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Editorial.

Hi all,

What fun doing this month's issue...not! I would hate to be a typesetter after doing all of the show's results.

Unfortunately I did not get any horse result but most of the other sections are complete. Apologies if I have got any names wrong or missed a prize winner.

Many thanks to Ross Dearing, Judy Farley and the other photographers (wasn't given names) who supplied the pictures. The show was lucky with the weather and all reports say it was a success. Now start getting ready for the 2024 Show. A busy month ahead of us with Easter, school holidays, ANZAC Day and my favourite time, end of daylight savings! We lost our 'History of the Wallamba' reporter during the month. Unfortunately Bob passed away after 6 weeks in Manning Base Hospital on 23rd of March. He had not been 100% for some time and age just caught up with him. Stuart Weller informed me that he started writing articles for the paper in 2003 with just short bits and he continued on when Paul & I took over in 2005. I don't think he missed a month, but for the one when the mail arrived too late for me to include it. He has left me two exercise books filled with information to troll through and include as special items as I sort them out. I know a lot of readers were very interested in his history articles and they will be missed as will he. 20 years is a long time sending reports in. A record I think, for a little local rag.

The weather is changing already. Woke up to a cold 12° the other morning and had to dig out the woollies.

The rain has moistened the ground and the weeds and grass have grown knee high again. Thought I would get away without having to mow again 'til spring. Not happening.

The ANZAC services are well advised in the paper for those who attend the services.

I hope everyone has a pleasant Easter. I have the kid and crew coming up, so I hope it is dry weather and we can enjoy a bit of outdoor entertainment. Bit of a drag if it is wet and we are all stuck indoors.

Watch out for you animals as ticks are still about. The weather has been ideal for them & I have had a couple in the last few weeks

Keep well and safe 'til next month Lyn, & Timidthy (Tilley Cat in spirit)



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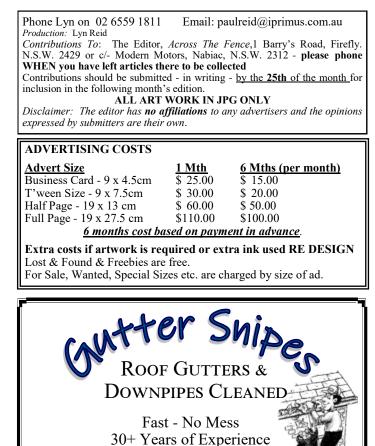
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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN APRIL 2023

Markets & Events.

•	Bulahdelah	(1st Sat)	1^{st}	8am to 1pm
•	Blackhead Bazaar	(1st Sun)	2^{nd}	8am to 12 noon
•	John's River Country	(2nd Sat)	8^{th}	9am to 1.30pm
•	Wingham Farmers	(1st Sat)	1^{st}	8am to 12 noon
•	Myall Quays	(3rd Sat)	15^{th}	9am to 1pm
•	The Hub Taree Showgnd	(3rd Sat)	15^{th}	8am to 12 noon
•	Krambach	(3rd Sun)	16 th	8am to 12 noon
•	NABIAC	(Last Sat)	29 th	8am to 12 noon
•	Old Bar	(Last Sun)	30 th	7am to 1pm
•	Pacific Palms	(Last Sun)	30^{th}	9am to 1pm
•	Forster Town	(2nd Sun)	9^{th}	8am to 2pm
•	Halliday's Point	(1st Sun)	2^{nd}	8am to 11am -?
•	Town Head (e	very Mon)		8am to 2pm
•	Mt. George	(4th Sat)	22 nd	8am to 2pm
•	Forster Farmers Marke	t (3rd Sat)	15^{th}	8am to 12 noon
•	Bobbin Community		th	9am to 2pm
•	Tuncurry Markets	(4th Sat)	22 nd	8am to 1pm
•	Burrell Creek	(2nd Sun)	9^{th}	9am to 12.30pm
•	Great Lakes Palliative Ca	re (3rd Sat)	22 nd	???
•	Wingham Markets-sh	owgrounds	th	

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ANZAC DAY 25th April, 2023

ANZAC DAY MARCH AT NABIAC

The Dawn Service will take place in the Memorial Park, hosted by the school leaders of Nabiac Public School. Arrive at **5:45 am** for 6:00am service

The Nabiac RSL Sub-Branch will be conducting an ANZAC Day Service at the Nabiac Memorial on ANZAC Day.

Those marching are requested to form up no later than **10:30am** at the front of the Nabiac School for the march. The service at the memorial will commence at 10:45am.

Everyone is welcome to attend, and to lay wreaths. There will be chairs provided for those who need them. Thank you

Alan Harwood - Nabiac RSL Sub-Branch

ANZAC DAY MARCH AT KRAMBACH

The March starts at Leo Carney Memorial Park (next to Krambach Hotel) at **10:30am** (fall in at 10:15am) proceeding up to Krambach Hall for the ANZAC Ceremony and wreath laying

After the Service, Krambach Hall Committee provides a light lunch of sandwiches and cakes at a cost of \$5.00 per person payable on the day - contact Faye Deer to confirm for catering purposes on 6559 1562

ANZAC DAY SERVICE AT BUNYAH

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ANZAC MEMORIAL

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Think of the Mothers and their grief, Think of the Lovers whose romance was brief, Of our noble Sons, a Nation's pride, Glorious Manhood that fought and died!

Think of the years, those weary years, Think of the heartache and the tears, Think of the destruction that they wrought, T'was in a War to end War, that the ANZAC;s fought.

Would you break faith with the dead, my friends? Then heed not the calls that the War God sends. Live in peace with thy brothers, try and heal their sore, Remembering the men who formed the Australian New Zealand Army

> Corps Written by Wyn Barber (B04) in 1930

A tribute to Robert James Mann 23.10.28 - 23.03.23

Robert, generally know as Bob, will be greatly missed by readers of his monthly article "The Wallamba Watershed' History".

His first article appeared in February, 2003's issue when it was still being produced by Stuart Weller. I don't think he has missed an issue (maybe one when the mail was late) since.

20 years, not a bad effort for a contributor He was passionate about history and spent his time in the library and Tuncurry Museum researching it for anyone who needed to find out something they needed to know.

RIP Bob



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(b) Kind reminder Daylight Saving ends Sunday 2nd April. Remember to turn your clocks back and you'll be on time for appointments.

Easter School holidays are upon us Friday 7th **April to Sunday 23**rd **April**. Of course there are many wonderful activities at MidCoast Library Branches. Please check the website for all of April's events. Here are just a few you might be interested in!!!

Creative Art Nabiac:- Tuesday, 18th April, 2023, 10am-11am at Nabiac Library, 44 Nabiac Street, Nabiac (in the Showground) Join us



and use your creative skills to design a colourful piece of wall art. All materials supplied.



Suitable 5+ years. Free workshop. Book your spot either online website or phone MidCoast Libraries 6554 1355 Bookings are essential.

Always wanted to go fly a kite? Kite Making at Hallidays Point Library, 4a/85 High Street, Hallidays Point - Tuesday, 18th April,



2023, 2.30pm-4pm, Construct a simple kite and then test fly it in the park. Please bring along a water bottle and hat for the kite testing and wear enclosed shoes. Suitable for 5+ years. Bookings essential, MidCoast Libraries website or phone 6559 3066

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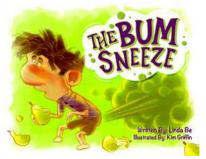
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Or perhaps a book launch with a local author? Great title!!! **The Bum Sneeze - Book Launch, Wednesday, 19th April 2023, 10.30am**-**11.30am Taree Library, 242**

Victoria Street, Taree . Discover how this venture goes for one sneaky man, who overeats on many pears and finds he is not a fan.

The author has spent over fifteen years in education and currently teaches six to seven year old children in Wingham on the MidCoast of NSW.



To book by phone 6592 5290 or online <u>library.events@midcoast.nsw.gov.au</u>

Nabiac Library has some great Easter reading. "The Unfunny Bunny" a hare-larious Easter tale by Adrian Beck; illustrations by James Hart or a DVD. Watch and enjoy "The Rabbit Academy Mission Eggpossible" or check out the MidCoast library catalogue for everything available in all our library branches. There's history - "Easter 1916. The Irish Rebellion" by Charles Townshend or "10 minute Easter Crafts" by Annalees Lim, both available at Taree library. Remember you can reserve items from any of our branches to pick up at Nabiac Library.

HAPPY EASTER to all our wonderful library members!!! Stay safe and thoroughly enjoy your Easter celebrations. Nabiac Library volunteers and staff look forward to seeing and assisting you with all your library needs.

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Nabiac Pharmacy News

Hello again from Nabiac Pharmacy, the best pharmacy in the Wallamba Valley.

The unseasonably long lasting summer and rainfall are still expected to continue giving people a really high rate of allergies. Come and see us as there are many safe, and effective treatments available through pharmacies. There are more than likely new treatments that you may not have tried before.

We will be starting flu vaccines from mid-April. We are starting at this point because the vaccine loses effectiveness after about four months. This is important to know because in NSW the worst part of the flu season is in August. If you get vaccinated before mid-April then your best protection will have worn off when you're most likely to catch the flu.

Regrettably we have made the decision to not administer COVID 19 vaccines. As a smaller distribution point it is too difficult to do with multiple vaccines, restrictions and getting the vaccines from the government is very, very hard. We would gladly refer anyone needing COVID 19 vaccinations to Nabiac Medical Centre. They are even able to take patients who have not been to them before.

Stay well.

Tim



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Now Covid regulations are over we need volunteers to open other mornings. Anyone interested please contact Sheila on 6554 3032

Customers are welcome to bring their own laptop to use our WiFi or use our desktop computers.

Alan, Terry and Sheila.



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Nabiac Memorial Neighbourhood Centre Association



Once again a big thank you to our Op Shop volunteers. When you are at our Nabiac Second Chance Opportunity Shop make sure you thank our volunteers for the hours they volunteer to process and sell donated items. Some of the projects that have received funding support recently include -

- * Fertilising of the trees planted at the Nabiac Oval. The trees are looking healthy and have grown so much.
- Purchasing of new trees (for much needed shade over the popular picnic tables), and some small bushes for the Creek banks to encourage return of small birds and reptiles, and insects.
- * Continued support of the Nabiac and District Preschool, the latest works being the replacement of the roof. It appears that the roof was the original roof built in 1961 as the maternity wing of the old hospital.
- * Assistance to Manning & Great Lakes Riding for the Disabled.
- * Support of Wallamba Show Committee for replacement of display tables for the Hall.

Management Committee elected in December 2022 at AGM -

President - Kit Carson; Vice President - Colin Henderson; Treasurer -Ross Dearing; Secretary - Louise Collins; Committee members Kathryn Murphy, Christal Pearce, Liz Van Reece, John Baker, Ann Newlan.

Meetings - the Management Committee now conducts an amount of business by email. After COVID restrictions we began meeting every 2 months. We've now decided to trial meeting every 4th month. Our next meeting will be in June, the second Thursday at 7pm.

Contact us on 0409 585 635 or email to <u>secretarynmnca@gmail.com</u> Louise Collins, Secretary



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Nabiac Village Futures Group News



O ur Group has decided to meet on the first Wednesday of every second month, so there was no meeting in March. We have been continuing to look at the information provided from the community consultation in February and edit the 2023 Community Plan.

One of the priorities for the community has continued to be the maintenance of Town Creek.

We are now fortunate to have *Nick*, the Council employee who looks after the pool, other amenities and does the mowing around town. At the community consultation some residents made mention of what a good job he's doing. This morning when I drove around it was evident that the grassed areas were looking great. But with all the warm, wet weather there has been a fast growth of weeds amongst the new plants in the area between the bridges and up the Creek towards the Highway. The Council have many such areas to maintain across the shire and have no resources to weed this area in the immediate future. Our small Nabiac Landcare group have discussed this with us in the past – they are involved with other projects and also, the Town Creek area is a difficult site for older volunteers to access – its rocky and steep. We would be happy to support and advise a group who may be keen to help out with weeding.

Shade trees have also been a priority in our community planning.

Some years ago, *Bec Harper, Del Thomas* and others planted the new trees around the Nabiac Oval. These trees are now looking quite healthy and they were to have received some fertiliser this week. Thanks Del, Bec and Harps. They are now discussing suitable trees and other plants to add to Town Creek.

Nabipatch

How good has it been to pick up some of the produce being grown at Nabipatch? Its worth a stop to check the basket at the little street library on the School front fence. In our kitchen we've loved the young Chokoes. Thanks Kids!

Speed limits in Nabiac business district

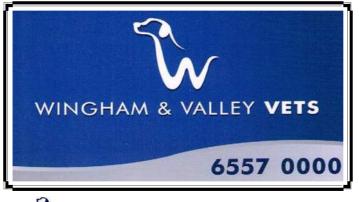
Good news earlier this month from Transport NSW regarding our request for a lower speed limit through the Nabiac town centre. Transport NSW have supported the request as have Midcoast Council. We should soon see those 50 k signs replaced with 40k signs (around the Nabiac and Clarkson Street shopping and café area only).

Please note that our next meeting will be held 5th April at the **new** earlier time of 6pm at the Neighbourhood Centre

Louise Collins,

Secretary, NVFG secetarynmnca@gmal.com





WINGHAM & VALLEY VETS

Canine Anxiety: A Calm Dog is a Happy Dog

Generalised anxiety disorders are common in many pet dogs and sadly, behavioural problems are one of the major reasons dogs are euthanised or surrendered to shelters. Many problem behaviours such as excessive barking, separation anxiety, phobias (including storm phobia), destructive tendencies and dog aggression may be



manifestations of an underlying anxiety disorder. Some dogs are so anxious they regularly injure themselves if exposed to anxiety inducing stimuli such as being separated from their owners or exposed to storms. If you have a dog that you feel is 'badly behaved', there is probably a good chance he or she is anxious.

The development of anxiety in dogs is partly due to genetics (some dogs are born with a temperament that makes them much more likely to be anxious) and partly due to early experiences. Genetics cannot be controlled, but early experiences in puppyhood and adolescence certainly can. It is extremely important when raising a young pup that they have only positive experiences during this critical socialisation phase and that owners make a special effort not to put their puppies in situations that cause stress and fearfulness. Exposing pups to a wide variety of situations gently and carefully and ensuring at all times it is a positive experience for them, will stand them in very good stead for the rest of their lives.

At Wingham & Valley Vets we would recommend puppies attend a controlled and well-run puppy school. A chaotic puppy school run by staff without sufficient training in animal behaviour does more harm than good. Puppy schools where pups are allowed to freely mingle, off leash with no refuge from frightening situations often result in puppies that will go on to develop anxiety about other dogs and people. A good puppy school should have trained staff, a limited number of puppies (we allow no more than 6 pups per class) and all

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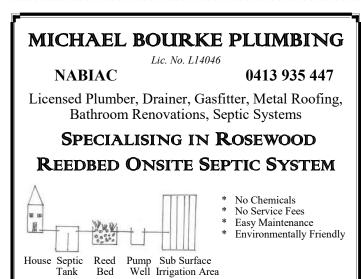
pups should be kept on a leash for the majority of the class, with some supervised play at the end, provided the puppies are comfortable. It is essential the staff have thorough knowledge of the body language of puppies and therefore can pick up on their anxious signals and take steps to remove them from the situation and relieve their anxiety.

Once a dog has developed anxiety there are lots of things a good behavioural vet can do to help. We see hundreds of dogs every year with anxiety disorders and many of these dogs can be helped significantly with a combination of medication and behavioural therapy. Often owners are desperate to help their beloved pet and are struggling with the aftermath of destructive behaviours. Many owners desperately search for information about what can help their dog and it can be easy to stumble across bad advice, especially on the internet. The worst of this advice is that problem behaviours can be solved through discipline, punishment or the owner 'asserting dominance' over the dog. Punishment or 'negative reinforcement' won't treat generalised anxiety and in most cases makes it worse. We would encourage anyone who has an anxious dog or a dog with problem behaviours to consult with a vet who has undertaken further study in behaviour. It is also important to maintain an open mind about drug therapy for anxiety – when used appropriately, it really can improve the welfare of many of these terribly anxious dogs.

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MINIMBAH MATTERS



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Mid Coast District, there is **no need for a Fire Permit** before you light fires in the outdoors. In other words, this is the perfect time to start cleaning, cutting and clearing around your homes and properties, and generally preparing them for the next fire season. Now is the time to not only prepare your property but to prepare your Bush Fire Survival Plans and yourselves for next season.

Some things never change.

Whilst Fire Permits are not required at the moment, the need to prepare your proposed piles or paddocks prior to lighting up has never been more important. **We** need to be able to find your property, and to get our big trucks through your gate and down your driveway in the event of a fire. **You** need to make sure your fire does not escape your property.



Please remember to do the neighbourly thing at least 24 hours in advance, and let those living across the fence, road or river (your immediate neighbours) know what you have in mind. Also, the New South Wales Rural Fire Service (RFS) are just hanging out to hear from you with regards to your burning desires.

For most of us, convenience is all important. The RFS has a 24-hour online notification service which you can access by visiting www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/notify. If you and the internet are not compatible, or are having a bit of a tiff, then a phone call to Mid Coast Fire Control Centre on 1300 643 262 will do the job.

Knowing the current Fire Danger Rating (FDR) may save your life. The FDR gives you an indication of the consequences of a fire, if a fire was to start, and is specific to your particular area.



You can find out the Fire Danger Rating for your area by:-

visiting www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/fdr;

by listening to your local ABC news;

by checking the new Hazards Near Me App or

by calling the Bush Fire information Line on 1800 679 737.

The higher the rating, the more dangerous the conditions will be. During those months when permits are required, all existing permits will be suspended when the rating reaches **High**.



The Show Did Go On and we had a great time. It goes to show (pardon the pun) that a lot of hard work, partnered with a bit of good luck, really does pay off. Congratulations to all those involved, in the



planning, delivery and outcome.

If the "volunteer hours" were tallied up, it would be an absolutely staggering statistic. No matter how small you feel your contribution of time or exhibit may have been, it all helps and is appreciated by our community.



On show day the Fire Danger Rating was Moderate and many show goers heeded our message of **Plan and Prepare**, and spoke to us about what they needed to be doing. Amongst all the serious fire prevention and fire safety talk, there was a whole lot of fun, and that's the way we like it.

Of course, there is no show without a Show Girl. This year our (Show Girl) *Millie* really enjoyed herself and attracted the attention of the "wandering minstrel" who, it would appear, frequents the same hat shop as does our girl.

A woman who knows what she is doing and is prepared to do it, can attract a certain following.

She can't wait for next Show Day! 9th March 2024

Don't forget your 24 hours' notice to neighbours and the RFS. Report unattended fires to **Triple Zero (000)**



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Nabiac Second Chance Opportunity Shop

Open Monday to Friday 9am to 12noon (Saturday 9am to 12 noon 37 Nabiac St, Nabiac

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News from Nabiac Second Chance Op Shop

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR BAGS WHEN VISITING THE OP SHOP AND SHED

Good news The Op Shop and Shed will no longer be closed on the first Wednesday of the month.

Wishing everyone a wonderful Easter holiday weekend with family and friends.

DATES TO REMEMBER IN APRIL:

We will be **closed** for the Easter Weekend from 7th April to 10th April and will reopen Tuesday 11th April. Please hold your donations until Tuesday 11th as there are no volunteers to sort over the weekend.

We are also **closed** ANZAC Day Tuesday 25th April.

DONATIONS:

Please drop off any large donations that cannot be put in the donation bin, during Opening hours as above.

Please see our full page of advertising regarding items we are not able to accept or sell.

SHOP:

Our clothing racks are bursting at the seams; we have a large range of Summer and light Winter clothing for everyone at the moment. More winter clothing will be put out in the next couple of months.

There is a large range of Linen, crystal, wool, material, Bric N Brac and lots more.

SHED:

The library is full of books, CD's and DVD's. Lots of furniture, dinner sets, cookware and lots more.

You just never know what treasures you might find.

Don't forget the sale of Books, \$1.00 Each, Children and young reader books are free, DVD's 15 for \$5.00 and CD's \$1.00 each.

Kind Regards

Kathryn and all the amazing volunteers from Nabiac Second Chance Op Shop.

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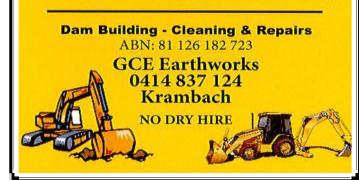
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Mini Muse Private Gallery At Muse Art & Crafts

Muse is excited to announce the first in its season of exhibitions in Mini Muse (inside Muse).

Nabiac artist, Ariane Bell is embarking on her inaugural solo exhibition, 'Recollections', opening on April 11th at 10 am.

'Recollections' is an homage to the artistic journey Ariane has taken from the Powerhouse in Sydney to Muse in Nabiac, to get to this point in her career as an artist.

'Recollections' is a demonstration of her love of 'Mixed Media' as seen through her curated artworks and sculptures.

Using acrylic paint and collage materials she has created a stunning collection of artwork that would grace any home.

⁶Recollections' opens on Tues April 11th and runs through to Sunday April 23rd. Throughout the exhibition period Muse will be open Tuesday through to Sunday, 10am to 3pm daily.

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April & May are going to busy for Mini Muse, as no sooner has Arianne's exhibition closed than *Gemma Stylz* opens her solo exhibition 'Lucid'.

Running from Tuesday April 25th through to Tuesday May16th 'Lucid' is a collection of paintings designed to uplift and inspire using imagery that conveys dreams and symbolism.

Over the past 20 years Gemma has worked internationally as a custom tattoo artist, picking up influences from cultures around the world. Through this work she has explored symbolism to communicate ideas, particularly the images and symbols in dreams.

In this body of work, 'Lucid' uses imagery that has a positive effect on the viewer and opens up the possibility for influencing the subconscious in a deliberate way.

You can read more about the origins and ambitions of LUCID in her blog at <u>www.gstylz.art</u>

Be sure to pop in and support our local artists as they put their heart and soul on public display.

All works are available for sale and there is no charge to just come in and take a look and feed your soul.

Check out our Facebook page, Muse Art and Crafts Nabiac for more information.

Regards Janice Dance



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Nabiac Landcare

Last month I spoke too soon! By the time ATF came out, the colour of the month was YELLOW! Last

year I noticed a huge increase in the number of cassias (Senna pendula var. glabrata) showing their pretty heads. I hate to say it but they are back, worse! Yes, they are pretty. No, they have few predators, they spread rapidly and crowd out valuable native plants that feed our wildlife and they are sneaky! They hide in the



bush, along the roads and in the garden and are virtually invisible until they bloom. Every plant removed now removes thousands of seeds from the weed seed pool. At the moment small plants and even some larger plants are pulling easily. If you need to use herbicide consult NSW WeedWise, it's really important to cut as low as possible.

I did a patrol of a small private bush block that I help weed and was

generally happy until I stood under a beautiful blackbutt (Eucalyptus pilularis). I pulled 99 camphor laurel seedlings (I was on my own and so I counted) under about half the canopy of the tree, the other half was mowed lawn. These were healthy plants well on their way to surviving and establishing a copse. The nearest mature camphor laurel is over 200 metres away but the birds do a great job of moving the seeds. Consult <u>NSW WeedWise</u> for control information.



The Nabiac Landcare team is currently working at Lillypilly Bend doing follow up and some primary weeding. We also have cleared a lot of rubbish out of the creek that has washed down in the floods. Treated timber, plastic bags, and general junk that get caught and then contribute to flooding and polluting our creek and river.

Nabiac Landcare normally works each Wednesday (weather permitting) 8-9am to 11am, followed by a very yummy morning tea. Membership is only \$2.00 plus an occasional donation to the morning tea fund and new members are always welcome. Training, tools and safety gear are supplied by Midcoast Council. Give us a ring if you are interested.

Remember, even if you can't help in the bush, you can do your bit for our lovely area by removing weeds from your own backyard and removing fruit and seeds from exotic plants that the birds and wind will spread. Most of all enjoy the local bush!

Liz Rees

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NEWS FROM NABIAG PUBLIC SCHOOL

ANZAC Day services Tuesday 25th April, 2023

The Dawn service will be held at 6am at the Memorial Park. Our School Leaders, in co-operation with the Nabiac RSL Sub Branch, will be running the service.



The daytime march begins at the school. We ask that school children come along dressed in their uniform and assembly at the front of the school (Clarkson St) at 10.15am. The march leaves the school at 10.30am and the service commences at the park at 10.45am.

Mrs McKinnon

Nabipatch

Nabipatch is our school garden located in the heart of our school grounds; this vibrant and flourishing garden is a hub of activity for our students, teachers and parents alike.

In our garden, we grow a wide variety of fruits, vegetables, herbs and flowers, all carefully tended to by our dedicated team of green-thumbed gardeners. Our garden provides an opportunity for our students to learn about the importance of healthy eating, sustainable living and caring for the environment.

In addition to providing fresh produce for our farm gate baskets and school canteen, our garden is also a space for relaxation and reflection. Our students enjoy spending time in the Nabipatch connecting with nature and appreciating the beauty of the natural world.

The Nabipatch is a true reflection of the close-knit and caring community that we have here at our school. We invite you to come and visit us and see for yourself the magic that happens in our garden!

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- 6. Babies toys: Rattles etc.
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- 8. All ride on child bikes, Trikes and scooters.
- 9. All Push Bikes. No exceptions.
- 10. Children's swing set's and all children's play equipment.
- 11. Jig Saw Puzzles under 500 Pieces.
- 12. All water floatation devices including Life Jackets and inflatable devices.
- 13. All Computers: Monitors, Keyboards, Laptops.
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- 15. Cots, Bassinets, portable cots.
- 16. All beds.
- 17. All mattresses.
- 18. Inflatable mattresses with power cord.
- 19. Baby bottles unless in packaging.
- 20. Prams, Strollers and high chairs.
- 21. All Pillows.
- 22. VHS videos.
- 23. Second hand stack hats and motor bike helmets.
- 24. Drink bottles: USED
- 25. Bean bags with beans inside and bean bag covers.
- 26. Knives or dangerous instruments.

Your donations are very much appreciated.

If you are unsure please call on 6554 1876 and speak to one of our friendly volunteers.

Just put a copy of the list on your fridge so you can refer to it when donating.

Thankyou in advance for your donations and co-operation.

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REAL KULTCHA

It's too hot!" "The seasons are out of whack!" "I blame Paul Keating/John Howard/Clive Palmer/Scott Morrison!" Oh boy – where to start. His name was George* and I fear we're seeing more of his ilk these days than we ever thought would happen.

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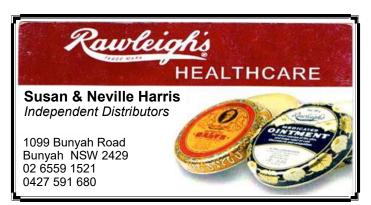
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Yes, the weather has been somewhat weird but any half decent weather person could give you the good oil on why. At this point I should probably put on record that weather forecasting is one of two of life's pursuits that have the title of an *inexact science*: the other is economics. Irrespective of what their respective "experts" may say, things will happen that nobody predicted but they'll always have a line (read: *excuse*) as to why what they predicted, didn't happen. And they'll keep their jobs because everybody around them knows they'd be guessing just as poorly if they were promoted to the position!

He was upset over how difficult it was for various players in a variety of sports to play because of the heat. I did try once to enlighten him about El Nino and alobal warming but he looked at me as if I was mental or been smoking something. I can't really blame any politician (though I'd like to) for this proliferation of what seems like so many almost brain dead Neanderthals in our society today. The number of people I run into who seem to have no idea about the basics of our life here in Oz astounds me: how our weather patterns work; how our three tiers government work; how the interest rate works (alright, I'm not sure on that one); and how can St George ever expect to win a game if the other teams practice more? If I had to hang my hat on a possible reason why there are so many knuckle draggers around today I'd have to suggest it might be when the boffins in the Education system banned caning! We all knew if we didn't pay attention or tried to be smart with the teacher (who was definitely smarter than us) there was always the cane and that really focussed your attention! Not all of us became geniuses but we did learn and that has held us in good stead - and we don't drag our knuckles!

The Galahs are still in India, have just started a three match ODI series and, at the time of writing, have lost the first one – badly. They lost the first two Tests that were played on rolled dust then won the third, which surprised everybody. Then it was off to Mumbai for the fourth – win it and the series is tied. Oh boy, it was a green wicket which, in India, is about as rare as rocking horse manure! It ended in a draw and somewhere in all the hoopla of interviews one player





(who'd had a microphone stuck up his nose) suggested they didn't do so well because the green wicket took them by surprise!!! Please. **Please**. You're a professional cricketer. You've been selected because of your ability in that sport. There shouldn't be anything in the game that takes you by surprise. You'll have played on green wickets in Oz. Concentrate you bunch of knuckle draggers. For one fleeting moment I thought they were getting their act together but then it was sameold sameold. I think I'm going to have to resort to the old and proven policy of suggesting to the coach that a few of them should be gelded. It works with horses and let's be truthful, the way their playing you wouldn't want to breed from some of them. I must get the coach's telephone number.

The first race of the year in the Supercar Series took place in Newcastle. This was the first outing of the Chevrolet Camaro which now completes the replacement of The Henry's Falcon and The General's Commodore: it's now the Gen3 rule set of the Mustang against the Camaro. There are some new rules as well (just in case you didn't know) and a biggie is they (the boffins who control series) want the new cars to look and (presumably) act on the racetrack, like the production models. Best of luck with that, it didn't work before. Yep, engine power will drop from 481Kw to 447Kw but they expect lap speed and top speed will be similar to the previous Gen2 models though they seem to be trying to stop the cars from exceeding 300 km/h. The boffins have also reduced the down force the cars are allowed to have by more than 65%. It is said this will place more emphasis on the driver's skill and lead to more overtaking opportunities. Time will tell. I wonder what will happen to all the old Commodores and Falcons.

<u>From the What Tha</u> File: Does the name Kate Leeming ring a bell? Well, she's an Australian and on a bike she has developed herself, she is gearing up to be the first person to ride a bike across Antarctica! She has already cycled east to west across Africa and I'm still not sure what I think of either of those ventures. Tough? Yes. Dangerous? Yes. Worth risking your life for? Ah, that's where Kate and I part company. I'm sure I could name half a dozen other ventures that would be safer and contribute more to our life here in Oz. A wasted opportunity, I think.

Talk at you again later,

The Hillside Critic

* Not his real name but one I use to protect his idiocy.





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Show News



A s all the hard work paid off, with what was deemed a positive, community orientated show, everyone who participated should feel very proud of what was achieved. We had record numbers in many areas and the public were complimentary on what there was to see and do.

The months, then weeks leading up to the show, culminated in a one day event that showed local industry, animals both large and small, entertainment and enjoying a country atmosphere on what was a 'warm' autumn day.

Feedback from the public is seen as an important part of putting on such an event. It helps in the decision-making process for the following year and brings to the fore, areas that need improving but also those that were done well. No-one reacts well to criticism that goes beyond 'helpful' boundaries. We learn by our mistakes and if they have been made, by all means let us know, but how about telling us we did a good job? How about saying that you enjoyed something on the day? How about coming on board and helping? This is how you earn respect, not hiding behind a computer and letting your fingers do the talking. Although we would welcome your ides/ comments for improvement via an email to the secretary if you can't come to a meeting.

The general meeting after the show had a great turn-out. Lots of positive interaction was had and ideas discussed to expand areas that would offer further opportunities for the 2024 show. I hope the people who came with enthusiasm and offered their opinions will come back to the committee with a plan, and open discussion to look at it objectively and bring to fruition next year. Together we can move forward......

A huge thank you to the committee, the volunteers, stewards, judges, and the many other people who supported the 2023 show. It was a success. It was important, and we will do it again in 2024.

Carol Baines – WDA&H Secretary Phone - 0404 963 779 Email – <u>secretary_wdah@outlook.com</u>



Show Thank Yous

Head Hall Steward

As Head Steward of the hall may I say a BIG thank you to my ladies and men who gave their hands and time to the Show. It was a great display, 874 adult entries and 398 children's entries!

Last year we had 805 adult and 297 children compete! We excelled my friends and for that I say "Thank you, Thank you Thank you". We couldn't have done it without each and every one of you!!

Mary

Ladies Committee - WDA & H Assoc Inc.

Congratulations to all of the lady committee members and volunteers who worked on Show Day to supply food at the supper room in the hall and the ring canteen.

All of these ladies worked non-stop and did so with enthusiasm and a smile on their faces.

Also to the gentleman who worked all day in the hall canteen on the dishwasher and cleaning plates.

There were also positive comments on the food we prepared on the day.

I would like to thank everyone for their time and support.

Without each and everyone of you it would not be possible to runthe day smoothly.

Thankyou and congratulations to everyone.

Liz - Ladies Committee



HALL EXHIBITS ADULT 2022		
SECTION 1 - ADULT ART		
Class		
A Works on Hardboard or Canvas	1st Carmel Sparks,	2 nd Fred Bullen
B Works on Paper	1st Carmel Farrugia,	2 nd Carmel Farrugia
C Drawing	1 st Marina Bishop ,	2 nd Barb Moore
PEOPLE'S CHOICE - KERRIE WRIGHT	• •	
Section 2 - Photography		
1. Insects	1 st Angela Cooke,	2 nd Diane Willey
2. Animals	1 st Alison Lynch,	2 nd Rev Helen Quinn
3. Birds	1 st Diane Willey,	2 nd Angela Cooke
4. Australian Landscape	1 st Alison Lynch,	2 nd Cindy Dearing
5. Landscape	1 st Gai Hardman,	2 nd Dianne Willey
6. Seascape	1 st Lyz Taylor,	2 nd
7. Action	1 st Ross Dearing,	2 nd Judy Farley
8. Portraiture	1 st Emily Griffis,	2 nd Judy Farley
9. Trick or Novelty Shot	1 st Anne Marie Farley,	
10. Plants or Flowers	1 st Mark Farley,	2 nd Judy Farley 2 nd Brooke Paff
11. Open - Any Image	1st Diane Willey, 1st Diane Willey,	2 nd Sue Hitchman
 Monochrome-Open/Any Image Creative/Digitally Manipulated/Oper 		2 nd Diane Willey
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SECTION CHAMPION - DIANE WILLEY (Clas	onated by Nabiac Pharn	201/
Stewards Choice Award - Rev. Helen		nacy
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - NEV. HELEN	Class 2 - Animais)	
Section 3 - Cooking		
1. Boiled Fruit Cake - CWA Prize	1 st Helen Lowe,	2 nd Jan Grey
	Highly Commended F	Robyn Moore
2. Best Iced and Decorated Cake - WI		
	1 st Charlie Manning,	2 nd Robin Cheers
3. Boiled or Steamed Fruit Pudding - V	Highly Commended L	Committee Brize
5. Dolled of Steamed Fruit Fudding -	1 st Robyn Moore	Committee Frize
4. Half Pound Fruit Cake - ASC/Sydno		e Competition
······································	1 st Nerida Schiffman,	2 nd
5. Sultana Cake -	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd
6. Plain Butter Cake	1 st ,	2 nd
7. Date or Date & Walnut Cake	1 st Marlene Simon,	2 nd
8. Chocolate Cake - Iced	1 st Lucy Currie,	2 nd Emma Moore
	Highly Commended F	
9. Carrot Cake - Iced	1st Lucie Currie	2 nd Robyn Moore
	Highly Commended D	
10. Banana Cake - Iced	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd Karen Forbes
11. Gluten Free Cake - Any Flavour	1 st Gai Emerson	2 nd Pam Paff
	Highly Commended L	
13. Cooked Slice - Any Variety	1 st Jan Grey,	2 nd Karen Forbes
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14. Unbaked Slice, any variety	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd Pam Paff
15. Lamingtons	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd Lucy Currie
16. Scones - Plain	1 st Susan Glenn Hume Highly Commended N	, 2 nd Robyn Moore
17. Scones - Fruit	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd Gai Hardiman
	•	Charlie Manning
18. Jam Drops	1 st Darren Forbes,	2 nd Robyn Moore
20. Anzac Biscuits	1 st Maria Battista.	2 nd Marlene Simon
21. Monte Carlo Biscuits, Plate of 6	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd Wallelle Sillion
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22. Gluten Free Biscuits, Any Flavour	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd Pam Paff
23. Cup Cakes - Iced, Plate of 6	1 st Lucy Currie,	2 nd
24. Pikelets, Plate of 6	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd Kerry Clout
	Highly Commended	Maria Battista
25. Any Cake Not on Schedule	1 st Tina Lloyd,	2 nd Lucy Currie
	Highly Commended	Karen Forbes
26. Any Biscuit Not on Schedule	1 st Lucy Currie,	2 nd Robyn Moore
	Highly Commended	
Pies	0 /	
27. Apple, Family Size	1 st Robyn Moore,	2 nd
Bread		
Bread	1st Daul Catton	2nd
29. Homemade White Loaf	1 st Paul Cotton,	-
30. Homemade Sourdough Loaf	1 st Lara Weber,	2 nd Lara Weber
 Homemade Specialty Loaf 	1 st Paul Cotton,	2 nd
Any Variety Not on Schedule	1 st Paul Cotton,	2 nd
Sweets		
33. Coconut Ice	1 st Marie Battista,	2 nd
34. Rocky Road	1 st Liz Van Rees,	2 nd Maria Battista
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD		

SECTION CHAMPION - JAN GREY - (Class 13 - Cooked Slice Any Variety)

Section 4 Jams, Condiments & Preserves & Honey

1. Peach Jam	1 st Robyn Laurenson,	2 nd Robyn Moore
2. Melon, Lemon & Ginger Jam	1st Pat Byram,	2 nd
3. Strawberry Jam	1 st Mary E Cain,	2 nd Robyn Moore

4. Raspberry Jam	1 st Pat Byram, 2 nd Maria Battista	
5. Apricot Jam	1 st Pat Byram, 2 nd Maria Battista	
6. Plum Jam - Red	1 st Robyn Moore, 2 nd Maria Battista	
7. Tomato Jam	1 st Mary E Cain, 2 nd Pat Byram	
8. Orange Marmalade Jam	1 st Moya Harris, 2 nd Jim Fischer	
ő	Highly Commended Jim Fischer	
9. Lemon Marmalade Jam	1 st Maria Battista, 2 nd	
10. Lime Marmalade Jam	1 st Maria Battista. 2 nd	
11. Three Citrus Marmalade Jam	1 st Maria Battista, 2 nd Robyn Moore	
12. Grapefruit Marmalade Jam	1 st Susan Glenn Hume, 2 nd Allan Richards	
14. Lemon Butter	1 st Mary E Cain, 2 nd Pat Byram	
15. Passionfruit Butter	1 st Maria Battista, 2 nd Robyn Moore	
16. Fig Jam	1 st Pat Byram, 2 nd Maria Battista	
	Highly Commended Maureen Bennett	
17. Jelly Jam	1 st Jeanie Wright, 2 nd Moya Harris	
	Highly Commended Robyn Moore	
18. Any Other Variety,	1 st Elma Salmi, 2 nd Robyn Laurens	on
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Preserves		
20. Vegetables, Any Variety	1 st Robyn Moore, 2 nd	
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STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - ROBYN MOORE (Class 267 - Asian Chutney) Donated by Nabiac Nook SECTION CHAMPION - ELMA SALMI - (Class 18 - Any Variety Not on Schedule)

Section 5 - Handicraft

Sec	tion 5 - Handicraft		
1.	Handwoven Article	1st Helen Breingan,	2 nd Sally Henderson
		Highly Commended Be	eryl Thornton
2.	Cushion - Patchwork, Machine Made	1 st ,	2 nd
		Highly Commended M	aria Battista
4.	Cushion - Creative or Novelty	1st Carol Baines,	2 nd Maria Battista
5.	Felted Apparel	1 st Phyllis Byrnes,	2 nd Dianne Blanch
6.	Felted Accessories	1st Phyllis Byrnes ,	2 nd Dianne Blanch
7.	Felting, Any Other Article	1st Marilyn Rutledge,	2 nd Coral Gabriel
Wir	nner Best Overall Felting Item (Dona	ated by Merle Barber)	Coral Gabriel
8.	Patchwork Quilt - Machine Made	1st Fay Anderson,	2 nd Lorraine Ryan
9.	Patchwork Quilt - Machine/Hand Made	1st Carol Carnegie,	2 nd
10.	Patchwork Quilt - Applique	1st Lorraine Ryan,	2 nd
11.	Quilt, Lap or Cot	1st Cindy Dearing,	2 nd Lorraine Ryan
13.	Patchwork, Any Variety Not on Schedule	1st Cindy Dearing,	2 nd Maria Battista
15.	Quilted Article - Machine/Hand Made	1st Fay Anderson,	2 nd
16.	Appliqued Article - Machine Made	1st Carol Baines,	2 nd
17.	Appliqued Article - Completely Handmade	1 st ,	2 nd
		Highly Commended Li.	z Van Reece
18.	Appliqued Article - Machine/Handmade	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd
	0,	1st Maureen Bennett,	2 nd Julie Whitehouse
21.	Bookmark - Any Textile Medium	1st Cindy Dearing,	2 nd Maria Battista
22.	Apron -	1st Mary Webber,	2 nd
24.	Any Machine Made Article Not On Schee	dule	
		1 st Vicki Ellis,	2 nd Marea Binskin
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STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD

SECTION CHAMPION - HELEN BREINGAN (Class 1 - Handwoven Article)

Section 6 - Embroidery

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1. Table Centre or Runner	1 st ,Maria Battista,	2 nd Liz Van Reece	
3. Counted Cross Stitch, Even Weave Fabr	ic1st Lesley Fletcher,	2 nd	
Counted Cross Stitch on Aida	1st Kate Ireland,	2 nd Helen Lowe	
5Coat Hanger - Hand Embroidered	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd	
Cushion - Embroidered	1st Joan McNamara,	2 nd	
Creative Embroidery Article	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd	
11. Wool Embroidery Article	1st Maureen Bennett,	2 nd	
15. Needlepoint Tapestry - Long Stitch	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd	
16. Any Embroidered Article Not On Schedule	1st Maureen Bennett,	2 nd Judith Difford	
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - HELEN LOWE - (Class 4 - Counted Cross Stitch on Aida) Donated by Forster Arts & Crafts Centre			

SECTION CHAMPION - KATE IRELAND - (Class 4 Counted Cross Stitch on Aida)

Section 7 - Knitting 2. Baby's Jacket

Section 7 - Kintung				
2.	Baby's Jacket	1st Kayleen McGowan,	2 nd	
4.	Childs Jumper, Cardigan or Vest	1st Vicki Ellis,	2^{nd}	

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5. Ladies Jumper, Cardigan or Vest	1st Kayleen McGowan,	2 nd
6. Rug	1st Carmel Moore,	2 nd
8. Article In Pure Wool - CWA Special	Prizes	
	1st Beryl Thornton,	2 nd Melissa Day
9. Article In Acrylic	1st Carol Baines,	2 nd
12. Tea Cosy	1st Carmel Moore,	2 nd Maria Battista
16. Doll - Decorative	1st Carmel Moore,	2 nd
18. Any Knitted Article Not On Schedule	1 Colleen McArthur	2 nd Jenny Elcoate

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - CARMEL MOORE - (Class 12 - Tea Cosy) Donated by Forster Arts & Crafts Centre

SECTION CHAMPION

Section 8 - Crochet

1.	Baby's Outfit, 3 Pieces	1 st Helen Lowe,	2 nd
2.	Baby's Jacket	1 st Christine Linton,	2 nd Christine Linton
3.	Childs Jumper, Cardigan or Vest	1 st Christine Linton,	2 nd Christine Linton
4.	Ladies Jumper, Cardigan or Vest	1 st Carol Hawkins,	2 nd
5.	Doiley to 25cm	1 st Pauline Layton,	2 nd
7.	Doiley over 25cm	1 st Coral Gabriel,	2 nd
8.	Rug - Large - Wool or Acrylic	1 st Coral Gabriel,	2 nd Nola Holden
		Highly Commended	Kylie Trost
9.	Rug - Small - Wool or Acrylic	1st Lyn Watterson,	2 nd Christine Linton
		Highly Commended	Steve Connelly
10.	Shawl –Wool or Acrylic	1st Tracy Bonfante,	2 nd Marjo Cabot
13.	Article in Pure Wool - CWA Prizes	1st Tracy Bonfante,	2 nd Carol Hawkins
16.	Tea Cosy	1st Carmel Moore,	2 nd Tracy Bonfante
19.	Soft Doll or Toy	1 st Sally Murray,	2 nd Renée Plevey
		Highly Commended	Colleen McArthur
20.	Any Article Not On Schedule	1st Leslee Tremlow,	2 nd Robyn Laurenson

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - SALLY MURRAY - (Class 19 - Soft Doll or Toy) Donated by Forster Arts & Crafts Centre

SECTION CHAMPION - TRACEY BONFANTE - (Class 10 - Shawl)

Section 9 - Hobbies

1. Porcelain/China - Painted/A	
O Magazia Any Artista	Highly Commended Marea Binskin
2. Mosaic, Any Article	1st Lindell Touhy, 2 nd 1st Julie Whitehouse, 2 nd Liz Van Reece
 Scrapbooking - Any Article Creative Card 	
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6. Pottery, Any Article	1 st Phillipa Bird, 2 nd Phillipa Bird
7 Martin Tomad	Highly Commended Phillipa Bird
7. Woodwork - Turned	1 st Neil Collier 2 nd Bruce Wilkinson
8. Woodwork - Carved	1 st John Startin, 2 nd A. Miller
9. Woodwork - Any Article	1 st Bruce Wilkinson, 2 nd John Startin
	Highly Commended John Startin
10. Folk & Decorative Art - Any	
11. Lead Lighting, Any Article	1 st Fred Barber, 2 nd Fred Barber
Jewellery - Any Medium	1 st Merle Barber, 2 nd Joan McNamara
	Highly Commended Merle Barber
13. Jewellery - Any Medium - Fa	antasy 1 st Merle Barber, 2 nd Merle Barber
	Highly Commended Merle Barber
14. Beadwork - Any article	1 st Lorraine Izzy, 2 nd Merle Barber
	Highly Commended Merle Barber
16. Christmas Decorations/Hang	ing/Any 1 st Maria Battista. 2 nd Merle Barber
17. Christmas Decorations, Any	Article 1 st Merle Barber, 2 nd Nola Holden
18. Bead, Handmade	1 st Fred Barber, 2 nd Fred Barber
	Highly Commended Fred Barber
20. Handmade Flowers - Any M	
5	Highly Commended Elizabeth Van Reece
21. Hat/Fascinator	1 st Merle Barber, 2 nd Merle Barber
	Highly Commended Maria Battista
22. Soap, Handmade	1 st Maria Battista. 2 nd
23. Candle, Handmade	1 st Maria Battista, 2 nd Liz Van Reece
	Highly Commended Colleen Wilkinson
25. Leatherwork	1 st Fred Barber, 2 nd Michael Gait
	Highly Commended Michael Gait
26. Bookmark,	1 st Merle Barber, 2 nd Merle Barber
	Highly Commended Elizabeth Van Reece
27. Any Article Not On Schedule	e 1 st Ron Wright 2 nd Carol Carnegie
-	Highly Commended Carol Baines
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD	

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SECTION CHAMPION - NEIL COLLIER - (Class 7 - Woodwork Turned)

Section 10 - Dolls, Bears & Animals

1. Doll's Clothes, - Fabric, Any type	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd
2. Soft Toy - Any Material	1st Carol Hawkins,	2 nd
3. Soft Toy or Doll, Rag/Cloth for Child	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd
Teddy Bear - Knit or Crochet	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd
8. Teddy Bear - Fur	1st Helen Lowe,	2 nd Carol Baines
9. Teddy Bear - Any Medium	1 st Maria Battista,	2 nd
10. Animal, Any Medium	1st Carmel Moore,	2nd Maria Battista
-	Highly Commended	Maria Battista

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - CARMEL MOORE (Class 10 - Animal, Any Medium) Donated by Forster Arts & Crafts Centre

SECTION CHAMPION -

Section 11 - Flowers

5.	Zinnias - Collection	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
6.	Native Flowering Shrubs & Foliage	1 st Cindy Dearing,	2 nd Karin Brown
7.	Garden Flowers, Collection - Kramb	ach Garden Club Prize	
		1st Jean Wright,	2 nd Cindy Dearing
8.	Proteas, Collection	1st Lyz Taylor,	2 nd Lyz Taylor
9.	Waterlily, One Cut	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
10.	Any Other Cut Flower Collection Not	On Schedule	
	-	1 st Lyz Taylor,	2 nd Heather Mitchell
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STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - CHRISTINE HEFFERNAN (Class 6 - Native Flowering Shrubs & Foliage)

	Donated by Nabiac Nook
SECTION CHAMPION -	

Section 12 - Floral Art

2.	Best Arrangement Featuring Fruit & I	Flowers - Any Container -	Embellishment
Opti	onal - Nabiac Garden Club Prizes	1 st ,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
3.	Any Foliage Arrangement	1st Karin Brown,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
4.	Table Centre Not to exceed 25cm h.	1 st Lyz Taylor,	2 nd
5.	Oriental Inspired - Any Content	1st Christine Heffernan,	2 nd Lyz Taylor
7.	Arrangement of Flowers - Any Colou	r, Embellishment Optiona	1
		1st Jodie Dearing,	2 nd
8.	Miniature Arrangement - Not higher t	han 10cm	
		1st Liz Van Reece,	(2 nd Carol Carnegie
		shared	(2nd Judy B Wright
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - HEATHER MITCHELL - (Class 8, Miniature Arrangement)			
Donated by Nabiac Garden Club			
SECTION CHAMPION - KARIN BROWN - (Class 3 - Any foliage Arrangement)			

Section 13 -Flowering Plants & Foliage Plants In Pots Or Baskets

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2.	Begonia - Foliage	1 st Paula Layton,	2 nd Allan Richards
3.	Peperomia	1 st Paula Layton,	2 nd Paula Layton
4.	Best Foliage Plant	1 st Lyz Taylor,	2 nd Heather Mitchell
5.	Collection of 3 Foliage Plants	1 st Paula Layton,	2 nd Paula Layton
6.	Cactus/Succulent - Single In Pot	1st Heather Mitchell,	2 nd Maria Battista
7.	Succulents - Collection In Pot	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd Maria Battista
8.	Maiden Hair Fern	1st Heather Mitchell,	2 nd
9.	Fern - Any Variety	1 st Norma Joass,	2 nd Paula Layton
13.	Bromeliad Flowering	1st Ross Dearing,	2 nd
17.	Orchid -Potted	1 st Christine Linton	2 nd Norma Joass

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - ELVA SALMI - (Class 4 - Best Foliage Plant) Donated by KINSPIRIT IRIS & DAYLILY FARM

SECTION CHAMPION - CHRISTINE LINTON - (Class 17 - Orchid, potted)

Section 14 - Roses

1. 1.Rose Exhibition - Red	1st Travis Heffernan,	2 nd
2. 1 Rose Exhibition - Yellow	1st Travis Heffernan,	2 nd
4. 1 Rose Exhibition - White/Cream	1st Travis Heffernan,	2 nd
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - TRAVIS HE Section Champion - Travis Hefferna Krambach Garden Lovers Prize to C	N - (Class 4 - White Cream)	,
Section 15 - Dahlias		

Ococion to Dunnas		
3. Medium, Decorative, NND 3 Blooms	i 1st	2 nd Alison Ross
5. Small, Decorative, 1 Vase 3 Blooms	Same Variety	
	1st Judy Farley,	2 nd
7. Miniature, Decorative - 1 Vase 3 Blo	oms - Same variety	
	1 st Anne Marie Farley,	2 nd Judy Farley
8.Miniature, Decorative - 1 Vase 3 Bloo	ms, Distinct	
	1 st Mark Farley,	2 nd Judy Farley
12. Small Cactus - 1 Vase 3 Blooms - S	ame Variety	
	1 st Alison Ross,	2 nd
18. Pompon - 1 Vase 3 Blooms - Same	variety	
	1 st Mark Farley,	2 nd Mark Farley
22. Any Other Type, 1 Bloom, Any Size	1st Ross Dearing,	2 nd
23. Novice, Any of the Above Classes	1st Anne Marie Farley,	2 nd

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - ROSS DEARING - (Class 22 Any Other Type, Any Size, 1 Bloom) SECTION CHAMPION - ALISON ROSS - (Class 12 - Small Cactus, 1 Vase, 3 Blooms, Same Variety)

MOST SUCCESSFUL ENTRANT - MARIA BATTISTA GRAND CHAMPION - ELIZABETH VAN REECE

(THEY WERE THE WINNERS OF THE 2022 SHOW AS WELL)

Section 16 - Vegetables

2. 125g Beans - Any Other Variety Including Climbing

	1st Neville Harris,	2 nd Kerry Clout
5. 3 Capsicums - Green	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd Terri Day
6. 3 Capsicums - Coloured	1 st Colin Henderson,	2 nd
7. 4 Chillies	1 st Vicki Mullins,	2 nd Bill Cartwright
8. 4 Chillies - Dried	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
12. 3 Zucchini, with Stalks	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
13. 3 Cucumbers - Apple	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
16. 3 Cucumbers - Green	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd
17. 3 Cucumbers - Lebanese	1 st Laureen Willis,	2 nd
18. Herbs - Fresh Bunch - More than Or	ne Variety - Special Nabi	ac Garden Club Prize
	1 st Laureen Willis,	2 nd Heather Mitchell
19. Herbs - Fresh Bunch - One variety	1 st NCG,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
21. Lavender	1 st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
23. Marrow - Any Other Variety	1 st Jim Fisher,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
25. Trombone, or Any Other Variety	1st Neville Harris,	2 nd
31. Parsley - Bunch	1 st Heather Mitchell,	2 nd Kerry Clout
32. Potatoes	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd
34. 3 Rhubarb Stalks With Leaves	1st Heather Mitchell,	2 nd Kerry Clout
 Silverbeet or Spinach With Stalks 	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd
37. Asian Salad Greens	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd NCG
38. Rocket	1st Carol Carnegie,	2 nd The Green Team
39. Heritage Vegetables, Any Variety	1 st Dianne Patterson,	2 nd
Pumpkin - Butternut	1 st Jim Fisher,	2 nd Jim Fisher
Pumpkin - Queensland Blue	1 st Bill Cartwright,	2 nd
Pumpkin - Any other variety	1st Phillip Costa,	2 nd Christine Costa
44. 3 Squash, Button	1 st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd Lauren Willis
45. 1 Squash - Pimply	1st Neville Harris,	2 nd Cherie Paterson
47. 3 Garlic Bulbs	1 st John Butterworth,	2 nd NCG
49. 2 Eggplant	1 st Colin Henderson,	2 nd Bill Cartwright
50. Vegetables - Any other variety	1 st Bill Cartwright,	2 nd Charlie Manning
51. An Arrangement Of Vegetables - A		
Krambach Garden Lovers Prize	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd Nabby Patch –Kids

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD

SECTION CHAMPION - ELIZABETH (LIZ) VAN REECE - (Class 51 - An Arrangement of Vegetables with NO Embellishment)

Section 17 - Fruit		
52. Rockmelon	1st Bill Cartwright,	2 nd Christine Costa
53. 6 Limes	1st Susan Glenn Hume,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
58. 6 Tomatoes, Tommy Toes	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd Liz Van Reece
59. 4 Tomatoes - Any variety	1st Neville Harris,	2 nd Dianne Patterson
62. Macadamia Nuts - 200gms	1 st Paul Lawson,	2 nd Susan Glenn Hume
63. Any Fruit Not On Schedule	1st Diane Buckley,	2 nd Lyz Taylor
64. Arrangement of Fruit - Krambach Garden Lovers Prize		
-	1st Christine Costa,	2 nd

STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - CHRISTINE COSTA - (Class 64, Arrangement of Fruit) SECTION CHAMPION -

JUDGES CHOICE - DIANNE BUCKLEY - (Class 63, Any Fruit Not on Schedule)

SECTION 18 - Farm Produce

65. Sponsored by D & J Wand Pty	Ltd	
6 Eggs, Chicken - White	1 st Kerry Clout,	2 nd Susan Glenn Hume
66. Sponsored by D & J Wand Pty	Ltd	
6 Eggs, Chicken - Brown	1 st David Roach,	2 nd Kay Forster
67. 6 Eggs, Duck - White	1 st Jeff Holden,	2 nd
70. 6 Eggs, Guinea Fowl	1st Jeff Holden,	2 nd

SECTION CHAMPION - DAVID ROACH - (Class 66 - Brown Chicken Eggs)

Cheese

72. Hard Cheese 73. Soft Cheese	1⁵t Kerry Clout, 1⁵t Maria Battista,	2 nd 2 nd Kerry Clout
Honey		
75. Clear, Light	1st Gai Emerson,	2nd Rutger Hauer
76. Clear, Dark	1st Phillip Moore,	2nd Kay Forster
77. Creamed	1st Liz Van Reece,	2nd Kay Forster
78. Honeycomb	1st Liz Van Reece,	2 nd
STEWARDS CHOICE AWARD - MARIA BA	TTISTA - (Class 73 - Soft Che	eese)

SECTION CHAMPION - GAI EMERSON - (Class 75 - Clear Light Honey) JUDGES AWARD - MARIA BATTISTA - (Class 73 - Soft Cheese)

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Section	1	Art
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Section 1 - All		
A. Preschool - Artwork Of Any Kind - Un	der 5 years of age - Spor	nsored by Nabiac &
District Pre-School	1 st Cova,	2 nd Bonnie
B. Infants School - Finger painting, draw	ing, stick-ons accepted -	Computer generated -
Hand coloured or printed	1st Edward Brittle,	2 nd Stanlely Waugh
C. 1 Primary School - Drawing	1 st Evie Hill,	2 nd William Dening
	Highly Commended	Elijah Duggan
C. 2 Primary School - Painting	1st Jake Krambach PS,	2 nd Avee Lletherbarrow
C. 3 Design	1 st Indiana,	2 nd Jazmyn
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C3. Design C. 4.Primary School -Computer Generate		
D. 5.High School - Drawing - Pen, Pencil	1 st Harry Hinsbey, <i>Highly Commended</i> Charcoal	2 nd Alex Guthrie Aylah De Tracy
D. 6 High School - Work In Colour - Any	1 st Abbi Petrisic,	2 nd Pipah Flack
Special Prize for Handwriting E & F do	1 st Maria, Krambach PS, nated by Jim Fletcher	2 nd Reianna Clough
E. Primary School Handwriting	1 st Amber Gilbert, Highly Commended	2 nd Noah Spychala <i>Hanna Plevey</i>
F. High School Handwriting CHAMPION ABBI PETRISIC	1st Penny Battista	2 nd Bianca Battista
Section 2 - Photography - Colour		
5 to 8 Year Olds	1st Amolio Llughoo	and Lillian Llughas
 8. Insects 9. Animals and Birds 	1 st Amelia Hughes, 1 st Lillian Hughes, <i>Encouragement Award</i>	2 nd Lillian Hughes 2 nd Ariella Griffis
 Landscapes or Seascapes Portraiture 	1 st Amelia Hughes, 1 st Lillian Potts,	2 nd Ariella Griffis 2 nd
 Fortunitie Trick or Novelty Shot Plants or Flowers 	1 st Bowie Thompson, 1 st Ariella Griffis.	2 nd Amelia Hughes 2 nd Lillian Potts
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BEST PHOTO - ARIELLA GRIFFIS - (Class 14		iss a Ahimais/Bilds
CHAMPION - LILLIAN HUGHES - (Class 9, Bir	ds)	
Creative Digitally Manipulated 16. Open - Any Image 9 to 12 Year Olds	1 st Summer Potts,	2 nd Lillian Hughes
8. Insects	1st Isabel Griffis,	2 nd Isabel Griffis
9. Animals & Birds	1 st Isabel Griffis,	2 nd Nicholas
10. Landscapes or Seascapes	1st Isabel Griffis,	2 nd Ava Thompson
11. Action	1st Cash Thompson,	2 nd Isabel Griffis
 Portraiture Plants or Flowers 	1 st Isabel Griffis, 1 st Isabel Griffis,	2 nd 2 nd Nicholas
Best Photo - Isabela Griffis - (Class 12, F Runner Up Best Photo - Isabela Griffis		
<u>13 to 17 Year Olds</u>		
9. Animals & Birds 10. Landscapes or Seascapes	1st Maria, 1st Rebekah Moore,	2nd Georgia Jones 2nd Georgia Jones
Best Photo - Rebekah Moore - (Class 10 Runner Up Best Photo - Maria - (Class 9)
CHAMPION CHILDREN'S PHOTOGRAPH	y - Lillian Hughes - (0	Class 9, Birds)
Champion & Best Photos donated by Ro	ss Dearing	
Section 3 - Cooking 5 to 8 Year Olds		.
18. Cup Cakes - 6 Decorated	1 st Ariella Griffis,	2 nd Emelia Hughes 2 nd
19. Cup Cakes - 6 Plain 20. Chocolate Cake	1 st Rory Knight, 1 st Isabel Griffis,	2 nd 2 nd
<u>Section 4 - Hobbies</u> 5 to 8 Year Olds		
28. Sculpture - Any Medium 9 to 12 Year Olds	1st Olivia Clough,	2 nd Rory Knigh <u>t</u>
25. Lego	1 st Archie Pearce,	2 nd Sienna Bridge26.
26. Best Mobile/Suncatcher/Dream Catcher	,	2 nd Isabel Griffis
28. Sculpture - Any medium	1st Highly Commended	2 nd Skye Anderson
13 to 17 Year Olds	Thynny Commended	Skye Anderson
30. Any Article Not On Schedule	1st Penny Battista,	2 nd
<u>Section 5 - Handiwork</u> 9 to 12 Year Olds		
31. Patchwork - Any article	1 st Lillian Hughes,	2 nd
32. Soft Toy, Handmade	1 st Tayla Paterson,	2 nd
<u>13 to 17 Year Olds</u> 35. Any Article Not On Schedule	1 st Bianca Battista,	_ 2 nd
Section 6 - Flowers and Pots	,	

39. Vase of Flowers - Any Type

Section 7 - Vegetables

Section 8 - Fruit

56. Any Other Fruit Not on Schedule 1st Special Prize donated by Mathew Rogers 1st Bethany Keegan , 2nd

- 57. Animal or figure made from Fruit or Vegetables 5 to 8 Year Olds

1st Rory Krambach School, 2nd Olivia, Krambach School

1st Pacific Palms School, 2nd Lillian Sargent

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9 to 12 Year Olds 13 to 17 Year Olds

Section 9 - Eggs

58. Eggs, Chook - Brown - 6 - 1st Prize Sponsored by D & J Wand P/L 1st R & C Kelland. 2nd Michaela, Georgia & Hayden 59. Eggs, Chook - White - 6 1st Prize Sponsored by D & J Wand P/L 1st Michelle thompson, 2nd 60. Eggs, Duck - White - 6 1st R & C Kelland, 2nd OVERALL WINNER OF PRODUCE SECTION SPONSORED BY DARON & JODIE WAND PTY LTD

1st Maria

 1^{st} Huxley Krambach School 2^{nd} Jonas Krambach School

BEEF CATTLE

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Angus				
Jnr Champion Heifer	• • • •	min Madden CCA	"Cedar Creek Sapphire	S1"
Snr Champion Female	Jazr	min Madden CCA	"Mundoo Jesabel R1"	
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Jnr Champion Bull Res Jnr Champion Bull		an Schneider TSS an Schneider TSS	"Tipperary Teddy Bear" "Tipperary Spectrum"	
Jnr Champion Heifer		stopher Cranston	"Ardyakka Foolin Roma	nce
Res Jnr Champion Heifer		an Schneider TSS	"Tipperary Cameo Ceci	
BRITISH WHITE	e une			
Jnr Champion Heifer	Mak	ayla Saunders GGBW	"Ravenswood Senorita"	,
Res Jnr Champion Heifer		ayla Saunders GGBW	"Chillina Edwina"	
Snr Champion Female		ayla Saunders GGBW	"Dingo Hilary 3rd"	
Res Snr Champion Female SPECKLE PARK	Mak	ayla Saunders GGBW	"Nanthes Park Sophie"	
SPECKLE PARK	Mo	ne & Cindy Tucknott P	(IODU "KIU Walter"	
Jnr Champion Heifer		C Tucknott KJSPH	"KJH Tabitha"	
Res Jnr Champion Heifer		C Tucknott KJSPH	"KJH Tara"	
HEREFORD				
Jnr Champion Bull	Darr	on & Jodie Wand	"HHH Soof Hyo Sergea	
Res Jnr Champion Bull		en Gardiner	"Robyn-Anne Sunny Bo	
Jnr Champion Heifer	Gra	hame Johnston	"Robyn-Anne Princess I	Eugenie"
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Jnr Champion Bull Res Jnr Champion Bull		be Bisley Dria Lee -Crimson Park	"Crimson Park Tango S	tar T1
Jnr Champion Heifer		litch Meredith –w/нмк		
Res Jnr Champion Heifer	N	litch Meredith w/HMK C		ty"
Senior Champion Female	V	ictoria Lee-Crimson Park	"Myres Congeniality	
SUPREME CHAMPION BULL -	V	ayne & Cindy Tuckno	tt клен "KJH Walter"	
SUPREME CHAMPION FEMAL	E- Ja	azmin Madden CCA	"Cedar Creek Sapph	ire S1"
INTER BREED				
Class 13: Pair of Females,	not ove	r 20mths owned by ex	hibitor W & C Tucknot	t KISPH
Class 14: 3 Head Different				
Class 15: 2 Head of stock b				
Class 16: 2 Bulls under 20			Julian Schneide	
Class 16b: Best Rare Bree	d - "Bria	nne Ruadh of Stone R	Ridge 9197 Sarah Vaugha	n
LED STEER/HEIFER				
Light Weight		stin & Ken Bisley	"Silver"	steer,
	2 nd M∖		"Mackenzie'	heifer
Middle Weight		kayla Saunders GGBW	"Benhaven TJ",	steer
	2 nd MV 3 rd MV		"Lexi" "Bessi"	steer heifer
Heavyweight		an Schneider TSS	"Tambar"	steer
noutynoight		ikayla Saunders GGBW		
	3 rd MV	AC -	"Rocky"	steer
CHAMPION LED STEER/HEIFI	ER	KIRSTIN & BEN	BISLEY- "SILVER" STEE	R
RESERVE CHAMPION LED ST	EER/HE	IFER JULIAN SCHNEI	DER TSS - "TAMBAR" S	TEER
YOUNG PARADERS				
Under 12 years				
1st Adelaide Stamp - MVAC	,	2 nd Eli McDonald,	3rd Jed Fazio - MV	AC, ,
4th Seanna Saul,		5th Neve Baker - MV		
6th Angus Murray-Gill - MVA	IC,	7th Emily Maguire - M	IVAC	
12 years Under 14 years				
1 st Issy Aitchison - GGBW 8	MVAC	2 nd Bailey Martin - GO		
3 rd Adena Campbell,		4th Katelyn Maguire -		
5th Kaedon Beckley - MVAC 14 years to 16 years		6th Heidi Webb - MVA	C, 7th Troy Ralpley -	WIVAG
1 st Lucy Kern - GGBW,		2 nd Logan Doolan,		
3 rd Peter Douglas - GGBW 8	MVAC	4th Ritchie Papps - G	GBW & MVAC	
5th Matilda Murray-Gill - MV		6 th Lilly Larach - MVA		eld - MVAC
16 years to18 year inclusion		,		-
1st Bailey Whitton,		2 nd Hayden Carter,	3 rd Eden Kaminski	i,
4th Arabella Randle - MVAC	,	5th Makayla Saunder	s - GGBW & MVAC,	
6th Harrison Wand		7th Ribiannah Doattie		

7th Bibiannah Peattie

6th Harrison Wand,

CHAMPION YOUNG PARADER BAILEY WHITTON -RESERVE CHAMPION YOUNG PARADER - ADELAIDE STAMP - MANNING VALLEY ANGLICAN COLLEGE

YOUNG JUDGES

Under 12 years

1st Emily Maguire - MVAC, =2nd Nathan Campbell, =2nd Sienna Saul, 4th Brody Baker, 5th Lucy Saunders - MVAC 12 years & Under 14 years

1st Adena Campbell, 2nd Heidi Webb - MVAC, =3rd Nikola Byrne - MVAC & Zakaryah Penfold, 5th Ayva Elliot - MVAC 14 years & Under 16 years

1st Logan Doolan, 2nd Lilly Lamach - NVAC, 3rd Lucy Kern - GGBW. 4th Aaron Moore, 5th Matilda Murray - MVAC

16 years to 18 years Inclusive

1st Eden Kaminski, 2nd Makayla Saunders - GGBW & MVAC, 3rd Bibiannah Peattie, 4th Harrison Wand, 5th Hayley Douglas - GGBW

CHAMPION YOUNG JUDGE EDEN KAMINSKI RESERVE CHAMPION YOUNG JUDGE MAKAYLA SAUNDERS - GGBW & MVAC SCHOOL SECTION BEST PRESENTED AND PREPARED SCHOOL GROUP MANNING VALLEY ANGLICAN COLLEGE

YOUNG JUDGES - FRUIT & VEGETABLES With Gavin Saul & Jan Kleynhans

1st Peter Douglas - representing Ghinni Ghinni British Whites and Manning Valley Anglican College

2nd Ella Saul - Independent

3rd Scott Walker

- =4th Hayley Douglas representing Ghinni Ghinni British Whites
- =4th Lucy Kern representing Ghinni Ghinni British Whites
- 6th Neve Baker representing Manning Valley Anglican College
- 7th Eden Kaminski Independent

DAIRY GOATS

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2 nd Blue Hills team	of Anglo Nubians	Pamela Tilbrook
WOODCHOPPING		
EVENT 1. 300mm UNDER-HAND HANDICAP		

1st Lauchlan Woollard 2nd Phillip Hughes 3rd Cameron Marsh EVENT 2. 2.75MM STAND BLOCK HANDICAP 1st Cameron Marsh 2nd Blake Marsh 3rd Lauchlan Woollard EVENT 3. 275MM UNDER-HAND HANDICAP 1st Lauchlan Woollard 2nd Phillip Walters 3rd Cameron Marsh

EVENT 4. 250MM STAND BLOCK HANDICAP 1st Jack Walters 2nd Lauchlan Woollard

EVENT 5. 275MM VETERANS UNDER-HAND HANDICAP

1st Wayne Woollard 2nd Don Brown 3rd Peter Walters

EVENT 6. DOUBLE HANDED SAW 450MM HANDICAP 1st Noel Marsh & Blake Marsh 2nd Cameron Marsh & Phillip Walters 3rd Don Brown & Lachlan Woollard

DOG HIGH JUMPING

Small Dog	1st Jess Carrick - "Snoopy"	2 nd Rebecca Harper - "Audrey" 2 nd Lindsay Barnes - "Ollie"
Large Dog	1st Phil McIntyre - "Chillii"	2 nd
Farm Dog	1st Aiden Hall - <i>"Fergus</i> "	2 nd Jenny Godbolt - " <i>Bess</i> "

TUG-O-WAR COMPETITION

CHILDREN'S PET SHOW

BEST KEPT

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1st	Asher Bending -	"Harvey"	Dog
2 nd	Jacob Bone -	"Trixie"	Chook
3 rd	Sienna Bridge -	"Crumpet"	Guinea Pig
BEST	r Trick		
1st	Summer & Lillian Potts	"Dozer"	Dog
2 nd	Emily Colligon	"Honey"	Dog
3 rd	Ava Wiencke	"Rainbow"	Chook
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2 nd	Toby Dunne	"Cimba"	Dog
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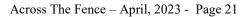
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Mark & Judy Farley being presented with their special ASC Medal Awards for long service to the Show, by President John Baker, and watched by daughter Anne Marie

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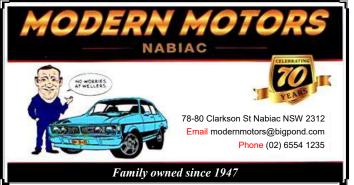
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Not sure if I have used these, but they are still good for a laugh

Six retired Irishmen were playing poker in O'Leary's apartment when Paddy Murphy loses \$500 on a single hand, clutches his chest and drops dead at the table. Showing respect for their fallen brother, the other five continue playing standing up.

Michael O'Connor looks around and asks, 'Oh, my boys, someone got to tell Paddy's wife. Who will it be?'

They draw straws, Paul Gallagher picks the short one. They tell him to be discreet, be gentle, don't make a bad situation any worse

'Discreet??? I'm the most discreet Irishmen you'll ever meet.

Discretion is me middle name. Leave it to me.'

Gallagher goes over to Murphy's house and knocks on the door. Mrs. Murphy answers and asks what he wants.

Gallagher declares, 'Your husband just lost \$500, and is afraid to come home.'

'Tell him to drop dead!', says Murphy's wife.

'I'll go tell him.' says Gallagher.

Mary Clancy goes up to Father O'Grady after his Sunday morning service and she's in tears.

He says, 'So what's bothering you, Mary my dear?' She says, 'Oh, Father, I've got terrible news. My husband

passed away last night.' The priest says, 'Oh, Mary, that's terrible. Tell me, Mary, did he have any last requests?' She says, 'That he did, Father.' The priest says, 'What did he ask, Mary?'

She says, "He said, 'Please Mary, put down the gun!'"

Pat is at the airport with a sack over each shoulder and when he is stopped at customs they find that both sacks are full of mobile phones.

When asked why Pat said, "Well, while I was on my travels in America, I got a phone call from my mate Mick and he told me that he is starting up a jazz band and could I bring him back two saxophones"

Paddy buys an Automatic BMW X5 sports car.

He drives the car perfectly well during the day, but at night it just won't go.

He tries driving the car at night for a week by no joy

Really angry he calls the BMW dealers and they send out a technician to him.

He asks, "Paddy, are you sure you are using the right gears?" Angry Paddy replies, "Of course, I'm not that stupid. I use D for the Day and N for the Night....





Jewish mother

The year is 2028 and the United States has elected the first woman as well as the first Jewish president, Susan Goldstein.

She calls up her mother a few weeks after Election Day and says, "So, Mom, I assume you'll be coming to my inauguration?"

"I don't think so. It's a ten-hour drive, your father isn't as young as he used to be, and my arthritis is acting up again."

"Don't worry about it, Mom, I'll send Air Force One to pick you up and take you home. And a limousine will pick you up at your door.'

"I don't know. Everybody will be so fancy-schmantzy; what on earth would I wear?'

Susan replies, "I'll make sure you have a wonderful gown, custommade by the best designer in New York."

"Honey," Mom complains, "you know I can't eat those rich foods you and your friends like to eat"

The President-Elect responds, "Don't worry Mom. The entire affair is going to be handled by the best caterer in New York; kosher all the way. Mom, I really want you to come."

So Mom reluctantly agrees and on January 20, 2028, Susan Goldstein is being sworn in as President of the United States. In the front row sits the new President's mother, who leans over to a Senator sitting next to her and says,

"You see that woman over there with her hand on the Torah, becoming President of the United States?'

The Senator whispers back, "Yes, I do."

Mom says proudly, "Her brother is a doctor."

Italian mother

Giuseppe excitedly tells his mother he's fallen in love and that he is going to get married.

He says, "Just for fun, Mama, I'm going to bring over three women and you try and guess which one I'm going to marry." The mother agrees.

The next day, he brings three beautiful women into the house, sits them down on the couch and they chat for a while.

He then says, "Okay, Mama, guess which one am I going to marry?" Mama says immediately, "The one on the right."

"That's amazing, Mama. You're right. How did you know?" Mama replies: "I don't like her.

I bought my friend 4 pregnancy tests. They all came out positive and now she's crying

.....She asked how will she feed 4 kids.



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Wingham CBD roadworks to begin

An upgrade to the intersection of Bent Street and Farquhar Street in Wingham will recommence Monday 27 March.

The upgrade is part of the Wingham CBD Masterplan which was co-designed by MidCoast Council and the community to improve the Wingham CBD.

Council has worked closely with a local working party to finalise streetscape details to help ensure that this project reflects the needs and desires of the local community.

The intersection upgrade will provide important safety improvements along with footpath renewals.

During the works, the intersection will be closed and detours will be in place.

Footpaths will also be affected at times, with pedestrians detoured around the works.

Relocation of the underground water and sewer infrastructure and extension of the drainage system was completed earlier last year in the preliminary stage of the project.

The project team is making arrangements with affected residents and business owners to ensure property access. Council will also be working with the RSL to support ANZAC Day activities.

The works will be completed in three stages, impacting different parts of the intersection at different times.

The first stage will begin Monday **March 27** and will involve the southwestern side of the intersection. Traffic heading north on Bent Street will be directed to turn right onto Farquhar Street. Traffic heading west on Farquhar Street will be directed to turn left onto Bent Street. Delivery vehicles heading east on Farquhar Street will be directed through the site but will not be able to turn into Bent Street.

2023 MYALL LAKES SENIORS CONCERT ATTRACT RECORD ATTEDANCE

Back again for its 11th year, the 2023 Myall Lakes Seniors Concerts were held at Club Forster on Monday 6th March and Club Taree on 7th March with over 2,700 seniors attending the 2023 concerts.

With outstanding performances by Johanna Hemara, Nick Bavarelli, David Tambasco and man of a thousand voices Keith Scott there was plenty of toe tapping, laughs and applause.

These free of charge concerts for our seniors were only possible with the support of the NSW Nationals/Liberals in government and funded by the Minister for Seniors, The Hon Mark Coure MP and cosponsored by MidCoast Council, Club Taree and Club Forster.

This year's gold coin donation at the door went to Great Lakes Palliative Care and Manning Community Palliative Care Support where more than \$5,000 was raised for the Palliative Care volunteer organisations with the assistance this year, of Quota International Taree.



Cemetery services review



Give your feedback to help prepare a Cemetery Strategy, policy and guidelines.

MidCoast Council manages 34 cemeteries across the region. It's important to plan to meet future demand from a growing and ageing population.

The strategy will ensure cemetery operations meet changing NSW regulatory requirements and will provide consistency across the Manning, Great Lakes and Gloucester areas.

Council has engaged Locale Consulting to undertake the project on its behalf. Locale has significant experience in cemetery planning projects.

The consultation will consider a range of issues and opportunities. Site -specific constraints, maintenance needs, fees and charges, burial and memorial options will be considered.

To provide feedback on these issues, complete Locale's community survey at <u>https://haveyoursay.midcoast.nsw.gov.au/cemeteries-strategy</u>.

Locale will also meet with interest groups to better understand the issues and opportunities that exist. These include industry groups, the National Trust, Heritage and cemetery groups, Council staff and committees.

Head to the above link for more information on the project. Complete the survey before the consultation ends on Sunday 14 May.

Don't laugh, we will all end up in one some day. May as well know what we are in for

York Street, Taree upgrade

MidCoast Council is planning to start roadworks on York Street, between Pulteney and Manning Street in May.

"This upgrade will provide important safety improvements for the road surface, drainage and footpaths," said Executive Manager Transport and Engineering, Peter Gesling.

"It will also make York Street more visually appealing."

The works will include reconstruction of the aged roadway, stormwater lines, and kerb and guttering.

During construction, 23 trees will be replaced. Species may include brush box, water gum, ivory curl, grey myrtle and bottlebrush. During the works, traffic control will be in place and York Street will be restricted to resident access only.

The street upgrade is expected to take approximately six months to complete, weather permitting.





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BEE AWARE

European Honeybees are our main pollinator for fruit and vegetables.



Varroa mite only affects the European Honeybee.

There are many treatments for the Varroa Mite, e.g. Oxalic Acid or food grade mineral oil. Please do your own research on this.

That a continuing program affecting ALL local behives in RED zones (even those tested free from the mite) were destroyed since 6th March, 2023, even though the bees will eventually build up their own resistance to the mite.

The DPI puts out baiting stations containing sugar water and FIBRONIL (ask how that affects native bees, butterflies, wasps, birds, etc???)

For 3 years after the cull, NO honeybees are allowed to be reintroduced. (Think how this affects our production of homegrown food.)

PLEASE think before you donate your property to bee-baiting stations, because there are many treatments being ignored by the Authorities. Get in touch with your local beekeepers or browse the internet for reliable information.

https://www.beekeepclub.com/best-treatment for varroamites/

We are gifting you with some quick growing Buckwheat and Sunflower seeds to provide food for bees, our essential food pollinators in Winter

Buckwheat is neither a grain or wheat: It flowers from 4 weeks after sowing when planted in loosened soil with added organic fertiliser, grows in full sun, in any cool season in frost free areas.

https://www.edenseeds.com.au/?name=Article&blogposturl=growing-buckwheat (all one line)

Please help us to save the bees to save our food sources!!

Stay safe and healthy and remember to question everything! Steph

Two patients limp into two different medical clinics with the same complaint. Both have trouble walking and appear to require a hip replacement.

The FIRST patient is examined within the hour, is x-rayed the same day and has a time booked for surgery the following week.

The SECOND sees his family doctor after waiting 3 weeks for an appointment, then waits 8 weeks to see a specialist, then gets an x-ray, which isn't reviewed for another week and finally has his surgery scheduled for 6 months from then.

Why the different treatment for the two patients?

The FIRST is a Golden Retriever. The SECOND is a Senior Citizen.



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Lyn's Larder

.A sneaky way to get the kids to eat some vegetables whilst eating a dish they usually like

RUSTIC LASAGNA

INGREDIENTS

9 Lasagne Sheets (depends on the lasagne sheets you buy 2 cups Broccoli in tiny florets or 500g frozen broccoli thawed and

- chopped
- 1 cup Carrots, grated 1 ctn Cottage Cheese (
- 1 ctn Cottage Cheese (can use low fat/low salted) ¼ cup Parmesan Cheese, grated
- 2 cups Tomato Pasta sauce (Napolitana or similar)
- 1 cup Mozzarella Cheese, grated

Method

- 1. Preheat oven to 180°C. Grease a 32 x 23 cm baking dish with vegetable oil and set aside.
- 2. In a medium bowl, combine the broccoli florets, carrot, cottage cheese and Parmesan, mixing well to combine.
- 3. Spread ½ cup of the tomato pasta sauce into the bottom of the prepared dish. Place 3 lasagne sheets on top of the tomato sauce (or enough sheets to cover the dish). Spread half of the broccoli mixture over the sheets. Soon ½ cup of the tomato sauce over the broccoli: place 3 lasagne sheets on top. Spread with remaining broccoli mixture, top with ½ cup tomato sauce.
- Add the last layer of the lasagne and the remaining tomoto sauce. Sprinkle Mozzarella over the top.
- Bake until bubbling hot, for about 45 minutes. Place the baking dish on a wire cooling rack and stand for about 10 minutes before serving.

Serve with crusty baguette and green salad if preferred.

Tip: To make dried lasagne sheets easier to work with, drop into a saucepan of hot water for a couple of minutes until they are pliable, drain thoroughly in a colander and toss with a little vegetable oil to prevent them sticking until you put them in the dish.

Two women in a bus fighting bitterly over the last available seat. The conductor had already tried unsuccessfully to intervene when the bus driver shouted to the conductor,

"Let the ugly one take the seat"

Both women stood for the rest of the Journey.

My grandad was responsible for 25 downed German planes in WW2.

Still to this day he is known as the worst mechanic the Luftwaffe ever had.







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Superfoods Health Bite

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Happy Autumn Everyone. Change in season can challenge our immune, so I thought I'd share some extra healthy info this month!



Q: What is a "Superfood"? A: This is a food which helps to keep your body healthy.

A super food contains properties which reduce inflammation and decrease risk of chronic illness, such as: heart disease, cancer, depression, arthritis, Alzheimer's, type 2 diabetes, fatty liver, endometriosis, IBS, arthritis and more...

Foods make it into the superfood list if they contain high amounts of compounds, such as carotenoids, polyphenols, and antioxidants, which protect the body's cells from damage.

They are a powerhouse of vitamins and minerals too.

Superfoods have been around for thousands of years. Many ancient cultures used foods, such as Acai berries, Maca, and chia seeds, for healing and everyday nourishment.

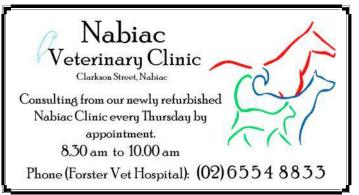
In western culture, superfoods have been growing in popularity, particularly during the last 10-20 years.

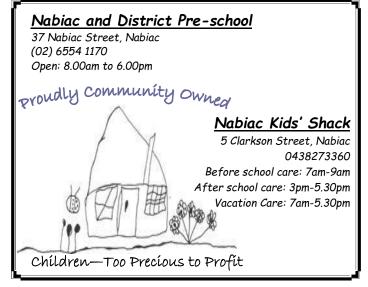
Do I need superfood supplements?

Extra superfood supplements & powders may be beneficial, depending on your body's unique needs. However, it's worth remembering that eating plenty of fresh produce can provide your body with everything it needs to thrive, depending on your individual health requirements. Aim for a wide variety too.

Note: Some of our food may be depleted in nutrients, due to modern farming methods.

Many of the foods in the list below (and in the blog) are everyday foods.





Head to the superfoods blog to read why these foods will keep you healthy.

Try selecting 3 to add this week and let me know how you added your super foods.

Below is a list of some of my favourite "superfoods".

There are dozens of others which are also worth adding to meals during the week, (see blog for more superfoods). Some superfoods should only be used in small amounts, such as cod liver oil. Some of them you can enjoy in larger amounts.

Garlic	Green tea
Avocado	Sweet potato
Dark Chocolate	Berries
Salmon	Turmeric
Cod liver oil	Ginger
Olive oil	Beetroot
Dark leafy greens	Chia seeds
Beetroot	Pomegranate

Nutrients from your food will be better absorbed by eating a healthy balanced diet which includes:

- 1. macronutrients: fat, protein & carbohydrates
- 2. micronutrients: vitamins & minerals
- **3. fermented foods:** natural yoghurt, sauerkraut, kefir, miso, kombucha plus probiotic supplements if needed
- 4. healthy lifestyle: reducing exposure to toxins where possible.



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Message me on FB or Instagram, or via the website to arrange a consultation.

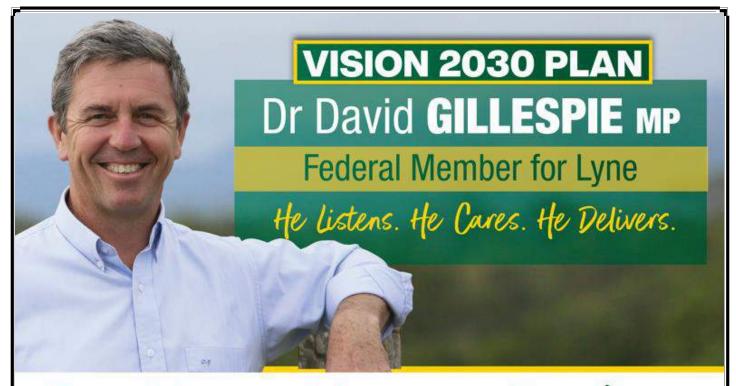
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Laura.





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In updating our Vision 2030 Plan for the area, I'm seeking your ideas about local projects important to you.

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Welcome to Deb's Gardening,



Fruit fly is becoming a major pest in my garden and affecting the majority of my tomatoes.

With the warmer months almost over I am too late to put in another crop, however I have a few Heritage Round tomatoes that have self sown in the spot that I lost. Obviously some of the tomatoes dropped to the ground and the seeds germinated. My plan is to transplant them in one of my concrete tubs and cover the tub with plastic to make a mini green house once the night time temperature drops. The last crop in the concrete tub was the garlic and lettuce, so the tomatoes will be a good crop rotation. I have prepared the soil with cow manure, blood and bone, pelletise chicken manure and crushed egg shells, plus chopped up some of the lettuce that went to seed. I always plant too much lettuce hence some lettuce went to seed but it's great to break down in the soil and become organic matter. Lettuce self sow, so by letting them go to seed you have lettuce popping up everywhere.

Now, back to the fruit fly - I know I have myself to blame for the fruit fly getting out of control; the last couple of seasons the Pear tree was laden with fruit and the fruit fly stung the majority of the pears. And so they fell to the ground... but I did not pick them all up. Sure the bats, birds and wallabies got to a lot but still, the fruit fly cycle began and this season not only did they get to the pears but also the tomatoes. I have never had that problem with the tomatoes till this season.

So, what is my plan of attack to limiting their numbers!? Baits and traps will work as part of a holistic approach. Protein baits will generally kill both male and female but I will be placing more Lure stations around the garden, which is a liquid hormone that attracts and kills the male, breaking the breeding cycle and great to monitor the number of fruit fly. Clean up any fruit and pop them in a bag and leave to cook in the sun. Before I would pick up the fruit and leave it in a bucket of water but I have since found out that that does not work. And more importantly I won't be popping spoiled fruit in the compost as I don't always get a hot compost happening. I will also have to





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bring out more exclusion netting next season. With any luck I hope to bring the numbers down. I have also heard that laying cardboard down under your fruit trees in the summer helps stop the fruit fly from emerging back through the soil.

The fruit fly breeding cycle takes 2.5 weeks in the summer period. The female will lay eggs in ripening fruit just below the surface. The eggs take around 2-3 days to hatch into larvae that are white maggots around 7mm long at maturity. They eat and tunnel inside the fruit carrying bacteria that helps break down the fruit. Larvae will mature in 7-10 days in summer and emerge from the fruit to pupate in the soil. The pupae state lasts about 10 days hence laying the cardboard around.

I have been planning the vegetable garden to get ready for the next season's crop as it's time to get in the peas, brassicas (broccoli, cabbage, kale, Brussels sprouts and cauliflowers), spinach, onions and garlic. I have sown another follow up crop of carrots, beetroots and radish. Peas are a wonderful crop to sow as they can be planted in the same patch, they don't need to be rotated as peas fix nitrogen into the soil. Once they finish you can dig the plant straight into the soil, same with beans but it is getting a bit late to plant beans now.

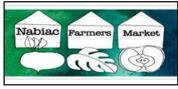
If you haven't tried growing potatoes before, now autumn is the time to get them in and give them a go. They can be easily grown in a tub or container with good drainage holes. Fill a tub a quarter of the way with good organic enriched soil. Plant the certified tubers into the soil, cover with either pea straw or Lucerne mulch and once they start to shoot and grow back, fill around the plant with more soil and mulch, always just exposing the tops. The potato plant will start to flower and die back around late spring early summer and then it is time to harvest. Keep the soil moist but not too wet. It is always fun digging up the potatoes and seeing how much you have harvested. I harvested purple and Dutch potatoes this year and they are delicious.

Until next time, I will leave you with a quote for the month.

"To nurture a garden is to feed not just the body, but the soul."







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except December

Next market: 29th April, 2023.

HAPPY EASTER EVERYONE

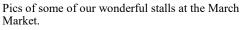
The March market saw inclement weather. Although numbers of visitors were down, it didn't dampen the spirit of stallholders, or customers who enjoyed shopping for great market food and wares.

Thank goodness for good old Facebook. Not only do the committee use this platform share info about stallholders and updates throughout the month, it's also great for real-time communication too.

As messages came in from people who were wondering if the market was still on, we were able to answer straight away. We were able to post photos and info as the market was happening, to encourage people to attend and reassure that the rain was holding off!



Chelsea, from **Sticky Tips Bees** made a guest appearance with beautiful products and an interesting workshop on how to make your own bees-wax wraps.













Upcoming:

Mothers' Day is coming up on Sunday 14th May.

How many market pressie ideas can you think of for Mum, or special person in your life?

7 Reasons to come along to the market on 29th April:

- 1. It's a 5th Saturday market woohoo! More stalls & more fun!
- 2. Support our stallholders & ensure our market continues to thrive
- 3. Shop for a Mothers' Day gift
- 4. Catch up with friends
- 5. Enjoy music and the buzz of the market
- 6. Spend in our local economy enjoy Nabiac village too
- 7. Buy local fresh produce, which is good for the environment and your health

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We regularly post info and updates on Instagram and Facebook. Follow us to stay in-the-know and share our posts! Thank you to everyone in our community for making our market great: Stallholders, the committee, our customers, and the shop owners in Nabiac who promote us to their patrons. We appreciate you all.

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See you at the April market.

By **Laura Pennington** on behalf of the Nabiac Farmers' Market committee.



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Our Grey Ghosts are on the move again

The start date arrived with a rush and as usual, we weren't quite ready.

The new Tasmanian ferry terminal at Geelong is well run and plenty of room. Had to be there two hours before the morning sailing so this meant camping close by so as to be there on time. There are two sister ferries, alternating day/night sailings. Each ship is capable of carrying 1,400 passengers and 500 vehicles. (combined cars and semis) So on board for the 10 hour daylight trip (which is subsidised by various governments) Not a lot to do, although there is a movie theatre and constant food. By arrival time at Devonport it is dark, and in contrast to Geelong, not so well run, but our booked van park sites are still there. Thank goodness as both parties are dusted although we have done very little. If one doesn't book, camping on the road is the only option.

It is our travelling companions first visit and although our last visit was some 20 years ago, it is striking how much has changed, but also, how much has stayed the same.

Many may not know, but Tasmanian settlement began in the first ten years of the 1800's following visits by seal and whale hunters. Free settlers and land grants resulted in substantial buildings and infrastructure being established early on built on traditional English styles and designs they were familiar with. These results are still here, even in small villages these wonderful sandstone buildings are still in use. Great to see that developers didn't discover the place until after the history of this stuff was realised.

It is a wonderment the place doesn't sink due to the quantity of tourists that are here. Bookings for any attractions are essential and the state is having the same trouble as the rest of OZ, a shortage of willing workers. The state is a hive of projects and although only a small population of about 610,000, there is a lot happening.

First was the obligatory trip to Port Stanley on the far NW coast, an isthmus jutting out some 8 kms into the busy Tasman Sea, 125 kms



from Devonport this was once a very important port but is now home to several lobster and fishing boats and 150 people. Of course the huge flat headland is the real reason so many make the trip with a cable car trip to the summit that makes the very steep footpath.

Down the west coast from here and Zeehan and many areas, north & south since 1880 have been huge sources of tin, nickel, gold silver and lead. Large nickel mines are still in operation and results exported.

We eventually arrive at Strahan where we camp for a few days and do the looked forward tour on the Gordon river. As with many in the early '80s, I did not have a huge regard of Bob Brown during the heady days of the Gordon / Franklin dam thing, but have to admit the group did the right thing in closing the project down. It is a world class area & full of early history of privation and absolute rape of the world renowned forests of Huon Pine. These unique trees to Tasmania which are immune to rot, have the ability to still be sound after several hundred years under water. Similar to our cedar forests, some of these trees were over 2,000 years old and cut without a second thought. Different days. The work done by these early timber cutters must however, be admired. Existing, not living in extreme conditions.

Tasmanian's first convict settlement was established on Sarah Island, far from any civilisation here for those concocts who were difficult to control from Hobart and Sydney prisons. (some from Port Macquarie) Evidence of sandstone buildings still exist. Conditions were very harsh and punishment severe. Many ships were built here by the inmates. It was completely self contained. Check out the net.

Up the range via the "99" bends as the locals term it. A long haul with the vans and a dodgy "safety" fence, it seems impossible we have come up so far. Long way down.

Over the range and managed to check out a long held desire to see massive wooden pipes that carry water to drive turbines in hydro power stations. This state has 30 such power stations, several with wooden stave pipes. Built similar to a wine barrel, the ones I witnessed were 2.5 kms long, had steel bands every 100 mm and 4metres in diameter . When complete the inside is coated with tar to protect and seal the timber. Not a leak anywhere. Some are supposedly 80 years old. Amazing stuff.

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NABIAC VILLAGE FUTURES GROUP

NVFG is a community group who oversee the Nabiac Community Strategic Plan, identifying the community's vision for the future and the priorities a actions the community has identified to achieve this vision.

Next Meeting Wednesday 5th April

Our first meeting following the community consultation will be held on Wednesday 5th April at 6pm at the Neighbourhood Centre.

We will discuss the ideas put forward at the community consultation for our Nabiac Village Futures Group Strategic Plan.

All members of our community are welcome to attend.

Louise Collins, Secretary nabiacvillagefuturesgroup@gmail.com

NVFG ORKING TOGETHER OR OUR VILLAGE'S FUTURE

NVFG Next Meeting: Wednesday 5th April, 6pm at the Neighbourhood Centre

Sam The Handy Man Can.....



Good Medicine

Comeback

Easter is associated with hot cross buns, Easter eggs, bunnies and chocolates which are all delicious. But in fact, the whole Easter story revolves around violence, death, the war between good and evil and the victory of Christ.

Rubbish Removal and much

more.....

The notions of sacrifice, courage and the actions of opposing evil, and rescuing our fellow man are the kind of things we uphold and desire to embody. Look at the status we rightly give the ANZACS and our diggers.

We're all inspired by the competitor who makes a comeback after being 'out of the running' or the team which comes from behind to win'. Jesus made the most amazing comeback the world has ever seen. After suffering humiliation, insults and scourging and finally being nailed to the cross, his executioners declared Him dead and set a military guard to secure His tomb. How could anyone be more down and out than that? Yet three days later 'He rose and re-appeared as the victor over sin, death and hell ... a comeback like no other in all of history'.

If you are feeling out of the running today think about Jesus's suffering ... ask Him to give you the victory. You'll be amazed at what He has to offer no matter how far down you are.

A pre school teacher overheard an animated conversation among her littlies.

One asks 'Who loves God?' A chorus answers 'I do! I do! I do!'

Billy: 'I love Jesus'. Kelly: "But He died.

Billy: 'Yeah, but every Easter He rises from the dead!'

News From The Pews

Nabiac Village Community Church

Services are held every Sunday at 10:00am

Holy Communion is celebrated with the service on the **3rd** Sunday For information regarding the Nabiac Community Church please contact Margaret **Weller** (6554 1212), Jill **Hammond** (6555 7747)

St Bernadette's Catholic Church, Krambach

April Mass times are Saturday 1stat **9:00pm** - Thursday 6th Holy Trinity at **9:00pm** - Friday 7th Stations of the Cross at **2:30**pm and The Passion at **3:00**pm - Saturday 8th at **6:30**pm Easter Vigil (*please not the change from 6:00 to 6:30pm*) - *Easter Sunday 9th at Gloucester at 9:00am* and Saturday 15th at 6:00pm & Saturday 29th at 6:00pm

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We might smile at a child's still developing concept of the meaning of Easter.

The Bible says Jesus died **once** for all, *Romans 6:10*, and then conquered death by rising from the grave three days later. By doing this He broke the power of sin over mankind. Someday He will return, *John 14: 1-6* and take us to Heaven. If we invite Him into our hearts we will live with Him as our **risen** Saviour forever.

The words of Jesus from the cross, 'It is finished' (tetelestai) was a term used in several ways ... to show a bill had been paid, a task finished or a sacrifice offered. Each of these applies to what Jesus accomplished on our behalf.

Every year at Easter time – in fact every day of the year – we have reason to celebrate the resurrection of our Saviour. I will bless the Lord at all times, *Psalm34:1*.

Yes Billy, Jesus did rise from the dead.

Quotes from ourdailybread.org

The Counsellor



Jesus ís not here He has rísen Jesus ís alíve Alleluía

Nabiac Village CommunityChurch Easter Service Times Good Friday: 9.00am Easter Sunday: 10.00am

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Krambach Bible Church (a ministry of Wingham Presbyterian

A Family Service is held **every** Sunday at 11am. **All** denominations are welcome to join in. Any enquiries please phone **Robert** (0400 310 357).

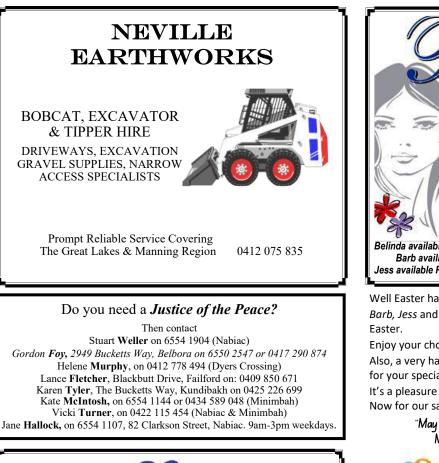
St Paul's Anglican Church, Nabiac

Service each Sunday at **10:30 am**. All welcome Enquiries: Contact Kit **Carson** (0493 278 243)

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St Isidore's Catholic Church, Nabiac

April Mass time is Saturday 22nd at 6:00pm





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Well Easter has crept up on us.

Barb, Jess and I would like to wish everyone a fantastic and safe Easter.

Enjoy your chocolate and time with your family.

Also, a very happy birthday to our dear Barb. Well wishes and hugs for your special day.

It's a pleasure working with you everyday. Happy, happy Birthday. Now for our saying of the month:

> "May your Easter be happy, may your day be bright, May you enjoy the treats, and sweet delights Happy Easter"





Remember if you want to know what is happening in Nabiac, just look it up on the web - **nabiac.com** If you want to advertise an event, visit the web site and click SUBMIT

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