

# Caragabal Public School Newsletter

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21<sup>st</sup> November, **2011** 

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# Parents and friends of Caragabal Public School,

## Music a Viva

It was another excellent performance put on by Musica Viva last week. The students enjoyed the foot tapping Irish music played by the group "Fada". The students recognised the tunes we had heard in class and were a responsive audience. Hamish eagerly participated in learning how to play an Irish Bodhran.



Hamish and Gage also volunteered to perform the Irish Skipping Dance which we all joined in for.

## School facilities standards review

You can now have your say on the classrooms of the future by participating in an online survey as part of a comprehensive review of the School Facilities Standards. The standards, developed during the 1970s, outline how school facilities are designed and built. The review will consider changes in the way education is delivered, technological advances and increased community expectations.

Your ideas will be used to assist in creating design standards that will inform the development or refurbishment of schools that are appropriate for the future. The survey takes approximately 20 minutes to complete and is open until November 28. www.surveymonkey.com/sfsparent

## **Operation Art**

This week the students in Years 1-4 will be travelling to Cowra to be part of the Operation Art program. The students will draw and work with different media to produce sculpture, collage and printed art works. Students are to wear casual clothes and have a paint shirt.

n	n Learning					
	Playgroup Weekly Events					
	Bears bush bus	Monday 1.30				
	Preschool	Tuesday and Friday 9.15 – 3.15				
	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Mrs Hetherington, Carol Miss Gorton at Grenfell Public School Swimming at Quandialla – Travel by bus Year 1 and Rori Operation Art				
	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Swimming at Quandialla – Travel by bus Active After School Year 3,4 and Tom Operation Art				
	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs Armstrong , Carol and Miss Gorton Swimming at Quandialla – Travel by bus Video Conference with Croppa Creek				
	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming at Quandialla – Travel by bus				
	Monday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Swimming at Quandialla – Travel by bus Scripture and Active Adfter School				
	Thursday 1st	P&C Meeting				

## Short film competition

Bicycle NSW is calling all budding film makers to submit a threeminute video to promote bike riding as a sustainable, healthy and environmentally friendly form of transport and recreation. The film does not have to have dialogue and is free for all schools and students under 16. The prizes are \$1000, \$500 and \$250. Entries close 3 February 2012. For more information and to register: http://bicyclensw.org.au/content/calling-all-budding-film-makers

Have a great week

Regards, Judy, Lyn, John, Sue, Jenny and Carol

# Caragabal Community News

# Thought For the Week:

"The secret of being miserable is to have leisure to bother about whether you are happy or not. The cure of it is occupation". G B Shaw

# Caragabal Country Golf Club:



Yearly membership fees are now due and can be paid either at the club or to the treasurer Peter Toole. Registered players: \$100.00 Social members: \$50.00

# **DIRECTOR'S MEETING:**

The next Director's Meeting will be held on Wednesday14thDecember 2011 commencing at 8.00pm at the Club House.

DUTY ROSTER: Sunday: 27/11/11: D Forde, D Troth, G Davey

# **BOWLS:**

Social Bowls. Each Sunday commencing at **3.00pm** now that daylight saving is here.

# Royal Hotel News:

\*\* Meat tray raffle: Winner;

\*\* **<u>Counter meals</u>** are available Saturday night from 6 to 9pm in conjunction with normal takeaways.

\*\* Café Hours: 7.00pm – 8.00pm – Wednesday 6.30pm – 9.00pm – Friday & Saturday



\*\* **<u>Coffee Shop</u>**: NOW OPEN and serving freshly ground and brewed coffee to drink in or take away.



#### We look forward to seeing you at the Pub

Grant & Melissa

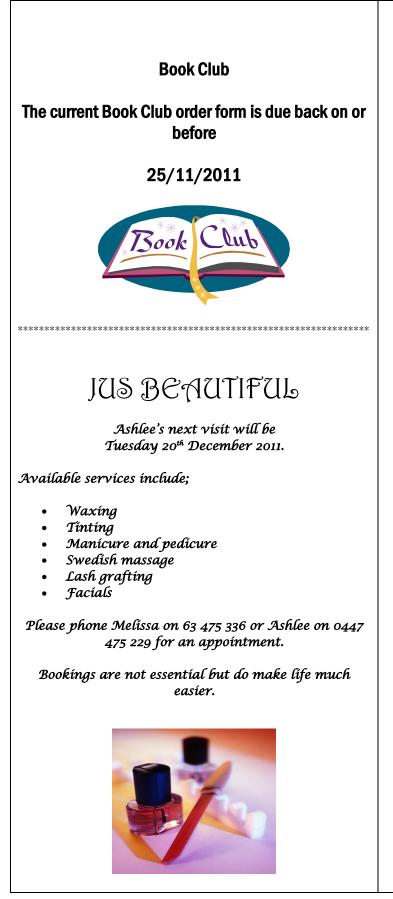
# Hairdresser at the Pub:

Bronwyn will be at the Pub for hair cuts on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2011

For an appointment please call Melissa on 63 475 336



# For Sale: Caragabal Post Agency: 3 brand new C section steel purlins "150" x 6-1mts \$200.00 long NOTE CHANGE OF TIMES Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10.00am -12 noon and 2.30pm - 5.00pm. 1 Kelvinator "480" fridge – good order \$150.00 1 large wall unit \$100.00 1 four burner "Barbie" with bottle \$150.00 Contact Win or Bob Phone: 63 475 385 Stamps, post packs and parcel posting is available at the Or 1 Railway Street Caragabal. PO Agency Caragabal. Mail must be posted before 10.00am Monday, Wednesday \*\*\*\*\* and Friday for it to leave on the same day. Recipe for the Week: \*\*\*\*\*\*\* This week I have included a recipe for "Fish & Quandialla Community Health Centre: Crunchy Asían Salad". Sounds great for a hot summer evening! Dr Fergus McGee \_ Dates for 2011 07/12/2011 Caragabal Progress Meeting: MONDAY 28TH NOVEMBER 2011 3.00рм **CARAGABAL PUBLIC SCHOOL COMMUNITY** Caragabal Church Services: MEETING SPACE Church at St Peter's Anglican Church 3rd Sunday of each month - 11.30am PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE -**APOLOGIES FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE.** Tai Chi:



Don't forget Tai Chi each Tuesday

At the Caragabal Country Golf Club

Commencing at 3.45pm

NEWCOMERS WELCOME

Wear comfortable clothes and sensible shoes to exercise in. Contact Grenfell Community Health Centre on 6349 1772 for further information.



# FISH AND CRUNCHY ASIAN SALAD

4 pieces white fish fillet 2 teaspoons olive oil

#### Salad:

3 cups Chingse cabbage, sliced
1 behangse cucumber, sliced
1 bunch English spinach leaves
12 snow peas, ends and strings removed
3 spring onions, sliced
4 radishes, sliced
4 cup bean shoots
1 chilli, seeded and sliced
250g cooked egg noodles, chilled

#### Asian-Style Dressing:

- 4 tablespoons lime or lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 teaspoon sesame oil
- I tablespoon reduced-salt soy sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon fresh ginger, peeled and finely diced
- 1 small clove garlie, chopped
- 1 fresh chilli, seeded and finely diced
- 1/2 cup parsley, mint or coriander, chopped.

#### Method:

Brush fish with oil and grill or pan-fry.

Mix salad ingredients in a serving bowl.

Combine dressing ingredients in a glass jar with a lid. Shake to combine and toss with salad.

Serve immediately with the cooked fish ...



#### WEDDIN SHIRE COUNCIL NEWS 16/11/11

Remembrance Day was again celebrated at Grenfell's picturesque Memorial Park, with a good roll up of ex-service men and women, local citizens and school children. The buglers from the Town Band provided the Last Post and Reveille to round off an important ceremony. Well done to all concerned.

Apparently a lot of people were making arrangements to be married at 11.00 am on 11.11.11, believing the sequence of elevens to be a lucky omen.

It may well be, but it could also indicate the marriage might only last 11 years. Some people might regard that as lucky too. Others might say you don't get that for murder. I wouldn't say anything like that, though.

Having been away for a few weeks, it didn't surprise me to come back and find the Council still being criticised over the doctor issue.

There have been a number of doctors referred to Council by community members over the last year or so, as possible GPs for Grenfell. These have all been followed up but in the end none was prepared or able to accept the position.

I note that another doctor has recently expressed interest. However when I spoke to him last week, he stated he did not want to be the third doctor, nor did he want to fill in for a short term. Apparently he had not been made aware that there was still one doctor practicing in the town and another one coming, and he lost interest once he understood the full situation.

This doctor had prepared an interesting proposal for the Grenfell surgery, involving rostering three doctors so that there were always two on duty. Issues like costs for accommodation and travel were not discussed so Council's contribution to the proposal remains unknown.

The doctor was advised that he would be considered for any future vacancies, and his contact details have been passed on to the Area Health Service.

In the meantime the Area Health Service continues to liaise with our new doctor, Dr Pattrick. I am advised he is assembling all the documentation required for his visa and medical examinations, a process with is notoriously slow in African countries. There is still no date of arrival but the doctor is keen to get here and get going, and no time is being wasted. However it is proving a long drawn out process.

The Grenfell Cricket Club has requested Council to consider replacing the wicket in the main Lawson Oval so that the ground can again be utilised for cricket in summer. The proposal is for a synthetic turf which can be covered by a commercial wicket cover for football.

Council resolved to circulate the proposal to the junior and senior football clubs for comment before making a decision on the matter.

With the approach of summer the Rural Fire Service is again promoting fire safety and has launched a campaign named "Prepare, Act, Survive" to increase public awareness.

Information to help landowners prepare for fires is available on the Rural Fire Service website at <u>www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/councils</u>. The Rural Fire Service invites all landowners to make use of the site and take the necessary precautions.

Bogolong Dam is back in the news again, with Central Tablelands Water seeking to dispose of it. Expressions of interest have already been invited and a community body has shown immediate interest.

In recent years this dam has been a cause of great concern for Central Tablelands Water, with constant pressure from government departments to carry out studies and remedial works. It appears that one of these studies has resulted in the Dams Safety Committee being satisfied the dam poses no threat to residents downstream, and it has accordingly been removed from their list of prescribed dams.

Council in the past has been loath to take over Bogolong Dam because of the resulting high financial liability attached to it. In view of the de-listing by the Dams Safety Committee, Council will consider at its meeting next week, whether to have another look at the situation, and whether it can combine with the local group for a good outcome for the community.

The November Council Meeting would normally be held this Thursday but the date conflicts with an important conference which will be attended by the Mayor and General Manager.

In view of this, Council has postponed the meeting until 5.00 pm on Monday 21 November. It will be preceded at 4.30 pm by a presentation by Council's auditor on the annual statements. Members of the public are welcome to attend the presentation and the following meeting.

#### Dates to Note

- 21 November Ordinary Council Meeting, 5.00 pm (note the change)
- 25 November Recycling Collection (eastern run)
- 28 November Recycling Collection (western run)

#### Advertisements

#### AUSTRALIA DAY 2012 AWARDS

Interested persons and organisations are invited to make nominations for the Weddin Shire Australia Day 2012 Awards.

Categories are:	- - -	Citizen of the Year Senior Citizen of the Year (65 and over) Community Service (personnel) Award Emergency Services (personnel) Award
	-	Community Event/Organisation of the Year

Nominations forms are available at the Council Chambers and will be accepted up until Friday, 2 December 2011.

#### CHANGE OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS

#### CORALEE BUILDING AWNING REHABILITATION - MAIN STREET

Weddin Shire Council advises that the footpath outside the old Coralee building will be closed to pedestrian traffic as from Tuesday 22 November 2011 for approximately two weeks while demolition and construction works being carried out. Alternative pedestrian access will be available. Parking will also be restricted outside the shop.

Council apologises for the inconvenience.

#### POSITION VACANT - APPRENTICE GARDNER/HORTICULTURIST

Council is inviting applications from motivated and enthusiastic persons for Apprentice Gardener/Horticulturist (4 years).

The successful applicant for the position will be required to undertake appropriate studies to obtain the required qualifications in the field.

Appointment to the position will be in accordance with the Local Government (State) Award and Grade T3-T6 (Trainee) under Councils current Salary structure, with a salary range of \$484.60 - \$700.30, depending on age and qualifications.

Further information and job description can be obtained by contacting Nichola during business hours on (02) 6343 1212, email <u>mail@weddin.nsw.gov.au</u> or visit Council's website at <u>www.weddin.nsw.gov.au</u>

Applications for this position close 4 pm Wednesday, 7 December 2011 and should be forwarded to the undersigned.

<u>AUTHORISATION</u> All notices in this insert authorised by

T V LOBB GENERAL MANAGER



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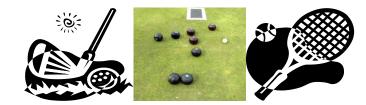
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# **COUNTRY GOLF CLUB**

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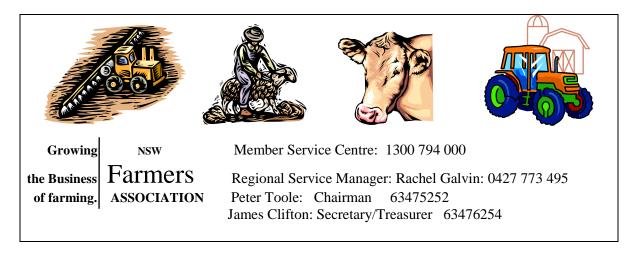
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# <u>ROYAL HOTEL CARAGABAL</u>



Phone: 63 475 336 Hosts: Grant & Melíssa Davey





Patchwork Classes are back 9am – 4pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> TUESDAY of each month 4<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY & SATURDAY of each month – other times by arrangement. BYO Machine, Project & Lunch. Tea & Coffee provided. Fabrics, Wadding, Backings & a selection of other sewing supplies are available for purchase.

Patchwork Quilts make great gifts for Weddings, Birthdays, Anniversaries & Baby Gifts. Patchwork Bags, Wall-hangings & Table Runners can also be made to order. Quilting & Binding Service Available or you can hire the use of my longarm machine to quilt your own top.

> For more information please phone Wanda Taylor 02 63475254





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