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## Editorial

Easter and the school holidays are now over and life resumes its normal daily routines.

Mother's Day is coming up and I expect a lot of gift making is being done in the pre-schools and kindies. Lots of glue and paper and sparkles creating some lovely keep sake for mum to tuck into a drawer and keep to look back on when the kiddies have grown and left home.

A busy month again this month. Bunyah is having its **19th Biggest Morning Tea**. I was staggered when I read their report of the money they have raised for the Cancer Council. Amazing!

Krambach Hall is hosting their Country Music Day, which is usually a great day for Country Music lovers and is always well attended. As usual, the proceeds go to helping keep the hall in repair.

For horse lovers there is a Buy-Swap-Sell Car Boot Sale with proceeds going to the Cancer Council, Pony Clubs and Riding for the Disabled.

Time to dispose of the two saddles in my garage maybe??

The Lions Club is holding a meeting to see if Nabiac is interested in forming a branch there. If you are interested in volunteering and meeting people it could be something for you to think about.

More new advertisers - a concreter, a general maintenance man, aloe vera products straight from the farm and a roofer. If you are looking for someone to repair or build a house, you could get them all from the pages of the paper, and they are all local!

The report from Jennefer Trott-Penton on the ANZAC March in Nabiac was very interesting. The march seems to be attracting more and more people each year and it was pleasing to hear they will now also have the 44 Wing RAAF group attending each year with them.

The weather is getting a little more than chilly of a morning and evening. I think we might be in for a cold winter this year. Last year was reasonable, but I feel I need to get the wood chopped post haste for this year while it is reasonably dry and get it under cover in case we get more rain, otherwise it is the expensive radiator.

On Saturday, May 7th the Manning Valley Branch of the Ulysses Motor Bike Club will be making a stop at the Greenhouse Café for morning tea where they will "Roll the Dice" on their "Dice Run" to see who goes first to the next stop at the Old Bar Tavern. They do this run yearly to raise funds for Camp Breakaway at San Remo.

If you are interested in Motor Bikes there will be a lot out front of the Greenhouse to look at.

Quick note: The Hay Man is open for business at Dyers Crossing with all your needs for feed for horses, poultry, etc.

Until next month,

Lyn & my new mate, Tilley Cat

## WHAT'S HAPPENING MAY, 2017

### Markets & Events.

• Bulahdelah	(1st Sat)	6 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 1pm
• Blackhead Bazaar	(1st Sun)	7 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 12 noon
• John's River	(Sat)	11 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 1.30pm
• Wingham Community	(every Sat)		
• Myall Quays	(3rd Sat)	20 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 1pm
• The Hub Taree Showgnd	(3rd Sat)	20 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 12noon
• Krambach	(3rd Sun)	21 <sup>st</sup>	8am to 2pm
• NABIAC	(Last Sat)	27 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 12noon
• Old Bar	(Last Sun)	28 <sup>th</sup>	7am to 1pm
• Pacific Palms	(Last Sun)	28 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 1pm
• Forster Town	(2nd Sun)	14 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 2pm
• Halliday's Point	(1st Sun)	7 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 11am
• Town Head	(every Mon)		8am to 2pm
• Mt. George	(Sat)	27 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 2pm
• Forster Farmers Market	(3rd Sat)	20 <sup>th</sup>	8am to 12noon
• Bobbin Community		27 <sup>th</sup>	9am to 2pm
• Tuncurry Markets	(4th Sat)	th	8am to 1pm

**These dates are from the council web site so could be subject to change**

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### WISHING A HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL MOTHERS



#### DAY SPECIALS & GIFT VOUCHERS

Welcome to the month of May.... The team here at Nabiac Hair & Beauty Salon would like to wish ALL the mothers out there a very special day on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> and hope they are all equally spoilt with love and maybe a small gift.

We would like to welcome our newest team member to our Hair & Beauty salon, **CASSIE**, who is a local girl with long family ties to our wonderful community.

Cassie is a qualified Beauty Therapist, recently with 2 years' experience working in a Beauty salon & Day Spa in Forster.

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Now if Mum can't decide she simply may love some new professional Shampoo, Conditioner or Styling product. Either way she can use the voucher any way she would like.

Plenty of parking right to the front door and close to the post office and general shops and opposite the new swimming pool.

Please call into the salon or phone 6554 1585....

### HAPPY MOTHERS DAY TO ALL.

### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN WOOTTON

Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> sees the last Food Swap of this summer's season. Join us in the grounds of Wootton Hall, Wootton Way from 5pm. We are planning to hold a winter produce food swap later this year so keep your eyes open for the date.

The **Brush Turkey Café** will be open on Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> for a Mothers' Day lunch - 11am to 2.30pm, set menu. Booking essential (*Fran*: 0412 963 161 or [brushturkey@live.com.au](mailto:brushturkey@live.com.au)).

After so much fun last year The Waterbombers are looking forward to playing and calling again for us at our **Bush Dance** on Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup> in the Wootton Hall. Wear your dancing shoes for a night of laughter and toe tapping fun. Don't worry if you have never done this before - the band has a caller to help with the steps. Starts at 6pm, \$10 per head and bring a plate of food to share. A raffle will also be held on the night. Please booking with *Megan* 0418 420 608.

#### Caro

### Krambach Garden Lovers News



A beautiful sunny day, what more could a gardener wish for and this is what our members were greeted with when we met at the home of **Julia Schoenherr** for our April meeting. Her garden was awash with colour and interesting plants and lots of water features. The excellent attendance of members and visitors from other gardening clubs enjoyed the walk around this garden in brilliant sunshine and amazement at such diverse plants.

The colour for this month was white which was breath taking, so many big bold blooms on display and the swap table overflowed with many different types of plants, flowers and jams; no one left empty handed.


Our next meeting will be held at the home of **Pam Moody**, Macrae Place, Failford on the 29th May and the colour of our flower competition will be a mixture of orange and blue.

Visitors are always welcomed with a cuppa and a tasty treat so why not come along, bring a chair and enjoy a chat and the friendship of like minded people.

For more information about our club contact **Jenny** on 6559 1815 or **Val** on 6559 1245

Happy gardening,

*Val*



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## Nabiac Landcare

**Bruce Weller** photographed the reconstructed bridge at the height of rain run off during the heavy falls we had a few weeks ago. The bridge remains as secure as ever and Lilly Pilly Bend received a much needed flushing after the long spell of hot dry weather.

Due to the continued showery days and nights, we have been able to continue plantings. In about 10 years hence (failing any climate change, catastrophes or yet another world war), you should be able to see some very colourful Illawarra Flame trees each November in the Reserve. In spite of the name they are native to our area as I remember back to 1940, when I was a war evacuee at Nabiac, gazing up to the Brush gullies of Mt Tallawah to see the brilliant red of the Flame trees. We are enjoying the cooler days and nights.

We continue to work on Wednesdays 8 or 9 to 11am with bush regeneration at Lilly Pilly Bend, Village Green lawns, Pool and Bullock Wharf Reserve, followed by morning tea at 3 Clarkson St Nabiac.

New members are always welcome.



The bridge during the rain, flooded.

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**Volunteers and Committee members welcome to join.**

**HALL MARKETS:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month. 8:30am to 1pm  
Come and choose from a wide selection of craft, woodwork, hand made cards, fresh produce & plants, bric-a-brac, 2nd hand books & kids toys. Enjoy a hot breakfast or Devonshire tea or coffee. "Lucky Tree" Hall Raffle. New stall holders welcome.

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## NABIAC ANZAC MARCH report by Jennefer Trott-Penton, Media Liaison, Nabiac RSL Sub Branch

**W**ow another ANZAC day. The 102<sup>nd</sup> year of remembrance.

We started the day with the dawn service hosted by the school leaders of Nabiac Public School. The ANZAC address was given by Warrant Officer **Peter Dentrinos** of 44 Wing RAAF Williamtown. Breakfast was provided kindly by the **Nabiac Men's Shed** with the assistance of local businesses.

10:30 came; what a sight with the school captains, **Cooper** and **Lexie**, carrying the Australian flag and leading the procession. They received a salute from Wing Commander **Stuart Jones** of 44 wing and **Brian Penton**, president of Nabiac RSL Sub Branch.

The commemoration service began at 11 am with the Catafalque Party taking their position of guarding the cenotaph. **Allan Harwood**, Vice President Nabiac RSL Sub Branch, welcomed everyone to our service.

Mrs **Helen Legg**, Miss **Jennefer Trott-Penton** and Mrs **Joanne Penton** all gave moving addresses which led on to Squadron Leader **Michael Evans** saying how 44 Wing was quite excited about their association with Nabiac RSL Sub Branch and fostering a great relationship between the community, the RSL and 44 Wing.

The wreath laying ceremony was led by the school leaders and everyone agreed this was a great addition to the service. One of the highlights this year was the introduction of the *school choir*; we look forward to their presence each year. On behalf of the Nabiac RSL Sub Branch, I would



like to thank Joanne Penton for all her hard work in organising and coordinating the day. We would also like to thank **Jodie, Jamie, Jesse** and **Beau Newell** for saving us and bringing their home coffee machine down to the Memorial Park for the airmen, airwomen and others to be able to enjoy a cappuccino before the march. Thanks also to **Jodie** and **Matt Morris** of the Nabiac Hotel for hosting our large and rowdy group after the service and for your support to Joanne and Brian for this day. Also, thanks to the **Nabiac RFS** for your assistance with roadblocks for our veterans to be able to march.



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To extend on our learning of sustainability a group of our preschool children recently went for a walk to Robb & Co. Our plan was to purchase new seedlings to plant in our veggie garden. When we arrived we were given some great information about what was best to plant for this season. Robb & Co. then donated some seeds for us to plant and watch grow before we transfer them to our garden. **Thank you Robb & Co. We really appreciate your guidance and generous donation!!**

While we were out walking in

Nabiac we talked about taking care of our community by picking up litter so that it doesn't make its way to our creek. We stopped to look at the creek and the environments surrounding it.

Our preschool is encouraging community pride and responsibility from the early years to ensure our community stays great for many years to come!

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You can help, winter is on the way, got your wood in? Flue cleaned out? And we won't put the ashes from last night's fire in a plastic bucket will we? Attended one a while back and they left it against the wall, the ashes weren't cold and set the wall alight.

Got yourself an emergency plan? If the worst happens and you have to assure everyone is safe and out of the building; there will not be a lot of time to get everything right first go. Do not go back in to rescue a pet or the family jewellery. Not worth it. You would have had that organised anyway if you had a plan.

Nabiac had several go to Lismore for the flood clean-up. Their comments on return suggested that what we saw on the tube did not show the full extent of the damage and misery that those folk suffered. Without exception, the victims were very appreciative of any help provided.

And we operated Driver Reviver over the Easter period. This site is the second oldest D/R running in NSW. Established in the late 1980's it has served the travelling public well and served thousands of cups of coffee and drinks. Arnott's supply the biscuits; Bushells the coffee and Toll Transport deliver the goods to all sites in the State free of charge. Nabiac RFS supply the milk and cordials.

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## LIONS CLUB of Halliday's Point

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- Providing staff to main the gates at The NABIAC Caravan and Camping Show
- Raising money for the purchase of 2 crocodile walkers for children in NABIAC and Coolongolook. Arranged through the Lions Children's Mobility Foundation
- Providing monetary donations for many years to the NABIAC and Krambach Pubic Schools for their presentations days.
- Nominating local youth to attend Camp Getaway for disadvantaged youth to be fully sponsored for a 5 day camp held at Camp Elim, Tiona.
- Selling Lions Christmas Cakes and Mints
- When the Hallidays Point Lions Club Pop Up Shop commenced we received invaluable assistance from Hannah and everyone at the NABIAC Second Chance "Op Shop"

Lions is a service club that encourages service-minded people to serve their community. Benefits of being a member include fellowship, good times, meeting people, building lasting friendships, service to the community, learning new skills, leadership and personal development.

Membership is open to men and women over the age of 18 years and of good moral character and reputation.

We are looking for community members that reside in NABIAC, Krambach, Bunyah, Dyers Crossing, Minimbah, Coolongolook and Failford to come along to a community meeting to be held on the 11<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 to see if this community would like their own Lions Club. So please tell us what you would like.

What's in it for your community if a Lions Club was formed? Well everything mentioned previously but you would also have:

- A conduit for advocacy for the area
- A not for profit organization with an ABN that is in a position to apply for community grants
- Your own Lions Club that would specifically look after your community needs

The community get together will be held at The National Motorcycle Museum, 33 Clarkson Street, NABIAC at 6pm on Thursday the 11 May, 2017. A BBQ tea will be provided. Please come along and give us your thoughts and ideas.

**Suzanne Newton—Halliday's Point Lions Club**



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## WALLAMBA CWA REPORT

Firstly I wish to thank member *Penny Britton* for filling in for me at the April meeting whilst I was away babysitting my grandchildren in Queensland. It was lovely for hubby *John* and I to be able to have time with them, the last time was back in December.

President *Iris Cummings* chaired the meeting attended by 8 members with 4 apologies being received. Following the opening formalities the members paused to remember departed friends including *Barbara Montague* (her mum *Janice* was a former Wallamba CWA member) *Warwick Lamborn*, *Jeanette Ellis*, *Tony Pianta* (friend of member *Norma Frieden*) *ABC personality John Clark*, *Wendy Coleman* and *Hugh McCaddem*.

*Jill Hammond* supplied the thought this meeting and it was

**"It is better to look and say "I can't believe I did that" than to say "I wish I did that".**

Members were very complimentary of the presentation by *Severina Walker*, who was the Guest Speaker at World Day of Prayer, who spoke of growing up in the Philippines and without the use of notes.

Members worked out who would be going to Port Macquarie's International Day on Nepal April 26<sup>th</sup> and these included *Penny*, *Merle*, *Janette* and *Iris*.

Several of the ladies, namely *Penny*, *Iris* and *Merle*, attended Bulahdelah CWA meeting on April 19<sup>th</sup> and offered them support as the Branch is having difficulty attracting younger members to step into the ranks of leaders – hopefully there will be a turn around for them.

Invitations are coming in for International Days, including Gloucester Branch's on Monday August 14<sup>th</sup> and Congratulations will be sent to Forster CWA Branch who celebrate their 70<sup>th</sup> birthday on 9<sup>th</sup> May and they also were honoured with an exhibition of the Branch's 70 years at Great Lakes Museum Tuncurry from 29<sup>th</sup> April.

Congratulations were extended to former member, now of Merriwa Branch, *Jean Price* who won with her Victoria Sponge at Hunter Group's Land Cookery Competition.

Ag and Environment Officer, *Jill Hammond*, spoke on Native Finger Limes saying the taste is sour, the bushes are thornier than roses but the fruit has become popular with chefs as a garnish or to flavour drinks. The State Ag & Environment is to be held at Brunswick Heads 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> September. A new invasive garden weed has been identified and is called "Blue Heliotrope". The current 'foe' fireweed, which is being studied, has started to come back into local paddocks and gardens.

Handicraft Officer *Merle* gave a comprehensive report on the MNC competition held at Gloucester in March announcing the winning

branch project of a wall hanging with trees was won by Gloucester with Wauchope placed 2<sup>nd</sup>. The Show & Tell, handicraft section, to be held at Port Macquarie Panthers on June 6<sup>th</sup>, will have a competition for Crazy Beans in any medium. Next year's branch project will be Australian Christmas decorations, so should be interesting. *Merle's* monthly craft mornings will resume on Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup> and continue the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday each month at her home.

Planning is well underway for Wallamba's International Day which is to be held on Tuesday May 16<sup>th</sup> – invitations have gone out to fellow branches and local organizations for the day.

*Penny* is organizing guests speakers for the day and hopefully a goat cheese making demonstration. The food is being planned and should be very interesting and different to the norm as it is to be based on



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traditional Nepalese cuisine. There will be a raffle with 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> prizes along with lucky door prizes.

Margaret Weller, our cookery officer, advised there are no more cooking competitions till November Council meeting and the new schedule for 2017-2018 will be found in the April 'Countrywoman Journal'. Margaret is our sole cook competing at State Level in May with her Gluten Free Carrot Cake – let's hope it is a winner.

The Cultural Section included Mary speaking about attending the Port Macquarie Glasshouse to attend the Russian Ballet's performance of 'Swan Lake' – a wonderful production. Iris brought along a Starlight Lodge Calendar from the Central Coast in which the ladies – who were in their 60's & 70's – posed naked for each month. Shades of the movie 'Calendar Girls'.

Margaret Weller spoke of her recent travels in the North West region of the state including Gilgai and the New England and of visiting a wood-working shop & gallery which had amazing handcrafted articles

including clocks and didgeridoos. She and hubby Bruce visited Bingara and a land care project, 'The Living Classroom', and told about a company in Inverell called 'Boss Agriculture' which supplies farm machinery made and only sold in Australia.

Congratulations to two of our ladies who were celebrating birthdays - Jill Hammond (pictured left) who was presented with a cake by friend Margaret marking her 80<sup>th</sup> on the meeting day and to President Iris for her special day on April 20<sup>th</sup> and then members enjoyed a light luncheon including the birthday cake.

Next meeting will be held at the Wallamba Showground Hall Foyer on Tuesday May 9<sup>th</sup> commencing at 9.30am followed by a 'bring & share' lunch.

Members and interested ladies are most welcome to come along.

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**Local History - The Wallamba** — Another in a series of historical articles gleaned from the archives of the "Manning River Times" **March, 1926**, by **Bob Mann**

The news that Dr *Parramore* had disposed of his practice and was taking his departure for Holbrook where he has purchased a practice came as quite a shock to most of his friends. As the consequence of the above, a public meeting was held to consider arranging a fitting farewell, and the movement, notwithstanding the short time available for making arrangements is well in hand. Dr *Richard* from Coopernook is to be the successor at Nabiac.

Mrs *A.J. Bowers* of Nabiac who has not been enjoying the best of health is now improving and is now in the convalescent stage.

**SOCIAL AT FAILFORD:** A social evening in connection with the Methodist Ladies Aid was held in the Failford Hall on Thursday week there being a good gathering of friends. The proceedings opened with Praise God from whom all blessings, followed by a prayer. Several games and competitions were well carried out with the help of Miss *E. Croker* who was responsible for the programme. During the evening the sum of £2.10.00 was raised and several gifts donated. Mr *Easter* thanked all who had helped to make the evening a success and he said that the Ladies Aid was making headway to have a jumble stall at the coming Nabiac Show and the money collected would help to buy the goods. The ladies then served supper after which games were played. The evening concluded with the popular game of "Jolly Miller" and the singing of "God Save the King".

**VALEDICTORY AT NABIAC: Mr & Mrs Parramore Farewelled** - Dr and Mrs *Parramore* of Nabiac were publicly farewelled prior to their departure from the district in the presence of a large and representative gathering on Wednesday evening of the last week. When it became known that the Dr had disposed of his practice after an association extending over a period of 17 years with the Wallamba River was about to take his departure from the district a public meeting was convened and a suitable farewell arranged. The programme which was in the hands of Miss *Jean Campbell* included dancing and musical items. About 10pm the M.C., Mr *A.C. Magennis*, called upon Mr *A. Campbell* to preside. The chairman briefly outlined the object of the gathering and referred in glowing terms to the many excellent qualities of the departing guests and to the Doctor's splendid services to the community as an exemplary citizen and as a medical advisor of

high standing. Dr *Parramore* had been a member of the Wallamba River District Agricultural and Horticultural Association Committee almost from its inception and in this respect had tendered signal service. He was also a keen cricketer and tennis enthusiast and would be greatly missed as secretary of the local tennis club. In civic patriotism the Dr. had a very fine record. He was vice president of the local School of Arts and also the Nabiac Progress Association. Mr *C.H. Cook* was specially deputed to speak on behalf of the various branches of the G U O O F to which Dr *Parramore* acted as medical officer. The terms existing between the medical officer and the branch were friendly and harmonious and the courtesy and kindly and skillful medical attention were features that would always be warmly remembered by the members. He sincerely thanked the Dr. on behalf of the order. *Rev. C.W. Nicholls* referred to the meritorious record of departing as an energetic and esteemed church worker and as an esteemed citizen. Mr *T. Miles* spoke on behalf of the residents of Forster and Mr *J.W. Breckenridge* was the Failford representative. Mrs *Wallis* (snr), an old and highly respected resident of Nabiac presented Mrs *Parramore* with a nicely arranged bouquet on behalf of her many friends. Mrs *Parramore* suitably responded and expressed regret at leaving the district. The chairman then explained that in view of the early departure of the guests it had been impossible to finalise matters in connection with the presentation, the details of which had not yet been decided upon. Dr *Parramore* on rising to respond was greeted with applause and "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow". He sincerely thanked the audience on behalf of Mrs *Parramore* and himself for the splendid demonstration and kind expression of goodwill, the memory of which he would always cherish and appreciate. His life on the Wallamba had been interesting and happy and after an association of so many years it was difficult indeed to say goodbye. He had seen the district develop considerably and would always be deeply interested in its future welfare. He concluded by expressing his sincere thanks for the many kindnesses of the people towards himself and family during their residence in the district and extended a hearty invitation to Wallamba residents who may be in the Riverina at any time to visit his new home. Dr *Richard*, who succeeds Dr *Parramore*, was formerly welcomed to the district by the chairman. The Dr suitably responded. During the evening much appreciated items were rendered by Mr and Mrs *Fred Walden*, Mrs *Miles*, Miss *Avis Tattersall* and Mrs *A. Gorrey*. Dr and Mrs *Parramore* left by car for Holbrook on Saturday last.

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### Show News

With the show now out of the way for another year, I would like to belatedly thank all of the stewards who help out in setting up the hall and Produce Pavilion, the entrants who supplied all the entries, and the sponsors for their sponsorship of the Hall & Produce prizes.

Also many thanks to our general sponsors for their continued support, which helps pay for all the printing, advertising, prizes and general running costs associated with keeping things going during the year.

With continual rising expenses that money is much appreciated and allows us to keep improving our entertainment and conditions for each new show.

Thanks are also due to the tireless helpers and committee members who spent weeks getting the grounds and rings and pavilions into perfect order for everyone to enjoy, had we had the show, their time with us.

Now the whole scenario start again for the 2018 show on 3rd March. Our next event will be the Junior Rodeo in the July school holidays.

**Lyn Reid, Secretary/Treasurer**





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ANZAC Day was once again observed and commemorated the great sacrifices made not only by men, women and their families but also beloved animals, who assisted in past conflicts and continue their efforts serving alongside military mates today. Perhaps you wore a purple poppy for them this ANZAC Day, or may even have tried your hand at knitting or crocheting a purple poppy or two?

Back to school after a well-earned Easter break for staff, students and parents, lots of fun activities, time with friends and relaxation. Hope all are re-energized for another busy Term 2. Our awesome Homework Help teachers are keen to help and support our wonderful students!!!

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First-time guests have been amazed when they arrive and see the wonderful Quilts hung around the tennis court fence and the stalls of handsewn articles, jams, pickles, craft items all lovingly made by **Cathy Amos** & her *Crafty Crew* and the prices are so affordable and don't represent the high quality of workmanship and materials that these ladies put into their items.

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The Morning Tea is something to behold; home cooking at its' best! And it is continuous service from 9.30 a.m throughout the morning. Donations at the door for morning tea would be appreciated.

We have a Raffle consisting of yet another different Quilt made by the **'Dolphin Quilters' of Old Bar** together with a big array of quality prizes with tickets only \$1.00 each.

That's not all.....You also get great entertainment with the return for the second year of the **Annie Rose Dancers & Kate's Tappers** from Taree who will be performing a variety of dances in full concert costumes.

Our Group have entered two sections in this year's 50<sup>th</sup> Taree & District Eisteddfod dance group section 'The All Comers', which is open to everyone including dance teachers as well as 'The Open Hollywood Musical' section where we will perform 'Hello Dolly'. This is on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 at the Manning Entertainment Centre.

The principal of the **Annie Rose Academy of Dance, Beverley Williamson**, is Kate's mother.

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**Hope to see you at our 'Biggest Morning Tea' on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 commencing at 9.00 a.m. Come and experience a Bunyah event, it's well worth the drive!**

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This summer, with the pool unavailable for a few weeks in November at the regular 9.00am time slot whilst Nabiac and Old Bar Schools held their learn to swim classes, the session time changed. Cindy moved to an 8.00am on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday while Karen went with 2.00pm on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Groucho Marx once said 'give the people what they want and they'll turn up in droves'. Nabiac and surrounds loved the change in times. Numbers attending grew and the new times became permanent. Some loved the early time, others preferred the afternoon slot. We had 16 in the pool the day the Advocate stopped by for a photo and a story (when at short notice and for want of a better name we called ourselves the 'Water Babies'. Ideas on a new name are welcome but not as suggested by one wag - We Help All Ladies Exercise (yes - WHALEs'). Throughout February when the weather and water was warm we regularly had 20-30. Numbers started to dwindle as the water cooled - the water was colder earlier this season with all the rain in March - and the sessions finally ceased a week out from the winter closure of the pool.

Aqua Aerobics will start again in October when the pool reopens. Session times will be on the blackboard at the pool gate and also on Nabiac News and Chat. The sessions are free, all you need is a noodle (and we usually have a few spares if you don't have one to start). Folk can work at their own pace - taking it as hard or as easy as they like. The exercises are fun, the routines change constantly, the music is good (even a disco line up for the days we are all feeling energetic) and there is always plenty of chatter before, during and after the sessions. Whether, like us, you are new to Nabiac or, like some others you have lived here forever, it's a great way to get a good start to your day, meet/catch up with others from the village and get some exercise as well.

For any further details you can call Cindy on 6554 1916 or email on [randc102@bigpond.com](mailto:randc102@bigpond.com)

(Yes. I'm the only male regularly attending. Others are welcome to come along. Pending that happening, I've written to the Beach Boys re the lyrics to Surf City. It should be '22 girls to every boy'. Woo hoo. Bring on next summer.)

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I signed up under duress for Twitter and Facebook, so my seven kids, their spouses, my 13 grand kids and 2 great grand kids could communicate with me in the modern way. I figured I could handle something as simple as Twitter with only 140 characters of space.

My phone was beeping every three minutes with the details of everything except the bowel movements of the entire next generation.

I am not ready to live like this. I keep my cell phone in the garage in my golf bag.

The kids bought me a GPS for my last birthday because they say I get lost every now and then going over to the grocery store or library. I keep that in a box under my tool bench with the Bluetooth [it's red] phone I am supposed to use when I drive. I wore it once and was standing in line at Bunnings talking to my wife and everyone in the nearest 50 yards was glaring at me. I had to take my hearing aid out to use it, and I got a little loud.

I mean, the GPS looked pretty smart on my dash board, but the lady inside that gadget was the most annoying, rudest person I had run into in a long time. Every 10 minutes, she would sarcastically say, "Re-calc-u-lating." You would think that she could be nicer. It was like she could barely tolerate me. She would let go with a deep sigh and then tell me to make a U-turn at the next light. Then, if I made a right turn instead. Well, it was not a good relationship...

When I get really lost now, I call my wife and tell her the name of the cross streets and while she is starting to develop the same tone as Gypsy, the GPS lady, at least she loves me.

To be perfectly frank, I am still trying to learn how to use the cordless phones in our house. We have had them for 4 years, but I still haven't figured out how I lose three phones all at once and have to run around digging under chair cushions, checking bathrooms, and the dirty laundry baskets when the phone rings.

The world is just getting too complex for me.

They even mess me up every time I go to the grocery store.

You would think they could settle on something themselves, but this sudden "Paper or Plastic?" Every time I check out, just knocks me for a loop. I bought some of those cloth reusable bags to avoid looking confused, but I never remember to take them with me.

Now I toss it back to them.

When they ask me, "Paper or plastic?" I just say, "Doesn't matter to me. I am bi-sacksual." Then it's their turn to stare at me with a blank look.

I was recently asked if I tweet. I answered, "No, but I do fart a lot." handle it....

*I hate to admit that I fully understand this missive - searching for the cordless phones waste as much time as searching for my glasses!*

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This little article was sent in by Alan Wright, Treasurer of Great Lakes Historical Co-Operative Society.

He asked reader some moons ago about a place in Taree called the Wine Shop and wondered if anyone remembered it.

#### WINE SHOP CORNER

At the corner of NABIAC Road and what was Taree Road, Kooringat/ Sidebottom and now known as Rainbow Flat, since the Highway went through. Believed to have been a coach stop in the early days (1800's) where the coach team of horses would be changed for a fresh team.

**Manning River Times and Advocate for the Northern Coast Districts of New South Wales (Taree, NSW: 1898 - 1954)**

**Wed. 18 Jul 1900**

Ball at Sidebottom. A Plain and Fancy Dress Ball is to be held at Sidebottom on Friday, the 10<sup>th</sup> proximo, in Mr. Sussman's Hall in aid of the Indian Famine Relief Fund. Mr. E. Ritchie is Hon. Secretary and Mr. H. Sussman Hon. Treasurer. Tickets are 3/- and 2/- each.

A Bachelors' Ball. On Friday night last, the usually quiet neighbourhood of Sidebottom was enlivened by a Bachelors' Ball in Mr. Sussman's hall at Stoney Creek, when everything passed off in first class style. The hall was tastefully decorated with evergreens. The refreshments, which were in abundance, and which everyone seemed to do justice to, were served round by the ladies at midnight, and again at 4 O'clock. The music was supplied by Messrs. E. Ritchie, A. and G. Hardy (violins), and Messrs. D. and W. Smith (accordions). Several Songs were rendered during the night. All present thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

**Manning River Times: Wed 19 Sep 1900**

Licensing Court: Taree Tuesday Sept 18

Renewals of wine licences were granted to Messrs. W.J. Vivian, Wingham Road: Mr. H. Sussman, Stoney Creek; and Mr. John Still Robinson, Morrland.

**Manning River Times: Sat. 5 Jan 1901**

I am directed by the Postmaster-General to inform you that, as Mr. Challinor desires to be relieved of the service, as he considers the rate now paid to him insufficient, it has been decided to invite tenders, which will be received at this office up to noon on Wednesday, the 9<sup>th</sup> proximo, for the performance of the following mail services for the period commencing on the 1<sup>st</sup> February next and terminating at two months' notice on either side, with the view to relieve him of the present Taree and NABIAC service, from the 31<sup>st</sup> proximo, viz:-

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**Manning River Times: wed 11 Nov 1903**

We are informed that Mr. H. Sussman who has for several years conducted an up-to-date colonial wine shop and cordial factory at Stoney Creek, on the Taree to Forster Road, has leased the establishment for a term of years to Mr. Robt. Bennett, of Forster.

It became a licensed Wine Bar before 1900, and in about 1916 Horace Oakley had the licence, and his wife was Alice, they had two daughters that we know of.

Laura who married a chap called Gorton and her younger sister Kath who married a chap called Mastrs. We believe there was a church on the opposite side of the road at one stage. (this information supplied by Kath Eason the daughter of Laura.)

*"Proximo" - meaning "of next month" - learn a new word daily.*

*If any readers can expand on the history of the Wine Shop I am sure Alan would be most pleased.*

Murphy goes to his friend Pat and says ... "I'm sleeping with Pastor McMahon's wife. Can you hold him in church for an hour after services for me?"

Pat doesn't like it but, being Murphy's long-time friend, he agrees.

After the service, he starts talking to the minister, asking him all sorts of stupid questions, just to keep him occupied.

Finally Pastor McMahon gets annoyed and asks Pat what he's really up to. Pat, feeling guilty, finally confesses to the minister.

"My friend Murphy is sleeping with your wife right now, so he asked me to keep you occupied."

The Pastor smiles, puts a brotherly hand on Pat's shoulder and says...

"You better hurry home. My wife died two years ago."

#### THE THREE NUNS

Three nuns were attending a rugby final. Three men were sitting directly behind.

Because their habits were partially blocking the view, the men decided to badger the nuns hoping that they'd get annoyed enough to move to another area.

In a very loud voice, the first guy said, "I think I'm going to move to Sydney. There are only 100 nuns living there."

Then the second guy spoke up and said, "I want to go to Tasmania. There are only 50 nuns living there."

The third guy said, "I want to go to New Zealand. There are only 25 nuns living there."

One of the nuns turned around, looked at the men, and in a very sweet and calm voice said

"Why don't you go to hell. There aren't any nuns living there."

# LJ Hooker Forster - Tuncurry



## Alan Greenland

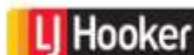
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## LYN'S LARDER

### SINGAPORE NOODLES.

*I found this in an old issue of Burke's Backyard and it is very like a meal I used to make in my younger day.*

#### INGREDIENTS

120g pkt Rice or bean vermicelli noodles (they are the clear noodles)  
 ½ tsp Curry powder  
 ½ tsp Salt  
 ½ tsp Pepper  
 ½ tsp Turmeric  
 ½ tsp Sugar  
 ¼ large Onion, diced  
 ¼ Red capsicum, sliced  
 ½ Red Chilli, sliced (optional, use a small dried one for)  
 50 g Char sui pork  
 1 Spring onion  
 Small handful of Bean sprouts  
 2-3 tbsp. Peanut oil  
 3-4 Green prawns, peeled  
 1 Egg

#### METHOD

1. Soak the noodles in a bowl of cold water while you prepare the other ingredients. Mix the spices, salt and sugar together in a small bowl. Prepare the vegetables and pork and keep in a separate bowl. Keep the spring onions and bean sprouts in another bowl.
2. After all the other ingredients have been prepared, drain the noodles and place them in a dry bowl. Sprinkle the spice mix over the noodles so they are evenly coated with the spices.
3. Into a very hot wok (deep frypan) add the peanut oil and then the prawns. Toss them briefly then crack the egg into the wok. Swirl quickly then add the noodles straight on top and toss to combine.
4. Continue tossing the noodle mix for one minute then add the onion, capsicum, chilli and pork. Toss everything to combine well.
5. Add the spring onions and bean sprouts and toss until some of the bean sprouts start to collapse. Serve immediately.

Note: the noodles are sold in packets containing several "biscuits" and the pork is tradition Chinese BBQed pork. Both available in Asian food stores

*The dish I made was Thai and made with dried prawns (available in Asian shops) and shredded BBQ chicken, which I think would do as well if you can't get the other ingredients. It also had the small dried red chilli (very hot) in it, whole, not sliced so you got the flavour but didn't get caught with a burnt mouth if you accidentally ate it.*

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Morris returns from the doctor and tells his wife that the Doctor has told him that he has only 24 hours to live. Given the prognosis, Morris asks his wife for sex.

Naturally, she agrees, so they make love.

About 6 hours later, the husband goes to his wife and says, "*Honey, you know I now have only 18 hours to live. Could we please do it one more time?*"

Of course, the wife agrees, and they do it again.

Later, as the man gets into bed, he looks at his watch and realizes that he now has only 8 hours left. He touches his wife's shoulder and asks, "*Honey, please... just one more time before I die.*"

She says, "*Of course, Dear,*" and they make love for the third time.

After this session, the wife rolls over and falls to sleep.

Morris, however, worried about his impending death, tosses and turns, until he's down to 4 more hours.

He taps his wife, who rouses.

"*Honey, I have only 4 more hours. Do you think we could...*"

At this point the wife sits up and says, "*Listen Morris, enough is enough. I have to get up in the morning... you don't.*"

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### **You think you had a bad day...**

His request approved, the Fox News photographer quickly used a cell phone to call the local airport to charter a flight. He was told a twin engine plane would be waiting for him at the airport..

Arriving at the airfield, he spotted a plane warming up outside a hanger. He jumped in with shouted, '*Let's go.*'

The pilot taxied out, swung the plane into the wind and took off. Once in the air, the photographer instructed the pilot, '*Fly over the valley and make low passes so I can take pictures of the fires on the hillsides.*'

'Why?' asked the pilot.

'*because I'm a photographer for Fox Cable News,*' he responded. '*And I need to get some close up shots.*'

The pilot was strangely silent for a moment. Finally he stammered, '*So, what you're telling me is . . . You're NOT my Flight Instructor?*'

**"Life is short, drink the good wine first"**



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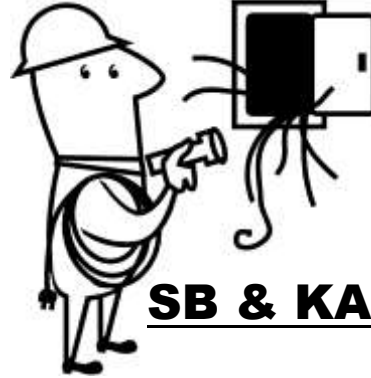
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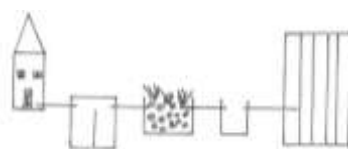
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## IN YOUR PLOT

Autumn is in full swing and the mornings are really starting to cool down. Some people have started having their fires going of an evening too.

Autumn is a great time to get out into the garden. It's time for pruning a lot of plants, only by taking off about a third of its outer growth, BUT not any of your shrubs or trees that are going to flower or fruit in late autumn, winter or early spring, such as some fruit trees, wisteria and gardenias.

It is also a great time to plant that tree or shrub that you have been thinking about. The soil is still warm, they will have several months to settle in, put their growth into their roots and be ready for springing forth when the warmer weather arrives again.

As we enjoy the last of the colour in the deciduous trees, don't forget to use all those fallen leaves! They make great compost, rich and crumbly that will improve all types of soil. Tumble or turn the compost to aerate and add some of your older comfrey leaves to accelerate the process. Or use them as mulch to cover the beds and keep the weeds at bay.

May is the time for planting spring flowering bulbs and annuals and transplanting shrubs. We can take a little break while summer weeds fade and winter weeds, hopefully, haven't started to grow. The weather is ideal to get out and prepare the garden beds with your compost and some manure dug into the soil before you plant your spring and early summer bulbs and plants.

It is also time to order your bare rooted roses and deciduous trees, shrubs and climbers, but wait a while to plant as it is still a bit warm for them to thrive.

When choosing bulbs, avoid mouldy, shrivelled specimens or spring bulbs that have already started to shoot (especially the ones sold in plastic pouches). Select plump, firm specimens that look healthy. Store your tulips and hyacinths in the fridge crisper (not in closed containers - a paper bag perhaps) until mid winter because they need a long cool winter to flower well.

With the cooler weather plants will start to need less food and nitrogen so use potassium and phosphorous rich flower and fruit fertilisers to promote growth instead.

Patchy lawns can be sown with grass seed for quick repairs. Fork over the ground to aerate it and improve the drainage and apply a handful of magnesium rich dolomite per square metre to sweeten the soil and discourage moss. You still have time to give your lawns a quick feed to get them through till spring. Look out for bindii as my lawn, after the heat and rain has popped up the biggest bindii plants I have ever seen. A good spray to get rid of them is required before they start to set their deadly seeds.

You can pop in seedling of antirrhinum, clarkia, candytuft, delphiniums, larkspur, mignonette, ornamental kale, wall flowers and viola stock.

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### Aussie Humour possibly not politically correct but funny

A platoon of soldiers were patrolling north of Fallujah when they came upon an Isis terrorist, badly injured and unconscious.

On the opposite side of the road was an Australian soldier in a similar but less serious state. The soldier was conscious and alert and as first aid was given to both men, the Platoon Leader asked the injured Australian what had happened. The soldier reported, 'I was heavily armed and moving north along the highway here, and there was a heavily armed insurgent.'

We saw each other and both took cover in the ditches along the road. I yelled to him that the last ISIS leader was a miserable, lowlife scum bag who got what he deserved.

He yelled back that Bill Shorten is a unionist, good-for-nothing, left wing labor d..thead who knows bugger all about running the country.' 'So I said that the new Isis leader dresses and acts like a frigid, mean-spirited git!' He retaliated by yelling, 'Oh yeah? Well, so does Penny Wong!'

'And, there we were, in the middle of the road, laughing, shaking hands, when a bloody truck hit us.'

### MAMA'S BIBLE

... a touching story...

Four brothers left home for college, and they became successful doctors and lawyers.

One evening, they chatted after having dinner together. They discussed the 95th birthday gifts they were able to give their elderly mother who moved to Florida.

The first said, "You know I had a big house built for Mama."

The second said, "And I had a large theatre built in the house."

The third said, "And I had my Mercedes dealer deliver an SL600 to her."

The fourth said, "You know how Mama loved reading the Bible and you know she can't read anymore because she can't see very well. I met this preacher who told me about a parrot who could recite the entire Bible. It took ten preachers almost 8 years to teach him. I had to pledge to contribute \$50,000 a year for five years to the church, but it was worth it. Mama only has to name the chapter and verse, and the parrot will recite it."

The other brothers were impressed.

After the celebration Mama sent out her "Thank You" notes. She wrote:

"Milton, the house you built is so huge that I live in only one room, but I have to clean the whole house. Thanks anyway."

"Marvin, I am too old to travel. I stay home; I have my groceries delivered, so I never use the Mercedes. The thought was good. Thanks."

"Michael, you gave me an expensive theatre with Dolby sound and it can hold 50 people, but all of my friends are dead, I've lost my hearing, and I'm nearly blind. I'll never use it. Thank you for the gesture just the same."

"Dearest Melvin, you were the only son to have the good sense to give a little thought to your gift. The chicken was delicious. Thank you so much."

Love, Mama.

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A girl asks a boy: "Peter, how much do you love me?"

The boy looks her in the eyes, "Look up at the stars, that's how much I love you."

The girl is confused, "But it's morning, there are no stars?" Boy nods, "Exactly!"



### VERY CUTE AND TRUE!! ....Scotch with two drops of water

A lady went to the bar on the Regal Princess cruise ship and ordered a Scotch with two drops of water as per their recent bonus offer to her..

As the bartender gives her the drink she says, 'I'm on this Princess cruise to celebrate my 80th birthday and it's today.'

The bartender says, 'Well, since it's your birthday, I'll buy you a drink. In fact, this one is on me.'

As the woman finished her drink, the woman to her right says, 'I would like to buy you a drink, too.'

The old woman says, 'Thank you. Bartender, I want a Scotch with two drops of water.'

'Coming up,' says the bartender

As she finishes that drink, the man to her left said, 'I would like to buy you one, too.'

The old woman says, 'Thank you. Bartender, I want another Scotch with two drops of water.'

'Coming right up,' the bartender says.

As he gave her the drink, he says, 'Ma'am, I'm dying of curiosity. Why the Scotch with only two drops of water?'

The old woman replies, 'Sonny, when you're my age, you've learned how to hold your liquor. Holding your water, however, is a whole other issue.'

Mrs. Ravioli comes to visit her son Anthony for dinner. He lives with a female roommate, Maria. During the course of the meal, his mother couldn't help but notice how pretty Anthony's roommate is. Over the course of the evening, while watching the two interact, she started to wonder if there was more between Anthony and his roommate than met the eye. Reading his mom's thoughts, Anthony volunteered, "I know what you must be thinking, but I assure you, Maria and I are just roommates."

About a week later, Maria came to Anthony saying, "Ever since your mother came to dinner, I've been unable to find the silver sugar bowl. You don't suppose she took it, do you?"

"Well, I doubt it, but I'll email her, just to be sure." So he sat down and wrote an email:

Dear Mama, I'm not saying that you "did" take the sugar bowl from my house; I'm not saying that you "did not" take it. But the fact remains that it has been missing ever since you were here for dinner.

Your Loving Son,  
Anthony

A few days later, Anthony received a response email from his Mama which read:

Dear son, I'm not saying that you "do" sleep with Maria, and I'm not saying that you "do not" sleep with her. But the fact remains that if she was sleeping in her OWN bed, she would have found the sugar bowl by now.

Your Loving Mama

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Police officer talks to a driver: "Your tail light is broken, your tyres must be exchanged and your bumper hangs halfway down. That will be 300 dollars."


Driver: "Alright, go ahead. They want twice as much as that at the garage"



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## REAL KULTCHA

"I wish that I could see beyond,  
Tomorrow's early dawn."

That's the first couple of lines of a poem I'm working on at the moment and as I progress it, I'll keep you posted. But isn't that also the simple wish we all make at the beginning of each football season? Will my team do any good this year? So bad were they last year I'm wondering if I should even bother buying their new strip! Life is fraught with anxiety, smashed dreams and friends who always mock my team's earnest endeavours. Mind you, things could be worse: I could follow soccer or cross-country wrestling? I'd really be beyond any rescue as are a couple of weird folk I know who follow Manly and Carlton. I guess there's no way of knowing when dementia might hit.

But this last week has been nothing but a week from Heaven. The Mighty St George (the northern half of the Heavenly Cohort) are beginning to warm to our Mary's training regime and – would you believe (and you'd better, because it's true) – they sat atop the NRL ladder for a couple of weeks before being beaten in overtime by a drop goal from the boot of the bloke who loves puppies. They'll be there when the whips start cracking later this year.

And speaking of the whips cracking, the Stewards at Rosehill a few weeks ago jumped all over jockey Ben Melham. Why, I hear you mutter? Well, he was riding *Assign* in the Neville Sellwood Stakes and to encourage his mount – because if he didn't he'd be slapped with a fine and a suspension – he used his whip. Not, I should add, that the whips they use these days are something to be feared because somebody in the racing hierarchy have stipulated whips are to be made from tissue paper or something like that, to appease the Animal Liberation softies (who probably don't go to the races, anyway)! Yes, that person standing in rear, you're right, I wouldn't want to be flogged by one but I have been flogged several times by something very much harder and it certainly encouraged me!

But I digress.

According to the Stewards, Ben hit *Assign* 15 times before the 100 metre mark and that apparently, is **too many times!** The thing I find interesting is somebody is actually counting how many times the jockey hits his/her horse, on each of the horses, in every race, on every racecourse, every weekend, across Australia! What a mind-numbing job that'd be! I also wonder what qualifications you'd need and how you'd write it on your CV when applying for the position? Given it's racing and they always refer to it as *The Sport of Kings*, you could bet the successful applicant probably has an Honours degree in Mathematics. What ho, old chap! We've got to keep up the standards in the racing industry.

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I may have a weird sense of humour but in my mind I can see a small child asking his dad what he does for a living? "Oh, I have a very important job," he replies, "I count how many times a jockey hits his horse with a tissue paper." Can you imagine how that would play out at the kid's next Show and Tell session? The poor rug rat would be laughed out of class and probably be scarred for life.

So, all you folk who backed *Assign* in the Neville Sellwood Stakes might consider contributing to Ben's super. The horse started at 8s and with his encouragement, won by 3/4 of a length. You did pretty good! He, on the other hand, tried to defend himself by saying a number of the so-called hits were just waves but the heavies weren't having any of it: they said he hit so he hit and for his riding, Ben copped a \$2,000 fine and was suspended for 14 days.

On other matters, down south the Heavenly Cohort St Kilda have stumbled a little but are not far behind the top team. **BUT**, though they've lost a couple, they have beaten Collingwood and Eddie was not happy! He obviously, hasn't talked to me. On top of that the Pies (they're called that in Melbourne because it's easier to spell) lost the ANZAC Day match to Essendon and by all reports Buckley is under the pump.

Just a short note to let you know how the cross-country wrestlers are going. I mentioned in my last rant that the **Super 18** Competition was going to be reduced to a (not so super) **Super 15** and to do that it seems two teams from South Africa would get the chop and one from Australia would be punted. But which one? You'd expect it would be one of the sides that wasn't performing and into that pot would definitely go *The Force* (Perth) and *The Rebels* (Melbourne). But not so fast. The last ladder I've seen has *The Waratahs* (NSW) sitting between the other two! The other two teams in the Australian conference are *The Brumbies* (ACT) and *The Reds* (Queensland) and they're both very clear of the drop zone. How weird would it be if the Australian team to be punted was *The Waratahs* from the state that is the home of rugby in Australia? Stay tuned - it could get messy.

Talk at you next month,

*Hillside Critic*

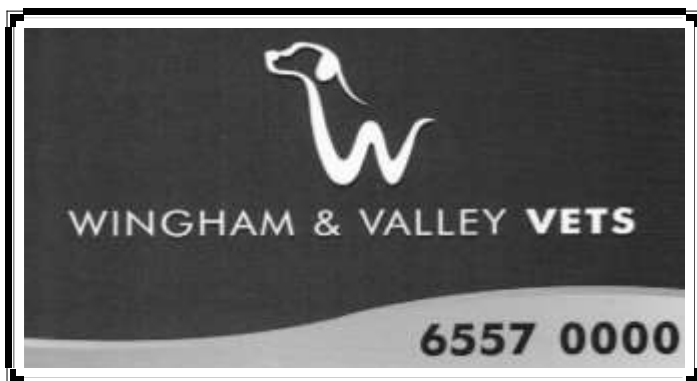
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## Wallamba Bulls



**T**his season the Wallamba Bulls celebrate ten years in the Lower Mid North Competition and the Bulls are aiming to go one better on last seasons performance where they were defeated in the Grand Final by the Forster Dolphins. This season is to be "The Year of the Bull."

Never one to rest on his laurels, Coach *Lee Sullivan*, together with assistant coaches *Mick Wilson* and *Paul De Szell* put the players through a rigorous preseason training program focusing on fitness and set plays before a series of trial games that were played against the Dubbo Rhinos and Port Pirates in Nabitac.

With the start of the 2017 season proper, the Wallamba Bulls kicked off the 2017 Lower Mid North Coast Rugby Season in style with 3 wins and 3 bonus points from 3 games in the season to date to lead the competition ladder.

In what was a wet start to the season the Bulls took to the field in Gloucester in what was the only game of the round to kick off with all other games washed out. After a tough 80 minutes of Rugby the Bulls took their first points of the season with a convincing win over the Gloucester Cockies 82 – 7 to claim their first bonus point.

The Bulls second game of the season was postponed due to wet weather and ultimately played on Anzac Day against the Old Bar Clams in Old Bar. Again the Bulls dominated on the paddock and stamped to a 58 – 5 victory over Old Bar.

The third round was played in Nabitac against the Manning Ratz in what was a tough physical game of Rugby that challenged the Bulls and their defences with 2 players yellow carded. Despite the setback the Bulls again charged to victory with a final score of 34 – 14. This was also the opportunity for the Bulls to thank their sponsors with the presentation of Jerseys to the Sponsors who make the Wallamba Bulls possible.



The Lower Mid North Coast Competition takes a breather on 29<sup>th</sup> April for the NSW Country Championships which are being played in Port Macquarie before returning on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 when the Bulls travel to take on the Myall Coast Mud Crabs. The Nabitac Hotel Bulls supporters bus will leave the hotel car park at 1.15pm.

With 3 home games in May, The Bulls will play a grand final rematch against the Forster Dolphins at home (Aub Ferris Oval Nabitac) on 13<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 in what will undoubtedly be a great game of Rugby with new coaches and several new players adding a new dynamic to the Dolphins game. On 20 May 2017 the Bulls again play at home when they host the Gloucester Cockies who will no doubt, be seeking redemption for their loss to the Bulls in the first round. Then on 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2017 the Bulls play host to the Old Bar Clams.

In the Year of the Bull we would like to encourage as many supporters as possible to attend our free games which kick off at 3pm with canteen and bar facilities available it is a great family friendly way to spend an afternoon.

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Have a busy time in front of us. You will see us at the Motorfest @ J Wright Park on June 11<sup>th</sup>, at the Forster Keys Fun Day on July 2<sup>nd</sup>. And a reminder that the Nabiac Swap Meet is on again on July 30<sup>th</sup>.

As mentioned last month several members joined a total of 54 participants in 28 vehicles, some old, some not quite so old, on a "mystery" 8 day run through the New England area. Fresh instructions were issued for each days travel. A great time looking at heaps of "good stuff", tractor wrecking yards, the BOSS factory in Inverell, museums, the woollen factory at Nundle, Botanical Gardens and Equestrian Centre at Tamworth. This is a multi million dollar facility, a most magnificent collection of huge buildings devoted to the horse fraternity.

A busy 8 days and very enjoyable.

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### KRAMBACH GOLF CLUB



#### VETERANS RESULTS - APRIL, 2017

Thursday 6th - No play, course closed

Thursday 13th - Monthly Medal - 1st Round Championships

Winner: Steve Nye 68 nett  
R/up: Trevor Cheers 70 nett c/b  
NTP: 1<sup>st</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> Trevor Cheers  
4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Ian Andersen  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Steve Nye

Thursday 20th - 2nd Round Championships - Stroke

Daily Winner: Trevor Cheers 64 nett  
R/up: Brian Nuttal 67 nett  
NTP: 4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Brian Nuttal  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Frank Rolleston

#### Champion Winners

A Grade Gross: Steve Nye 162  
A Grade Nett: Don Gordon 148  
B Grade Gross: Trevor Cheers 170  
B Grade Nett: Ian Andersen 148  
C Grade Gross: Stuart Weller 195  
C Grade Nett: George Puzey 165

Thursday 27th - Foursomes Championships

Gross Winners: Steve Nye & Rod Dayment 124  
Nett Winners: Ian Andersen & Don Gordon 103.5  
NTP: 4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Steve Nye  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Frank Rolleston

#### LADIES RESULTS - APRIL, 2017

Wednesday 5th - No Play Due to Wet Course

Wednesday 12th - No Play Due to Wet Course

Wednesday 19th - Monthly Medal

Winner: Pam Paff 79 nett  
A Grade: Pam Paff 79 nett  
B Grade: Rose Pearson 83 nett  
Putting: Kay Moylan 31 putts  
NTP 1<sup>st</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> Pam Paff

Wednesday 26th - Foursomes Championships - 27 Holes - Stroke

Daily Winners: Kay Moylan & Rose Pearson 120.25 nett  
Rs/Up: Moya Harris & Emma Moore 123 nett  
Foursomes Gross Winners: Moya Harris & Emma Moore 153  
Foursomes Nett Winners: Kay Moylan & Rose Pearson 120.25  
Long Drive: 9<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>  
A Grade: Emma Moore  
B Grade: Jill Hammond



#### MENS RESULTS - APRIL, 2017

Sunday 2nd - Open Day - Cancelled due to course closure and rescheduled to 21st May

Sunday 9th - No play, course still to wet

Sunday 16th - Small field with social play only due to Easter

Sunday 23rd - Round 4 Tom Paterson Shield - Stableford

Daily Winner: Tom. Moore 41 pts c/b  
R/up: Stijn. Roos 41 pts  
3rd: Don. Peak 40 pts  
NTP: 4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Michael. White  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Tom. Moore

Winner of the Tom Paterson Shield: Michael White. Well done Michael, a very deserved win.

Sunday 30th - Jack O'Reilly Memorial Day - Mixed Stableford

Winner: Ian Andersen 40 pts  
R/up: Ken Martin 39 pts  
3rd: Stijn Roos 37 pts c/b

#### Mens:

NTP: 4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Rick Paff  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Andrew Badham

#### Ladies

NTP : 4<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> Emma Moore  
8<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> Kay Moylan

#### Golf - Below Par?

After a particularly bad round of golf, Robert decided not to go to the nineteenth hole [the clubhouse bar] and started to go straight home.

As he was walking to the golf car park to get his Range Rover, a policeman stopped him and asked, 'Did you tee off on the seventeenth hole about twenty minutes ago?'

'Yes', Robert answered

'Did you happen to slice your ball so that it went over the trees and out of bounds and completely off the golf course?'

'Yes, I did. How did you know?' Robert questioned.

'Well', said the policeman gravely, 'Your golf ball flew out onto the main road and crashed through the windscreen of a BMW. The car driver lost control and crashed into six other cars and a fire engine. The fire engine was unable to reach the fire in time and the building burned down. Now, what do you intend to do about it?'

Robert thought it over very carefully and responded, 'I think I'll close my stance a little bit, tighten my grip and lower my right thumb.'

#### Small World

Alex and Jim are trying to get in a quick eighteen holes, but there are two terrible lady golfers in front of them hitting the ball everywhere but where it's supposed to go.

Alex comments to Jim, 'Why don't you go over and ask if we can play through?'

Jim gets about halfway there, turns and comes back so Alex asks, 'What's wrong?'

Jim replies, 'One of them is my wife, and the other is my mistress.'

Alex responds, 'That could be a problem. I'll go over and have a word.'

He gets about halfway there and he turns and comes back, too.

So Jim says, 'What's wrong?'

Alex murmurs, 'Small world.'



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### FISHING REPORT

WEEKEND 21<sup>ST</sup> – 23<sup>RD</sup> APRIL, 2017

After weeks of rain it was a nice change to have dry weather, for the fishos to get out on the water. \

The weekend was rewarding, with several different species being weighed in.

A few members went offshore on Saturday, but it turned out to be very uncomfortable, wind and choppy seas making it hard work.

Sunny, mild conditions made for a better day on Sunday, when most of the fish were caught.

### BLUE WATER

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| Greg Bates      | 9 x flathead | 2.85 |               |      |
| Ray Pascoe      | 3 x flathead | 1.21 | 1 x mahi mahi | 1.00 |

### ROCK AND BEACH

|             |           |      |
|-------------|-----------|------|
| Paul Lawson | 5 x bream | 2.13 |
| Terri Day   | 1 x bream | 0.48 |

Well done to all who fished.

### NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME.

Monthly meetings are held 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month 7.30pm at the Nabiatic Hotel. Fishing weekends are 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend of the month, with Weigh In 2.30pm Sunday at Nabiatic Hotel.

**Michelle Pascoe** (club secretary) 0400 651 288

## News From The Pews

### Nabiatic Uniting Church

Services are held every Sunday at 10:15am for fellowship and coffee before commencement of service at 10:30am

Holy Communion is celebrated with the service on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday.

For information regarding the Uniting Church, Nabiatic please contact Margaret **Weller** (6554 1212), Jill **Hammond** (6555 7747)

### St John's Anglican Church, Dyers Crossing

A Contemporary Service is held on 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month at 5.00pm. Families & children most welcome

Services of Holy Communion will be held at 11:30 am on the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.

A non-denominational Bible Study group meets fortnightly. Ring Peggy **Sawyer** on 6559 1238 for details re times.

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*St Bernadette's church goes please note that the Saturday times  
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### St Bernadette's Catholic Church, Krumbach

**May Mass** times are: - Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm, Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> at 9.00am, Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm, Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> at 9.00am,  
Could be subject to change - check with Helen **Legg** on 6559 1211  
**June Saturday 3rd at 6.30pm.**

### St Thomas' Presbyterian Church, Krumbach

A Family Service is held on the last Sunday of each month at 11:15am. A light luncheon is served afterwards. All welcome. Any enquiries please phone Pastor Michael Deal on 6553 0077.

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