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During this National Volunteer Week both the CFA and SES have publicly thanked their members for their dedication and selflessness.

In the Upper Murray, the local CFA and SES units go "above and beyond" for their communities and have a long history of service however, similar to other volunteer organisations, their numbers have been dwindling.

The CFA is asking regional Victorians to 'Give Us a Hand' in an effort to recruit new volunteers to join its 52,000 communityminded members in protecting lives and property across the state.

The call out is part of a new volunteer recruitment campaign, which aims to encourage selfless Victorians to take up a firefighting or support role with their local CFA brigade.

Whether you're looking to make the most of your spare time, are new to your community or just want to be part of a group made up of like-minded people, CFA brigades have flexible volunteering arrangements and diverse roles to suit anyone's skills and needs.

Chief Officer, Jason Heffernan, said the CFA is a great place to volunteer, meet new people and learn new skills.

"Volunteers are the backbone of the firefighting and emergency response network across Victoria," he said.

"We are calling on all community-minded individuals who are looking for a new challenge to consider joining their local brigade and apply their expertise and knowledge to CFA.

"Whether you want to jump on the truck and respond to incidents or take up a brigade support position, we'll find a role that suits you and your brigade."

Brigades are most commonly looking for people from all backgrounds who have the capacity to take up roles as daytime responders and

are particularly interested in hearing from young people who want to make a difference within their community.

If you re interested in joining or learning more, visit www.cfa.vic.gov.au/volunteer.

Once you've submitted your expression of interest form online, your local brigade will contact you regarding the next steps.

Yesterday was Wear Orange Wednesday (WOW), a national day of thanks dedicated to SES volunteers across the country.

Held annually during
National Volunteer
Week, WOW Day
encourages the public to
thank and acknowledge
SES volunteers, for the
invaluable contribution
and commitment
they make to local
communities.

Over the last 12 months, VICSES volunteers have responded to over 35,000 requests for assistance – generously donating their time in support of their communities.

Volunteers also responded to more than 1600 'Assist Police' jobs every year. This includes assistance at searches for missing people, searches for evidence at crime scenes as well as scene preservation and assistance with lighting

towers and marquees.

In addition, volunteers respond to on average just over 1,300 road crash rescues each year and are highly trained to meet national standards and participate in regular capability assessments to ensure they continue to meet these standards.

SES CEO, Stephen Griffin, said "I continue to admire the remarkable and relentless efforts of our volunteers and thank them for their time and dedication.

"Many of you go over and beyond and it is truly inspiring."

If you want to be a part of the action, learn new skills and serve your community visit ses.vic. gov.au/volunteer.

Community members can also support their local ambulance service by becoming First Responders, Ambulance Community Officers (ACOs) or members of Community Emergency Response Teams (CERTs).

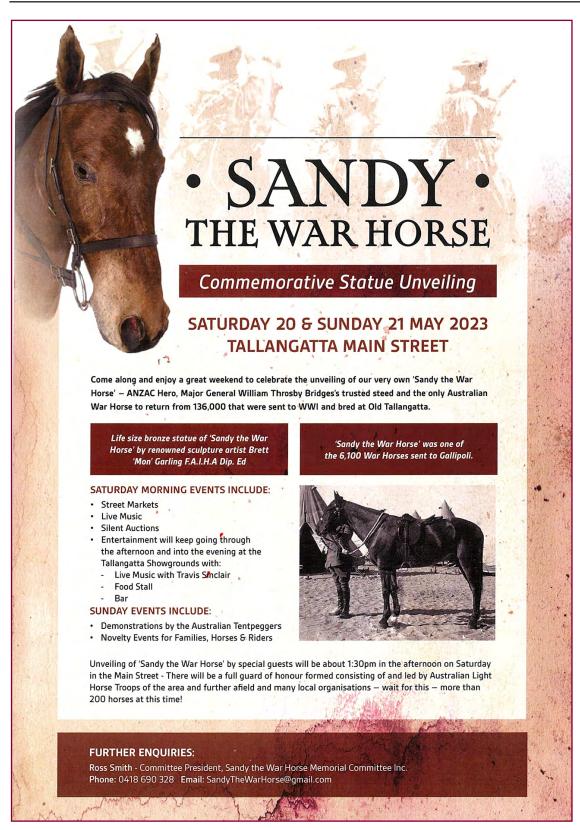
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For more informtion visit www.ambulance.vic. gov.au/careers/become-a-first-responder/



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New surface offers safe play

Playground in Corryong is sporting a new recycled rubber softfall surface in key access areas thanks to a grant received by a local community group.

'Towong The Community Bushfire Disaster Relief Fund Program' awarded the grant to upgrade part of the playground to offer an accessible all-weather safer play surface in town.

wonderful that we will now have a playground in town that can be accessed by crawlers and toddlers and those with mobility issues who found woodchips challenging, particularly after rain," said project organiser, Sarah Lebner.

"It also removes the issue of scuffing and maintenance of safe fall surfaces.

"Playgrounds critical community assets for social activity, mental health, physical exercise, etc. and all of these things help our community better recover in these years after the bushfires.

"The parents of my 11-month-old niece Sadie lost their home in the Corryong bushfires and it feels very rewarding to be part of this project to help her and her family get outdoors for more social and play activity during



these early years."

The project team has acknowledged the local community members and businesses who have put in a huge effort fundraising for upgrades to Attree Park Playground in the past.

Their hard work was noted in the grant application and I'm certain those efforts played a part in proving the importance and worthiness of these upgrades to our treasured playground," Sarah added.

"Thanks to the Corryong Community Neighbourhood

(CNC) for auspicing the grant, Towong Shire for making the process so easy and co-ordinating site fencing and The Playground People for a great install process. Thanks also to Yolande Szery for helping with the research and application."

Sarah acknowledged assistance of Border Trust Community Foundation for Albury Wodonga Limited Region Trustee for the Towong Community Bushfire Centre Disaster Relief Fund.

Road delays don't pass the pub test

Member for Benambra, Bill Tilley, has called on the Victorian Roads Minister to say when the Murray Valley Highway near Bullioh will be returned to two-way traffic.

Two failed culverts have led to the major route to the Upper Murray reduced to one lane under traffic lights for more than three months.

Mr Tilley said the failure to communicate what was happening was leading to misinformation and frustration.

"I get that sometime this is tricky, that there are other considerations but tell us what's happening and when it will happen,' he said.

"We have social media



commentators saying it will take 18 months in the absence of any meaningful feedback from Regional Roads Victoria.

"That doesn't pass the pub test and we need openness some transparency.

contacting "People my office say the detours around the culverts is a potential death trap.

"Culvert failures have become systemic across the region.'

Speaking Victorian Parliament last night Mr Tilley said fixes need to meet modern standards. The Minister has four weeks to respond.

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Wetlands woodland is taking shape

Friends of the Corryong Wetlands recently conducted a tree-planting day as part of its native flora re-vegetation project.

"As stated previously, it is our endeavour not only to establish a viable wetlands for Corryong to be proud of but also an open woodland on the

higher ground adjacent to the creek," said project coordinator, John Murphy.

"Word was put out but as the day approached very few people had confirmed they would be participating. Therefore, we were greatly surprised and encouraged when 19 turned up!

"We would like to say a

big thank you to everybody who participated.

"The weather was kind and a lot of good work done. The main trees planted and guarded were Red Gums and Victorian Blue Gums (Eucalyptus bicostata), native to our area. Apple box and Blakely red gums were

planted at our first tree planting day in September 2021 - the midst of the pandemic – and they are now mostly thriving.

"Here we would like to take the opportunity thank to David Hass for his valuable advice and generous supply of native species. "Another of the aims of the Corryong Wetlands Wander is to use the facility as an educational and environmental awareness tool during the project's development and once it reaches maturity," John added.

"Recently, the site was visited by a group of senior Corryong College students under the supervision of Outdoor Education teachers Sarah Harris and Bronwyn Lang – all of whom were 'shovel

ready

"Over the afternoon a lot of good work was done, mainly in planting and guarding open woodland trees on the higher ground away from the stream.

"As part of encouraging involvement in this project long-term the students were asked to tag their trees with their names, tree species and date planted in the hope that they will revisit the Corryong wetlands from time to time over the years to check on

their tree's progress and that of the Wetlands in general.

"We would like to thank both teachers and students for their involvement. It was a great afternoon.

"Plans are in progress for a similar visit by members of Corryong Colleges Junior campus sometime in the near future."

The wetlands area ius situated at the corner of Strzelecki Way and Briggs Gap Road (Parish Lane).



Students get involved in tree planting in the wetlands area.

Small towns get makeovers

The Cudgewa Streetscape project, a priority of the Towong Shire Council in its 2021-2025 Plan, aims to revitalise the heart of the township while ensuring its heritage value and history remains in place and central to this is the redevelopment of the Avenue of Honour (pictured).

Preparatory works will commence in mid-July with the removal of 12 hazardous elm trees.

These trees were identified for removal following an independent assessment of their viability after the Black Summer fires. Prior to the selection and planting of replacement trees a planning permit will need to be obtainedd.

Community members will be invited to share their ideas of species



selection and planting configuration as part of the Cudgewa Streetscape consultation process.

Directly impacted residents will be contacted in advance of works commencing to ensure access to their property remains. Council is asking that community members who don't need to access the area avoid it during this time.

In related news, delivering a plan for the

Tintaldra Streetscape upgrade is also a priority in the 2021-2025 Plan and council has been working with the community to develop designs.

A community meeting has been held and preliminary designs will soon be available for feedback.

For enquiries, contact the project manager on 1300 365 222 or email infrastructure@towong. vic.gov.au.





We want to celebrate the magnificent trails at Playles Hill ...kids, come and join us!

We've invited the Albury Wodonga Mountain Bike Club to run fun, timed events for junior riders of all skill levels to test their agility and consistency on the new trails. They'll also be the opportunity to learn how you can help keep the trails in peak condition for years to come.

Friends and family are encouraged to come along and cheer on participants. There will be a coffee van on site to keep you fuelled and a free sausage sizzle for a quick bite in between watching the action on the trails.

SAVE THE DATE!!

When: Sunday 28 May Where: Playles Hill Corryong Time: 10.00am - 1.00pm

Stay tuned for more information on registering for the timed events.

See you on the trails!

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New artwork planned for river route

As part of Stage 2 of the Great River Road project, the Towong Council is installing four new largescale artwork pieces along the touring route.

With assistance from Murray Arts, a community-based panel evaluated more than 35 submissions for the four locations.

Following the panel's recommendation, council commissioned three artists to deliver the sculptures:-

- John Wood 'Your Journey' sculpture at the Bellbridge Gateway
- Xavier Pinard -Bridge to Moon sculpture at Talgarno
- · Glennys Briggs, in collaboration with Xavier Pinard - Lace Monitor sculpture at Pine Mountain
- John Wood Brolgas sculpture at Towong

In 2016, council developed the Upper Murray 2030 Vision Plan following a comprehensive community consultation

The plan identified explored implementation of 'game changing' projects for the

Community RATs

Upper Murray including The Great River Road and Town Trails.

The 153km Great River Road stretches from Bellbridge to Khancoban, following the curves and bends of the Murray River. The road offers a superior touring experience of the Murray River with views unique to the Upper Murray mountains and valleys and the spectacular Snowy Mountains as the backdrop.

The Great River Road Project aims to make the route a premier destination for drivers, motorcyclists, cyclists, bushwalkers and campers.

Stage 1 of The Great River Road was completed in 2019 which included the delivery of five stunning and interactive sculptures - the Bogong Moth and Murray Cod at Tintaldra, the Murray Cray at Bringenbrong, the Wedge-tailed Eagle at Mount Alfred Gap and the Rainbow Trout at Khancoban.

Stage 2 involves the delivery of eight key projects with most



John Wood (left) with a model of the proposed sculpture and poet, David Gilby, who is contributing to the project, met with council staff at the Bellbridge Gateway site to discuss the finer details.

identified by council's Community Recovery Committees to assist in the ongoing recovery process

wayside stops, walking trails and a marketing campaign.

The project is funded by a \$5 million grant

government's Bushfire Recovery Regional Economic Stimulus and Resilience Fund.

Council offers event sponsorship

Snowy Valleys Council (SVC) is introducing a new look annual Event Sponsorship Program that aims to empower event creators and allow them to gain council support in a more accessible and equitable practice that includes a transparent decisionmaking process.

The first program round opened on Monday with event organisers of both well-established and new events able to apply for financial sponsorship for local programs and events set to be held between 1 September, 2023 and 30 June, 2024.

To be eligible events delivered the during specified period, inside the SVC Local Government Area and seek to primarily benefit residents, service organisations and/or local groups.

The application process involves filling out an

application form including relevant supporting quotes and documentation.

SVC Event and Sponsorship team will review applications and a report recommendations with will be submitted to the council for final evaluation, and approval.

Applicants will be notified of the results by the end of August 2023.

"Council has a long history of supporting local events and has previously provided financial support to help cover costs of items including delivery and collection of garbage bins, road closures, traffic management and ground hire fees," said CEO, Ken Gouldthorp.

"This updated annual sponsorship program ensures council now has a fair, transparent, and equitable application process for everyone."

Full details, guidelines, frequently asked questions, and the application form are available via council's website at www.svc.nsw. gov.au/event-sponsorship.



Club Congratulations to Paul Campbell who found the Joker on Friday night to win \$3800. The jackpot at The Club Corryong this Friday is \$2000.

Reminder:- Australia's Biggest Morning Tea will be held at the Khancoban Alpine Inn on Tuesday May 23rd at 10am - come along fo a morning cuppa, raffles and some fun. Enquiries: Ruth Walker

0437 718 969.

Items of local interest for this column can be emailed to editorial@

corryongcourier.com.au.

Corryong Neighbourhood Centre

account in their name - Bring in most recent bill and bank details to apply

Sit and Sew – Wednesdays – 2pm-4pm – Bring any materials, unfinished projects and a sewing machine (if you have one.) - At the CNC - All welcome.

Youth Space - Open after school & during holidays - All 12-25-year-olds welcome - WIFI, Nintendo switch, PlayStation, boardgames, pool table, art on Wednesdays and more!

Upper Murray Community Calendar – Find & share all local events at

http://uppermurraycommunitycalendar.org For more information, contact Gemma at the CNC IT Assistance - Basic IT assistance - Available Tuesday & Thursday afternoon - \$5.

<u>Upper Murray Employment Group</u> – Join the Facebook group to advertise or find employment. <u>Driving Lessons</u> -JJ's Driving School available Wednesday weekly & Saturday monthly. \$65 each or package deals. Book with CNC <u>Garden Group</u> – Meeting second Thursday of each month – Next meeting 8th June – 10am - More info

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Free RATs are available to all community members from our Customer Service Centres in Corryong and Tallangatta or by calling our Customer Service team on 1300 365 222.

Community members can receive up to 10 tests (2 kits) for themselves, plus up to 10 tests (2 kits) for each member of their household per visit.

For more information about getting tested and reporting a positive rapid antigen test result, visit the Department of Health website at: coronavirus.vic.gov.au

This program is delivered with support from the Victorian Government.

For more information visit towong.vic.gov.au

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Power check nets bonus



The Victorian government has helped ease the cost of living for more than one million Victorian households with \$250 going directly into their pockets through the fourth round of the Power Saving Bonus.

The latest round of the program has seen 40 per cent of applicants find a better energy deal - with thousands of Victorians choosing to switch and save by changing their energy deal through the Victorian Energy Compare website.

In the Upper Murray, only around 200 households have applied for the bonus.

The Victorian Energy Compare website is an independent comparison tool, making it easy to find a cheaper offer.

Applications for the payment can be made through the Victorian Energy Compare website, where customers can quickly and easily find the best energy offers in their

For those without internet access. overthe-phone and in-person support is available through the Corryong Neighbourhood Centre (CNC).

Victorians can also save on their household energy bills through the \$1.3 billion Solar Homes Program. Households that accessed both solar panel and hot water rebates saved up to \$1,500 on their annual energy bill.

"Victoria has cut its emissions by more than any other state, tripled the amount of renewable energy and created thousands of jobs but there is more to do, with an ambitious renewable energy target of 95 per cent by 2035," Victorian premier, Daniel Andrews,

To access the bonus visit compare.energy.vic. gov.au or call 1800 000 832. To speak to an Energy Assistance advocate call 1800 161 215.

Sport Results



High Country Darts

High Country Darts

The association held its summer competition trophy presentation at the Koetong Hotel on Sunday with a good turnout for a great afternoon.

Duncan and Liz won the knockout darts comp while enjoying a great spread provided by hosts Shelley and Alan in the outside beer garden.

Thanks to Pockets form the Corryong Hotel Motel for providing and driving, the bus to the venue.

> Trophy winners were:-Men

Most Consistent (singles) Dean Williamson; Most Consistent (overall) - Dean Williamson.

Highest Score Michael Cameron 160; Highest Pegout; - Angus Weston 97.

Women

Most Consistent (singles) - Shelley Henry; Most Consistent (overall) - Shelley Henry.

Champion Singles - Murray Russell; R/up -Leeroy Teese.

Highest Score - Shelley Henry 113; Highest Pegout - Carli Cameron

Doubles Champions Greg Wheeler / David Low; R/up - Cash Hillier / Donald Bailey.

180 Trophy - Colin Briggs

Premiers Div 1: Bottom Pub - Duncan Robertson, Murray Russell, Donald Bailey, Cash Hillier. R/up Div 1: Possum Pointers - Matt McCullum, Liam Brendon McCullum, McCullum, Dave McCull-

Div Premiers Bottoms Up - Jamie Jarvis, Peter (Pockets) Kasuba, Colin Briggs. R/ up Div 2: Biggara - Paul Cox, Gordon Nicholas, Michelle Cox, Henry Byrne.

Winter Competition Results R3 16/5/23

Bottom Pub d Cudgy Chukas 6-1, Courthouse d Walwa 4-3, Koetong d Possum Pointers 4-3, Bottoms Up d Cudgy Cannons 5-2, ABD d Biggara 5-2.

Ladder	P	%
Bottom Pub	12	425.0
Courthouse	12	200.0
Bottoms Up	12	200.0
ABD	8	133.3
Cudgy Cannons	4	90.9
Walwa	4	90.9

Cudgy Chukas Possum Pointers 0 61.5 Biggara 0 40.0

Sharpshooters:- Men's highest peg - Murray Russell & Greg Wheeler 87, Men's highest score -Murray Russell & Dean Williamson 180, Women's Highest Score - Michelle (Biggara) 119, Women's Highest Peg - Bianca (Khancoban) - 14.

Draw R4 23/5/23 Biggara v Koetong P/Pointers v Chukas Courthouse v Bottom Pub Cudgy Cannons v Walwa Bottoms Up v ABD



Round 2 results not submitted.

Draw - R3 22/5/23 Toorak Drive v Polecats (5), Attackers v Bacashes (4), St George v Courthouse (3), Thougla v Hoppers (2), CNC v

Lucyvale (1), Rollers -Season draw on page 9.

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NEW LAWS RELATING TO ILLEGAL PROTEST ACTIVITIES IN TIMBER HARVESTING SAFETY **ZONES ARE COMING INTO EFFECT** FROM 20 MAY 2023.

The changes have been made to deter illegal and dangerous protest activities in timber harvesting safety zones and make them safer for workers and protestors. Under the new laws penalties for existing offences will be updated and new offences introduced.

From May 2023 the following changes will come into effect:

- The maximum penalties for most offences related to timber harvesting safety zones will increase. Maximum penalties for some offences increased to 120 penalty units (\$21,000+) or 12 months imprisonment.
- PVC and metal pipes added to the 'prohibited' things' list. Regulations can be established to add further items if required without legislative
- Banning Notices can be issued to protesters engaging in dangerous activities. Banning them immediately from one or more timber harvesting safety zones.
- Authorised Officers will have increased Powers of Search in timber harvesting safety zones.
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Upper Murray Sport

Dancer takes aim at state titles

Continuing her good form, Sarah Jarvis recently wrapped her metropolitan solo campaign at the 2023 Calisthenics State Championships at The Besen Centre in Burwood.

This was her fifth and final competition in the 17 Years Open Reserve Division, against dancers from all around Victoria.

Sarah rounded out her campaign achieving a 1st, becoming the 17 years Open Reserve Graceful State Champion.

Sarah is now focusing on training for her team competitions with Murray River Calisthenics Club, beginning in August, with the final team competition being the 2023 Calisthenics

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Welaregang

The threat of the men to provide the Mother's Day luncheon could have been the reason no ladies turned up on Sunday!

Four brave devotees hit off into the fog for a 9-hole stableford with Lance Noonan returning to some sort of form carding 17 points.

This Sunday will be a 12 noon hit-off for a stableford competition.

The Legacy Day 3 -person ambrose tees off at 10am on Sunday 28th May, (\$20 per player). Contact Lance Noonan on 0419 927 470.

Last Wednesday nine Corryong golfing ladies played nine holes of golf at Welaregang, being "homeless" while restoration is carried out at the Corryong course. Players were keen to try the fairwayswhich are in excellent condition.

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When: Wednesday 24 May **Time:** 5.30pm - 7.30pm

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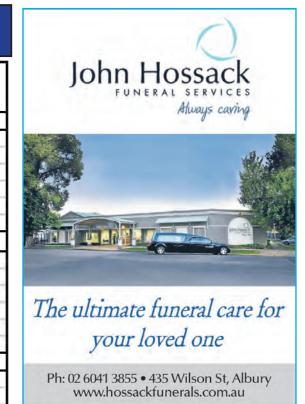
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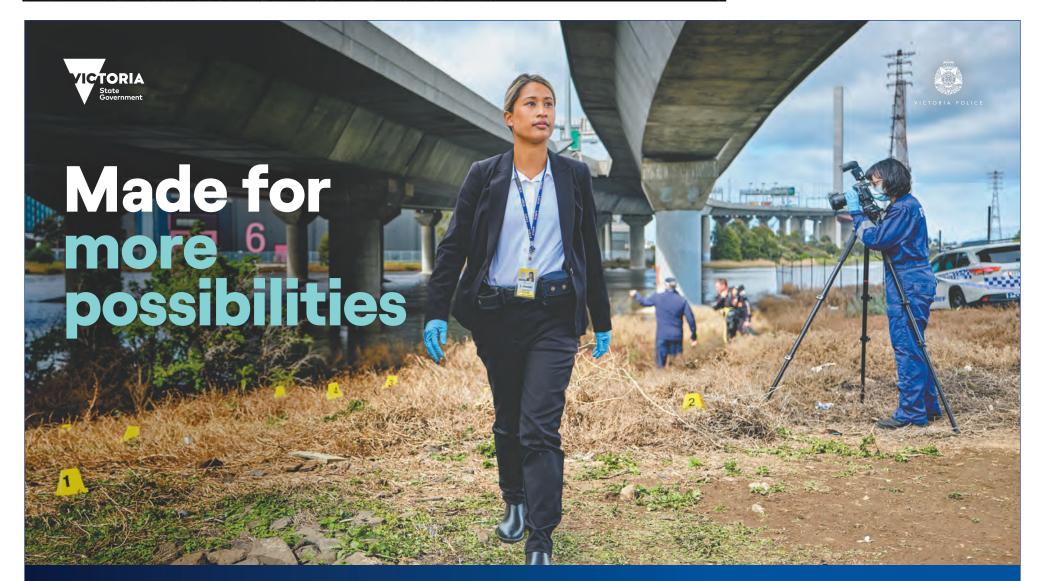
Upper Murray Sport

Corryong Indoor Bowls Draw - 2023

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	St George	VS	Polecats	4	Toorak Drive	VS	Court House	4	Attackers	VS	Bacash's
	Thougla	VS	Bacash's	3	Attackers	VS	Hoppers	3	St George	VS	Court House
	CNC	VS	Court House	1	St George	VS	Lucyvale	2	Thougla	VS	Hoppers
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1	Rollers	VS	Hoppers								
2	Toorak Drive	VS	Lucyvale								
4	Attackers	VS	CNC								
3	St George	VS	Thougla								
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5	Lucyvale	VS	Bacash's	4	Polecats	VS	Attackers				
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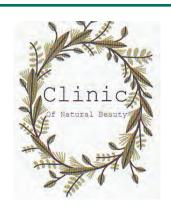
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Clubs rewarded for safety commitment

The Transport Accident Commission (TAC) will give thousands of football and netball clubs across Victoria an opportunity to share in \$600,000 for kicking road safety goals this season.

The program is a key feature of the TAC's 32year partnership with AFL Victoria and rewards grassroots football and netball clubs with up to \$10,000 for their efforts to promote road safety in their clubs and local communities.

The range initiatives funded includes facility improvements, the purchase of new equipment, training for members and offering safe transport from club events.

Minister for Roads and Road Safety, Melissa Horne, said the TAC's partnership with AFL Victoria provided an invaluable connection with thousands of communities that travel hundreds of

kilometres to games and training every year.

"Victoria's grassroots football and netball clubs have strong community connections and a culture of looking out for their teammates,' Minister Horne said.

"This partnership allows us to reward clubs that proactively promote road safety throughout the season, injecting muchneeded support for club initiatives, while they help to keep our roads safe."

Ms Cockfield said this year's TAC Club Rewards Program would encourage clubs to start conversations about the dangers of distracted driving and the importance of remaining focused on the road.

"Too many people have died on our roads this year and we know that distracted driving is a key and prevalent issue among young to middleaged drivers, thousands of whom spend many



Club grants can help run road safety education programs.

hours at local sporting clubs every week," Ms Cockfield said.

"Victoria's football and netball clubs are often at the heart of their communities and prioritising road safety within local clubs could be the reason someone gets home safely, instead of a tragic alternative."

Rumbalara Football Netball Club received \$10,000 through last year's program to provide a driver mentor program to help members gain their licence and offers road safety education to junior members.

"Our footballers can cover hundreds of kilometres on the roads every year as they travel to and from training and games, so road safety is something that we all need to be thinking about," Mr Kavanagh said.

Last year, 150 clubs from across Victoria received a share of \$500,000 through the program.

The Club Rewards Program will be open for applications until August and more information is available at www.aflvic.com.au/ TACClubRewards.

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Blues put a break on the chasing pack

Following the first round of matches and general bye, Cudgewa has established itself as the team to beat for ths year's flag after a faultless start to the season.

The Blues have defeated all comers to date with second-placed Bullioh coming closest to the flag favourites by 40 points. They have despatched Corryong by 140 points and defending premiers Tumbarumba by 78 points.

Cudgewa's daunting forward setup has proved unstoppable with Adam Prior, Nick Brockley and Ben Hall all kicking bags at some stage. The attack will only get more bite when Kiewa recruit, Jason Bartel, hits his straps.

Tumbarumba surprised with its sluggish 1-2 start while Bullioh has begun well with two wins while Corryong has been pedestrian in its three outings to date.

This week Cudgewa meets Tumbarumba and another victory seems assured for the Blues.

The departure of key forward, Tyler Lampe, has left a large hole in the Roos attack which will make the job of the Blues' defender much easier.

class Cudgewa's extends to its midfield which gives its forwards plenty of scoring opportunities and this dominance should continue on Saturday.

Corryong will enjoy home ground advantage against Bullioh got within 25 points of the Dogs in their first encounter. However,

Bullioh has up since then while the Demons' form has dropped off.

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