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Dear reader,

Our editor is stepping down. Margaret, who took over from Diana Moran in 1994, has maintained the high standard set in the early years and has developed aspects of the paper that have added interest and humour.

Thanks very much, Margaret, for the time, thought and effort that you have put into bringing out the paper on time, eleven months of the year.

THE COMMITTEE

DATES TO KEEP IN MIND

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Wattle Day, National Poetry Day
- 6 Father's Day
- 9 Community bus
- 10 CWA 10am
- 11 Bungonia Rural Bushfire Brigade; National Aborigines Day
- 12 Goulburn Show Day
- 14 Progress 7.30pm; Britain adopted Gregorian Calendar 1752
- 15 International Day of Peace
- 17 Bungonia Times deadline 6pm
- 21 Jewish New Year - first day of year 5759
- 23 Community bus; Spring Equinox
- 25 NSW schools break up till October 12

13 weeks to Christmas!

OCTOBER: 3 BUNGONIA MARKET DAY; Windellama Spring Ball

NOVEMBER 21 Windellama Country Fair

DECEMBER 5: Windellama Small Farms Field Day



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CHURCH NEWS

CHRIST CHURCH, BUNGONIA

Enquiries: Peter Dannelly 4844 4324

Dennis Jenkins 4844 4241

Minister: The Rev'd Nick Hearnshaw 4821 4976

Keyboard: Judith Dannelly

Flute: Bianca Dannelly

Saxophone: Heath Dannelly

Guitar: Heath Dannelly

Percussion: Karina Edwards and all other children

NEXT COMMUNION SERVICE

Sunday, September 13th at 5pm

Communion Services are held every 2nd Sunday, and Children's Services every 1st Sunday.

Every other Sunday there is a family service at 5pm .Come and enjoy the singing and a cup of tea afterwards.

GROUP STUDY SESSIONS

Tuesday nights at 7.30pm in the village. Supper! All welcome.

CLEANING AND FLOWER ROSTER

September - Edwards family

October - Narelle Jessop

November - Margaret Durack

December - Volunteer Working Bee

ST.STEPHEN'S UNITING CHURCH, MARULAN

CONTACT: Maureen Eddy 4841 1648

Church service 2nd Sunday, 9am.

Ladies' Fellowship 3rd Monday at 1pm. Contact Jill Farnworth 4841 1849.

Kids' Club Friday afternoons 3.30pm. Contact Dorothy Weeks 4841 1650

ALL SAINTS', MARULAN

Church service 8am 1st Sunday

ST.PATRICK'S, MARULAN

Mass is celebrated 4pm every Sunday

Priest: Father Brannelly 4821 1022

St.Patrick's has inherited an organ from Our Lady of Fatima, North Goulburn. We celebrated its arrival by singing a Recessional hymn accompanied on the organ by Margaret Rippon.

ST.BARTHOLOMEW'S, WINDELLAMA

Contact: the Rev'd Kevin Stone, Christ Church, Addison St, Goulburn, 4821 3631

Communion services 11.30am. 4th Sunday.

COUNTRY WOMENS' ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT: Shirley Smith 4821.5606

SECRETARY: Ruth Dole 4844.7179

TREASURER: Colleen Cooper 4821.1856

PUBLICITY: Pat Young 4844.7178

The next meeting is Thursday, September 10th, 10am, CWA rooms.

There was no raffle last meeting. Instead, the lucky door prize, donated by Ruth Dole, was won by Gwen Gilman.

We all sat down to a lovely three course lunch and watched a video all about Ireland, which is our country this year for International Day. It was very informative. Thanks to Ruth, and to Colleen for bringing out her TV and cassette player. It was very much appreciated.

Our raffle money which we spend every month, as well as any spare coins, goes towards "Coins for Friendship" which we have every International Day.

At our September meeting we will be having our Group President, Mrs. Jan Clifford, from Yass CWA.

If you would like to join us at our next meeting, or just pop in for a cuppa and some good

BUNGONIA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT: Cherie Jenkins 4844.4241
SECRETARY: Moira McGinity 4844.4266
TREASURER: Vacant
HALL HIRE: Moira McGinity 4844.4266

NEXT MEETING: 7.30pm, Monday, 14th September at the Community Hall

WE HAVE REVERTED TO HOLDING OUR MEETING ON THE SECOND MONDAY OF THE MONTH

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, AUGUST 17TH.

Despite the wet, cold night, sufficient members attended to enable us to hold the Annual General Meeting. The retiring President, Ray Dole, thanked those members who attended meetings and organized the Market Days, the Village Auction and Christmas Party and worked on improvements to the Hall. He hopes that during 1998/99 we can have greater participation by local residents in the Association. The new Committee is:

President: Cherie Jenkins
Vice-Pres: Dennis Jenkins
Treasurer: position not filled
Secretary: Moira McGinity
Public Officer: Pauline Dickson

The position of Treasurer is vacant. It is not an onerous job and Cherie would give any volunteer all the assistance required. After 7 years as Treasurer, Cherie felt that she needed a break. So we would love to hear from anyone who would take on the job and this time it won't be for 7 years.

The following fees were set for 1998/99:

Membership fees: \$2.00

Hire of

Supper room:	\$5.00 meeting
Hall 7.30-1am:	\$60.00 Function
Hall	\$100.00 Extension for overnight accommodation
Hall overnight:	475 to School/guide/walker groups
Hall 3 nights or more:	\$75 per night for the first 2 nights then negotiable
Equipment:	Not for hire. The exception is to Cave Rescue who have hired tables at Easter for many years.

Cleaning/damage deposit: \$150 refundable if the Hall is left in the same condition as it was in, when hired.

VILLAGE SIGNAGE: After discussion at the August meeting it was agreed that the wording on the draft sign should be changed to "Welcome to Historic Bungonia. EST. 1823"

BUNGONIAN OF THE YEAR: Because of lack of community interest, the Bungonian of the Year Award will not be made this year. IF residents want this award to continue next year, the Association needs assistance in organising and judging the award and a number of nominations. Join the Association and at least come to the meetings when the Award is being discussed and be prepared to help with the publicity and judging.

RECIPE BOOK: Remember to copy out your family recipes and send them to us for inclusion in the Bungonia Recipe Book.

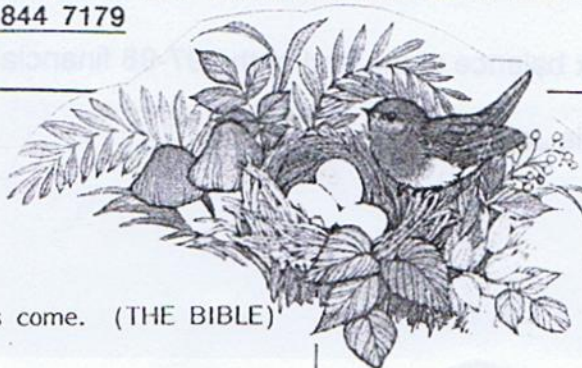
BEAUTIFICATION OF THE VILLAGE: This may be funded through a "Year 2001 Grant". Further discussion will take place at the next meeting.

NATIONAL POETRY DAY: 1st September

MARKET DAY: Saturday, 3rd October. All the usual stalls and more. The Hamburgers will be tastier than ever and are GST FREE!!!!!!

Stall sites: No increase in price! Still \$10 a site and \$2 to hire a table.

CONTACT: Ray Dole 4844 7179



LO, THE WINTER IS PAST

For, lo, the winter is past.

The rain is over and gone.

The flowers appear on the earth.

The time of the singing of birds is come. (THE BIBLE)

OUR SEASONS

Spring is showery, flowery, bowery.

Summer: hoppy, croppy, poppy.

Autumn: wheezy, sneezy, freezy.

Winter: slippy, drippy, nippy. (ANON)

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THE BUNGONIA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR JULY '97 TO JUNE '98

EXPENSES		INCOME	
Market Day	1341.82	Market Days	3229.50
Functions	239.48	Functions	100.00
Repair	486.30	Memberships	26.00
Rates	290.00	Rate Refunds	290.00
Cleaning	305.95	Hall Hire	142.00
Advertising	166.00	Equipment Hire	40.00
Bank Fees	18.52	Bank Interest	23.50
Stationary	49.95	Souvenirs	44.00
Insurance	602.54	Sales	100.00
New Equipment	871.00	Donations	41.00
Change	150.00	Change	150.00
Electricity	264.45		
Fees & Licenses	27.50		
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	\$ 4,813.51		\$ 4,186.00

During the period of 97-98, we actually spent \$648.53 more than we raised.

The Progress' Investment Account with the IMB made \$21.02 in interest and has a balance of \$1,830.75

Progress has a total bank balance at the end of the 97-98 financial year of \$3,596.20.

Report compiled by Cherie Jenkins

POETS' PATCH

from SEPTEMBER IN AUSTRALIA by HENRY KENDALL

*Grey Winter hath gone, like a wearisome guest,
And, behold, for repayment,
September comes in with the wind of the West
And the Spring in her raiment!
The ways of the frost have been filled of the flowers
While the forest discovers
Wild wings, with the halo of hyaline hours,
And the music of lovers.*

*September, the maid with the swift. silver feet!
She glides, and she graces
The valleys of coolness, the slopes of the heat,
With her blossomy traces;
Sweet month, with a mouth that is made of a rose,
She lightens and lingers
In spots where the harp of the evening glows,
Attuned by her fingers...*

GARDENING IN SEPTEMBER

Make sure your roses have been well pruned and sprayed with Triforine to prevent Black Spot. Peaches and nectarines are to be sprayed with lime sulphur. Divide and plant out water lilies and chrysanthemums. Plant out gladioli at fortnightly intervals to get a longer show of flowers. Complete the dividing and planting out of perennials such as Michaelmas daisy, phlox, achillea and scabiosa. Plant spring and summer annuals such as sweet peas, snapdragons, stocks and asters. Be careful not to damage lily shoots which are emerging now, and remove the dead leaves from the iris. Cut back buddleia, hydrangea and ceanothus. Complete mulching with compost. Sow new lawns. Plant asparagus, peas, lettuce, carrots, strawberries and globe artichokes.

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

COMMUNITY BUS: This runs between Bungonia and Goulburn every second Wednesday, for a small cost. For further information contact Ruth Travers 44.4290. The next bus dates are September 9th and 23rd.

FOR SALE

Two working kerosene heaters and one spare (for repair or parts). \$100 the lot.
Tel. 4841 1809

FOR SALE: 1950 Fargo tabletop truck, goes. \$250.00. Tel.4844.4295

ABOUT OUR NEWSLETTER

Our Advertising Charges:

For Sale/Wanted	\$2.00	(maximum 3 lines)
Advertising	\$3.00	(business card size)
Quarter page advertisement	\$5.00	
Half page advertisement	\$10.00	
Full page advertisement	\$20.00	
Insert ready for inclusion	\$10.00	
Double page at discount	\$30.00	

All correspondence and money can be left in the "Bungonia Times" letterbox (the one with the yellow lid) outside the Brooks' home in Bungonia by 6pm on Wednesday, September 17th.

Please ensure that all contributions are received by this date.

For any late items, a fee will be charged at the rate of \$5 extra per item.

If anyone would like to have "The Bungonia Times" delivered to a Post Office Box or to ensure that it is delivered to a mail box, please send your mailing details to Pauline Dickson, "Netherfield", Lumley Road, Bungonia, 2580, with a cheque for \$12 to cover the cost of postage for a year. Please make the cheques payable to "Bungonia Times"

BUNGONIA BUSHFIRE RURAL BRIGADE

The AGM was held on 10th July and the new committee was elected as follows:

President: Pat Evans

Secretary: Cherie Jenkins

Treasurer: Vince Frost

Captain: Charlie Klein

Senior Deputy Captain: John Edwards

Deputy Captains: Bob Brooks Brian Latham
Vince Frost Arthur Davey
David Thompson

Auditor: David Thompson

Equipment Officers: Ray Dole John Edwards Carl Zmgslowski

Information Officer: Andy Smith

Training Officer: Bob Brooks

Catering Co-ordinator: Vacant – to be filled.

As you may see, the position of Catering Co-ordinator was not filled, if you would like to enquiry about this position, please contact one of the above officers. Food is really important to fire fighters and this job is not a particularly hard one. There are lots of helpers but no one to actually co-ordinate it. Please give it some thought!

NEXT MEETING 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1998

SEE YOU THERE !!!!!

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the Secretary's notes did not appear in the August issue. We apologise to Cherie and to the Brigade

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

2	Judith Dennelly
3	Jenny and Leanne Dole
6	Heath Dennelly
7	Hayley Thompson (5yrs)
10	Erin Slater (14 yrs)

LANDCARE



INVERARY CREEK LANDCARE UPDATE

SEPTEMBER 1998.

INVERARY CREEK LANDCARE GROUP...

GROWTH RATE AND SURVIVAL IN 1997 PLANTINGS OF P. RADIATA.

INVERARY TRIALS.

Trial blocks of approx 50 trees were planted to show the effect of weed control, mounding and fertilizing in P. radiata. The 1997-8 summer and autumn was quite severe really highlighting the importance of good ground preparation and weed control.

Grasses and weeds compete with young trees for nutrients and water. Trees deprived of these will show poor growth rate or die as many did in the dry summer. Fertilizing, while encouraging tree growth also favours the growth of competitive weeds, so without spraying will be ineffective. The comparison of mounded versus unmounded tree lines also show both the importance of water retention in the mounds and better weed control.

EFFECTS OF WEED CONTROL. (4.4gms of Macspread. Forest Mix Granules.)

PREPARATION	SPRAYED	NO WEED CONTROL
RIP AND MOUNDED	82.3	45.6
RIP ONLY	74.4	42.0
(ALL FERTILIZED)		
HEIGHT IN cms AT 12 MONTHS OF SURVIVORS.		

EFFECTS OF FERTILIZED.

All ripped, mounded and sprayed.

Height in cms at 12 months

FERTILIZED (150gms of STARTERPHOS) 80.9

NO FERTILIZER. 71.2.

The effects of fertilizer is not so dramatic as spraying, but will improve root growth so will show up more in 12 months.

The results are even more dramatic when considering survival rates.

EFFECTS OF WEED CONTROL AND MOUNDING (all fertilized).

RIP-MOUND-SPRAY	95% Survival.
RIP-MOUND	68% "
RIP-SPRAY	90% "
RIP ONLY- NO SPRAY.	45% "

The results dramatically show the importance of correct preparation and management for good results. The high survival and good growth rates of ripping - mounding and timely herbicide application was also proven in a larger plantation of 16000 where random survival counts exceed 95%.

All plants were locally produced cuttings.

Quite often there is criticism of trial results being shelved and not made available. Inverary landcare welcomes anyone to come and see the trials first hand. Contact K.M. Cooper. 02 48 444 214.