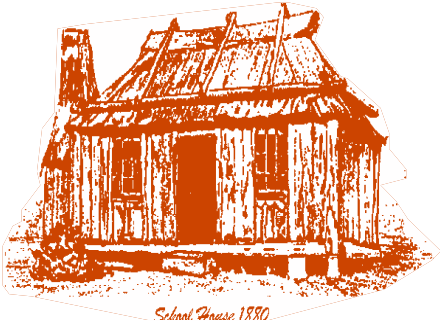


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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20TH

Community Notice Board

Thank You

Bruce & Thora Hush would like to thank the Windellama Garden Club for the flowers and kind words; the Progress Association and the many people who sent cards and kind thoughts after the passing of Bruce's mother, Beatrice Lillian Hush, who died on 30th April, 2006. She is sadly missed.

Cakes / Slices Required

At the Clearing Sale at Timberlight on Saturday 28th October your Windellama Landcare and Windellama Progress groups have been asked to cater for the crowds that will be attending.

It would be absolutely marvelous if you could donate some cakes and slices or anything you think appropriate to these groups as they expect a large crowd to be in attendance on the day.

Please contact Shirley Cornish on 4844 5101 or Cynthia Hudson on 4844 5005 for any queries you may have or to arrange delivery of your culinary donations.

Donations can also be left at the Hall on Friday 27th October between 3pm & 5pm.

Diamond Anniversary

Congratulations goes to Neville & Doris Croker on their 60th wedding anniversary for the 23rd September. They were married at Christ Church in Addison Street.

The children and grandchildren took them to lunch at the Fireside Inn where they had their first meal as husband and wife.

Neville and Doris said "We feel very blessed and grateful to be still together and that our health is good enough to still know who we are".

The Windellama News team extends to them a special message of congratulations and thanks as Neville and Doris still find time for the Windellama community as they deliver our newsletter along Windellama Road.

On the Mend



Get well wishes go to Cynthia Hudson and Irene Turner who are both recovering after operations. Their dancing will be curtailed for a few weeks.

Saturday 28th October

Monster Anniversary Celebration at Windellama Hall

Starting at 6pm

BYO drinks & nibbles

BYO a plate to share

Best Dressed competition

Scary story recital

Music

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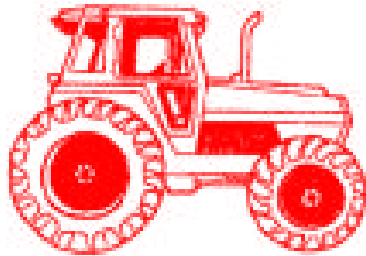


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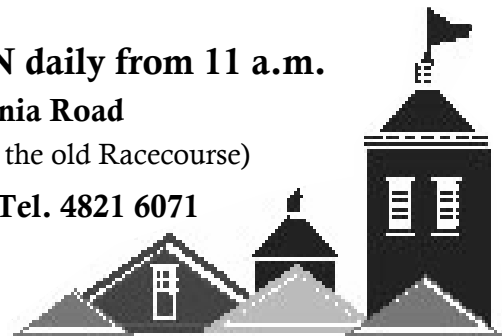
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Our members are licensed, trained, responsible hunters and covered by a \$10,000,000 public liability insurance.

Write to us to PO Box 299, Deakin West, A.C.T. 2600
or ring 0411140-337

Community Notice Board

NEW LINK

New link on the Windellama Community Website.

Check out the new link to the Community Calendar on the Windellama home page. The new link is a convenient way to check out what events are upcoming in our community and it's great for those people on dial-up internet for quick access.

Check your community calendar regularly, as the calendar will be updated daily and the most up to date information will be displayed on new events and/or cancellations.

How does it work?

From the Windellama Community Website home page, www.windellama.com.au, click on the **Community Calendar** link to open the calendar.

Once the calendar is open, roll your mouse cursor over the event title on the date/s you wish to attend and a popup window will appear listing the details of that event.

To post a notification of any upcoming community events and/or changes to an existing event, date or venue, please contact Gary or Denise on 48445087 or email news@windellama.com.au with details, and they will be posted on the calendar within 24 hours of notice.

Classified Advertisements

Small classified advertisements are also placed in the Tarago Times free of charge.

For Sale

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For Sale

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 Contact 4844 5225

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For Sale

Damara X sheep, ewes, (shedding sheep) \$80. Phone 4844 5455

Windellama Garden Club Trivia Night

An enjoyable night was had by all who attended. Our numbers were down on last year with seven full tables.

The food was delicious as usual, beautiful prawns & fish (thank you to Kaye Boud for getting them). We had ham, chicken and so many scrumptious salads.

The trivia was compared by Steve Cansell who did a great job again. Many thanks to Frances Knights for our film quiz for the tables, made us think to solve this. A big thank you to Shirley Cornish for marking our papers too.

The main prize of a painting was won by Beryl Kremer. Supper was served half way through and then we proceeded with the trivia. The winning table was presented with bottles of wine.

Thank you all who worked hard to make it a success.

Pam Williams



Weather Watch

16th August to 15th September

Adrook, Oallen Ford Road, Windellama	23ml / 7 days
Timberlight, Oallen Ford Road, Oallen	32.8ml / 11 days
Amaroo, Roberts Road, Windellama	7ml / 2 days
Gar-den, Oallen Ford Rd, Windellama	26.5ml / 10 days
Johnno's Corner, Oallen Ford Rd	27.5ml / 6 days
Hollow Log, Willow Glen Rd, Tarago	24.5ml / 5 days

Community Outreach Meeting

Come along to the Community Outreach Meeting hosted by Goulburn Mulwaree Council at
Bungonia Community Hall
 (Cnr of King Street & Goderich Street, Bungonia)
on Tuesday 10th October 2006 starting at 6pm.

The Community Outreach Meeting is an opportunity to meet Goulburn Mulwaree Councillors and Senior Staff, and discuss Council related matters with them.

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Dog attack, sheep at Bungonia/Windellama

My name is Karen, we have a property on Oallen Ford Road, not far down the road from Johnno's Shop.

A few weeks ago, we had a dog attack our sheep.

I just wanted to write to you to tell you how devastating this sort of thing is. Some people just let their dogs run free. They don't think what harm their dogs are doing, when they don't know where they are. I truly believe these people are very irresponsible. They need to always know where their dogs are. Dogs can do terrible damage to stock, it is cruel and it can be prevented.

We travel up to our property every weekend, to feed stock. My daughter and I travelled up there this certain weekend, my husband and son didn't come up that weekend, as we were just feeding then going straight home.

When we got there, our Ram "Ramsley" was by himself. We knew straight away, something was wrong. He is never without his girls. We drove down the back to look for the ewes and lambs.

What we saw when we got there was terrible, 1 ewe had drowned in the dam, she had bite marks on her side, (she was in lamb). Another ewe had been mauled around her mouth, she had a 3 week old lamb by her side. She had fought this dog off, to save her lamb. She put up such a brave fight.

We now have the lamb at home and are bringing her up as we had to take her off her mother because the ewe was so badly mauled. Some good friends of ours came up and gave the ewe some penicillin, and after 2 and a half weeks of not being able to eat, she is now recovering.

We still can't find 1 ewe and 1 five month old lamb. They must have escaped through the fencing. We have no idea where they are. We don't have much stock, but what we have we look after and love having.

This could have been prevented if certain people were more responsible with their dogs and take time to think of stock in paddocks and what could happen and has happened.

I just wanted to write to your paper, I subscribe to your paper every month and I'm sure many people read it. Maybe someone might read what has happened and think twice before letting their dogs run free. I know most people are good with their dogs, but it just takes that certain few who aren't. I really enjoy and look forward to Windellama News every month.

With kind regards
Karen Gill

Police News

Well things are back to some sought of normality this month with not too much occurring in the district. You may have noticed the Highway Patrol in our area over the past couple of weeks. This will no doubt continue over the summer months some watch your speeds and please don't drink and drive.

I have now received the "Farm Security Assessment" Forms and they are in much more detail than I first thought. As I said last month they are available from me and if you require help filling it out I am available for assistance.

If you have any queries or problems don't hesitate to give me a call on 4849 4411 or pay me a visit anytime. Remember you can now leave a message.

A Teenager's Life

Hayley McCarthy

At the moment, everyone seems to be stressing about the work which they did not do during the year, and now it is catching up on them. This time the *night-before cramming* is not going to help cover a whole years worth of work.

The trick is to spread out your study and do a couple of hours each night so as to not overwhelm yourself and slowly but effectively cover and revise the work needed.

It seems strange to think that I am finally at the end of my schooling years and it is quite sad. Many people say that school is the best time of your life and I believe that this is true. I wish that I could have done things differently and appreciated things moreso now that I am at the end of it all.

It is a scary time for us as we are applying for university and worrying that our lack of doing homework throughout the year will affect our end of year mark, our UAI.

For those who are unaware of what and how the UAI system works, here is a brief overview.

The UAI is the mark given to students at the end of the year. It is a combination of 50% Assessment Mark and 50% of the HSC mark so it is not just the HSC which determines how well we go. The UAI or University Admissions Index is the mark which enables a student to go to university.

It is an important mark but by no means the only ticket into university so stress less if you think the UAI is your only lifeline for uni.

It is a daunting prospect, the idea of going to university. It will be difficult getting out of the school routine and into the university routine. But I am sure we will manage.

I wish everyone in the area the best for all their exams, including the Year 10's who will be commencing their School Certificate Exams in November and the Year 11's who are currently doing their End of Year 11 exams.



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By lodging your interest in broadband by no means commits or contracts you to Telstra, but merely expressing an interest in using their ADSL service if it were to become available.

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Coming Events...

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November

- 1st School Afternoon Show
- 4th Small Farms Field Day
- 7th Melbourne Cup
- 18th Country Fair - Windellama Garden Club

December

- 2nd Historical AGM
- 18th School Presentation night

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