



BUNYIP & DISTRICT COMMUNITY NEWS



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Bunyip CFA Good Friday Appeal

This Good Friday, Bunyip CFA was out in force raising funds for the Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal.

The Appeal has been raising funds for the Children's Hospital since 1931, supporting groundbreaking research, and world-class equipment and staff who create miracles every day improving the lives of thousands of children and their families.

Partnering with our community and supporting businesses, Bunyip CFA had members out at IGA, and Gumbuya World, shaking tins to collect what we could.

Many Community members and their families also volunteered their time on Good Friday to assist, helping with door-knocking around the Bunyip Township.

Overall, Bunyip raised \$10,624 for the Appeal, an improvement of over \$1,000 from last year's total of \$9,154, and well over our goal of \$10,000.

We are so excited that we could beat our best, and achieve a 5 figure donation for such a worthwhile cause. We couldn't achieve this without the support of the local community. Having so many people dig deep and donate what they can, along with volunteering their time to help with the effort really shows how community-minded our little town is.

A big thank you as well goes out in particular to the Bunyip Espresso Café, for keeping our members well fed and caffeinated, as well to Gumbuya World for their ongoing support, and making a massive effort to ensure that we collected as much as possible.



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Planned Burning Underway

Fire Authorities get an extremely limited window each year to conduct planned burning.

Planned burning operations are an extremely effective way to significantly reduce the fuel load in a local area.

These are conducted strategically, and under specific conditions, with access to a large amount of skilled Firefighters, along with professional Firefighting Appliances. They are given special permission to conduct burning operations during the Fire Danger Period.

Smoke may be visible in the area, from planned burns across the local region. You can keep up to date with current planned burns, and set a watch zone, by visiting <https://plannedburns.ffm.vic.gov.au/>



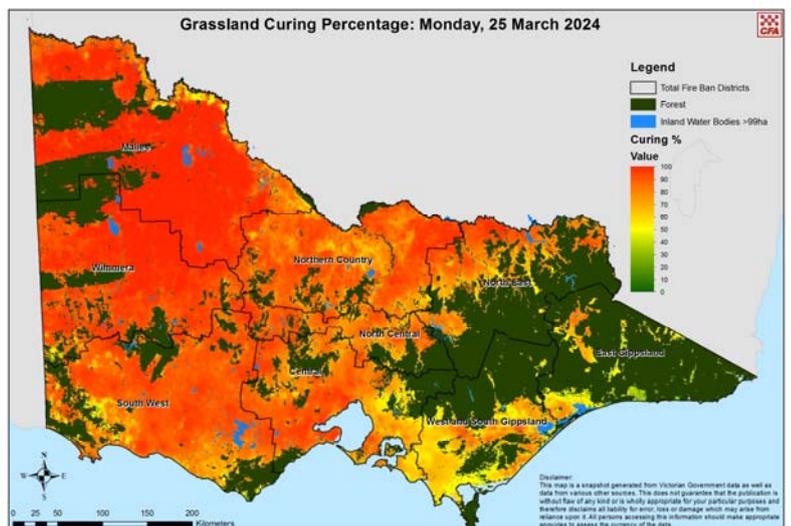
Fire Danger Period Still in Force.

While the weather is cooling off slightly, and we hopefully looking at the back end of the summer weather, the area is still extremely dry, and the Fire Danger Period is still in effect. All burning off remains illegal without a written Fire Danger Period Permit.

We have seen a rise in the number of burns being conducted without a permit, and wish to remind the public to be aware of current conditions.

Map showing how dry the state currently is, with grasslands continuing to be a significant risk for fire even into April.

Our local area is drier than during January and February this year, and is a reason to why Fire Restrictions are still in place.



Picnic Garden Waiting For You

By Roman Kulkewycz

With the installation of the third and final Picnic Table Setting last month, the Bunyip & District Community Market Picnic Garden is ready for public use. It is in close proximity of the twin BBQ sheltered Rotunda and there is lots of grassy areas for children to play on. Lots of shade, lots of seating areas, an electric BBQ and a power point to boil the kettle.

It's the perfect setting for family and organisation to gather and have fun.. An initiative of the Bunyip & District Community Market with a boost thanks to major sponsor Arrotex Pharmaceuticals via the Bunyip Pharmacy this project was able to reach its full potential quicker than originally planned.



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										

Bunyip Soccer Cricket field officially open

Cardinia Shire Council officially opened the Bunyip Soccer Cricket field, located at Bunyip Recreation Reserve, at a special opening event.

Works at the redeveloped field included:

- New drainage and irrigation to reduce maintenance and water costs
 - Upgraded sports field surface for safer play
 - New perimeter fencing
 - Synthetic covered cricket wicket located between the two pitches
 - New 100 LUX LED lighting, and;
 - Interface works to link the sports field and the existing pavilion.
- The sports field upgrades also included upgrades to 2 soccer fields, one for juniors and one for seniors.

The exciting redevelopment was jointly funded by Council and the Victorian Government. Cardinia Shire Council contributed just over \$1 million to the project, while the Victorian Government also provided \$500,000 as part of the Community Support Fund.

Cardinia Shire Mayor Councillor Jack Kowarzik officially opened the new community asset with Bunyip Ward Councillor Graeme Moore, and sporting representatives from the Bunyip soccer and cricket clubs.

“The community has been looking forward to this redevelopment for some time, and we’re delighted to be able to declare the Bunyip Soccer Cricket field officially open,” Mayor Kowarzik said.

“This project is a great improvement to the reserve and the upgrades will better meet the needs of the sporting and wider community in Bunyip.”

Member for Eastern Victoria, Harriet Shing MP said she was pleased that the upgrades have been officially celebrated.

“I am delighted that the upgrades have been officially celebrated with an opening ceremony. Better sport and recreation facilities make it easier for us all to get involved in our local sporting communities, helping to lead healthier, more active lifestyles.”

To keep in the know about major projects and works in Cardinia Shire, head to www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/majorprojects



Celebrating Our Community Post Office

A Pillar of Support and Innovation



Dear Community Members,

We are thrilled to take a moment to express our gratitude and appreciation for our local Post Office, a steadfast pillar of support and innovation in our community. In an age of rapid change, our post office has consistently risen to the occasion, serving as a vital lifeline for communication, connectivity, and community engagement.

A Hub of Connectivity:

Our Post Office serves as more than just a place to mail letters and packages. It is a hub of connectivity, where neighbours come together to connect with loved ones near and far. Whether it's sending a birthday card to a grandparent across the country or receiving an eagerly anticipated package, our post office is there to facilitate these meaningful connections.



Origin, "Back to Bunyip 1959"

Bunyip Historical Society, Inc

Including Tonimbuk, Iona, Garfield & Garfield North
P.O Box 126, Bunyip, 3815

Ph 0419 156 844 or 0419 562 956

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Did you know that Bunyip had a Caledonian Society?

A Caledonian society is a family oriented group that embraces all elements of Scottish Heritage.

On the 3rd August 1907 a meeting was held to form a society in Bunyip, the Scots of the district were convinced that a society would be sure of solid support. A committee was formed consisting of Messrs. Young, McGregor, Ross, McIntosh, and Hill. Mr James McIntosh became the secretary. The first sports day was held on 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.

Excerpt taken and edited from the Call of the Bunyip by Denise Nest.

Photo from the Bunyip Historical Society Collection "the Anderson Family"

The next meeting of the Bunyip Historical Society is Thursday 18th April at 7:00pm, Bunyip Hall, Main Street, Bunyip

TALKIN' ...FISHIN' Zen Moments

Fishing was and is a source of aquatic food supply, the recreational side came later as a means of relaxation and as a sporting pursuit. Unlike 'Golf' which is in my case the exact opposite, with a depth of frustration and disappointment unmeasurable, no matter how much practice time I put into it, thank God I'm a fisherman, not a golfer!

The contrast with fishing is, I can have a day on the river or in a boat without catching a fish, and I can still say I've had a nice day out. The only time I can honestly say I've felt frustrated is when you get plenty of bites but just can't seem to hook up, or they go off the bite and move to who knows where? Sitting on a riverbank quietly on your own listening to what's going on around you and your eyes fixed on your rod tip or your float gently moving around can put you into a trance like state, with only a bite indication jolting you back into reality. With 'Covid Lockdowns' now only a bad memory the value of your own timeout is now seemingly so important after a busy day at work or in the home. A short break on the river or pier is a lot like a small holiday as a means of forgetting it all and having a Zen moment to yourself, processing the day and allocating unfinished tasks into the to-do basket. After all that's what tomorrow was made for!

There is no need to kit yourself out completely, Rod and Reel, a few lures in a small tackle box, don't worry about bait, a net is always a good idea to take. Small breaks like this through the week brings the weekends closer together. The benefits to your mental health have been proven in many ways in support groups or one-on-one therapy or just time shared with a mate or family member can be both mind and body calming. No need to go far either, spots can be found close-by within half to one hour away in local lakes, reservoirs, rivers and dams within your community, contact your local council for information of these locations and any fishing regulations applicable.

There is a regular gathering of women dealing with breast cancer that are supported greatly with equipment, supplies of flies and advice from men's groups enjoying tuition in fly casting and learning to fly fish together, this has proven to be highly beneficial and motivational while going through their recovery and treatments. Many go on afterwards to embrace the sport in their lives. (Contact: Fly Life magazine for further details)

The spiritual like benefits of this sport have far more to give than just the catch at the end of the day.



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1 Day: 5000 Plants



Cannibal Creek Landcare Group and Melbourne Water
Invite you to join us in planting 5000 plants.



Date: Sunday, 5th of May 2024

Time: 9:30am—2pm

Meeting Place:

Lovers Lane, Garfield.

Parking available at Wagstaff, 1 Lovers Lane.

1st Planting, May 2023



2nd Planting, Jun 2023



3rd Planting, Aug 2023



Help plant out 5000 indigenous tube stock to continue the revegetation of 5 acres, creating habitat for local endangered species such as Southern Brown Bandicoots.

This site links in as part of the Cardinia Shire’s Biolink Plan.

What to bring:

Gloves, sturdy and waterproof footwear, sunscreen, hat, water bottle, eye protection (eg: sun glasses)

COFFEE VAN— A coffee van will be available, morning tea & a **sausage sizzle lunch** will be provided for volunteers.

For more information contact:

Cannibal Creek Landcare Group

cannibalcreeklandcare@gmail.com

Or Call Pam: 0407 876 935



RSVP essential for catering by Monday 29th April.

Also please advise of any dietary requirements.

In 2023 there were over 10,000 plants put in at the site, which covers more than 5 acres. The property belongs to Melbourne Water, who is the major funder of the revegetation project. Over the past 18 months, weed contractors have been busy spraying the blackberries, flax leaf broom, scotch thistle, onion weed, bridal creeper, wild turnip and pittosporums.

The native plants we put in at last year’s community plantings are doing well, some are thriving, others not so much. We are learning what plants are best suited at the site, which before settlement was predominantly swamp paperbark and swamp gum. The birdlife is already increasing and as the plants grow the variety of bird species and numbers will grow too. The Latham’s Snipe has recently been sighted there. This is a migratory bird which breeds in Russia and Japan and spends its non breeding period in Australia on the south east coast and Tasmania. This bird is listed as vulnerable, so we were excited to find them visiting. The southern brown bandicoot is another important species we are endeavouring to establish at Lovers Lane. This year we are installing bandicoot shelters to help protect them from predators. We will also be undertaking a fox control program at the site to reduce the devastating impact they have on the bandicoots and other native animals.

We hope many people will come along on the 5th May to see the progress and to help with the next stage of planting.

Ricky Sharma - Supports Need for Feed

By Roman Kulkewycz

Owner of the Bunyip Post Office, Ricky Sharma has donated a variety of brand new bags for all occasions to the Bunyip Community Market and the Bunyip Community Op Shop with proceeds of the sales going to charitable causes, one such organisation being the “ Need for Feed “ which assists farmers Australia wide.



Need for Feed was established by the Lions Club back in 2006/7 in response to what was at that time the driest period on record and what became known as the Millennium Drought. The bushfires that raged as a consequence of the drought affected many farmers and rural communities.

At that time, reportedly 3 farmers per week around Australia were taking their own lives and many others walking off their land, unable to cope with circumstances beyond their control.

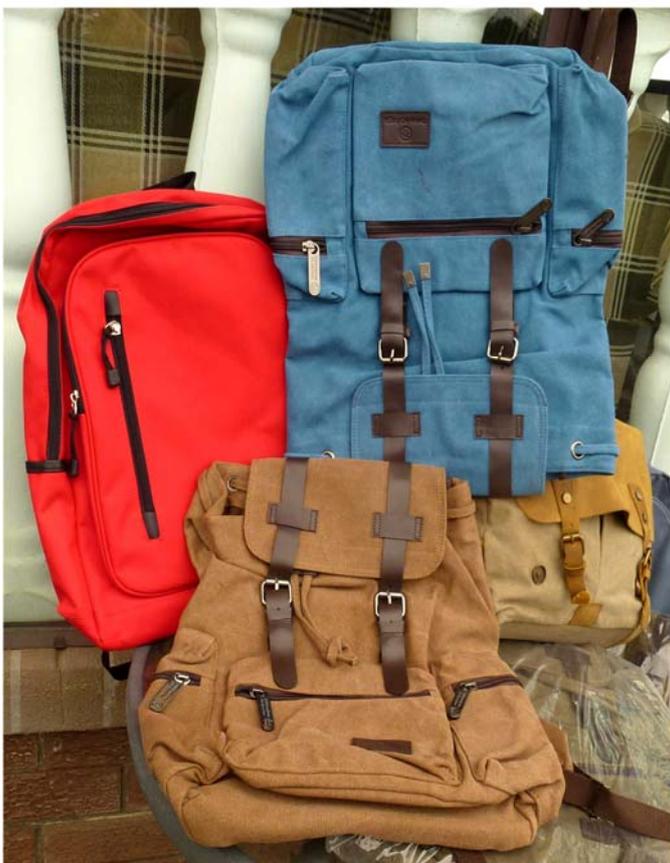
Lions Club member Graham Cockerell, who had lost his own father years before to farm related suicide, didn't want see other farmers and their families go through the same heartbreak.

The point is, said Graham, “My father wasn't a bad farmer, in fact quite the opposite; He found himself in circumstances beyond his control where he could see no other way out”.

From quite humble beginnings, as an organisation this Lions Club Project “ Need for Feed “ has grown and grown to the point where we could now be considered the leading volunteer organisation providing hope and help for farmers and rural communities across most of the country. The total value of aid delivered over the life of the project to date would be in excess of \$30 million.

These bags will be for sale on the stall of Frank and Robyn Hill at each Bunyip Community Market until sold out. The Hills have been supporters of this project for years and have raised in excess of \$1000.00 so far. If you enquire at the BBQ at the Market, you will be directed where to go. The

bags are of a very high standard of materials and



very sturdy. Brand new, only \$10.00 each

Bunyip Community Market and Bunyip Community Op Shop President Tony Arrigo with a selection of bags which will available for only \$10.00each at the Hills Stall at the Bunyip Market.

Our Vision

Libertas Coaching empowers individuals and organisations to unlock their full potential and achieve extraordinary success by providing professional guidance, valuable insights, and transformative strategies, ultimately leading them to lead fulfilling and purposeful lives by their own decision the way they see and interpret life.



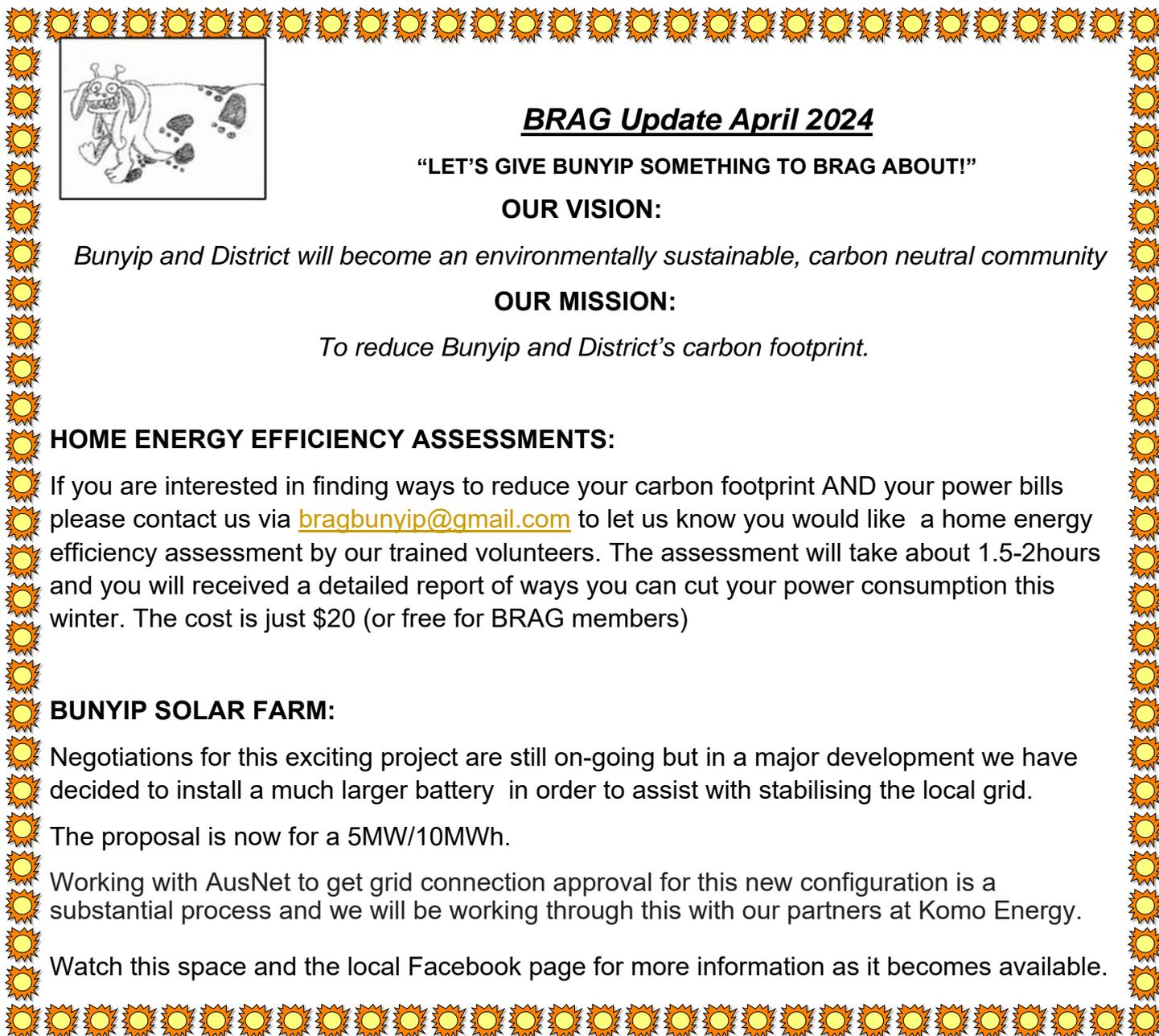
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BRAG Update April 2024

“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.

HOME ENERGY EFFICIENCY ASSESSMENTS:

If you are interested in finding ways to reduce your carbon footprint AND your power bills please contact us via bragbunyip@gmail.com to let us know you would like a home energy efficiency assessment by our trained volunteers. The assessment will take about 1.5-2hours and you will received a detailed report of ways you can cut your power consumption this winter. The cost is just \$20 (or free for BRAG members)

BUNYIP SOLAR FARM:

Negotiations for this exciting project are still on-going but in a major development we have decided to install a much larger battery in order to assist with stabilising the local grid.

The proposal is now for a 5MW/10MWh.

Working with AusNet to get grid connection approval for this new configuration is a substantial process and we will be working through this with our partners at Komo Energy.

Watch this space and the local Facebook page for more information as it becomes available.

BUNYIP- GARFIELD PROBUS CLUB

Our Gardeners Group went to Pakenham to visit a couple of our members who love their garden and enjoy sharing their knowledge of what they have learnt along the way. They are serious gardeners as different people noted that they didn't see a weed in the garden at all. We were treated to a lovely afternoon tea before we headed home.

The Fabulous Film Interest Group gathered to see The High and the Mighty starring John Wayne / Clare Trevor and Robert Stack. It was set on a plane flight that has engine trouble along the journey and we saw how some of the passengers acted as they flew. We all noted they smoked on the plane of course this doesn't happen now so in most of the films we see this happens because they are old.

Our AGM was held at the March meeting. The President thanked all the Committee for their service last year and wished the incoming Committee all the best for the coming year. Four new Members were inducted into the Club before the AGM was held. All the Committee positions were filled and we then enjoyed a special morning tea before we went to the Koo Wee Rup Hotel for Lunch.

The Walking Group met at Tooradin for morning tea then they travelled to Flinders for a walk overlooking the sea which was enjoyable. We also walked along the Pier before going to the Flinders Golf Club for Lunch where we had a wonderful view from our tables looking out over the Bass Strait and seeing Phillip Island in the distance. It was a lovely way to finish the day.

Our outing this month was to the Drouin Croquet Club to test our skills at playing the game and seeing if how many of us remember the rules as we had an afternoon last year playing. Their members were great and guided us in teams of four around the course teaching us the rules as we played. The big thing was learning how to use the mallet to hit the ball through the wicket. There was lots of laughter across the green at times until the bell rang out to call time for lunch. The Croquet Club provided us with a BBQ lunch of sausages/ hamburgers and a great range of salads. After awhile we went back to play some more Croquet before finishing the day with a lovely afternoon tea that was also provided by their club. Our President thanked the Croquet Club on behalf of all of us for their generosity for the spending the afternoon informing us about the game they love.

Helen

Community Leadership Program applications closing soon!

Submit now for Cardinia Shire Council's Community Leadership Program 2024 before applications close on Sunday 7 April 2024.

The Community Leadership Program prepares participants for success in their community leadership roles.

In 2024, the program will run from May to October 2024 and take up to 22 participants through a unique curriculum that will enable them to learn more about themselves, others, and their community in their pursuit to lead more effectively.

The program builds and enhances leadership skills and confidence, cultivates relationships and networking skills, and deepens participants' understanding of local community and Council. It explores different leadership styles and behaviours, self-awareness, personal growth opportunities, persuasive communication, and effective decision-making.

Throughout the program, participants will also benefit from the shared knowledge and experiences of a host of guest speakers, other local leaders, and program alumni.

Applications are open to community leaders who are:

- at least 18 years of age
- a Cardinia Shire Council resident
- already involved in the local community in some way
- able to attend all program sessions.

Applicants should review the information available on Council's website, including the FAQs, to ensure they are eligible and able to commit to the program requirements.

Applications can be submitted online via the SmartyGrants platform until Sunday 7 April 2024. For all information and to apply, visit www.cardinia.vic.gov.au/leadershipprogram

The Cardinia Community Leadership Program is fully-funded by Cardinia Shire Council.

Bunyip Patchwork and Craft

WESTERN VICTORIA BUSHFIRE RELIEF

Is gathering up hand-crafted items including quilts for members of the community impacted by the Western District fires.

We would like to invite members of the local community to donate hand-made quilts, sturdy handsewn bags (including quilted bags), new towels with face washers (to be hand decorated by Bunyip Patchwork and Craft).

If you are able and would be willing to make and/or donate any of the above, Bunyip Patchwork and Craft will ensure it gets to those impacted by the fires.

Drop off to Bunyip Patchwork and Craft Shop

17 Main Street, Bunyip

(Mon-Fri 9am-3pm, Sat 9am-1pm)

Keep updated via our Facebook page

Dianne (Bunyip Patchwork and Craft)



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would like to invite you to the

Wellness Hub

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Karen is the founder of Nurture Body & Soul. She is a mother of three, grandmother of six and passionate about guiding her clients through a Holistic lifestyle and Wellness approach using the 9 Principles of Health. She came up with her business name through inspiration from her own children’s names using their initials, Nathan, Bianca and Samuel. Karen’s vision is to create a Wellness Hub that brings together other like minded practitioners enabling them to provide their individual talents. And the journey begins.

Karen McIntyre

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NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

GARFIELD ARTIST CLUB

Bring your new or unfinished art/craft project and hang out for the day sharing ideas and having fun with a group of local artists. Beginners to Advanced artists and crafters welcome.

Where: Moy-Yan Neighbourhood House

When: Starts weekly from April 18th, 10.30 - 2.30pm

What to bring: Your project, BYO lunch

Gold coin donation * Tea and coffee provided * For details contact Moy-Yan N.H. on 0481 895 509

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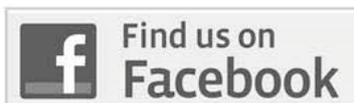
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Cardinia Shire's 2024

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Come along for a free light lunch and...

- listen to guest speakers including falls expert Annette Biviano and mental health worker Kirsty Monahan
- hear from our multi-disciplined panel featuring a Q&A session
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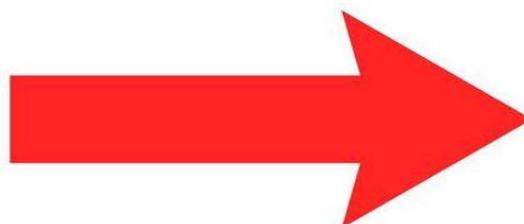
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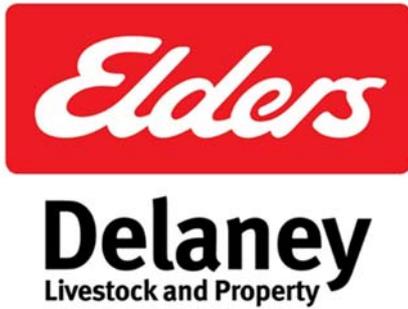


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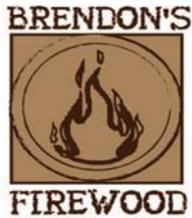


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gl.1stbunyip@scoutsvictoria.com.au

Bunyip & District SES

1800 240 667 or 000

Anglican Church of St Thomas Bunyip

Raelene Carroll – 03 5644 3388

Bunyip Country Women's Association CWA:

Wendy - 0417 352 258

(Meeting at 10.30 am/craft 11am on 3rd Friday at
Hillview Aged Centre - Eileen Dawes Rooms)

Garfield Community Garden

Meet Every Weekend - Meg 0466 496 107

gqgarfieldcommunitygarden@gmail.com

Labertouche & District Hunters Group

Meet 2nd Sat Bi-Monthly at Labertouche
Trevor 0439 692 602 knightline58@hotmail.com

Bunyip Social Hub

Davina 0420 372 998 bunyipsocialhub@gmail.com

BRAG (Bunyip Renewables Action Group Inc)

Helen Ross: 0411274025 bragbunyip@gmail.com

COMMUNITY CLUBS

Bunyip Equestrian Club

(Adult) bunyipec@gmail.com (1st Sat month)

Bunyip Bulls Basketball Club

info@bunyipbullsbasketball.com.au

Garfield Bowling Club

garfieldbowlingclub@gmail.com - 0435 355 352

Tournament or Twilight Bowls – 0411 288 799

Longwarry Bowls Club

Trevor or Judy Eastwell – 03 5623 3631 / Ken White
– 03 5625 4034

Bunyip Bulls Cricket Club

A. Robb 0402 678 552 Ian McConnell 0419 400 630

Garfield Golf Club

Thirteen Mile Rd, Garfield – 03 5629 2794

Bunyip Football Club

Secretary 0422 335 660

bunyip.f.c@bigpond.com

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

Secretary – 5625 4350 (Meets at 10 am 1st Tuesday
each month at Garfield Community Hall)

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 sorelacc@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