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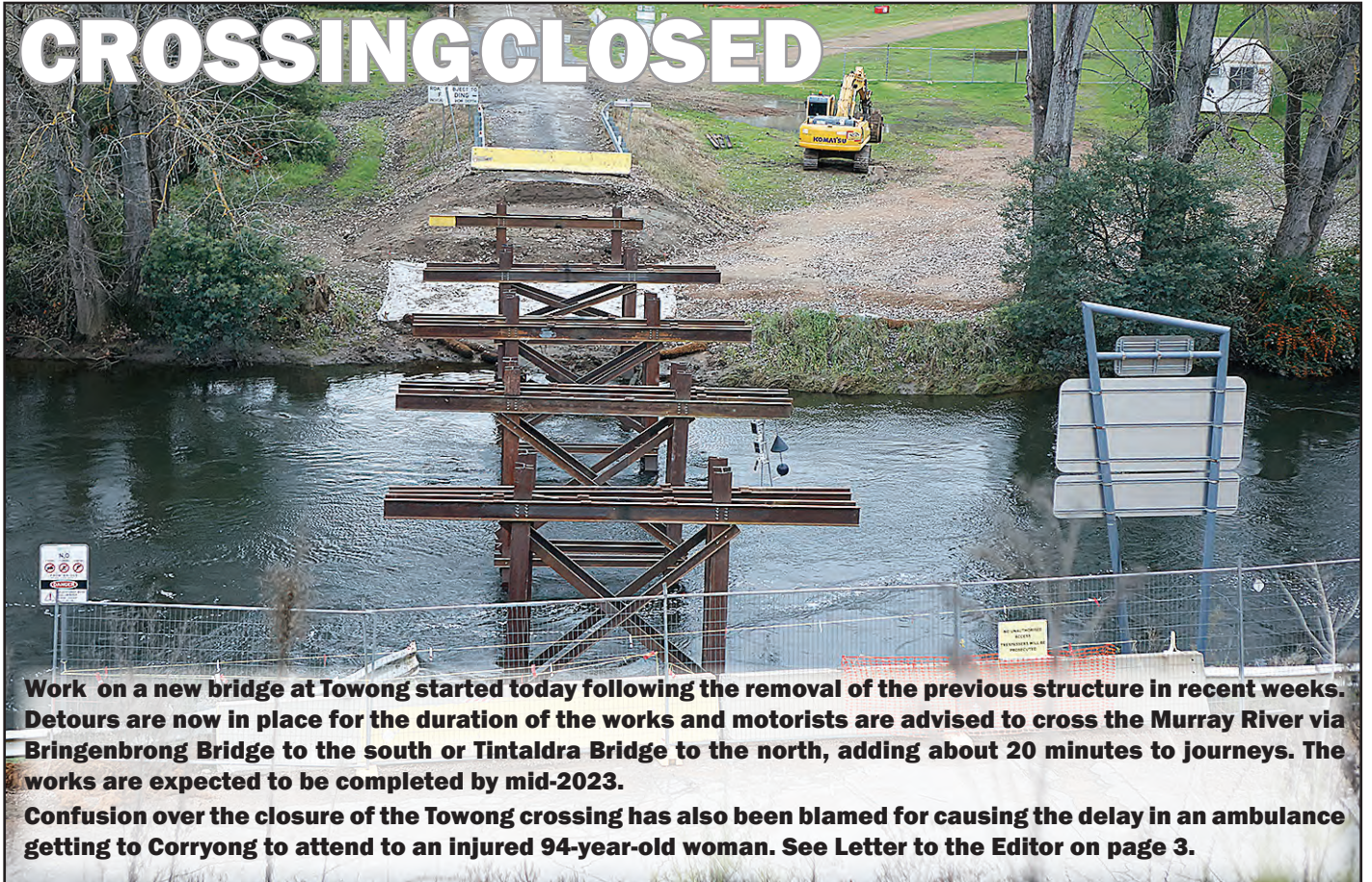
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Work on a new bridge at Towong started today following the removal of the previous structure in recent weeks. Detours are now in place for the duration of the works and motorists are advised to cross the Murray River via Bringenbrong Bridge to the south or Tintalra Bridge to the north, adding about 20 minutes to journeys. The works are expected to be completed by mid-2023.

Confusion over the closure of the Towong crossing has also been blamed for causing the delay in an ambulance getting to Corryong to attend to an injured 94-year-old woman. See Letter to the Editor on page 3.

New ag group will add value

People with an interest in agriculture in the Upper Murray are being invited to join a new

Agriculture Reference Group to drive future industry development by building on the existing

strengths and creating new agricultural enterprises.

The group is being formed by Upper Murray Inc. (UMI) which has identified three pillars that will form the foundation for the group.

Under the the Victorian Forestry Transition Plan, UMI has received a grant of \$360,000 from the Victorian Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions for the creation of a Local Development Strategy to support the

transition away from the logging of hardwood forests in Victoria.

The plan involves the identification and assessment of 5-6 economic development initiatives for the Upper Murray that will create jobs to offset any potential loss of forestry jobs.

“Given the strength of agriculture within the region, we believe that at least two to three of these initiatives should be in the realm of agriculture,

consistent with the themes of the Upper Murray 2030 Vision Plan,” said UMI president, Jo Mackinnon.

“The focus will be on value adding to the enterprises already existing and increasing diversity in the agricultural production of the region.”

The second pillar is the Upper Murray 2030 Vision Plan, developed in 2016, which identified various areas of agriculture that are ripe for development.

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Bookshop reduces open hours

With the onset of winter, the Corryong Browsers Bookshop is changing its opening hours.

“So, if you want to come into the warmth, have a chat or a drink as well as look for winter reading material, be aware we will only be opening on Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning,”

advised bookshop co-ordinator, Fay Whitehead.

“Come in and look at our refurbished shop for which we must thank Towong Shire for a very generous grant.

“As well as new flooring, bookshelves and a re-painting we are working on adding books to our new website corryongbrowsersbook

shop.com.

“We also have a large number of rare and old books.

“All books have been donated by many people and families, for which we are very thankful.

“We must also thank the many volunteers who helped pack up two roomfuls of books, painting, and flooring.

“My aim of creating a welcoming area with a very open appearance, I believe has been achieved,” Fay added.

“Come in and see if I am correct.”

The bookshop will be open during winter on Thursdays and Fridays from 11am to 2pm and on Saturday mornings from 10am to 12.30pm.

Balladeer backs brumbies

Corryong singer and songwriter, Trevor Best (right), will launch a rally on the steps of the Victorian parliament in Melbourne next Wednesday to protest the planned mass slaughter of wild brumbies in National Parks.

The award winning musician will perform his acclaimed song ‘Run Brumby Run’ at the protest which has been organised by the Brumby Action Group Inc. (BAG) in response to Parks Victoria (PV) calling for a tender to shoot brumbies in the Victorian Alps, Bogong High Plains and Barmah National Parks.

The BAG claims that tender is outside the terms of the current Management



Plans for the Victorian Alpine Park and Barmah Wetlands.

The rally will be addressed by MPs James Newbury (Shadow Min-

ister for the Environment), Peter Walsh (Leader of the Nationals Party), Wendy Lovell and Beverley McArthur and brumby support groups.

Local people will steer agriculture development

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UMI was formed with the express purpose of implementing projects identified as part of the 2030 plan.

“It is time to turn our attention again to implementing the agricultural initiative that was an important part of the plan,” Mrs Mackinnon said.

“It goes almost without saying that the further development of agriculture is vital to the economic prosperity of the entire Upper Murray.

“As the Upper Murray 2030 Vision Plan makes clear, agriculture in the region relies heavily on two areas - beef and dairy. While both of these are strong in the Upper Murray in terms of primary production, virtually no value adding occurs.

“It is not even possible to buy a steak that was produced in the Upper Murray without it having made a long trip outside the region for processing before it comes back to be enjoyed.

“There are enormous opportunities for economic development within the region through the creation of industries that add value to the primary production

that is already here.

“Also, while these powerhouse industries are a strength of the Upper Murray, heavy reliance on them also represents one of our biggest vulnerabilities,” Mrs Mackinnon added.

“One only has to remember the recent downturn in the dairy industry to see that value adding enterprises and greater diversity within the agricultural production of the Upper Murray would provide some insurance against the ups and downs of any one area of agricultural production.

The third pillar is recovery from the 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires.

The agriculture reference group picks up and carries on the work of the Towong Shire Agriculture Recovery Group that was chaired by Tim Hollier from Ag Vic.

“There is still a lot of work to be done, even though we are more than two years on from the bushfires and it is important for the good work of this committee to continue,” Mrs Mackinnon said.

“Based on these three pillars, the momentum in agriculture in the region is strongly in favour

of action including the creation of new enterprises within the region that can build on the strengths already here and go on to become the foundation of agriculture in the region for generations to come.

“We need local people to bring their energy and expertise to help guide the momentum in the right direction to ensure that we are successful.

“We have the wind at our backs,” Mrs Mackinnon said.

“The Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions is providing strong support for our activities through the Forestry Transition Plan.

“For those initiatives that are feasible and promising for the Upper Murray, we will have their support in structuring the initiatives for business success, identifying funding and overcoming any red tape that might be encountered.

“The time is ripe for doing more than talking about it and actually getting some important things done,” Mrs Mackinnon emphasised.

Send your expression of interest in this initiative to Kaye Nankervis at uppermurray2030vision@gmail.com.

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Show preparation is cracking along

Following a survey put out to the community late last year, the Corryong Show committee has incorporated both traditional favourites and hits from the 'Cracker Family Night' held in 2021.

The Corryong Show has been a longstanding community event, commencing in 1891 and has since evolved and formed into what it is today.

This year, the show is being held on October 1st as a twilight event from 3pm-11pm at the Corryong Recreation Reserve.

It will see all the favourites return such as the Dog Jump, Wood Chop showcasing some of Australia's best, Animal Nursery, Pavilion, Country Show Boy and Girl, a Bush Gymkhana

and sideshows along with showcasing as many local groups and organisations as possible.

There will be an evening full of on-stage entertainment, as well as fireworks which were loved by all in the town last year.

There will also be a few changes this year, especially with the pavilion, with the inclusion of a home brew section and added classes such as Decorated Jocks which will be sure to give everyone a laugh!

The inaugural 'Dachshund Dash' should make for plenty of entertainment watching the sausage dogs race on the football oval to claim the title.

Entries for the pavilion will be submitted online after the committee

purchased new software which will assist in reducing volunteer hours. Assistance will be available for those who are not-so tech savvy in the days leading up to the show.

Judging for the pavilion will be held on Friday 30th September this year, to allow judges plenty of time to pursue all entries.

The Corryong Show committee has been conducting weekly raffles at the Corryong Hotel Motel for over a year now and the proceeds, funded by the community and visitors, will be used to fund this year's fireworks display.

As always, volunteers are needed. If you would like to donate an hour or two of your time to assist, reach out to Emma on 0403 543 595.



Letters to the Editor:-

Ambulance response was deplorable

On Friday May 20th my very active 94-year-old mother had a fall at home and broke her hip.

As soon as I was informed of her situation I called 000 for an ambulance.

By 5:30pm she had been on the floor for two hours so I called 000 again to be told an ambulance had been deployed.

At 6:40pm my mother was struggling with the pain and becoming quite agitated so I called again as the ambulance had not arrived. I requested an ETA as I was concerned

for my mother who at this stage had been on the floor for more than three hours.

The operator stated that he could not divulge that information.

I was becoming quite distressed and felt helpless as there was nothing I could do to make my mother comfortable.

Watching and waiting was agonising and the time seemed to drag. My mother was in severe pain and very uncomfortable.

An ambulance finally arrived at 8.29pm precisely. My mother had been on the floor for five stressful hours. The ambulance was deployed from Tumberumba and was further delayed due to the inadequate signage

of the Towong bridge closure.

My mother's experience is untenable, unacceptable and absolutely deplorable.

We in the Upper Murray are poorly serviced with emergency transport and it must be remedied as soon as possible.

We live in a remote area with compromised road access, a reliable service is essential.

There is no criticism of the paramedics as they are doing the best they can but it is the service that is in question.

If it can happen to a 94-year-old lady who is next?

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Museum rates highly with visitors

Visitor numbers over the last twelve months at the Man From Snowy River Museum in Corryong have been very good considering the pandemic impact on tourist numbers.

"During the bush festival in April the numbers were also good knowing there are so many attractions to visit," said historical society secretary, Stewart Ross.

"The museum visitors' book contains many favourable comments," he said.

These included:-
"Very impressive, lots to see and learn from"

"Excellent, great work volunteers, well done!"

"Fantastic to see such a good collection of memorabilia"

"Absolutely superb! What a wonderful surprise. Thankyou!"

"Amazing collection, loved the Jack Riley Village - illustrates the community's pride in preserving its heritage"

"A delightful insight into the history of the region"

"Best museum ever seen!"

The Upper Murray Historical Society next year celebrates 60 years since its formation and this year it is 50 years since the museum shifted to its present day site from the Davis Cottage.

"The museum continues to operate with volunteers to keep the doors open for more or less all the year," Stewart said.

"Also one of the things that is keeping the committee busy is the inquiries received for historical information or family trees. Very often this information can be found and people are very appreciative.

"Inquiries are also often received from families wanting to donate items to the museum," Stewart added.

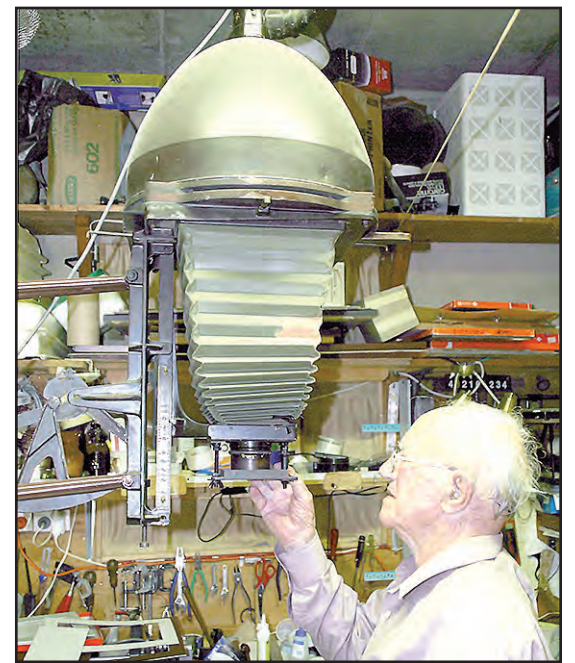
"Items must have a local connection but not all can be accepted as we are now running out of available space."

Recently, the family of the late Jim Nicholas donated a large photo imager (pictured) which was used to develop many of the famous Playle glass slides.

"Jim spent many hours with this task and has left us with a priceless legacy which we can all view and enjoy today," Stewart said.

"One of the latest projects undertaken is the building of the replica of Jack Riley's hut in the museum grounds. This project is nearing completion and hopefully we can have an open day to show this off to the general public.

"The museum



Jim Nicholas with the photo imager which has been donated to the museum.

continues to be an important part of the district's attractions and we are always looking for volunteers to keep the museum operating," Stewart added.

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Deer strategy future to be discussed

Upper Murray Landcare will host a Deer Management forum and workshop this month to review what action has been taken to control the pest since the last forum in 2015.

The workshop asked participants to discuss the impacts they noticed on their properties and in the wider landscape and make suggestions about how these could be addressed.

Uncertainty about the rules for spotlighting; lack of information on deer management (or ability to access it from various websites); illegal shooting

and anti social behaviour were issues which dominated the discussion and the feedback.

Following the forum most of these issues were pursued by Upper Murray Landcare with submissions to government, lobbying, collaborative programs set up with public land managers and a Rural Watch program initiated.

The legislation changed in Victoria to allow commercial harvesting of deer on private land. Options for engaging hunter organisations to prepare individual deer management plans were

also put forward. A local Deer Management Information folder was produced and distributed and Rural Watch and No Shooting signage made available to landholders.

The upcoming deer forum on June 17th at the Upper Murray Events Centre in Corryong is intended to engage local landholders about further community input on issues, discussion of the current situation, post fire populations and what still needs to be done.

The new Victorian Deer Management Strategy

Eastern (Hume) Plan will also be explained. The Department of Environment, Land, Water and Planning; Wild Game Resources; Parks Victoria; the Sporting Shooters Association Australia; the Victorian Deer Control Community Network and Victoria Police will be speaking. This is a free event and all are welcome. See the advertisement on page seven of this issue or the Upper Murray Landcare Facebook page for further details. Register at [@umlandcare](https://www.facebook.com/umlandcare) or call 02 6072 7502 or 0427 437 439.

Snowy Scheme in Pictures

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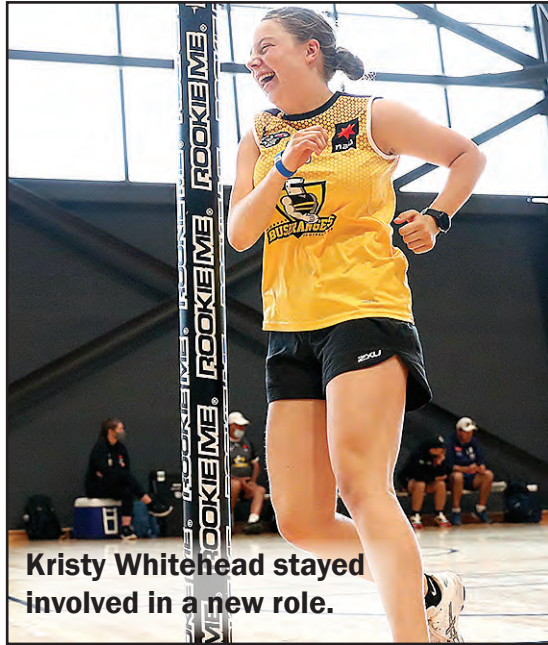
Upper Murray Sport

Injury can't keep Kristy down

A knee injury that curtailed Kristy Whitehead's 2022 football season with the Murray Bushrangers did not leave her lamenting her bad luck. Instead, Kristy took up the clipboard as an assistant coach with the Bushrangers which finished 8th in the 16-team NAB League Girls competition.

At the club's recent awards presentation, Kristy's contribution and support from the sideline were recognised when she received the Coaches Award.

Awards
 Best and Fairest: Daisy Pearce Medal - Zarli Goldsworthy; Runner-up - Keeley Skepper; Coaches Award - Kristy Whitehead; Trainers' Award (Most Promising) - Bella Browne; Under 16 Award - Destiny Dodd; Leading Goal Kicker - Mindy Quade; Brian Hill Award (Best Club Person) - Olivia Ciccolini.



Kristy Whitehead stayed involved in a new role.

Riders have a ball at new venue

The Jingellic Pony Club is settling in well to the new home grounds at the Tintaldra Recreation Reserve with the mantra of promoting fun and friendship in a community environment. Three rallies have been held since the move, with welcoming new families to each one, memberships are growing.

On Sunday the club introduced its new large soccer horse ball (pictured), which was a huge hit with all the riders. They also practiced their balancing skills, throwing and passing balls to each other while controlling their mounts at same time.

A sausage sizzle for lunch was the perfect



opportunity to mingle and get to know the club's new members.

In the afternoon, riders had a go at a showjumping grid, aiming towards teaching riders about

direction and position.

Moving into the winter months, rallies will be held where possible and weather permitting, which may not be the set first Sunday of each month.

To enquire about Jingellic Pony Club, contact the secretary on 0428 482 328. New members are always welcome.

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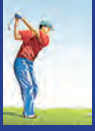
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Upper Murray Sport



Cudgewa notes
continued from page 7:
Seniors: It was a tough game against the top side and we let them out to an early lead which proved tough to peg back.

The boys rallied in the third term but it wasn't our day and Tumba ended up with a three goal win.

Best: Darcy McKimmie, Jack Ross, Jimmy Whiteley, Jake Vinge, Jack McInerney, Craig Lieschke.

Netball
U11s: The team played a great game but unfortunately the Tumburumba side was just too tall and got too many intercepts, scoring too many goals to make a come back in the end. However, the team kept their heads held high and never gave up hope which

was really good to see.

Awards: Indi Stephens, Pippa Faithful and Hayley Drew.

B Grade: Cudgewa went out hungry for the win against Tumba which was a close match right to the end. The entire team worked hard for all four quarters, producing turnovers and converting them for the win.

Awards: Peta Evans, Bella McKimime and Amy Greenhill.

A Grade:
Tumba put up fierce competition which was matched by Cudgewa! We dug deep in the fourth quarter to come back from 12 goals down to finish with a draw.

Awards: Meggo Nankervis, Lil Fair and Lizzy Star.



Demos Den

Netball

C Grade: The score did not reflect the game that the girls played on the weekend. With only five of our players we had a lot of fill ins. The girls put up a good fight with losing 10-6.

Awards: Mug - Tori Graham, Jackie and Jess.

15 & Under: Due to illness and players being away we headed to Bullioh with only seven of our regulars. A huge thank you to the 11 & Unders who were happy to sit on our bench in case we had an injury. Our girls got out of the blocks early taking the lead at 1/4 time. For the remainder of the game we worked really hard but

had lost our rhythm and found it difficult to get scoring opportunities. It was fantastic to see that everyone kept their heads high and kept giving it their all. It was pleasing to see many of our players playing both ends of the court.

Awards: Sportspower - Raegan Bailey-Spicer, Regent Cinema - Ella Pearce, Hobie's Sport Store - Abby Connor.

11&Under: Our girls looked little compared to the height of our opposition, however we gained momentum in the final quarter with Mabel Edwards and Myla Tight shooting goals for our team. The girls continue to take on different positions on court and give their all. Lilly Condran was moving up and down the court well

and Kyella Bailey-Spicer intercepted with brilliance.

Awards: Sportspower - Lilly Condran, Matty Moo Canteen voucher - Kyella Bailey Spicer, Corryong Newsagency - Leah Twigg.

Football

Seniors: To say that the last couple of weeks has been a challenge from a coaching standpoint would be an understatement. We have had huge numbers of injuries illness and unavailability and unfortunately we travelled to Tallangatta Valley to take on Bullioh without a reserves side and only 17 in the seniors.

Bullioh had a strong advantage on the scoreboard for most of the day but around the ground we were holding our own and winning a lot of one-on-

one-contests. We finished the game off strongly and managed to run the game out and hit the scoreboard in the last quarter. We definitely showed signs of improvement and it was a great effort considering we only had one on the bench all game.

Under 11s: It was a fun game with our side having a couple of first game players who fitted in perfectly, making our

numbers larger than our opposition. Well done on working as a team, backing each other up and encouraging each other, and also to those who played for the opposition to make numbers fair.

Awards: \$10 - Leo Sandilands, Hobie's Sports Store - Harry Whitehead, Corryong Newsagency - Lincoln Broad, The Greengrocer - Jax Johnstone.



Corryong Indoor Bowls

Results R4

Bandits d Bacashes 21-14, Courthouse d Lucyvale 24-4, Thoughla d Indiettes 21-7, CNC d St George 22-12, AFL d Pole Cats 33-1, Hoppers d Attackers 15-10.

Ladder

Thoughla	16	+42
Courthouse	16	+42
Bacashes	12	+5
AFL	8	+42
Attackers	8	+6
CNC	8	+3
Indiettes	8	-12
Bandits	8	-14
Hoppers	4	-14
Lucyvale	4	-24
Pole Cats	4	-41
St George	0	-35

Draw R5 13/6/22

AFL v Attackers (3)
Pole Cats v Lucyvale (1)
Hoppers v Bandits (5)
Courthouse v CNC (6)
Bacashes v Thoughla (4)
St George v Indiettes (2)

Singles Championships Monday June 6th - 7pm

TEE TO GREEN

Welaregang

A small field confronted the wintery conditions last Sunday with 'young' Bill Sheather breaking through for his first win of the season carding a handy 30 points, three clear of the injury-stricken Rod Cox. The consistent Bill Bond was third with 23 points.

This Sunday is round 2 of the Monthly Medal stroke and putting competition. With heaps of rain forecast, it could be a day for the very dedicated and keen golfers.

Visitors to the area and new players are always welcome to join in the club competitions and enjoy the course and the 19th.

Coming up
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UM Sport (Cont.)

Football/netball club news

Cont. from page 12:
The news doesn't get any better for Corryong as it prepares to take on Tumbarumba at home.

The Roos are in superb form and on paper, should bolster their percentage with a runaway win but the wet weather this week will play in the Demons favour.

They will find a victory difficult to come by but the Dees' endeavour has been unquestioned and a competitive effort is expected.

A near full strength Cudgewa will have enough firepower to get the four points against Federals but the Swans too will take advantage of the soft conditions to limit the damage.

Bullioh has the bye.

The league has a general bye on the June long weekend (June 11th).



Cudgewa's GD reaches high to intercept the pass to Tumbarumba's Renee Moxey.
Photo: Wendy Lavis

Blues News

Football

U11s: The team had another great win, with everybody contributing. The game was of a high level with many admiring comments from spectators stating how skilful players were.

Best players were Jodie Pierce (including an eye watering tackle on

Tumba's biggest player) and also Katie Pearce's tenacity in the packs was awesome.

U14s: The team fought out a very tough win against a strong Tumba line-up. We came out of the blocks slowly only to claw our way back into the match after conceding three goals in the first quarter to eventually win 6.9.45 to 5.7.37.

Hunter Patane played one of his best games ever and was able to bring his

team mates into the game with some awesome ruck work to Riley Bloom which resulted in him kicking three great goals.

Isaac Nicholas played well from around half forward kicking two goals and setting up some others. Jack Jarvis once again played a very strong game in the backline turning defence into offence on a number of occasions. Lewis Costello and Dec Faithful also played well.

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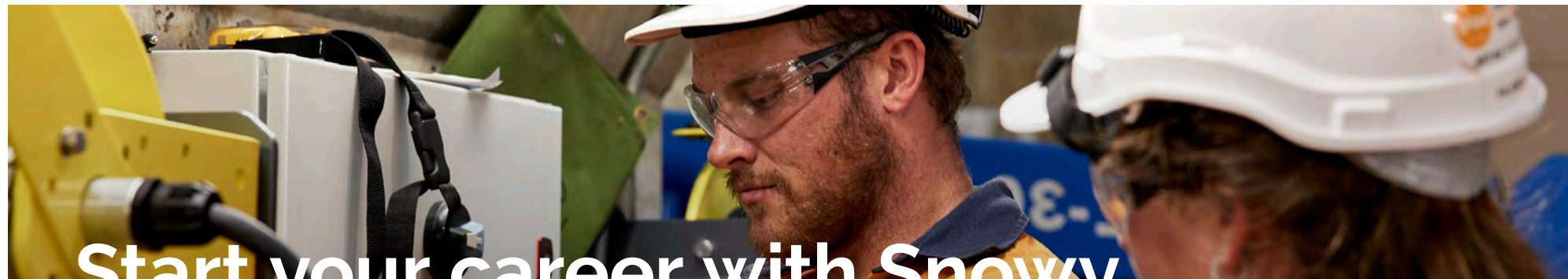
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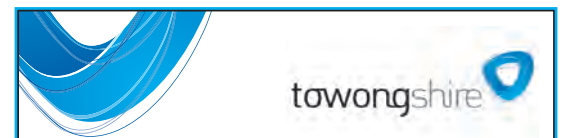
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POSITIONS VACANT

Project Manager, Upper Murray

Local Development Strategy

The Upper Murray community is seeking to rethink its economic future and plan for diverse, sustainable and innovative activity in established and new industries. This follows a number of changes to its economy and population including changes to the agriculture, forestry and tourism sectors, the impact of drought and more recently bushfire and COVID-19, demographic changes and growth in sectors such as healthcare and social assistance.

To investigate the options for the future of the economy, Upper Murray Inc. (UMI) is seeking to employ a Project Manager who will identify local assets and potential areas of strength for future development. The Project Manager will assist the community in developing those areas of strength into proposals for development and investment.

The position will be supported by the project partners Upper Murray Inc.; Towong Shire Council; Snowy Valleys Shire Council; Tumbarumba Chamber of Commerce; Upper Murray Community Recovery Committees; Corryong Community Neighbourhood Centre; and the Victorian Government Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions.

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To obtain a copy of the position description please email uppermurray2030vision@gmail.com.

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EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST



Expressions of Interest

Ag Working Group

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The Ag Working Group will also play an important part in advising and assisting the Program Manager for the Victorian Forestry project in the Upper Murray region, who will be reviewing the Upper Murray's economic future and plan for diverse, sustainable and innovative activity in established and new industries.

It is envisaged that membership will be for a term of 12 months - 2 years.

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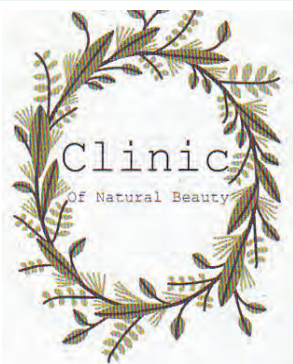
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Upper Murray Sport

Roos keep win record intact

The top of the table clash between undefeated Tumbarumba and Cudgewa lived up to expectations with the Roos sneaking home by 16 points.

Tumbarumba asserted its authority early on and ground its way to a three goal break at half time.

Tyler Lampe maintained his hot form up forward with five goals

and was well supported by Daniel Hitchens and Noah Bolton with two apiece.

The Blues weren't done with though and put the brakes on the Roos' attack in the third term while clawing their way back into the contest with five goals to three and crept within four points at the last break.

Darcy McKimmie, Jack McInerney and Craig

Lieschke were winning plenty of ball to set up their forwards and the wily Ben Hall capitalised with four majors in his first game for the season while the reliable Nick Brockley chimed in with three.

However, the Roos showed they are genuine flag favourites by surging home with a five-goal final quarter to shade a spirited Cudgewa outfit.

At Bullioh, the Dogs stayed in touch with the top two sides after a clinical eight goal victory over Corryong.

The Demons struggled to remain in touch for the first three quarters as the Dogs piled on the goals with ten players hitting the scoreboard, led by Mackinley Haley Oneill with five.

A blowout looked on the cards given the Demons had flagged badly in previous weeks but the last stanza turned into

an unexpected shootout as they climbed off the canvas to equal the five goals kicked by the Roos.

Mitch Potter was effective in attack for the Dees finishing with four goals while the experienced trio of coach Danny De Marte, Matt McNamara and Evan Nicholas were consistent contributors.

Results

Football Tumbarumba v Cudgewa Seniors

Tumbarumba 3.4, 6.7, 9.8, 14.11 (95) d Cudgewa 1.3, 3.7, 8.10, 11.13 (79)

Goals:- Tumbarumba - T Lampe 5, N Bolton 2, D Hitchens 2, M Deluca, J Waters, P Hussell, H Waters, T Lunn. Cudgewa - B Hall 4, N Brockley 3, Y Hamilton 2, D McKimmie, J Vinge.

Best:- Tumbarumba - Jim Waters, James Munday, Jacob Read, Isaac Lampe, Tyler Lampe. Cudgewa - Darcy McKimmie, Jack Ross, Jack McInerney, Craig Lieschke, James Whiteley, Jake Vinge.

Reserves Tumbarumba 2.6, 6.6, 9.6, 11.9 (75) d Cudgewa 1.2, 5.4, 5.4, 6.8 (44)

Best:- Tumbarumba - Samuel Bunny, Todd Bennett, James Doolan, Brendon Lane, Benjamin Chaffey, Andrew Johns. Cudgewa - Jayden Pryse, Sam Harrison, Player, Jack Gigliotti.

Under 14s Cudgewa 1.1, 3.4, 4.7, 6.9 (45) d Tumbarumba 3.1, 4.2, 4.5 5.7 (37)

Best:- Cudgewa - Riley Bloom, Hunter Patane, Isaac Nicholas, Jack Jarvis, Declan Faithfull, Lewis Costello. Tumbarumba - Alexander Crain, Kieran Middleton, Dayne Perry, Albert Middleton, Troy Perry, Campbell Murray.



Tumbarumba's Jacob Read flies high for the mark over his Cudgewa opponent.

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Bullioh v Corryong Seniors

Bullioh 6.3, 10.5, 13.10, 18.13 (121) d Corryong 2.1, 5.2, 6.5, 11.7 (73)

Goals:- Bullioh - M Haley Oneill 5, T McGibbony 3, H Schubert 2, J Walters 2, L Nicolson, S Price, L Maher, A Gordon, H Cowie, J Curran. Corryong - M Potter 4, D De Marte 2, L Potter 2, J Wells 2, D Nowak.

Best:- Bullioh - Leo Nicolson, Aaron Gordon, Josh Walters, Thomas McGibbony, Jacob Curran, Mackinley Haley

Oneill. Corryong - Matt McNamara, James Wells, Mitchell Potter, Danny De Marte, Evan Nicholas, Liam Potter.

Reserves Corryong forfeited to Bullioh.

Ladders Seniors

	P	%
Tumbarumba	20	182.00
Cudgewa	12	161.88
Bullioh	12	113.57
Federal	4	71.08
Corryong	0	35.65

Reserves

	P	%
Bullioh	16	582.05
Tumbarumba	16	138.26
Cudgewa	8	72.02
Corryong	4	76.22

Federal 0 23.64

Netball results

A Grade

Bullioh 47 d Corryong 30
Tumba drew with Cudgewa 51-51

B Grade

Bullioh 42 d Corryong 13
Cudgewa 50 d Tumba 45

C Grade

Bullioh 16 d Corryong 9
Tumba 25 d Cudgewa 15

D Grade

Tumba 19 d Cudgewa 7

15&Under

Bullioh 22 d Corryong 16

No score lodged for Tumba v Cudgewa

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