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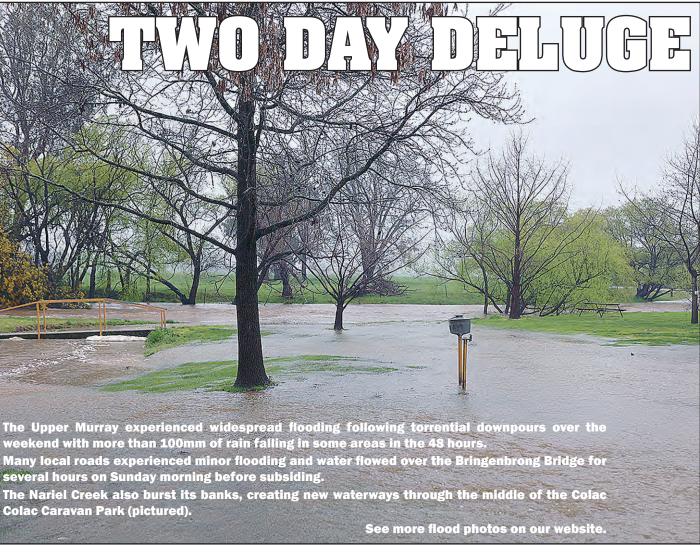
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Council plan sets future

The Towong Shire's draft Council Plan 2021-2025 was recently endorsed by councillors and is now on public exhibition for community feedback.

The plan outlines the strategies and priorities that council will strive to deliver in the pursuit of the 10-year Community Vision - 'Towong Shire will be the ideal place to be: welcoming, vibrant and diverse communities with quality facilities and services.'

In developing the Vision and the Council Plan, comprehensive community engagement was undertaken including hands-on workshops in Corryong, Walwa, Tallangatta, Bellbridge and Mitta Mitta. These were supplemented by online and paper-based surveys.

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Cont. from page 1.

Council has also relied on the feedback during the provided recovery consultation activities following the 2019/20 bushfires develop the plan. More than 500 individual items of constructive feedback from community members were received considered.

Towong mayor, Cr Wortmann, is encouraging all Towong Shire residents to share their views on the draft

"Council was pleased to endorse the draft plan which includes many of the great ideas and constructive feedback that we heard from community members during development," he said.

encourage everyone to take a look at the draft plan and share any feedback in a submission to council. The plan is developed once every four years and it plays a critical role in setting our direction and priorities for our council term."

document available on council's website at towong.vic.gov. au or you may request a copy from council on 1300 365 222 or email info@ towong.vic.gov.au.

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Executive Officer; or

All submissions on

the draft plan will be considered by council which will be formally adopted at the October 27 council meeting.

See advertisement on pages 6 & 7 for more



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addressed to the Chief

"Local governments are vital to building and stronger communities," she said, "and that's why a total of more than \$5.9 million in quarterly payments have been distributed in North

local priorities.

East Victoria. "They are also an important delivery partner for the government's economic stimulus packages and play a critical role in our response to the

Councils in Indi will receive the following quarterly payment:-

Towong Shire Council - \$623,346

• Alpine Shire Council \$541,702

· Benalla Rural City Council - \$564,119

• Indigo Shire Council

- \$649,995 Mansfield

Council - \$456,654

Murrindindi Shire Council - \$648.733

Strathbogie Shire Council - \$732,983

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Assistant for Local Government, Kevin Hogan, said "We know the early payment is a valued support to councils, particularly in regions that have faced the combined impacts of

bushfire, drought, floods

and Covid-19.

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Water pump offer heats up

Power and Murray have teamed up to help residents who lost their primary home during the Black Summer bushfires by providing them with a free Reclaim CO2 Heat Pump unit.

The hot water units have are up to five times more efficient than standard electric element hot water units and are normally valued at \$4,800.

The low consumption of these helps reduce systems energy consumption and bills and decreases electricity demand peaks on the grid.

Indigo Power is responsible for managing the installation of any new heat pumps thanks to funding from the Victorian government.

Indigo Power will also be offering heavily subsidised heat pump hot water services in the future for all residents.

To find out more or to register your interest contact the following project representatives:-

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Mural will feature local landscape

The Man from Snowy River Tourist Association (MFSRTA) has engaged artist, Kirrily Anderson, to produce a mural to showcase the flora and fauna of the Upper Murray.

The association has been working with Kirrily over 2021 to workshop ideas on what should be represented in the mural.

"The devastation of our natural environment has affected us all and it was decided that we wanted to celebrate the great diversity of life which exists in the natural environment of the Upper Murray," said MFSRTA secretary, Cathy Ross.

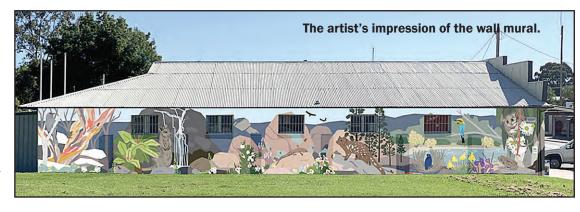
"Kirrily has visited the area a number of times to see the effects of the Black Summer fires on our area and how the bush is regenerating.

The mural will be painted on the eastern wall of the High Country Trading Post in Hanson Street in Corryong.

"We would like to thank Donna Abbenate and Tom Young for allowing the use of the wall and Greig and Gladys Farrell for permission to access the adjoining block for the project," Cathy said.

The mural has been made possible with a CommBank Bushfire Recovery Grant.

The mural - inspired by the environment of the Burrowa-Pine Mountain



National Park - will be a representation of the local flora, fauna and natural features of the Upper Murray.

It will feature five key landscapes - alpine, moist gullies, rocky outcrops, dry slopes and waterways. The Cudgewa Bluff and falls and the Murray River will be featured along with more than 30 species of flora and fauna.

Many local school students will already know Kirrily from her work on a range of art recovery projects.

Painting of the mural is planned over the next month.

"We also thank the Upper Murray Farmers' Market for scheduling their October event (8th October) as a Friday twilight event," Cathy added.

"This will coincide with an official opening for the mural. We invite the Upper Murray



community to come and support the market on this evening as well as take the opportunity to have a closer look at the artwork and meet the artist."

Scott Thompson from Parks Victoria and Lyn Coulston from Upper Murray Landcare will also be in attendance to talk with people about the local flora and fauna.

"We plan to have some

food, music, face painting, casual seating and music to encourage people to stop, relax and reflect on the beauty of the Upper Murray," Cathy said.

Kirrily's artwork will also feature at a special exhibition at Albury's MAMA art museum over summer. This exhibition has been inspired by the effects of the Black Summer fires on the Alpine areas including Burrowa-Pine Mountain National Park.

"The tourist association is excited that following on from the exhibition in Albury, the artworks will be brought to Corryong's Davis Cottage for a special exhibition from Friday 11th March to Sunday 20th March, 2022," Cathy advised.



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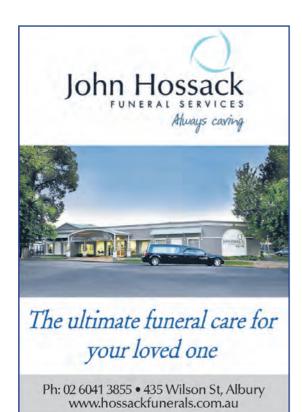
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Students connect through creativity

After a challenging year in 2020 following the Black Summer bushfires and the pandemic, students from both Corryong College and Tallangatta Secondary College recently came together to reconnect and reflect through creative recovery.

Both schools are now home to vibrant, brightly coloured large-scale murals created by the students with the assistance of a professional street artist.

The project was brought to life thanks to a \$30,000 contribution from St Vincent de Paul Society and co-ordinated by Towong Shire Council's Youth Services Officer.

Council engaged 'Juddy Roller', an award-winning street art network, to help find an artist to create the murals and they recommended Melbourne-based artist, Damien Arena, who specialises in street art and large-scale murals.

Both schools put orward a brief of what they would like to see included in the mural design, which Damien used to create a concept.

He then spent three days at each school workshopping the concept with the students and painting the mural together.

The artworks celebrate Towong Shire's rich history and flora and fauna as well as highlighting the emergency services organisations that supported the community throughout the bushfires.

The project gave students the opportunity to create something meaningful for themselves, their school and their community and will be able to be enjoyed for generations.

Towong mayor, Cr David Wortmann, thanked all of those involved in the project.

"I'd like to say a huge thank you to St Vincent de Paul Society for supporting our schools by contributing funds to bring the project to life," he said.

"I'd also like to thank



street art network 'Juddy Roller' and of course, Damien, who did an amazing job working with the students to make the murals a reality.

"And lastly, a huge thank you to the students from both Corryong College and Tallangatta Secondary College who donated their time to create the beautiful murals."

The 'before' and 'after' mural wall at Corryong College.



Obituary: Lorna Jean Crawford

Loving matriarch had an adventurous spirit

Lorna was born at the Corryong Hospital on August 5th, 1939; the elder daughter of Herb and Ruby Short and sister to Ruth Smedley. Lorna lived the early years on the family property at Indi.

Along with her sister Ruth, they rode their ponies some seven miles to school at Upper Towong.

In later years she travelled by bus to Corryong High School, then to Wangaratta Technical School where she completed a course in dressmaking. Lorna then returned home to work for Bacash Bros doing alterations to merchandise as needed.

Lorna married
Trevor Crawford at All
Saints Anglican Church
Corryong in 1958.

They had five children -

Stephen, Leanne, Narelle, Sandra and Kerri. Lorna was very proud of all her family, their partners, 12 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Lorna had a very busy life, making a lot of the children's clothes and supporting them in all their school and sports activities.

At age 60, Lorna was still a competent horse rider and along with her sister Ruth, they completed Riley's Ride in the Man from Snowy River Festival.

Lorna was an outstanding athlete and netball player. She was invited to compete in an athletics carnival in front of royalty at Benalla in 1954, when the Queen and Prince Phillip visited Victoria. Lorna received



1st prize in the U15 girls and the silverware sits proudly on the mantlepiece of her home.

She was an active member of Red Cross, indoor and outdoor Bowls, Corryong Tennis Club and All Saints Anglican Church, serving 50 years with the Mothers Union.

Lorna loved watching her grandchildren and great grandchildren play their sport.

She had a creative flair

with dressmaking and knitting. In later years she excelled at mass producing colourful coathangers. Her family's days will be brightened every time they open their wardrobes!

Lorna enjoyed the family holidays beginning with caravan trips to Tathra, Torquay and Crowdy Head. Along with Trevor, they had some great trips within Australia to Sydney, Brisbane, Darwin and Kununurra to visit their daughters and families who had moved away for work.

In later years, Lorna's adventurous spirit took her overseas to New Zealand, Scotland and a wonderful trip to Israel and Jordan where she swam in the Dead Sea.

Perhaps the highlight was in 2002, with the

support of her daughter Kerri, Lorna experienced the amazing sights of Africa and Egypt on an eight-week trip which they both enjoyed immensely.

Lorna had a passion for gardening. Over the last few years, her health was tested and her family took some comfort that she spent her last few hours tending to her garden and doing what she loved.

If flowers grow in heaven Lord, then pick a bunch for us,

Then place them in Lorna's arms and tell her they're from us.

Tell her that we love and miss her and when she turns to smile,

Place a kiss upon her cheek and hold her for a

Gone to help in God's Garden.

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As our community continues to live with restrictions, I know people are feeling frustrated and worried.

In this difficult time, we can support local businesses by shopping locally wherever possible. I know people are looking out for each other, please keep that up and safely reach out to people who may be struggling.

I know people need help as we grapple with the pandemic - if you need assistance with border permits or economic support, please contact my office. I am listening to you and I won't stop working for you.

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BUSHFIRE RECOVERY BULLETIN

This bulletin provides regular updates and stories about bushfire recovery both in our local community and across Victoria's fire-affected areas.

Bushfire Recovery Victoria proudly works in partnership with council and the local community to support bushfire recovery.

SHORT-TERM MODULAR HOUSING

It's important that while you rebuild, you and your family have safe and suitable accommodation. There are temporary housing options available in Victoria.

Short-Term Modular Housing is one option available for those who lost their primary place of residence in the 2019-20 Victorian Bushfires. The program is flexible and aims to get people back on their land.

The Short-Term Modular Homes come in standard designs that accommodate most temporary accommodation needs. The design can be customised to meet specific needs such as mobility access requirements. BRV will work with recipients of Short-Term Modular Housing to understand and respond to specific needs.

To date, our Short-Term Modular Housing Program has delivered 57 high quality modular homes allowing them to stay connected to their communities while they rebuild. 30th September 2021 is the cut-off date for new registrations for Short-Term Modular Housing.

If you're residing in a Short-Term Modular Housing unit, the registration cut-off date doesn't affect you.

If you've registered for Short-Term Modular Housing and are waiting for it to be processed, the registration cut-off date doesn't affect you and your application will continue to be processed.

If you need to discuss your temporary housing options or are unsure whether you meet the criteria, BRV can consider your circumstances.

Please call 1800 560 760 to speak to a Bushfire Recovery Support Worker by Thursday 30 September 2021.

SUPPORT FOR REBUILDING AFTER BUSHFIRES

Rebuilding after a bushfire is a big job. Everybody has different circumstances and will make different choices, and that's okay.

We know that not everyone wants to rebuild straight away, and it is important that support is available when people need it.

The Rebuild Support Service (RSS) is a free onestop-shop that provides support to people who are rebuilding.

Delivered by Towong Shire Council, the RSS has been designed for you to access at any stage of your rebuild.

Access:

- Dedicated planning and permit information, support, and legal advice.
- Advice from building experts.
- Information on financial assistance options.
- Information about other services you may be eligible for.

How the Rebuild Support Service (RSS) works

- Register with the RSS. Simply contact your local RSS, either through the details provided below or by visiting your local Recovery Hub and you will be registered.
- The RSS provides you with relevant support and advice from experts in their field to assist progression of your planning permit application.
- Being registered with the RSS means you will also get to access other relevant and available supports you might not know about but may be eligible for, such as types of financial support.
- 4. The RSS will keep in regular contact with you through the rebuild process. The RSS is here to support you throughout your entire rebuild journey.

The Rebuild Support Service is here to help. To get started, contact:

Towong Shire www.towong.vic.gov.au (select 'Upper Murray Fires 2020') 1800 518 222.

The rebuilding journey can be overwhelming

If you would like to talk to someone about this, BRV's Recovery Support Workers are here to listen and link you to experts who can help.

To talk to someone today, call **1800 560 760**, or visit your local recovery Hub. To find your hub online and check opening hours visit: brv.vic.gov.au/community-recovery-hubs



Did you know?

You can access a free Bushfire Attack Level (BAL) assessment.

You will need a bushfire hazards assessment to progress your rebuild.

Bushfire Recovery Victoria has worked with your local council and Country Fire Authority to prepare preliminary bushfire hazards assessments for all properties with a home destroyed in the 2019-20 bushfires.

You can get a copy of your preliminary BAL assessment by making an appointment with the Rebuild Support Service.

Contact the RSS today.

BUILDING BACK SAFELY

When you decide to rebuld, it is important to understand the standards you need to build to and why.

As our climate warms, Victoria will become hotter and drier. To keep our communities safe and resilient in future natural disasters like bushfires, new builds need to comply with current planning and building standards.

Building standards are based on an understanding of the threat of bushfire and aim to improve our level of protection. They are updated regularly.

The Rebuild Support Service can help you build back safely. Visit your local recovery Hub or contact the RSS on:

Towong Shire www.towong.vic.gov.au (select 'Upper Murray Fires 2020') 1800 518 222.





Towong Shire Council Council Plan 2021-2025

Draft Council Plan now on exhibition

The draft plan was endorsed by Council at its meeting on 25 August and is now on public exhibition for community feedback.

The plan outlines the strategies and priorities that Council will strive to deliver in the pursuit of the ten-year Community Vision.

Feedback from five community workshops as well as online and paper-based surveys and the bushfire recovery consultation has been used to develop the plan.

Our vision for the future

A key aspect of the plan is the ten-year Community Vision which describes the community's aspirations for the future of the municipality.

The vision was developed based on the aspirations that community members shared with us during Council Plan community engagement activities.

See below for the draft vision and a sample of the feedback we heard from the community.

Community Vision 2031

"Towong Shire will be the ideal place to be: welcoming, vibrant and diverse communities with quality facilities and services."

"a balance between respecting the environment and development"

"diverse extra curricular activities and diverse businesses" "attracts young families"

"includes and celebrates the older generation"

"economically sound, viable and growing"

"everyone pulls together in the same direction"

"well resourced community facilities" neighbourhood"

"a really active and relevant

"strong farming communities" "excellent communications infrastructure"

"continued support for roads and infrastructure"

"provides opportunities for our youth"

"welcomes newcomers"

"more full time jobs"

"retains that village feel"

"more cultural activities"

"full inclusive society with respect for all"

"tourism, increased info for tourists"



Towong Shire Council Council Plan 2021-2025

Strategic Objectives

In pursuit of the Community Vision, Council will focus on six strategic objectives over the next four years. These strategic objectives are supported by specific strategies, priorities and initiatives, a sample of which is provided below.

Community Wellbeing

Initiatives and Priorities

Undertake place-based master planning for the Peninsula including the investigation of options for early years and community facilities

Undertake place-based master planning for the Mitta Valley, Corryong and Tallangatta

Develop a strategy for arts and cultural offerings across the Shire

Expand and improve early years services across the Shire to support young families

Advocate for the development of a variety of housing options to match community needs, particularly for older people

Support the development of recreational activities and infrastructure to encourage active lifestyles for all ages and stages

Build relationships and develop understanding of aboriginal people and consider the commitment to an ongoing reconciliation action plan process

Support our communities to drive their recovery from bushfires and the COVID-19 pandemic and improve their mitgation of and resilience to future adverse events

Economic and Tourism Development

Initiatives and Priorities

Connect businesses to learning, development and networking opportunities to increase capacity

Support businesses to expand adventure tourism offerings across the shire

Seek funding to complete the High Country Rail Trail

Seek funding to develop key touring routes as premier touring destinations, including the Great River Road, Omeo Highway, and the Benambra Corryong Road

Seek funding to develop a master plan for Lake Hume as a tourism destination including houseboats and the Narrows project

Deliver improved visitor information and experience across the Shire

Seek to support the growth of value-add product and/or diversification opportunities for the agriculture industry

Attract investment to address key weaknesses (connectivity and reliability) in critical infrastructure (mobile telecommunications, internet and power)

Develop and implement a masterplan for cycling across the shire

Organisational Improvement

Initiatives and Priorities

Continue to improve awareness, engagement and involvement of the community in relation to matters that affect them

Continually improve customer service experience across the organisation

Update the technology strategy to support the ongoing delivery of excellent customer service

Continue to seek opportunities to improve service delivery and achieve best value including further investigation of shared services

Continue to advocate for increased government funding support to ensure long term sustainability $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right$

Asset Management

Initiatives and Priorities

Complete Stage 2 Great River Road

Complete upgrades of Hanson Street from Sugarloaf Road to Kiel Street

Progressively deliver the upgrade of the unsealed sections of Lake Road

Advocate for the upgrade of the Benambra Corryong Road from Staceys Bridge 40km

Complete the upgrade of the Corryong CBD

Complete streetscape upgrades in Dartmouth, Mitta Mitta, Tintaldra, Towong, Cudgewa

Seek funding to deliver upgrades to town entrances and wayfinding signage across the

Seek funding to deliver an upgraded Corryong Integrated Community Centre

Deliver the Corryong aerodrome 24 hour fuel project

Environmental Sustainability

Initiatives and Priorities

Continue to investigate options for domestic waste water management in high risk towns including Eskdale, Mitta Mitta and Bethanga

Consider the options available for reticulated potable water in Bethanga and Mitta Mitta

Investigate options for hardwaste, greenwaste and agricultural waste management e.g. silage wrap

Improve the use of recycled materials in infrastructure projects eg crushed concrete, glass and rubber

Seek funding to establish a network of electric car charging stations

Transition waste and recycling services operations as per Victorian Government Circular Economy Strategy to deliver a four bin system for waste and recycling collection including separation of glass, green waste and organics

Land Use

Initiatives and Priorities

Develop structure plans for Corryong, Tallangatta and Bellbridge and incorporate into the planning scheme

Support population growth outside of key townships through appropriate amendments to the planning scheme

Review statutory service processes to ensure an excellent customer experience

How to provide feedback

View the plan at *towong.vic.gov.au* or request a copy from Council on 1300 365 222 or info@towong.vic.gov.au.

Send your submission addressed to the Chief Executive Officer via:

- Email: info@towong.vic.gov.au
- Post: PO Box 55, Tallangatta Victoria 3700

Submissions close 5pm on Friday 8 October 2021



PUBLIC NOTICES

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Rates and Valuation Notices have now been sent to all ratepayers in Towong Shire, with the first instalment due on 30 September 2021.

If you have any questions about your Rates Notice or would like to receive future notices by email, please contact our Property and Rates Team on 1300 365 222 or info@towong.vic.gov.au.

DEATHS

BENTON, Sandra Passed away on September 4th, 2021.

If tears could build a stairway, a memory or a lane. I would walk right up to

Heaven and bring you back again. Farewell words were

spoken, come time to say goodbye,

You were gone before I know it and only God knows why.

Your loving husband Graeme.

BENTON, Sandra -

Mum and Nan, You shared our hopes. You shared our dreams. You cared so much. Thanks so much for

Love you always. ~ Melissa, Dale, Tyler and Beau.

those precious years,

BENTON, Sandra -

Mum and Nan.

There is a place in our hearts that is yours alone.

You are special, someone good and true,

You will never be forgotten, love ya, love ya doooo.

Kirsten, Randall, Ethan and Lucas.

BENTON, Sandra - A special friend gone to rest. No more pain.

'F' cancer! Morning coffee will never be the same.

'Cheers Mate" Love you, Janet x

BENTON, Sandra Resting peacefully after a long fight.

Long time friend and neighbour.

Condolences Graeme, Melissa, Kirtsen and families.

~ Janet, John and family. Special Nanna Sandra of Hannah.

Have your say: Towong Bridge **Review of Environmental Factors**

Transport for NSW, in partnership with Victoria's Department of Transport, is planning a new bridge between Bringenbrong, in NSW, and Towong, in Victoria. more traffic and heavier loads.

As part of this project, we have investigated environmental and cultural heritage and developed a Review of Environmental Factors (REF) report. We are now inviting the community to have their say

Review the REF online at nswroads.work/towong or call 1300 679 842 to request a printed copy, then provide your feedback by Friday 24 September 2021 via:

Email: murrayrivercrossing@transport.nsw.gov.au

Phone: 1300 679 842

Post: Towong Bridge project, PO Box 484, Wagga Wagga NSW

Feedback is open until 5pm Friday 24 September 2021.

Following the close of feedback, we will review all community comments and produce a submissions report. We will advise the community when this is available.

We will continue to keep the community updated as this important

For more information please visit nswroads.work/towong, email murrayrivercrossing@transport.nsw.gov.au or call 1300 679 842.

DEATHS

BENTON, Sandra Corryong Golf Club members extend condolences to Graeme, Melissa, Kirsten and families on the passing of Sandra.

> She was a long time member, from junior golfer until recently. Always a willing worker on the executive and catering committee and a club champion.

We will all miss her personality happy around the club.

BENTON, Sandra - To Graeme, Melissa, Dale, Tyler, Beau, Kirsten and family, we are thinking of you all during this time.

Sandra was a lifelong valued member, supporter and volunteer of Corryong Crocs Swim Club and will be missed by all.

Always the loudest cheerleader on the side of the pool, may she rest in peace.

From Life Members, committee and past and present swimmers at the club.

BENTON, Sandra - The Anglican Debutante Ball Committee members offer their condolences and prayers to Graeme and family on the passing of Sandra.

Sandra was a trainer of debutantes and was also a principal organiser of this annual event.

May she rest in peace and rise in glory.

BENTON, Sandra Sending condolences to the Benton family on Sandra's passing.

A long time member and President of the Corryong Health Ladies Auxiliary.

FUNERALS

BENTON

Due to current restrictions a private funeral service and cremation will be held for the late Sandra Benton on Friday September 10th, 2021.

A celebration of Sandra's life will be held at a later



60 Hanson St., Corryong Ph: 6076 2022

info@hossackfunerals.com.au

80TH BIRTHDAY



Cynthia Pilli

Happy 80th birthday to a kind hearted thoughtful lady - our Mum, our Nan, our friend.

~ Love from the Pilli Country 5.

POSITIONS VACANT



Practice Nurse

Corryong Health is seeking a Registered Nurse to join the medical clinic one day per week.

Please visit Corryong Health's employment page for a copy of the Position Description and information on how to apply at www. corryonghealth.org.au/employment.

For all other enquiries please contact, HR Officer, Elli Murdoch, via email elena.murdoch@ corryonghealth.org.au.

Applications close at 5pm on Friday September 17, 2021.

"Corryong Health is an Equal Opportunity Employer; we encourage applications from Indigenous Australians, people with disabilities, young people and people from culturally diverse backgrounds"

Caring for the Upper Murray Together, strengthening the health of our community

Casual Housekeeper

Colac Colac Caravan Park is seeking a casual housekeeper to join our team. Must be reliable, honest and have flexibility to work as per operational requirements.

Previous housekeeping experience desirable but not essential. Training will be provided. Approximately 10-20 hours per week.

The successful applicant needs to be fit and healthy with a 'can-do' attitude.

Phone 02 6076 1520 or email resumè to info@ colaccolaccaravanpark.com.au.

CONTRACTING

HAY

All areas

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Rod Cowie (Corryong) 0408 364 910

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Primary Purpose of the role: We have an exciting ongoing full-time opportunity to join our team at Khancoban Visitor Centre. The role is responsible for providing assistance to Area Team and professional customer service at the Visitor Centre to enhance the visitor experience including provision of visitor information, reception services, processing bookings, collection and reconciliation of entry fees and retail/merchandise sales.

To be successful in this role you'll have a passion for delivering excellent customer service, an ability to problem solve and enjoy building rapport. You may have worked in a retail or hospitality or similar background previously working directly with customers and supporting/resolving their queries. We also welcome applicants who can demonstrate transferrable skill sets.

Please note, the role will also be required to work rostered weekends during peak visitation periods, public holidays and during school holidays with

Total Remuneration package: Package includes salary (\$64,973 to \$70,636 pa), employer's contribution to superannuation and annual leave loading.

Applications Close: Sunday, 19 September at 11:59pm

Enquiries: (02) 6947 7029 or carmel.bellette@environment.nsw.gov.au

Contact our Aboriginal People & Culture team if you need further information or assistance in applying. DPIEAPC@dpie.nsw.gov.au

Applications are to be lodged online at iworkfor.nsw.gov.au - Vacancy Ref: 00008DN4 work **FOR** NSW

WHAT, WHEN & WHO

MUSEUM ROSTER

Subject to lockdown restrictions

OP SHOP

*** Subject to restrictions.
Sept 9: am Suz, Kate &
Anne, pm Tracey Paul &
Barbara Woodhouse;

Sept 10: am Rochelle Sandilands and Rebecca Creswell, pm Tully;

Sept 11: Hazra; Sept 13: am Di Brennan,

pm Hazra;

Sept 14: am Hazra, pm Maree Irving and Jeanette McInnes:

Sept 15: am Hazra & Olga, pm Chris Harrison & Jane Spilsbury.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Uniting Church *subject to restrictions

Sept 13: Catherine & Stewart Ross;
Sept 14: Cathy and

Warwick Ross; Sept 15: Sharon and Greg

Nankervis; **Sept 16:** Jeff & Val Cooper:

Sept 17: Elaine Mildren & Joy Whitehead.

CORRYONG HEALTH



Covid-19 Vaccination Hub Contact Robin 0439 810 588

Urgent Care Centre (UCC):- Present to the UCC / Be assessed by highly trained nurse / If required a doctor will be contacted via My Emergency Doctor Other Services:-

Emergencies - 000 Corryong Medical Clinic - 02 6076 3290

Corryong Health Reception - 02 6076 3200 Nurse on Call – 1300 606 024 (anytime) GP Helpline – 1800 022 222 (anytime)

Pathology – Mon. to Frid. 8am to 12pm.

TOWONG SHIRE & PUBLIC LIBRARY

76 Hanson St., CorryongCouncil customer service and library staff are available Monday to Friday 9am to 4.30pm.

Council office and library are closed on weekends and public holidays.

Telephone:

Shire: 6076 2160; Library: 6076 1639

COMMUNITY CAR

A service for those without transport to access appointments in Alb-Wodonga. Ph: 6076 3200.

Radio Upper Murray

88.7 / 98.9 / 107.7 Jennifer Fennell Wed: 10am - 1pm Sun: 1pm - 5pm

UPPER HUME HEALTH SERVICE

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs support – drug withdrawal nurses and counsellors from Wodonga will visit on an outreach basis as required. **Ph: 1800 657 573.**

WASTE MANAGEMENT

Corryong Tip

Thursday: 4pm - 6pm
Sunday: 12 noon - 4pm
Public holidays - Closed
Waste Collection Days:
Tuesday: Towong, Tintaldra, Walwa, Jingellic,
Lucyvale, Colac Colac
Thursday: Cudgewa Valley, Cudgewa, Nariel,
Thougla, Biggara, Bunroy
Friday: Corryong Town-

ship, Khancoban.

For more information
visit www.towong.vic.gov.
au or phone 02 6071 5100
or 1300 365 222 (local call

LOCAL POLICE

For all emergencies call Triple Zero - 000

For non-urgent matters call the Police Assistance Line (24/7) 131 444

Corryong 02 6076 1666

CENTRELINK

Retirement: 132 300; Disability/Sickness & Carers: 13 2717; Multilingual Service: 13 1202; Customer Relations: 1800 050 004; Appointments: 13 10 21. Carelink: 1800 052 222.

BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT

Australian Breastfeeding Association

National Breastfeeding helpline 1800 686 268. Local volunteer counsellor - Lisa Vallett 0459 707 085. Info at www. breastfeeding.asn.au.

CORRYONG FOODSHARE

Open Wednesday and Thursday 9am-1pm

Call in and pick up what you need or call Carol on 0427 762 051 for home delivery.

Water & household items - call Douglas on 0427 014 935.

CATHOLIC PARISH

Mass Times:- 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month • Christ the King, Walwa -Saturday Vigil at 4pm

• Sacred Heart, Corryong -Sunday at 8:30am

BAPTIST CHURCH

89 Hanson Street Enquiries:

Pastor Graeme Van Brummelen - (02) 60761 468 / 0488 269 393

Service time: 10am Kids church: 10.30am

Youth Group: during sc hool term Friday nights at 7pm

'Mainly Music': a program for babies to preschool children and their carers - Wednesdays 10.30am Ring Kirsty for details 0411 524 442

ANGLICAN PARISH

Eucharist at All Saints Corryong 9:30am - every Sunday

Eucharist at Biggara 2pm - 1st Sunday

Eucharist at Holy Trinity Cudgewa 11:30am - 3rd Sunday

Enquiries: Priest-in-charge Rev Maryann Leonard on 02 6076 1057 or 0439 066

PENTECOSTAL

Ambassadors of Jesus 59 Donaldson Street

Sunday: 10.30am Worship & The Word followed by Felloship Lunch. 7.30pm Wednesday: 7.45pm: Alternate Fellowship - Ladies, Prayer, Men's, Family. **Enquiries:** Pastors Douglas & Carol Allen 6076 2050 /51. Fax 6076 2052.E-mail: (aoj@corryong.net). Catch The Fire Ministries & Rise Up Australia Prayer Meeting: 7.45 pm Sunday: First of the month at Council Chambers, Corryong En**quiries:** B Cadle 6948 4468

UNITING CHURCH

Services are held at 9.30am each Sunday, except 5th Sundays, which are at Walwa 11am.

Cnr Donaldson & Wheeler St., Corryong **Regional Minister:** Rev.

Andrew Delbridge 0410 663 194

Church Council: Linda Nankervis 6077 9212

PastoralEnquiries:Sandy Hill 6076 8273,CatherineRoss 60761363, Linda Nankervis6077 9212

Hall Hire: Pamela Menere 0408 767 327

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Services will resume when restrictions allow.

LOCAL JUSTICES OF PEACE

Carol Allen - NSW & Vic. (6076 2051); Merv Ward (6076 1369); Phil Coulston (6071 2746); Tom Newton - Vic (0438 382 140); Terry Forrest (0499 579 502).

Find-a-Word Have a chat

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Joke Of The Week:-

Q: Why is Cinderella so bad at soccer?

Answer: Because she always runs away from the ball!



Birthday Club

Noah Paton, September 1, 2019 (2)

Lucas Paton, September 5, 2016 (5)

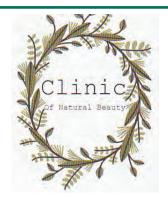
To register your child in the Birthday Club

phone 6076 1045 or email adverts@corryongcourier.com.au

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Services & Business Directory

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Phone Jane Mongan

0427 737 556

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stations, airport and hospitals.

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Enquiries: 0427 240 077
• Bus service does not operate on weekends or

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Greg - 0408 555 131 / Fax: 02 6076 2240

Email: hilliercontracting@bigpond.com

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Samantha on **02 6076 1446 or 0408 768 246**

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W ALWA MEDICAL CLINIC

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- Dr Clare Roczniok
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- Dr Stephanie Partridge
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- Same day appointments generally available
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Police: Corryong 02 6076 1666
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Tumbarumba 02 6932 2840
Emergency 000

Ambulance: Emergency 000

Hospitals: Corryong 02 6076 3200

Walwa 02 6037 1220

Fire Brigades:

Emergency 000 Non-urgent 02 6056 3022

Towong Shire:

Corryong 02 6076 2160
Tallangatta 02 6071 5100
Snowy Valleys Council: 02 6948 9100
Taxi (Corryong): 0418 697 807

Our weather

A cold front to passes over southern Victoria later today. The high will continue to move eastward and is expected to move over the Tasman Sea tomorrow allowing another cold front to pass over Victoria over the weekend.

Corryong:- Week ending: 7/09/21

Max. Temp: 23 (2/09/21) Min. Temp: 1.4 (7/09/21) Rainfall: 94 mm

Khancoban:- Week ending: 7/09/21

Max. Temp: 23 (2/09/21) Min. Temp: 1.4 (7/09/21) Rainfall: 94 mm

Weather forecast

Today: Partly cloudy; Max19: Min: 4
Friday: Partly cloudy: Max: 20: Min: 7
Saturday: Sunny: Max: 24: Min: 7
Sunday: Shower or 2: Max: 17: Min: 9
Monday: Possible shower: Max: 17: Min: 3
Tuesday: Partly cloudy: Max: 17: Min: 4



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Upper Murray Sport

New works to start

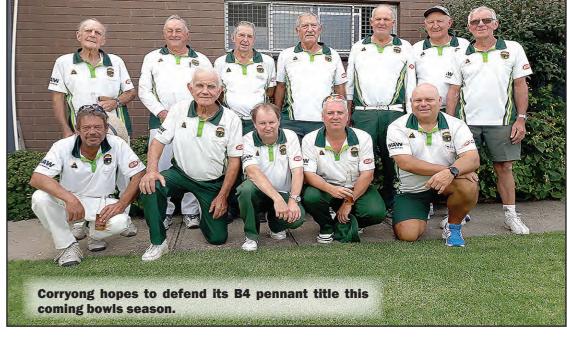
Hello bowlers!

This month will be an exciting one with work due to start on the new synthetic green in a week or two! This does mean that the bottom green will not be available for play until sometime in October.

The season will get underway somehow or other and then when the green is finished there will be a grand opening.

The committee will be having a meeting soon to plan dates etc for the season. Hopefully, we can get together and have a roll on the top green. Ken has done his best with it and with extra use it will improve.

The current state of affairs with lockdowns and restrictions make it unlikely that O&M pennant will be able to



start in October but the committee will keep us informed about that.

going properly, it will be a

bowlers to come and have a go! It will be an exciting great time for prospective time with all of us getting

to know our new green. Roll on! $\sim The\ Hammer$

Firewood collection season opened

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Livestock: Rodney McKenzie 0427 707 248 / 02 6077 9103 **Cameron Hilton 0419 578 309**

Property: Mike Weller 0410 663 041 Talk to us **TODAY** about your Livestock & Property requirements

The Spring Firewood collection season is now open across Victoria, subject to pandemic restrictions.

Under the current rules, if firewood is essential for home heating or cooking people can travel to the closest designated firewood collection area as long as physical distancing requirements are followed.

Forest Management Victoria (FFMVic) Deputy Chief Officer, Aaron Kennedy, "It's said important that people only collect firewood from designated collection areas in state forests or parks where collection is allowed and stay within collection limits.

"You may collect up

to two cubic metres of firewood per person per day and up to 16 cubic metres per household per year. This prevents households stockpiling large volumes of firewood and denying others a supply.

"Some designated firewood collection areas may not open at the beginning of the season for various reasons, including firewood supply or accessibility due to wet conditions.

"It should remembered firewood is an unpredictable and finite resource and this is why we strongly encourage people who rely on firewood for heating and cooking to plan their firewood needs and explore all energy

options.

"If you are collecting firewood for essential heating or cooking, make sure you follow the public health advice by staying 1.5 metres away from others and wearing a fitted face mask," Mr Kennedy advised.

"Firewood collection from roadsides is managed local government agencies and usually requires Residents are encouraged to contact their local councils directly for further details.

"Illegal firewood collection has negative impacts on forest health, wildlife habitat and the sustainability of firewood resources that local communities rely on.

"Where firewood supply is limited, priority access will be given to particular sections of the community such as local residents, traditional owners and those who depend on firewood for heating. This is managed at a regional level, so local factors can be accounted

Firewood collection maps are available online at www.ffm.vic.gov.au/fire wood/firewood-collectionin-your-region. Financial assistance is available for people on low incomes who purchase firewood for information visit www. ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood/ energy-concession-andsupport. The collection season will close on Tuesday November 30.

We know

BLOAT

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Get your orders in early to avoid missing out on stock..

Bloat in ruminants is the distention of the rumen-reticulum, or paunch, with gas. This gas has been formed during rapid fermentation of the feed in the rumen. The distention is usually seen on the left side as a tight ballooning of the underlying rumen from the ribs to the hip. The usual mechanism of "belching" and letting gas out through the animal's mouth has failed and so the gas accumulates. Distention can occur from pasture bloat and feedlot bloat. Olsson's Bloat-Liq is a molasses-based, anti foaming block designed to relieve the symptoms of this annual killer. Bloat-Liq is rain resistant, easy to use, works 24 hours a day and is one of the best value bloat products on the market. Available in 15 & 40kg blocks. Grazemax For Cattle & Sheep. Lush, fast growing pastures and fodder crops often lack the sophisticated nutrient profile required to optimise animal health and performance. When production challenge is high, nutritional imbalances can cause clinical symptoms like Grass Tetany. Milk Fever & Bloat.

Agmate Rural Services

33 Donaldson Street, Corryong VIC 3707 Ph: 02 6076 1166

