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THE TEMPEST

A storm front that lashed Corryong on Tuesday afternoon bombarded the town with marble-sized hailstones and heavy rain inside an hour, causing gutters to overflow and mini rivers to stream across roadways.

Rainfall of 25-30mm over the four-hour downpour was reported in the district



Health service provides answers

Corryong Health welcomed community members to its first public Town Hall meeting last week which provided the opportunity to submit questions regarding the health service and hear directly from board directors and the interim CEO, Nicole Martin.

"As part of Corryong Health's strategy to improve communication and promote open and honest information sharing, we developed the Town Hall meeting,"

Nicole explained.

"Submit questions in advance ensured that the executive was able to prepare and answer these questions with accurate and detailed information."

Q&A:-

1. *This is the busiest time of the year with flu and Covid still present and yet there are not enough doctors. Who is responsible for organising this and why hasn't it been?*

2. *Why isn't there a more competent CEO to*

make sure the hospital functions properly?

The question consisting of two parts was responded to by Nicole and board director, Ian Cesa.

Nicole discussed that while Corryong Health budgeted full time equivalent (FTE) for GPs is 2.5, the service has consistently operated at 2.8 from January 1st to July 1st, 2023.

"This is currently made up of two onsite GPs and a suite of rotational and new locums," she said.

"Corryong Health's GP FTE is above the National Benchmark of 2 FTE suggested for a catchment of this size."

From January to July 2023, Corryong Health offered 7,744 medical appointments, 7,411 were seen, 126 unfilled and 207 were not attended.

"I'm happy to report that through increased immunisation clinics, including one weekend half day there is currently zero-waiting list for Covid and medium-high priority

flu immunisations," Nicole said.

There is a collective effort led by the Corryong Health Executive, Director of medical Services, Practice Co-ordinator and Dr Michael Clark to look at longer term prospects to maintain the GP FTE. maintenance.

"Australian Medical Association (AMA) reports that the country will face a shortage of more than 10,600 GPs by 2031-32.

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Improving care is the common goal

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“The supply of GPs is not keeping up with the growing demand,” Nicole added.

In response to the second question, Ian Cesa explained that the clear preference of the board was that Nicole Martin take on the interim role during the search for a new permanent CEO.

“We have full confidence in Nic to carry out this role and her performance as interim CEO has vindicated that confidence,” Ian said.

“In addition to the performance that we see on a regular basis, Nic has formal qualifications that make her suitable to be permanent CEO of Corryong Health, not only the interim CEO. She has more than 24 years of experience in management roles in health care and 18 years at the management and executive level.

“On top of that, she understands Corryong Health and the community better as she has been there for 13 years. She

grew up in Corryong and is heavily invested in the community.”

Ian also outlined the different ways of providing feedback, including the drop-boxes around the health service and community and an electronic form on the Corryong Health website.

“If your feedback is relevant to the board, you can be sure that we will see it,” Ian said.

“It is important that your feedback is specific with respect to time, place, circumstances so that we may confirm, follow-up and take action, if necessary. General comments that involve personal attacks are not helpful and will not be responded to.”

3. *Why don't the hospital have scanning such as x-rays available every day as this would benefit the wider community (seven days per week service)? Why not train or employ an extra person to make this department available every day?*

“Corryong Health's x-ray service is non-funded,” Nicole explained, “so our radiographer works three days per week with flexibility to work additional hours if the GP determines urgency.

“After hours demand is unpredictable and involves very few patients. Our radiographer has been available on call for the 19½ years worked at Corryong Health and is confident that the current numbers show that the service is on par with demand.

“It is also worth noting that like all health roles, there is a national shortage of radiographers.”

4. *Why are clinic nurses being de-skilled, having to wait for a doctor to squeeze a review in for baby/children's vaccinations?*

Complete waste of doctor/patient time when our nurses have their immunisation cards to vaccinate with the need for a doctor to review.

“Having a GP review is best practice in all medical



Corryong Health has endorsed the appointment of Nicole Martin as interim CEO.

clinics, as it reduces clinical risk, allows nurses to feel supported by our GPs and ensures patients are receiving correct care and support,” Nicole responded.

“Practice Nurses are not funded and the financial benefit of having a GP pop-in allows for the appointment to be a Medicare claimable item to help cover costs and ensure sustainability of the health service, with no

increased out of pocket expenses for the patient.

Nicole concluded the meeting by reminding the community that improving health care quality is everyone's responsibility.

Corryong Health plans to hold another community Town Hall meeting in mid-October.

Further updates will also be printed in the *Corryong Courier* and on the Corryong Health Facebook page.



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International youth award goes local

As part of the Youth Affairs Council of Victoria (YACVic) Future Proof project, the Corryong Neighbourhood Centre (CNC) will be offering local young people the opportunity to participate in the Duke of Edinburgh's International Award.

It allows them to get out of their comfort zone, develop initiative, self-esteem and a sense of adventure and empowers

them to develop skills such as resilience, adaptability, creativity, problem solving, decision-making and communication.

The CNC will be offering the initial Bronze level of the award in 2023 with Silver and Gold levels available in the future.

There are three activity components - Physical Recreation, Voluntary Service and a Skill of Choice. Young people will

also work as a team to plan a two-day adventurous journey to complete their submission.

The award recognises and rewards young people for the activities that they may already do outside of school and only requires a commitment of around three hours per week for six months.

Award co-ordinator, Josh Viljoen, who participated in the program

as a teenager, said “The award brought me out of my shell, taught me things I am so grateful for and made me connections for life.

“I got one of my first jobs simply because my boss had done the award as well and knew how transformative it was for a young person.”

The CNC is hosting an Information Night at the Youth Space (next

to the Post Office) on Wednesday 30th August from 5.30pm to 6.30pm. Anyone interested in learning more is invited to attend, ask questions and sign-up.

For more information call the CNC on 02 6076 2176 or email adele@corryongnc.org.

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Cycling brings many benefits

A new recreational group has been formed to foster cycling in the local community.

The main purpose of LifeCycle Upper Murray Inc is to promote, encourage and facilitate cycling activities and events in the Upper Murray.

"The committee's vision is to get the community outdoors enjoying the freedom and fun of bike riding and improving their health and wellbeing at the same time," said president, Mick Butler of Hobie's Sports Store.

"The benefits of

movement and community connection is well documented as supporting both physical and mental health and our committee is motivated to grow the cycling culture throughout the area."

LifeCycle Upper Murray is being launched with an event over the Father's Day weekend with rides in both Corryong and Khancoban. Everyone is welcome to join in whether walking or riding.

On Saturday 2nd September there will be a ride from Hobie's Sports Store to Colac Colac Caravan Park. Cyclists can meet at Hobie's at 11am and ride as a group or make their own way there in their own time.

A bike maintenance demonstration will be held at the caravan park at 11.30am with children receiving a free puncture repair kit. Lunch is provided before

Cyclists enjoy a stop at Playle's Hill lookout.



participants make their own way home.

The same format will apply in Khancoban on Sunday 3rd September (Father's Day) with the option to meet as a group at 11am at the Pickled Parrot Providore or make your own way on foot or wheels to the Khancoban boat ramp. A bike maintenance session and lunch will be provided again before making your

way back to town.

LifeCycle Upper Murray has many more plans to entice riders to get on their bikes more often for a range of activities. If you would like to get involved with the group drop in to see Mick at Hobie's and also follow the group on Facebook to stay up to date with all the happenings.

Join now and get your membership for only \$15

which for the month of September includes a free LifeCycle cap. The cap will also entitle you to a free cuppa throughout the month (details provided on sign-up).

The executive committee of LifeCycle Upper Murray is Mick Butler (president), Andrew Irvine (vice-president), Matthew Spurgeon (secretary) and Tracey Fair (treasurer).

Corryong Neighbourhood Centre

Duke of Edinburgh Awards in Corryong - Information Night - Wed 30th Aug
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Ski trip goes downhill fast

An Oakleigh man will be served a notice to surrender his electric vehicle after being caught 85km over the speed limit on his birthday near Towong on Tuesday.

The man's Tesla vehicle was detected driving at an alleged speed of 185km/h in a 100km/h speed zone, while police were conducting mobile speed detection duties

east-bound on the Great River Road at about 2pm.

The vehicle also had two unroadworthy tyres.

Rather than enjoying a trip to the snow, the

32-year-old spent his birthday being interviewed for speed and vehicle defect-related offences and is expected to be charged on summons.

About Skills and Jobs

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transition, the project will be staged in sections. Works on the Donaldson Street roundabout section have started and are estimated to take three weeks to

complete. For some of that time, Donaldson Street will be closed between Harris and Hanson Streets and a speed reduction to 40km is now in place.



Letters to the Editor

Shortchanged

Towong Shire mayor, Cr Andrew Whitehead, recently stated in the *Corryong Courier* that council has no money to fill potholes, yet a few months earlier it advertised for an assistant for the CEO. Where's the money coming from to pay the additional salary?

Rural ratepayers receive little benefit from council to help make properties accessible, yet urban towns get new kerbs

and gutters as well as upgraded streetscapes.

With recent significant property valuation increases, rural rates will undoubtedly increase as input costs and margins on returns becoming tighter.

Tourism is not the silver bullet answer as cost of living pressures become significantly higher. Tourists will not want to play "dodge 'em" with potholed roads.

Concerned rural ratepayer, Robert J Wood.



The Grapevine

Club Corner:- The jackpot at The Club Corryong this Friday is \$2700. Last week's winner was Dawen Gutteridge (\$10). Bingo is on Wednesdays at 1pm for eyes down at 1.30pm. Great prizes, all welcome. \$15 for all your games plus raffles. Fay Whitehead, back from wintering up north, made a killing last week - raffle, jackpot plus other games!

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Production questions bushfire outcomes

HotHouse Theatre in Wodonga has debuted their most exciting touring production to-date — a scorching new play called Unprecedented — serving as an urgent alarm for the bushfire season to come.

This world premiere production opened at HotHouse Theatre earlier this month and is now set to tour to five fire-affected areas - Corryong, Bright, Wagga Wagga, Gosford, and the Blue Mountains in the following weeks.

Developed by the acclaimed playwright Campion Decent, Unprecedented delves into the events of the 'Black Summer' bushfires that swept through the nation during 2019-20 - right on the cusp of the pandemic.

Decent's anger at the inaction surrounding climate change became the spine of Unprecedented, providing a poignant contrast to the narratives conveyed by the media.

Though the devastating Black Summer fire season is now three years behind us, the play that has emerged is not simply that of a historical record; it is very much an urgent examination of our position now.

At the helm of this groundbreaking theatrical endeavour is Karla Conway, an award-winning director, dramaturg, and theatre-maker, currently serving as the Artistic Director & CEO of HotHouse Theatre.

Drawing upon her expertise, Karla believes that as theatre-makers, it is their responsibility to encourage dialogue through art and challenge the nation with one profound question - 'Are we okay with this?'

"We never had the opportunity to process it properly and recover or use the learnings to be more prepared for the next round of fires," Karla said.

In preparation for touring the production,

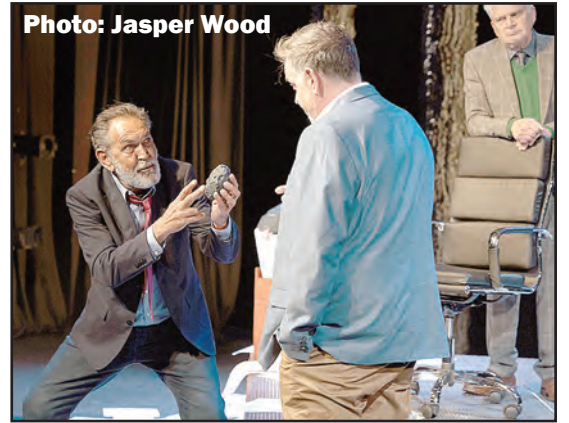


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HotHouse Theatre undertook extensive pre-engagement efforts in every affected community, focusing on each location's recovery journey to ensure utmost sensitivity in their play's portrayal, and providing clear communication of the play's intent to the community.

The play is meticulously researched, drawing its text verbatim from the royal commission and senate enquiry submissions and reports, coronial inquests, media reports and peer-reviewed science - reflecting on the lasting impact of the fires, the choking smoke that engulfed the country, the communities left to fend for themselves, the heroism amidst tragedy and the pivotal unpacking of the buzz word describing the event, asking, was it, in fact, unprecedented?

Karla said that "The word 'unprecedented' became the buzzword of the Black Summer fires.

"It's a scapegoat word which suggests no one could have conceived this could happen or that we could have been prepared for it but we had ample reports and recommendations dating back to 1939, yet we find ourselves grappling with this catastrophe. How did we arrive at this point?"

The play sets out to challenge this idea and along the way takes audiences on a fascinating and entertaining journey

through Australia's relationship to the fire, the environment and the changing climate. It also confronts the political stagnancy that hampers adequate responses to the climate crisis.

"Our job as a company is firstly, to entertain our audiences," Karla said.

"From gameshow to vaudeville, verbatim to bouffon, our six incredible actors take on 70 characters to carve a path through the story, helping audiences navigate through this important information that at times feels overwhelming.

"We bring every theatrical trick in the book to shift the audience from a place of knowing to feeling and in doing so, hopefully we inspire them to take action."

Unprecedented challenges the audience to consider whether the status quo is sufficient or if we must demand more. It calls for a critical reassessment of our values and how we perceive climate change as a nation.

This powerful and timely production will be presented in Corryong on Wednesday 6th September at 7:30pm at the Corryong Memorial Hall. Book tickets at <https://hothouse theatre.com.au/unprecedented/> or call 02 6021 7433.

The play is suitable for ages 15 and above. It contains strong language, descriptions and references to bushfire and its impacts.

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TEE TO GREEN

Welaregang

The weather "turned it on" for golf on Sunday when 36 players took to the fairways.

Wayne Dubois has developed a liking for the Welaregang tournament, completing a hat trick of wins in the A grade Scratch division, carding a fine 73. Sam Patricks on 77 and Jimmy He, 79 were left in his wake.

Mitchell Curry on 40 points easily won the A grade stableford competition by five from Derek Burgess with Andrew Hockey a further three points back in third place.

The B grade stableford was more closely contested with just two points separating the placegetters. Chris Spratling (36) won from Runner-up Tim Widderson on a countback and third placed Lance Noonan.

In the C grade stableford, Richard Bennetts on 37 points won by six from John Bennett with Paul Land on 29.

Nine women competed in two divisions, with Sharon Burgess winning for the second year, taking out Div 1 with 33 points from Ilma Clarke on 28. In Div 2, Belinda Attree carded 32 points to win from Teresa Waters on 27.

Derek Burgess found his ball 1.6m from the flag stick on the 18th to win the nearest the pin competition. The longest drive prizes were won by Mitchell Curry in the A grade, Greg Kent (B) and Richard Bennetts (C) while Sharon Burgess and Belinda Attree were the big hitters for the women's divisions.

Local stalwart and the hardest worker around the club, Dixie Coutts, showed her prowess by parking her ball virtually on the string to win that prize.

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This Sunday will be another 18 hole 3-person ambrose (bring a guest) day with names in by 11.30am for a 12 noon hitoff.

Corryong

Golfers are champing at the bit to try the new synthetic greens but because of the recent wet weather impacting on grass growth, competition play is not expected to get underway for another four to five weeks.

All members are encouraged to attend a working bee this Sunday, August 27th from 10am to 12 noon - many hands make light work which will help get the course open as soon as possible.

The contractor,

Outdoor Works, will conduct a three-month review of the installation this Monday.



Ladders

A Grade

Courthouse	38
Attackers	38
Bacashes.....	36
Lucyvale	22

B Grade

Thougla	20
Toorak Drive	18
St George	18
Hoppers	18

C Grade

Rollers	16
CNC	16
Polecats	4
'Ring-ins'	0

Draw

R13 28/8/23

Ring-ins v Polecats (1)
Rolers v Bacashes (5)
T/Drive v C/house (2)
Attackers v Hoppers (4)
St George v Lucyvale (6)
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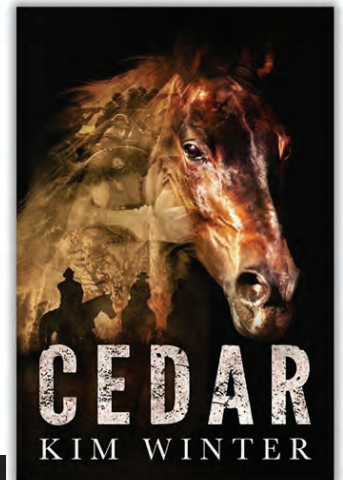
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 Under 14s: Tumbarumba v Cudgewa - 10.45am
 Under 12s: Corryong v Cudgewa - 9.45am
 Under 9s: Cudgewa v Bullioh - 8.45am
 (All U9 players from any club welcome)

Netball
 A Grade: Tumbarumba v Cudgewa - 2.30pm
 B Grade: Cudgewa v Bullioh - 1.00pm
 C Grade: Tumbarumba v Bullioh - 12.00pm
 D Grade: Corryong v Bullioh - 11.00am
 15 & Under: Tumbarumba v Cudgewa - 10.00am
 11 & Under: Tumbarumba v Cudgewa - 9.00am
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MAN FROM SNOWY RIVER BUSH FESTIVAL 2023 AGM

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HALLINAN
Andrew Martin
 16-6-1966 - 12-8-2023
 Accidentally taken too soon. Aged 57 years.
 Loving son of Jack and Kathleen Hallinan (both dec.).
 Unique brother and brother-in-law of Annette and Clark, Damian and Wendy, Paul and Shelagh, Mark and Leanne, Brendan and Carol, Kathy and Brian, Maree and Barry, Vincent and Tracey (dec.), Helen and Craig.
 Uncle and great uncle to 23 nephews and nieces.
 Extended family of Betty, John and Brian.
Gone But Never Forgotten.
Cherry Pie Hairbare!

HALLINAN, Andrew
 - The members of the Corryong Golf Club express their condolences to Andrew's family and the members of the Walwa Golf Club on his passing.
 He will be sadly missed on the golf course and in life.


SMEDLEY
Jillette Robin
 7/2/1944 - 19/8/2023
 It is with sadness that the Smedley family of Albury note the death of Jill.
 Much loved wife of Ron, together for 58 years.
 Loved mother of Shane, Lyle and Brent.
 Grandmother to seven grandchildren and great grandmother to three.
 A lovely wife and mother resting peacefully.

SMEDLEY, Jill
 7/2/1944-19/8/2023
 Adored wife and mother of Ron and family.
 Much loved sister-in-law and aunt of Ken, Anne and family.
 Dear friend of the Copulston families.
No more pain.

TYRON
Jim
 14.04.1935 - 19.08.2023
 Of Albury. Passed away on 19th August, 2023. Aged 88.
 Adored husband of Phyllis (dec.). Cherished father of Pamela, Ria, Steve, Nicole and their families. Grandfather to John, James, Kyran, Zak, Olivia and Macey. Great grandfather of Paris and Mary Grace.

FUNERALS

HALLINAN
 The Celebration of Life for the late Andrew Martin Hallinan will be held on Thursday 31st August, 2023 at the Walwa Golf Club, 6 Nursery Lane Walwa, commencing at 12 noon.
 Private burial held prior.



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SMEDLEY
Jillette Robin
 The funeral service for Jillette will be held in The Hume Chapel, John Hossack Funeral Services, 435 Wilson Street, Albury on Friday 25th August, 2023 commencing at 10:30am.
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TYRON
Jim
 Family and friends of the late Mr Jim Tyron are invited to attend a funeral service to celebrate his life at the Archangels Greek Orthodox Church, 378 Olive Street Albury on Monday 28th August, 2023 commencing at 1.30pm.
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 To work at Corryong Health, it is also a condition of employment to provide evidence of your immunisation history (COVID-19 and influenza) and hold a satisfactory national police check.
 For a copy of the position description, please visit Corryong Health's careers page at <https://www.corryonghealth.org.au/jobs-1>
 Please email your resumè and a brief cover letter to the email address shown below or alternatively, for an initial discussion about the role or for further information, please contact Tony Vinckx on 02 6076 3284 or email Tony.Vinckx@corryonghealth.org.au
Applications close at 5pm on Friday September 1, 2023.
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UM Sport

Blues News Cont..

Cont. from page 9:
 Huge shout out to Hayley Drew, Belle McVean and Charlotte Klippel whose team support and spirit is recognised and appreciated from the whole team.
 To the whole team we have made the Grand Final "all it takes, is all you've got" and you have got this.
 Training is from 5pm to 6.30 this week and the Grand Final game starts at 10am, be there at 9.30 and let's bring home the U15s flag for you, your team and Cudgie.

Bowlerts get ready to roll

The new lawn bowls season is about to start!
 The official opening day is on Sunday September 10th at 1pm.
 The men will continue to play on Wednesdays and the ladies first club day is Thursday September 14th at 10am. There will also be Saturday bowls.
 The first committee meeting is on Wednesday September 6th at 7.30pm.
 For any ladies who are interested in starting bowls, there will be a roll-up on Thursday 7th at 1pm. Please come along and have a go and any members who can come, please do so to help the new bowlers.
 Also, the Ladies Triples tournament is scheduled for Monday 9th October, so everyone should get active quickly!
 Looking forward to a great season.
 Roll on!
 ~ The Hammer



High Country Darts Winter Competition

Results
 In the Singles Championship on Tuesday night at the Walwa Hotel, Brendan McCallum defeated Jethro Peck.
 A highlight of the night was Brett Whitehead nailing a 180!

Ladder R15	P	%
Bottoms Up	44	128.2
Bottom Pub	44	123.4
Cudgy Chukas	44	123.4
Courthouse	40	133.3
Cudgy Cannons	36	138.6
Poss. Pointers	24	100.0
ABD	24	94.4
Walwa	16	77.9
Biggara	16	64.0
Koetong	12	47.4

(Amended)
Sharpshooters:- Men's highest peg - Jamie Jarvis 121, Men's highest score - Murray Russell, Brett Whitehead & Dean Williamson 180, Women's Highest Score - Shelley Henry 129, Women's Highest Peg - Shelley Henry 95.
Draw R16 29/8/23
 Walwa v Biggara
 P/Pointers v Bottom Pub
 Bottoms Up v Courthouse
 ABD v Cudgy Chukas
 Cudgy Cannons v Koetong

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Upper Murray Sport



Demons Den

Netball

D Grade: The weather wasn't going to stop our Dees as we opened the preliminary final with a storm. The rain didn't hold back and neither did our girls!

There were very little faults as the ball passed down the court through our channels, with our girls on the sidelines cheering their team on every step of the way.

We were so happy to hear the final whistle, securing us the grand final berth this week.

Awards: BOG - Liv Panjkov.

The social side:

The club will be holding its annual Duck Drop this Sunday at the recreation reserve with \$4000 worth of prizes on offer - buy your duck today for a chance to win!



Chrissie McKimmie reels in the ball ahead of her opponent. Photo: Wendy Lavis



Blues News

A Grade: Amy Greenhill had an outstanding shooting game alongside Shontelle Green in mid court. We did have a number of changes throughout the game however with quality on a bench, the transitions were seemingly smooth.

Ellie Ross stepped up into the A grade side and carried out her role well. Jo Beirs, Taylor Pynappels and Mego Nankervis were still impressive on a wet court. The defenders had a tough battle with the tall, quality Corryong shooters, however their defensive pressure finally was rewarded with a number of turnovers in the third and final quarters.

Corryong certainly didn't stand down at any point of the game however Cudgewa fought hard to chip away for an 11 goal lead. Best on ground went to Shontelle Green and the other award winner was Amy Greenhill

We look forward to the biggest challenge yet



Roos' captain, Jim Waters, lays the 'perfect' tackle. Photo: Wendy Lavis

against Tumarumba.

U15s: The girls had a convincing win over a strong Bullioh side and there was no room for complacency. Finals will bring out the best in our girls. It was a shaky start in the first five minutes as the girls took the court in freezing conditions but they gained composure with their ability to move the ball down the court and capitalise on goal opportunities.

Gemma McNamara again led the team to a great victory, with her on court presence and intercepting several opposition throw ins to secure goals - a fantastic display of an attacker defence.

Marlie McLean was

again speedy in goal attack and proved accurate shooting in wet conditions. Great to have Quinn Galbraith back in centre to run the ball and stabilise play through the mid court along with Lola Paton and Taylor Turnbull who were able to apply pressure on the opposition and create turnovers for the team.

Ruby-Jean Klippel was hard and consistent in goal defence, intercepts and pressure on opposition attack limiting them to a low score, backed with solid and strong defence from Ava Dakin in goalkeeper, consistency applied pressure on the opposition's attackers and reading the play.

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Corryong Skatepark



The design process for the new Corryong Skatepark has been progressing well!

The Project Reference Group have worked closely with the design contractor to create a facility which will be adventurous, exciting, inclusive of all abilities and fun.

Draft plans are now available for the community to view and provide their feedback.

A special presentation of the proposed designs will be held:

When: Thursday 31 August

Time: 6:00 pm

Where: Upper Murray Recovery Hub, Corner Donaldson Street and Towong Road, Corryong

If you can't make this presentation, there will be other opportunities for community members to provide their feedback such as school visits and local pop-up stalls on a weekend.

For more information contact the Project Manager Mark Florence by contacting 1300 365 222 or info@towong.vic.gov.au.



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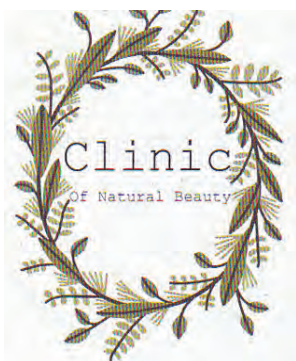
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Upper Murray Sport

Bulldogs get their chance

The week off after a 1st semi-final win over Corryong proved beneficial for Bullioh which comfortably accounted for Tumarumba in the preliminary final on Saturday.

The Roos were off their game after Cudgewa walloped them in the 2nd semi and the Dogs took full advantage to post a 19-point win.

Kelvin Wallace, Luke Rafferty and Harrison Cowie were pivotal in the Roos maintaining a handy margin throughout the match and full forward played his part with five goals.

Fynn Debono, Blake Ryan and Jake Read were prominent for Tumba but Bullioh's stingy defence kept Roos' spearhead, Dan Hitchens, to two goals and they were unable to find other avenues to goal.

In A grade netball, Cudgewa righted the ship

with a solid 11-goal win over Corryong for the right to take on Tumarumba in the grand final.

The Demons showed plenty of fight in the early stages and pushed their opposition at every quarter but the Blues' sharpshooters proved too much for a tiring defence in the run home.

2nd Semi Results

Football

Seniors

Tumarumba v Bullioh

Bullioh 3.1, 5.3, 7.6, 10.7 (67) d Tumarumba 1.2, 4.3, 5.5, 7.6 (48)

Goals: Bullioh - A Murray 5, H Schubert, C Bosman, K Wallace, J Curran, J Wellington 1. Tumarumba - D Hitchens 2, C Langlands 2, L Vogan 2, B Ryan 1.

Best: Bullioh: Kelvin Wallace, Matthew Thomas, Luke Rafferty, Harrison Cowie, Ryan Carey, Brad Simmonds. Tumarumba - Fynn Debono, James Munday, Blake Ryan, Jacob Read, Isaac Lampe, Jake Spackman.

Reserves

Cudgewa v Corryong

Cudgewa 11.9 (75) d Corryong 1.7 (13)

Goals: Cudgewa - M Nolan 5, J Whiteley 3, B Wheeler, J Hudson, A Harris 1. Corryong - S Bannon 1.

Best: Cudgewa - Nathan Hewatt, Matt Nolan, Sam Stephens, Dylan Wheeler, Jimmy Clevin. Corryong - Beau Morley, Angus Pilli, Hayden Tyrell, Jarrod Cass, James Barlee, Joshua Parker.

Under 14s

Cudgewa v Corryong

Cudgewa 18.14 (122) d Corryong 1.3 (9)

Goals: Cudgewa - L Costello 9, H Muligan 3, W Klippel 2, R Pierce, M Brindley, D Faithful 1.

Best: Cudgewa - Lewis Costello, William Klippel, Beau Mulligan, Mac



Roos' forward, Dan Hitchens, eludes a Bullioh defender on his way goalward. Photo: Wendy Lavis

Brindley, Heath Mulligan. Corryong - Zachary Rixon, James Yule, Harrison Nicholas, Asher Flack.

Under 12s

Cudgewa v Tumarumba

Cudgewa 4.3 (27) d Tumarumba 3.6 (24)

Goals: Cudgewa - A Jackson 2, R Pierce, D Faithful 1. Tumarumba - not supplied.

Netball

A Grade: Cudgewa 53 d Corryong 42

B Grade: Bullioh 41 d Corryong 37

C Grade: Bullioh 24 d Corryong 15

D Grade: Corryong 26 d Tumarumba 11

U15s: Cudgewa 15 d Bullioh 8

This week's deciders

Cudgewa goes into the 2023 grand final on Saturday as a raging favourite after sweeping all before them in an undefeated season.

Bullioh has been competitive in the early stages of games against the Blues this season, although the closest margin was 40 points in round three.

The potent Blues' offence of leading

goalkicker Adam Prior, Drew Cameron and Nick Brockley has at various times helped themselves to big bags against the Roos this season with Brockley topping the list with two hauls of nine majors in the two matches he has played against the Dogs.

For one of the few times occupying the 50m arc together in 2023, the dead-eyed trio proved they could work cohesively with 13 of their side's 21 goals in the 2nd semi defeat of Tumarumba.

This does not bode well for Bullioh which relies on Ash Murray for the bulk of its score and he has only kicked five goals in his two games against the Blues.

The ripping midfield of Craig Lieschke, Mitch Pynappels, Jason Bartel and Darcy McKimmie will feast on first use of the ball from Jayden Pryse in ruck and take their pick of their power forwards to hit up.

Even if the Dogs' defence can manage to put the slows on the opposition attack it will still have to deal with league best and fairest runner-up, Josh Bartel, who has dominated

at centre half forward for the Blues.

With winners on every line it's Cudgewa's premiership to lose.

In A grade netball, Cudgewa will be out to atone for its 2nd semi loss to Tumarumba.

Most games between the two this season have been close apart from a 17-goal victory to Cudgewa in round 10.

The grand final is going to be a nail-biter and the Blues' home ground advantage sways the decision in their favour.

Selections (in bold)

Football

Seniors: **Cudgewa** v Bullioh

Reserves: Bullioh v **Cudgewa**

Under 14s: **Tumarumba** v Cudgewa

Under 12s: **Corryong** v Cudgewa

Netball

A Grade: Tumarumba v **Cudgewa**

B Grade: **Cudgewa** v Bullioh

C Grade: **Tumarumba** v Bullioh

D Grade: **Corryong** v Bullioh

15 & Under: **Tumarumba** v Cudgewa.

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