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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

Community Notice Board

Cheerios

To Albert Stockford who has had hospital stays over Christmas. Hope you are now on the mend.

To Sue Roberts, hope the hot weather is not draining you. All the very best.

To Mick Ryan, who has been in the wars lately.

To Julie Carey with her broken ankle.

Field Day Meeting

**The next meeting will be
Sunday 22nd February 1pm at the hall.**

It is on a weekend allowing more people the opportunity to attend.

Please come in person and let us know your ideas and/or constructive criticisms. We need your input!

If you can't make it on the day, please email us at fieldday@windellama.com.au or put it on paper and leave it at the hall letterbox.

Your input is important to us.

Road Closure

The RTA is planning to close Main Road 92 near Bulee Gap between Endrick River and Touga Road for the dates of Monday 23rd Feb 6am to Sunday 1st March 6pm)

This essential closure is required to construct retaining walls on the steep and narrow western approach to the new Bulee Bridge site. The RTA is consulting with residents, business operators, emergency service providers and regular road users concerning the proposed closure. The closure will be widely advertised with extensive signposting to inform stakeholders of the closure.

For enquiries regarding the road closure, please contact the NACE Civil Engineering Pty Ltd site engineer, Clinton Woods on 0412 490 602.

Changing of School Principal

2008 saw the retirement of Windellama Public School principal Rosemary Chapman. At the annual presentation night many people paid tribute to Rosemary by reminiscing on the many positive changes that she made during her fourteen and a half years at the school.

A P&C organised dinner in honour of Rosemary was well attended by not only current parent and students, but also previous parents and students.

Staff of the five small schools that W.P.S is associated with farewelled Rosemary at a luncheon and acknowledged the wonderful contribution that she had made to public education. We thank Rosemary and wish her all the very best in her retirement.

Windellama Public School staff and the wider school community would like to express a warm welcome to new principal Tony McCartney. Tony and his wife Kathy are looking forward to working in, and living in our community. 2009 is sure to be an exciting year for all involved at W.P.S.

Harvest Festival at St. Bart's

The Harvest Festival celebration on Sunday 22nd is a "FUN DAY" with the auction of homegrown vegetables, fruit, preserves, flowers, craft and other surprises. The service and auction will be followed by a light luncheon and celebration of the Windellama Anglican Womens' 78th anniversary in the church grounds.

Yummy food and celebration cake!!!

Bitumen Completed

It was a great Christmas present with the last section of dirt road at the Bungonia end of Oallen Ford Road receiving its coat of bitumen. It certainly makes a difference and I'm sure the residents next to the road appreciate the lack of dust heading their way. The clearing of shrubbery alongside has also made the road safer with more visibility.

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On Oallen Road, probably on AM 2nd January, '09. REWARD OFFERED.

Ph 4845 9147 after 5pm

Thank You

Gaby and Mary of Parkwood Lane, Oallen would like to thank all the SES volunteers and Ambulance workers for their help on the 31st of December at the accident on their property.

We would like to thank them for the dedication, professionalism and care they gave to the two children involved in the accident, and the reassurance to the families of the children. The children involved in the accident are well and healthy thanks to the work they did.

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Windellama SES First Aid

By Graeme McFarlane

Here we go again another year is upon us, December was a busy month for us with four callouts and two so far this month, so a big congratulations must go out to the team as we are receiving nothing but excellent reports back from the Ambulance, Well done to you all.

And big thanks to Kevin who has been filling in for me while I am working, thanks mate.

Til next time stay safe.

LETTERBOX ERECTION

The following info. has been provided by Corporate Public Affairs of Australia Post:

You should ensure your letterbox is:

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- * Equipped with a slot/opening to allow mail to be inserted.
- * Secured with a lock. (your choice)

These directions can also make it easier for the volunteers who deliver the *Windellama News* hard copies. Thank you to Barry from Australia Post who gave 110% to ascertain the facts & figures above.

To Whom it May Concern

This is a message from your Community First Responder Service. We are acting as Ambulance Trained Personnel, who may act alone prior to the arrival of an ambulance or assist with the treatment after the ambulance is on scene.

We can be contacted in the first instance by two methods:

1. You can call triple zero (000) for an ambulance, they in turn call us by telephone, and then a general alert goes out to all members by our pager system.

2. We may be contacted direct by calling

Kevin Muffet on 4844 7143

Graeme McFarlane on 4844 5506

Noel Sylvester on 4844 5407.

This is called self responding.

3. NB We must however contact the NSW Ambulance Service advising them of our action, because they must be aware of our location at all times.

4. You must realise that it is your right to refuse transport of a patient to medical treatment by an ambulance. We as well as the ambulance officers must have a form signed by the patient or someone acting on their behalf verifying that this is your wish.

We are situated in the following locations:

Two of us are situated north of the fireshed (Windellama) ; one west; one south west; and three south east.

I hope this clarifies the situation in which we are placed. We must adhere to specific Protocol as set out by the SES and Ambulance Service.

Thank you for and on behalf of the community responder service from Kevin Muffet and the rest of the team.

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Following a couple of very hectic months before Christmas, activity at the Hall has been limited to the monthly markets and the annual cricket challenge against a team from Bungonia.

The weather was good, the grounds looked wonderful (many thanks to Andrew McMillan) and the cricket was interesting. I don't think teams of 24 are generally accepted by most umpires, however, everyone who wanted to play was able to do so. Windellama again has the trophy for safekeeping for the next year. A lovely afternoon was served and a big thank you is due to the Windellama ladies who helped make the day so enjoyable.

There will not be a meeting in January, the next Progress Association meeting will be held on Tuesday 17th February 2009, at 2.00 p.m. All members of the community are welcome to attend, although to be eligible to vote you must be a financial member of the Association, application forms to join are available from the Secretary – any members of the committee can arrange to make a form available.

Frances Knights - Secretary

Bungonia –Windellama Cricket Match 2009

This year it was Windellama's turn to host the match. The weather was kind no rain but of course plenty of wind.

The teams formed, stumps set out with Ross to be the umpire. Toss of the coin and Windellama will bat first.

There were many spectators, some louder than others, but all joining in. The host side made the most runs but it doesn't really matter how many anyone gets as the object of the match is for everybody to have an enjoyable day.

Afternoon tea in the hall after the game where the **man of the match** trophies were given out to Tim Pagent from Bungonia and Travis Pasfield from Windellama.

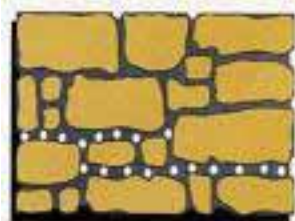
Welcome to all our new comers, hope to see you at the next match in 2010 hosted by Bungonia. To the Captains job well done.

Cathy Meehan

Donate a Rock

Windellama Rural Fire Brigade is building a memorial wall at the Fire Shed.

As this will be a community Memorial Wall, they would like donations from the community.

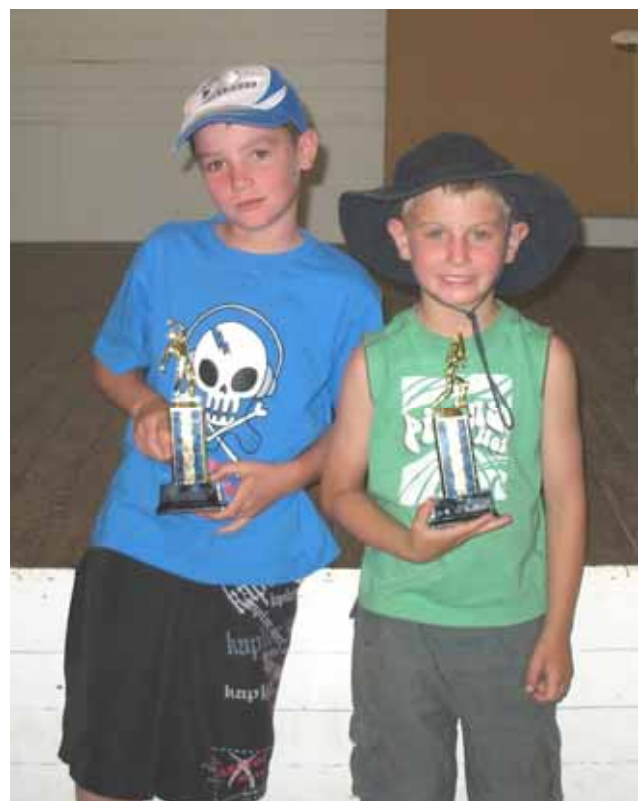


Your rock/s will be part of this Memorial Wall for the future.

All sizes and colours of rocks are required to make it unique and will be gratefully accepted.

Your donation of rock/s can be left at the fire shed, just inside the gate on the right hand side on the ground.

This will be the location of the Memorial Wall. The erection of this wall will hopefully be in the next few months.



Tim Pagent, left & Travis Pasfield, right

Windellama Country Markets

Sunday 15th February

10am to 2pm

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Just some of the classic cars that came to the January Markets from the Southern Tablelands Heritage Auto Restorers Club

