting with communities of interest was highlighted by the president and that's what drives our success.

BRAG AT BUNYIP MARKET

Sunday 30 November
Buy a raffle ticket from BRAG to electrify your Christmas! Help us raise money and you could win some innovative prizes.

CONTACT US

BragBunyip@gmail.com

ABOUT US

Bunyip Renewables Action Group is a not-for-profit community group that aims to reduce the carbon footprint of the Bunyip district by facilitating the town's switch to renewable energy.

DONATE

To BRAG via Container Deposit Scheme code: C2000010517

Volunteering at Living Learning Pakenham

Living Learning Pakenham (LLP) relies on volunteers who give their time, skills and experience to contribute to our local community.

Volunteering brings people together and strengthens local communities by making them stronger and more resilient.

Two popular activities for volunteers at LLP are as teaching assistants particularly in the English classes and working in the Community Garden. Other roles can include helping with events and the Women's Friendship Café.

Volunteers get a lot out of the experience. Here is some direct feedback:

"I'm doing something important, worthy and meaningful"

"I love being part of a community and helping others"

"I love to bring joy to others, to help women build their self-esteem and to get people to learn about each other's cultures and to make friends."

"I enjoy the friendly staff members, welcoming and providing a warm environment for all."

One very important volunteer role is helping with the governance of LLP.

The Board of Governance is responsible for the overall strategic direction and performance, especially financial performance of the organization. At LLP the philosophy is that the Board steers rather than rows the organization. This means that most responsibilities are delegated to the CEO, who as the highest-ranking employee is responsible for the day-to-day management and performance of LLP without interference from the Board.

Board members have expertise in areas such as management, education, strategic planning, medicine, information technology, and finance.

They contribute their expertise as a collective to guide and monitor the direction of LLP.

LLP is currently seeking volunteers to assist the students as well as to steer the organization as a member of the Board of Directors.

If you are interested in contributing to LLP as a volunteer helping students to learn or in the garden or in using and building your skills and experience as a trainee Director call 5941 2389 or email admin@livinglearning.org.au.



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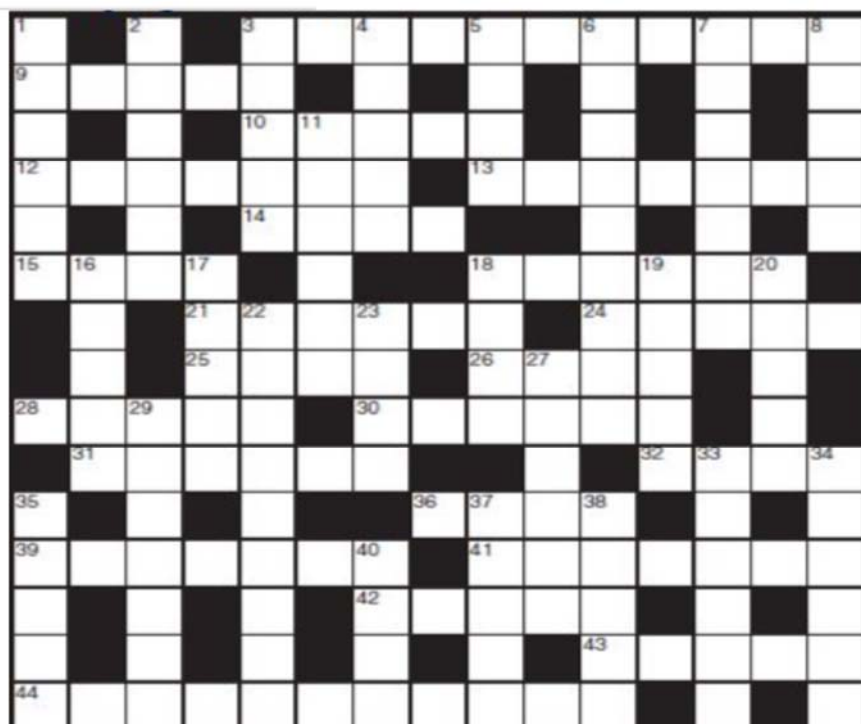
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A YEAR OF GROWTH and COMMUNITY SPIRT at CANNIBAL CREEK CATCHMENT LANDCARE GROUP

Presidents Report Summary

2025 has been a landmark year for the Cannibal Creek Catchment Landcare Group, with major strides made in habitat restoration for the endangered Southern Brown Bandicoot. The group's flagship revegetation project at Lovers Lane in Garfield saw 11,270 native plants (grasses, shrubs & trees) planted across 5 hectares of Melbourne Water land. Despite challenging dry conditions, the team celebrated photographic evidence of at least one bandicoot, a promising sign of ecological recovery. Hopefully more are on the way!

Support from Holcim Quarry, which provided a water truck, helped combat the lack of rainfall and kept the new plantings thriving.

Volunteer power was a highlight this year, with enthusiastic help from local businesses including Cummins Engineering, Chobani Yogurt factory and Ausnet, as well as students from Pakenham and Neerim Secondary Colleges. The culmination of our year's efforts took place with the Community Planting at Lovers Lane site on Sunday 14th of September. 68 people were in attendance with people coming from the Yarra Valley, Melbourne, Pakenham and the local towns. The local Shire Mayor Cr Jack Kowarzik came along. We had a local coffee van to keep us refreshed and a sausage sizzle lunch provided by Bunyip and Garfield Rotary Club. A group also attended from the Australian Tamil Sangam. It was a lovely social event on a beautiful sunny day, and a further 2,635 plants were put in the ground.

The transformation of Lovers Lane would not be possible without the efforts of our dedicated group members, corporates, school and community groups. The support grants received from Melbourne Water, Cardinia Shire and Garfield Op Shop were also greatly appreciated.

Additional plantings took place at member properties in Tynong North and Tonimbuk, adding another 1,480 plants to the landscape.

The contribution of our hardworking members to facilitate all the above plantings has been truly remarkable and they should be congratulated on a great effort. Special thanks go to Secretary Pam Cunningham, whose dedication kept the group running smoothly all year.



BUNYIP - GARFIELD CLUB

The Fabulous Film group watched “The Sting” with Robert Redford and Paul Newman. It was one of Robert’s well known films. The decision to see this was made to celebrate his life after his passing. It was a very enjoyable afternoon.

The guest speaker this month was Peter Duttneal who is a Hot Air Balloon Pilot. He has been involved in hot air ballooning activities in the Yarra Valley, a region popular for scenic flights. He also competes in the well known Australian National Balloon Championships and has won the Victorian Hot Air Balloon Championship. Because of his knowledge and expertise he gets invited all over the world to attend different Championships with all expenses paid.



He showed photos of some of the different colourful balloons that he has seen on his trips.

Then members asked him many questions before we thanked him for a little look into this different sport. We then travelled to the Officer Club for lunch.

Our Walking Group met at Tonimbuk this month for a bush walk. On arrival at the destination they have morning tea before setting off on the walk. After this they went to Sherwood Park for lunch. A big thank you to the ones who seek out these places to do our walks.

A group went to the West Gippsland Art Centre for a concert by the Royal Australian Air Force Band. They played a great collection of music and showed their many talents amongst them. After a pleasant afternoon we went to Newmans Hotel for a cuppa.

The Coffee group continue to enjoy their monthly catch up with lots of chatter. Thanks to Greg and his staff we are well looked after. Some even stayed for lunch.

And the Craft group even though small still enjoying sharing their passions with like minded members.

It was a beautiful sunny day when a picnic was held for all the local Probus Clubs in our area which is called Cluster Group. We all met at Rokeby Recreation Reserve for the get together. The ideal place people set up their picnic tables was under the shade of a beautiful tree. We were able to catch up with the ones we knew and met others. The Clubs were able to share ideas with each other about what has worked for them. Some Phone Numbers were also exchanged for contacts mainly for guest speakers. Most Clubs in Australia like to celebrate in the month of October each year in some way. Our Cluster Group did celebrate with this very successful picnic day and **we look forward to next year when Probus will celebrate 50 Years in Australia.**



Diwali in Bunyip

This year, Diwali fell on Monday 20th October in Australia. It was celebrated in homes in Bunyip, and Raj and Avtar Singh decorated the Bunyip Express café, and gave everyone free Indian snacks all morning, as they had done in the previous year, to share the celebration and occasion with the Bunyip community.

Diwali is the biggest festival in the Indian calendar and is held on the darkest night of the month, in accordance with the Hindu lunar calendar, so falls around mid-October to mid-November each year. It is a five-day festival, with the main Diwali festival celebrated across the world. It is also known as “Deepawali” or “Divali” and is a very special time when families get together to celebrate, and children get presents, and people wear new clothes, just as they do for Christmas in the western tradition.

The meaning of Diwali is the festival of light. It celebrates light over darkness, good over evil and knowledge over ignorance. Its literal meaning in the ancient Sanskrit language is “a row of lights”. Families light incense, candles, and lights in small clay holders to decorate their homes, and make beautiful mandalas outside their homes, and enjoy fireworks displays together.

Diwali also marks the end of the financial year in traditional calendars, and the end of the monsoon season in the north of India. Typically, families there would spring clean the house at this time, and prayers to the goddess Lakshmi may take place for good fortune in the coming year. There are also celebrations from the ancient Ramayana story, where the hero Rama, returns home after battling an evil demon, and lanterns lit his way back. Diwali is a multi-religious festival, celebrated by Hindus, Sikhs, Jains, some Buddhists, and other religions, and enjoyed by everyone.

Pictured –

Raj and Avtar Singh at Bunyip Express, who shared the spirit of the Diwali festival with the Bunyip community at their café.

Vandana Sinha decorates the home for Diwali



BUNYIP CONNECT INC. PRESENTS



THE

RESILIENCE PROJECT™

Helping everyone to be mentally healthy.

Presented by Martin Heppell

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH
7PM

AT THE BUNYIP HALL

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The Resilience Project explores evidence-based approaches to building resilience, in order to develop and sustain positive mental health.

Their highly engaging presentation outlines The Resilience Project strategies, Gratitude, Empathy (kindness) and Mindfulness and discusses simple ways you can practice these in your daily life.

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**HELD ALONGSIDE THE BUNYIP COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS MARKET
AT THE BUNYIP RECREATION RESERVE**

SUNDAY DECEMBER 14TH
9AM - 1PM
(FREE ENTRY)

- CARNIVAL ATTRACTIONS -
- DISPLAYS FROM LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUPS,
SCHOOLS, SPORTS CLUBS & CARDINIA SHIRE -
- GAMES - CONCERTS -
- ENTERTAINMENT & ACTIVITIES FOR THE
WHOLE FAMILY -

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BUNYIP TENNIS CLUB UPDATE

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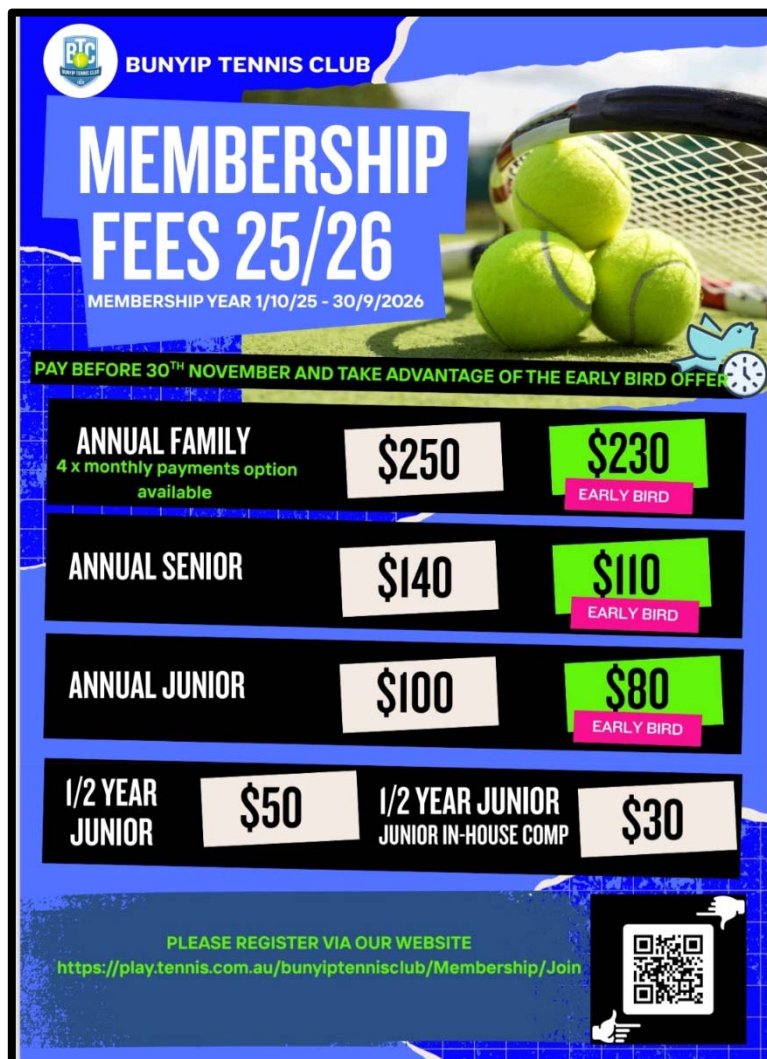
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BUNYIP TENNIS CLUB INVITES ANY INTERESTED TENNIS PLAYERS TO JOIN US FOR THE 2025-6 SEASON.

We offer a wide range of playing opportunities for all ages and abilities:

- Junior coaching, in-house competition and interclub competition...contact Chris Millidonis aceactivetennis@dcsi.net 0404077673
- Monday Night Social Tennis: louise Underhill louise_underhill@yahoo.com.au
- Wednesday Morning Ladies Tennis: Vanessa Kent vckent@hotmail.com 0401422084
- Wednesday Evening mixed competition: Vanessa Kent vckent@hotmail.com 0401422084.

Annual Registration and membership fees are due by Nov 30th



BUNYIP TENNIS CLUB

MEMBERSHIP FEES 25/26

MEMBERSHIP YEAR 1/10/25 - 30/9/2026

PAY BEFORE 30TH NOVEMBER AND TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE EARLY BIRD OFFER

ANNUAL FAMILY 4 x monthly payments option available	\$250	\$230 EARLY BIRD
ANNUAL SENIOR	\$140	\$110 EARLY BIRD
ANNUAL JUNIOR	\$100	\$80 EARLY BIRD
1/2 YEAR JUNIOR	\$50	1/2 YEAR JUNIOR JUNIOR IN-HOUSE COMP \$30

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Children's clothing and toy swap *Event*

Refresh your child's wardrobe and toys for FREE at our upcoming children's clothing and toy swap event.



To participate, parents and guardians of children aged 3-8 years need to bring up to six good-quality pre-washed items of clothing and six good-quality toys to the event. These are then traded in for tokens to use as 'currency' to purchase other clothes and toys.

Event details

Sunday 14 December, 10am – 12pm (Doors open 10am, swapping starts 11am)

Bunyip Recreation Reserve 64 Nar Nar Goon-Longwarry Rd, Bunyip

Registration is essential.



For more information and to register go to
www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/wasteworkshops





IONA CRICKET CLUB

**JUNIORS
WANTED!**

This season we are extremely proud to have an Under 11's team at Iona C.C.

They will be playing on a Monday afternoon with modified rules.

Training will be on a Thursday afternoon.

Please contact
Michael Neilson on 0438 295 966

Season starts at the end of October!

Join the 2026 Youth Action and Advisory Committee

Expressions of interest are now open for young people to join the 2026 Youth Action and Advisory Committee (YAAC).

Council is seeking enthusiastic young people aged 15-24 with a connection to the Cardinia Shire community to get involved and contribute to local decision-making.

The YAAC is a dynamic advisory committee where members will have the chance to make their voices heard and help ensure that the ideas and preferences of young people guide council objectives.

YAAC members will be asked to participate in the committee for a minimum period of 12 months with the opportunity to continue in the group following the initial 12-month commitment. Members will have the opportunity to:

- Meet fortnightly to exchange ideas and perspectives
 - Shape and deliver a youth-led community project
 - Represent the voices of young people on issues that matter to them
 - Build valuable leadership and advocacy skills
 - Be recognised and compensated for participating in quarterly consultation meetings
 - Increase their knowledge of local government processes
- In addition, members will have the chance to celebrate their achievements with an end-of-year dinner with the Mayor, recognising their meaningful contributions to the shire.

"I'm really excited that we are strengthening our commitment to our younger residents with the Youth Action and Advisory Committee. Council does and should represent all residents, not just those of voting age, so it's a very positive step and one that builds on past efforts. I encourage all young people with a connection to Cardinia Shire to join us in shaping the future of our community," said Cardinia Shire Mayor Councillor Jack Kowarzik. "This is not just an opportunity to make a difference, it's also a chance to develop skills, meet new friends, and have a great time."

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A. Robb 0402 678 552 Ian McConnell 0419 400 630

Garfield Golf Club

Thirteen Mile Rd, Garfield – 03 5629 2794

Bunyip Football Club

President: Cass Hackett
0435 869 348

Bunyip Junior Football Club

Shara McAuley (President) 0400 296 817
admin@bunyipjfc.com.au

Bunyip Netball Club

Lisa Visser 0408 396 251
bunyipnetballclub@bigpond.com

Bunyip Patch Workers Club

Barb – 0407 294326

Bunyip-Garfield Probus Club

(Meets at 10 am 1st Tuesday each month at Garfield
Community Hall)

bunyipgarfieldprobus@gmail.com

Bunyip Pony Club

Wendy Smith 0407 552 295
(every second Sunday Pound Road reserve)

Lillico Pony Club

Sam Daly 0425 743 175
(every fourth Sunday Pound Road Reserve)

Rotary Club of Bunyip-Garfield

Graeme Squires – 0417 105 598 (Dinner meeting
each Wednesday at 6:30 pm)

Bunyip Slimmers Club

Maree McRae – 0468 411 144 (Meets every Friday
9.30am at Bunyip Uniting Church)

Bunyip & District Soccer Club

Martin Jeric - 0418 104 242

Sorella Callisthenics Club

Samantha Holt 0421 424 079 sorellacc@hotmail.com

St Vincent De Paul Society

Assistance Line – 1800 305 330

Bunyip Tennis Club

Vanessa Kent – 0401 422 084

Iona Cricket Club

Michael Neilson—0438 295 966

Drouin and District Chess Club

Meets 7pm Monday - Drouin Senior Citizens Club Nick
de Weger convenor 0413239717 New players welcome

Longwarry Angling Club

longwarryanglingclub@gmail.com
Trevor Wheeler 0407366503