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## CONTRATULATIONS Bunyip Under 16s Winners

Great work boys. This is a memory you will cherish for ever. Well done to the coaches team managers and all the people that support these boys to fulfil a lifetime memory that will keep these young boys together for a life time.  
Well done to the club as this is truly the start of the climb.

**Well done on a great season - Alan Wright**

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# Garfield Couple Celebrates Double Birthdays

Stephen and Elizabeth Nivet from Garfield celebrated their birthdays last week with friends and family.

Elizabeth turned 79 on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September and it was the big “OBE” for Stephen, the special milestone of 80 on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September.

Photo: Roman Kulkewycz



## Harry' van den Broek 100th Birthday

### The van den Broek family

Welcome the local community to help us celebrate Harry's 100 birthday.

For those of you that know Harry we are very excited to be celebrating his 100th Birthday.


As you know Harry enjoys a party, so anyone who would like to join him to celebrate feel free to pop by the Garfield hall between 12.00 and 4.00pm on Thursday 30th October.

Everyone is welcome.

Please call Jenny [0418595969](tel:0418595969) with any enquires.

There’s nothing like the peace of countryside, the quiet and the lack of distraction.



| 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 |     |     |     |   |

# BUNYIP FIRE BRIGADE GOES LIVE WITH FIRE MEDICAL RESPONSE

From Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2025, Bunyip Fire Brigade are now fully trained and ready to respond to Triple Zero (000) calls as part of the new Fire Medical Response (FMR) Program.

Now when you call Triple Zero (000) in our local area for certain medical emergencies, Bunyip CFA firefighters and Ambulance Victoria paramedics will be dispatched simultaneously, meaning an ambulance AND a fire truck may arrive to your home.

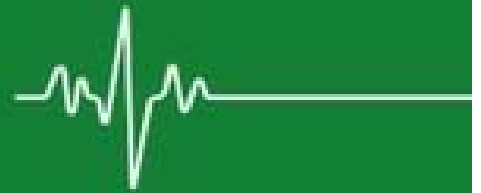
In the case of a cardiac arrest, a fire truck may arrive to assist before an ambulance, and our firefighters are trained and skilled to provide care and support until paramedics arrive.

Bunyip Fire Brigade is one of 50 pilot brigades joining the Fire Medical Response program, with 27 other fire brigades within CFA already actively responding to fire medical response calls.

We are proud to support this joint initiative between CFA and Ambulance Victoria to improve patient outcomes in medical emergencies like cardiac arrest.



# FIRE MEDICAL RESPONSE (FMR)



Our brigade is now trained to co-respond to life-threatening medical emergencies like cardiac arrest with Ambulance Victoria to improve patient outcomes for our community.



Community members who call for an ambulance may receive both a fire truck and an ambulance.



Always call Triple Zero (000) in an emergency



## ***BUNYIP COMMUNITY MARKET***

Today a few of our Market volunteers were proud to present the Bunyip Fire Brigade with a brand new defibrillator for the station.

At a cost of over \$3,100 this donation has been made possible by the continuing support of our volunteers, our stall holders, and our customers for which we thank immensely.

**Our Market Motto > 'FOR THE COMMUNITY, BY THE COMMUNITY'**



# Bunyip Connection Found

By Roman Kulkewycz

In the August issue of the Bunyip Newsletter, the front page featured the lead story from the Melbourne Herald dated Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, 1961 regarding the kidnapping of RAAF Ace Pilot, Wilfred Arthur DSO, DFC. who the Herald stated had a Bunyip connection. However I could find no mention of Bunyip in my online searches on Wilfred.

Derek Birch of Bunyip contacted me following our front page featuring Wilfred Arthur with information to complete this jigsaw puzzle and his personal involvement with Wilfred.

In 1958, at age seventeen, Derek told his father, a former Wing Commander with the RAAF who served with Wilfred Arthur both as fighter pilots, that he had enough of school and after completing Year 11 at Scotch College, he left school and went to work for Wilfred Arthur who owned a dairy farm at Tonimbuk. Wilfred at age twenty two was the youngest Group Captain in the RAAF. Derek worked for Wilfred till 1960 and described Wilfred as being a very smart, kind, compassionate and energetic wonderful man. Very good to work for.

At that time, Heinz operated a pea vining operation on Mr. Harry Pickup's property on Hope St. at the top of the hill opposite the Cemetery. Wilf.buck raked the pea trash off the vining elevator to make a huge 6000 ton silage stack there. He later loaded the silage onto his truck with a huge slewing crane built by Edwards Engineering in Drouin.

In 1960 after Wilfred Arthur had sold his farm, he was sent to Saigon by the Australian Government to set up a dairy farm under the "Columbo Plan". One day whilst he was being chauffeur driven to the farm, the car was ambushed by rebels. The hatred for Americans was very extreme at that time. The driver was dragged out of the car and executed on the spot because they thought he was an American. Wilfred, seeing the immediate danger confronting him shouted out repeatedly "I am Australian, I am Australian I don't speak American. The rebels did not know the difference between an American and an Australian which saved his life. He was captured and put into prison.

Eventually Wilfred, following negotiations was released in exchange for the princely ransom of a typewriter and medical drugs such as Penicillin.

In Tonimbuk, Wilfred and his wife Lucille had three children, two boys and a girl ( dec ) and they had another son whilst living in Saigon. Derek still maintains contact with the boys.

\* Wilfred. died in Darwin in December 2000 aged 81.

\* **Photo: Derek Birch of Bunyip looks at the Bunyip News August Front Page**



## BRAG UPDATE OCTOBER 2025



"LET'S GIVE BUNYIP SOMETHING TO BRAG ABOUT!"

OUR VISION: *Bunyip and District will become an environmentally sustainable, carbon neutral community*

OUR MISSION: *To reduce Bunyip and District's carbon footprint.*

### **BUNYIP RENEWABLES ACTION GROUP WOULD LIKE TO INVITE INTERESTED COMMUNITY MEMBERS TO THEIR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**Wednesday October 29<sup>th</sup> at 20, Anderson Rd Bunyip**

**5-6pm Annual General Meeting**

**6-7.30pm BBQ meal provided**

**Please let us know if you plan to attend (for catering purposes)**

[bragbunyip@gmail.com](mailto:bragbunyip@gmail.com) or call Helen on mobile 0411274025

### **BUNYIP NORTH BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM**

**Following further consultation with RES (Renewable Energy Systems)**

**BRAG has made an in-principle decision to support this project with certain important provisos.**

RES has officially launched their proposed project in both the Pakenham Gazette and our Bunyip Community Newsletter and is now preparing to embark on a meaningful community information and engagement program. Please watch this space for your opportunity to ask questions and provide local input over the next few months.

Whilst acknowledging the need for Battery Energy Storage Systems to stabilize the grid as we transition to renewable energy sources BRAG believes there are still a number of local issues that will need to be resolved and mitigation measures explained by RES to the community before they can gain the social license needed for their project to proceed:

BRAG will raise these anticipated concerns with RES and will be interested to see if satisfactory responses are forthcoming as the project moves to the next stage.

BRAG would like to offer the following items to any local NFP organisations who are keen to minimize their energy bills.... Contact us [bragbunyip@gmail.com](mailto:bragbunyip@gmail.com) if interested.



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through pipe valves on hot water service



1 Sealant to fill drafty cracks.

## BUNYIP- GARFIELD PROBUS CLUB

The Gardener's group went to Attila Kapitany Australian Succulent Garden at Narre Warren Nth. They have a variety of display gardens of which there are succulents natives mixed with other Australian native plants and also many exotic plants too. It was very interesting to see this incredible garden it was a shame it was so windy but you can't help that when it is up on a hill so they then had Lunch at Frankie's at Pakenham.

Mark Baker who is one of Australia's journalists spoke about the book that he researched and wrote about ' Buckham's Bomber's' which is about The Australian Airmen who flew during the First World War over Europe. It tells the story of an extraordinary RAAF crew who flew Lancaster heavy bombers during this time. The crew of five New South Welshmen, a Victorian and a Scot were lead by a courageous Flight Lieutenant Bruce ( Buck) Buckham. They flew many missions which were all very dangerous as the Squadron lost 95 aircraft's were shot down and 545 Allied Airmen were killed. As the War continued the Prime Minister of England Churchill made the destruction of Hitler's Deadliest Battleship the Tirpitz a top priority and handpicked their exceptional skills as well as bravery for the dramatic raids to finely sink ' The Tirpit' (The Beast) which they succeeded in doing. It was a very interesting talk and we could buy his book at end.

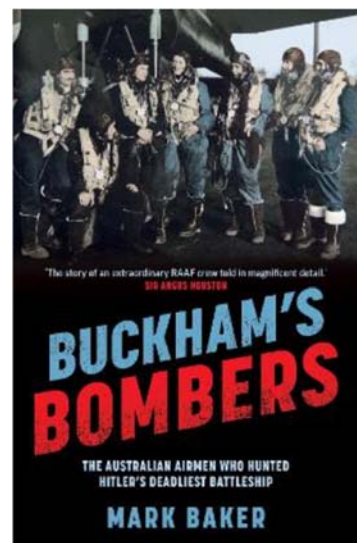
It was also our Footy Day with many dressed in their Football Colours and looking forward to the Finals. We played all kinds of games and then had a Footy Lunch altogether. Another fun day and we thank those who organised it.

A small group went to the Zoo with the Pakenham East Probus Club to help them fill their bus. They all had a great day even though it was wet at times and the animals were seeking shelter.

The Fabulous Film group met on the same day and saw Jumpin' Jack Flash .

Later that month the Art Centre cancelled a show we were going to so they went to a film at Warragul then lunch at the Downtown.

Helen



## ***TALKIN' ...FISHIN'..... ISLAND ADVENTURES.***

*Like many of us I have my favourite places to fish, the trouble is I have to share it with others who regard it as their favourite place as well. That's ok of course, as we have limited places and an ever growing population that love to fish. What if you could have a location all to yourself, well there is a way, consider an Island fishing excursion.*

*Among the Furneaux group of Islands between here and Tasmania is King Is. and Flinders Is. While these are also holiday destinations for others too, you can still find that secluded beach with the luxury of having it all to yourself. The fishing appears untouched, with catches of big salmon and flathead who don't seem to have ever seen a lure or know what one is, so they take it without hesitation. The standout features of the beaches is how void it is of other people and how clean they are, probably for the first reason.*

*I have been and fished King Is. but I got to explore the larger Flinders Is. for 10 days in the early 1980's. Spinning off the Northeast River rocks and the Sleepy beach at the northern most tip of the island and in the Northeast River produced salmon from 4-8lb and large flathead within a casting distance of only 40-50m off the beach. We even devised a competition between ourselves of who could cast the shortest distance and still hook a salmon. As usual with local residents they aren't aware of just how good it is in their own backyard, they were surprised with our catches, I would love a backyard like they have! Trouser Point is a hot spot for pike and flathead, pike up to a 1 ½ metres and garfish to 400mm although as we discovered it was also a breeding area in the brush for Tiger snakes.*

*The Lady Barron at the southern end of the Island has meals accommodation and steady supply of amber fluids after a long day. The town of Whitemark central to the Island has a pub, airport, cabins and all give excellent service and meals. Accommodation is available over the island in B&B's, farm stays, holiday houses, and cabins. Hire cars are also available. Flights are available direct to Whitemark airport, with facilities close by.*

*Try some of the local produce, delicious dairy or crayfish. Even if you don't fish, there is a lot of Island wildlife to see, amazing photographic opportunities, trail walks and shipwreck history. Being an Island you can nearly always find a sheltered side to camp or fish or explore secluded beaches, rivers and estuaries. You won't be disappointed with this Island.*



**Catcha, The TackleMan ®**

## Applications open for Corridors for Wildlife program

Landowners can now apply for Cardinia Shire Council's Corridors for Wildlife program, a new initiative that provides free plants to help residents revegetate their land and restore native habitat.

The program is open to private landowners with properties that are one hectare (2.47 acres) or larger to help them revegetate sections of their property after weed control works, to establish shelter belts or to revegetate areas that have fallen into environmental disrepair.

Corridors for Wildlife is suitable for property owners who would like to establish a bush-style habitat and who are willing to protect the area from livestock with fencing. To be eligible for the program, property owners must have space on their property to plant and grow at least 300 plants (planting area must be more than eight metres wide).

Applications close on Friday 31 October. Plants will be distributed for planting in winter and early spring 2026. Applications must include photos of your property and proposed planting area, as well as a property plan showing boundaries, buildings, defensible space and shade.

For more information, and to apply, please visit [www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/greeningcardinia](http://www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/greeningcardinia)

Landowners with properties smaller than one hectare are encouraged to find out more about Council's Gardens for Wildlife program: [Gardens for Wildlife program - Cardinia Shire Council](#) The program is open to private landowners with properties that are one hectare (2.47 acres) or larger to help them revegetate sections of their property after weed control works, to establish shelter belts or to revegetate areas that have fallen into environmental disrepair.

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**Saturday 25th October 2025**

**10.00am**

**Bunyip Hall**

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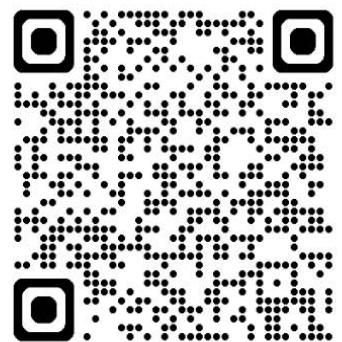
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# BUNYIP TENNIS CLUB UPDATE

Pres: Steve Shorten 0447193799    Sec: Vanessa Kent: 0401422084

## 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:**

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Annual Registration and membership fees are due by Nov 30<sup>th</sup>



The poster features a blue background with a tennis court and balls. It lists membership fees for the 2025-26 season, with early bird discounts available for those who pay before November 30th. The fees are categorized by age group and duration.

| Membership Type                                       | Standard Fee | Early Bird Fee |
|---|--------------|----------------|
| ANNUAL FAMILY (4 x monthly payments option available) | \$250        | \$230          |
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# IONA CRICKET CLUB

**JUNIORS  
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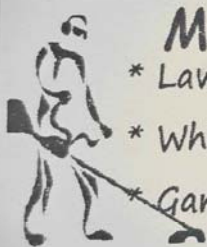
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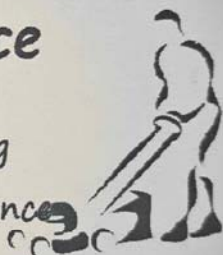
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