



December in your garden

With the warm days & nights, now is the time to sow your Autumn vegetables.

Vegetables: cauliflower, broccoli, cabbages.

Seeds - beans - climbing or dwarf, beetroot, silverbeet, capsicum, carrots, lettuce, marrows, parsley, parsnips, pumpkins, radishes, sweet corn & late tomatoes.

Flowers: Ageratum, amaranthus, snapdragons, aster, begonia, carnations, celosia, cosmos, dwarf dahlia, dianthus, marigold, nasturtium, petunias, phlox, portulaca, salvia, torenia, verbena & zinnia.

Look for thrips on roses & gladioli, you can spray with Lebaycide. Watch for fungus diseases such as black spot or mildew on roses - spray with rose spray.

Watch for fruit fly. Spray your apples, pears, peaches, nectarine & quinces with Lebaycide. It recommended to spray the fruit trees every 3 weeks & again 2 weeks before ripening.

Dahlias - give them a side dressing of complete fertiliser to keep them growing strong. Re-tie the plant further up the stake if needed.



January in your garden

Vegetables: Carrots, parsnips, dwarf beans, sweet corn, beetroot, silverbeet, broccoli, brussel sprouts, cabbages, celery, kohlrabi, lettuce & radish.

Flowers: Ageratum, snapdragons, carnations, dianthus, dwarf marigold, phlox, petunia & verbena.

To conserve moisture mulch plants & shrubs, keeping the mulch away from the stem or trunk of the plant.

Roses - give a deep water twice a week and at the roots to avoid black spot & mildew.

Plant of the Month

Ribes - Flowering Currants

These are not fruiting currants, these Ribes species look good enough to eat. They are members of the same genus, which includes 150 species in all, mostly native to the



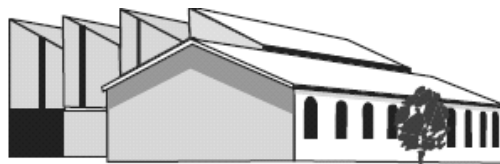
Americas, but with some from other parts of the northern hemisphere.

Ribes sanguineum - red flowering currant - grow well in cooler climates, producing masses of spicily fragrant blooms mostly on spiny stems. These appear for quite a few weeks towards the end of winter & spring. Where Autumns are frosty most species will colour well.

Ribes can be grown from hardwood cuttings taken as soon as the leaves fall. Cuttings should be 30cm long, and potted so that only the tips appear above the soils. Where winters are frigid, bury the cuttings outdoors until spring, then pot them up.

Ribes are deciduous, have lobed leaves, grow best in well-drained soil with an annual spring top dressing of compost. They can reach 3 metres. The plants are hardy down to minus 10°C.

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Landcare Update

Landcare update for Windellama news
December 2009

The Landcare Tent at the Windellama Small Farms Field Day on Saturday 7 November was well attended, and members were kept busy with enquiries from visitors. There was a constant flow of people. The tent was shared with Sky Kidd, the Landcare Coordinator for the Upper Shoalhaven & Deua Catchments, the Catchment Management Authority and Michael Ryan, who was doing a good business selling native seedlings.

On Saturday 14 November a group of Windellama Landcare members visited and inspected two properties where the Group has previously carried out work. The aim of each of the projects was to stabilise the land by planting trees. Merv Cornish, who has seen the work that has been done at both properties from the beginning, reported on the visits. At Candlebark, direct seeding of native trees as well as deep water-jet planting on a hill was not successful as the trees had not survived. However he was surprised to see how well the pine tree plantings were doing. Windellama Landcare members had ripped the ground and had helped plant the pines. There was general stabilization of the area. Some of the pines were about five metres high.

No natives will survive on the hill – they need more care and more water - more thought and

research needs to be done. Merv suggests that in an area such as at Candlebark we should stabilize the land with pines first and later put in the native plants. Natives need more care to get started.

At the Quaratino's property the direct seeding was not successful at all. Members were shown the pine trees Kerry and John had planted – they are all big and there has been an 80% survival. The Quaratinos are now trying to get natives growing.

Ian Proctor brought some dung beetles he had found at his neighbours' property and then was chuffed to find some dung beetles in the moist cow pats at the Quaratinos, which is one of the four properties in the dung beetle trial.

Merv felt that the inspection tours were very worthwhile. Members returned to the Windellama Landcare Head Quarters, at the Windellama Hall, for a scrumptious salad and barbecue lunch.

Don't forget the **Annual General Meeting and Christmas party on Saturday 5 December 2009 at the Windellama Landcare Headquarters.** We will meet at 10.30 am for a cuppa followed by the AGM and then lunch. Members are invited to bring a plate of dessert.

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Presbytery & Parish Office
Phone 4821 1022

Sunday Mass will be at 9am. on the 2nd & 4th
Sunday at St. Patrick's **Marulan**.

Mass Times in **Goulburn** are:

Saturday Vigil Mass:

6pm (DST) at St. Peter & St. Paul's
Sunday: 8am. at Our Lady of Fatima,
Nth. Goulburn

Sunday: 10am. at St. Peter & St. Paul's

St. Joseph's Church, Tarago

1st Sunday of each month 10.30am
Enquiries: 4842 2444



St. Bartholomew's Anglican Church

Anglican Church Services

DECEMBER

St. Mark's - Bronte

Sunday 13th – 11.30am

St. Bartholomew's - Windellama

Thursday 24th 8.00 pm CHRISTMAS
CAROLS

JANUARY 2010

St. Mark's - Bronte

Sunday 10th – 11.30am

St. Bartholomew's - Windellama

Sunday 24th – 11.30am

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Story contributions of community &/or
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Just contact Denise on 4844 5087

or Gayle on 4844 5156

and discuss with them or email

windnews@goulburn.net.au

Coming Events...

All at Windellama unless otherwise advised.

January

- 1 Annual Cricket Match vs Bungonia

Do you have new neighbours?

Why not pass on your copy of the Windellama News to them. This is probably the best way for newcomers to find out about the local activities and also to find about our local trades and services.

Fees for Hire of Hall or Supper Room at Windellama Hall

*HALL	ALL DAY	\$200
	DAY 4hrs or less	\$100
	EVENING/NIGHT**	\$200

*Includes Supper Room & Kitchen

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Sorted Waste - Domestic Residents only

Car, station wagon, small ute or small trailer	\$10.00
Medium trailer, large ute or 1-tonne truck load	\$15.00
Large trailer load	\$25.00

Unsorted Waste and Non-Residents Waste

Garbage & trade waste (uncompacted, per cubic metre)	\$62.00
Garbage and trade waste (compacted, per cubic metre)	\$ 108.00
Other unsorted waste - 2 x sorted rate per category	

Hard fill demolition waste not accepted at Tarago

Animals — Note: Animal carcasses cannot be dumped at Tarago as there are no facilities for burial please refer to Goulburn Mulwaree Council for details on availability in this area.

Car Bodies	\$40.00
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Tyres — Car Tyres (each) - per tyre	\$ 7.00
Motorcycle tyres (each)	\$ 6.00
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Tractor tyres (each) - per tyre	\$75.00

Community Information

Windellama Progress Association

Cathy Meehan (President) 4844 5554
Frances Knights (Secretary) 4844 5157

Windellama Rural Fire Brigade

Jim Meehan (Captain) 4844 5554
Rex Hockey (President) 4844 5147
Ellen Sylvester (Sec) 4844 5407

Windellama Field Day Committee

Cathy Meehan (Secretary) 4844 5554
Frances Knights (Treasurer) 4844 5157

Windellama News

Denise Johnson (Editor) 4844 5087
Gayle Stanton (Editor) 4844 5156
Cathy Meehan (Sec / Treas) 4844 5554

Windellama Garden Cub Inc.

Pam Williams (Treas) 4844 5194
Lynn Stockford (Sec) 4844 5029

Windellama Hall Country Markets

Bob Shaw 4844 5001

Windellama Historical Society

Rex Hockey (President) 4844 5147
Joanna Croker (Co-Secretary) 4844 5125

Windellama Landcare

Warren Yates (President) 4844 5350
Sandra Greville (Secretary) 4844 5047

Windellama School P&C

Terry Hannan (President) 4844 5337
Heather Caulfield (Secretary) 4844 5120

Nerriga Landcare

Di Roberts (President) 4844 5344
Helen Rolland (Secretary) 9555 8676

Nerriga Rural Fire Brigade

John Rolfe (Captain) 4845 9160
Justin Parr (Snr. Deputy Captain) 4845 9129
Marie Kennedy 4845 9126

Jacqua Creek Landcare

Annabel Scholes 4844 4383
Julia McKay (Secretary) 4844 4457
Diann Moran (Treasurer) 4844 4291

Wires (wildlife rescue)

Marian Pearce 4844 5244
Southern Tablelands WIRES 4822 3888

Community Health Goulburn

4827 3913

Community Transport

4823 4499

Justice of the Peace

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"Stirlingbrae" 3186 Windellama Road, Windellama.

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Important Phone Numbers

Rural Fire Brigades

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Tarago	Des Kingston	4849 4503
Taylor's Creek	Dave Elward	4849 4240
Mt Fairy	Greg Brooke	4849 4681
Bungonia	Ian Tapper	4844 4460
Gundary	Tony Kent	4822 5078
Nerriga	John Rolfe	4845 9160

**PHONE 4844 5359 or
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Windellama SES First Aid

Graeme McFarlane	4844 5506
Kevin Muffet	4844 7143

Police

Tarago Station - Snr. Constable Brad Carey	4849 4411
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December 2009

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	1 Willow Glen Gardeners	2	3	4 Historical Society AGM	5 Landcare AGM Yoga at Nerriga	6
7 School P&C Meeting	8 Hall Craft arvo	9 SES Training	10	11	12 Yoga at Nerriga	13 St. Marks
14	15 Hall Craft arvo	16	17	18	19 Yoga at Nerriga	20 Markets at the Hall
21 Progress Meeting NSW School holidays	22	23	24 St. Barts Xmas Carols	25 Xmas Day 	26 Boxing Day	27
28	29	30	31  New Years Eve	Cricket Match Versus Bungonia		

For details of times and places - see articles inside this issue
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