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DATES TO KEEP IN MIND

August 2000

4 th	Friday	Park Trust Meeting 7.30 pm
10 th	Thursday	CWA Meeting 10.00 am
11 th	Friday	Fire Brigade Meeting 7.30 pm
14 th	Monday	Progress Meeting 7.30 pm
21 st	Monday	Bungonia Times Deadline 12 noon

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Please ensure that all contributions are received by the above time and date. For late entries please contact Cherie Jenkins on 4822 4241.

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All Organisations fees are due on August 1, 2000.

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RAINFALL AND TEMPERATURE

June Temperature Minimum 0.05 Maximum 12
June Rainfall 54mm

BUNGONIA BUSHFIRE BRIGADE

Emergency Numbers: 4821 1914 Andy Smith: 4821 5009 or Bungonia Base

NEXT MEETING: Friday, 11th August, 2000 AGM 7.30 pm at the fire shed.

Contacts: **President** – Ian Maher 4844 4387 **Secretary** – Bob Atkinson 4841 1575
Captain – John Edwards 4821 5489 **Treasurer** Paul Bayliss 4844 4359

Captains Report

Not much to report this month, all has been quiet.

Remember to let your neighbours know if you are burning off.

John Edwards, Captain

The Bushfire Brigade will be holding their AGM on 11th August, 2000, if you would like to nominate someone for a position on the committee, please put it in writing and send it to Ian Maher, The President, Mountain Ash Road, Bungonia. Also we would love to see you at the meeting, new blood is needed!

Brigade Dance: The brigade will be holding a dance on Saturday night, September 30th (the long weekend) at the hall. Hopefully, you'll be able to come along. We are organising a live band and supper will be provided at a small cost. Put this date in your diary, its one not to miss.

PARK TRUST

President: Frank McGinity: 4844 4266 Secretary: Karen Fabri: 4844 4382
Treasurer: Diana Moran : 4844 4234

Next meeting Friday 4th August, 2000, 7.30 pm The AGM will be followed by an ordinary meeting.

Working bee on Saturday 15th. July: Work continued burning the old pine tree stumps

Tennis Courts: Karen Fabri 4844 4382

BUNGONIA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

President: Joe Leatherbarrow Secretary: Diana Moran 4844 4234
Treasurer: Narelle Walters 4844 7007 Hall Hire: Moira McGinity 4844 4266

NEXT MEETING: 7.30 pm Monday 14th August, 2000 at the Hall.

The AGM will be followed by an Ordinary Meeting.

Agenda:

A): We are being encouraged to celebrate 100 years of nationhood and some suggestions for discussion at the August meeting are.

1. A cricket match against Windellama on New Years Day in the Park (The half pitch is still there) followed by a sausage sizzle at the Hall. The bells are to be rung during the afternoon.
2. Extend Market Day on Easter Saturday to include maybe a Family & Local History Display and other activities involving other local organizations. This would not be on the scale of the "Back to Bungonia" week end.

B): The Recipe Book is nearing publication and it has been suggested that we have a Book Launch, maybe in December as a Christmas get together. Please come to the meeting and contribute your ideas.

Recipe Book: The second draft is being typed. After proof reading it will be ready for printing. I am sure everyone will want to buy a copy and details of cost and where available will be printed in the Bungonia Times.

Beautification Plan: We hope to do some landscaping around the Hall in the next couple of months so that tree planting can start.

Working Bee: A heap of branches and dead wood was burnt on the south side but the wind was too blustery to burn at the back of the Hall.

COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

President: Shirley Smith 4821 5606 Secretary: Ruth Dole 4844 7179
Treasurer & Publicity Officer: Colleen Cooper 4821 1856

NEXT MEETING: Thursday 10th August, 2000 10.00 am

Come along to our meeting in August and have a cuppa and a natta!

Colleen Cooper – Publicity Officer, CWA Bungonia

PATCHWORK & QUILTING CLASSES

Contacts: Pauline Dickson 4844 4202 or Cherie Jenkins 4822 4241

Every Monday at 9 am to 12 midday at the Bungonia Village Hall. If you would like to learn the art of patchwork and quilting, contact Pauline Dickson on 4844 4202 or Cherie Jenkins 4822 4241. We would like to welcome Gwen & Elizabeth to our group.

Classes are only \$2.00 (\$1.00 towards new books etc & \$1.00 towards our Christmas party) which helps pay for tea and coffee and if our teacher comes, we pay \$4.00 extra to help cover her travelling costs. Everyone is welcome, its great to meet each Monday morning and meet others from our community.

CHURCH NEWS

CHRIST CHURCH – BUNGONIA

Enquiries: Peter Dennelly 4822 4845
Cherie Jenkins 4822 4241
Minister: Rev Nick Hearnshaw 4821 4976

Keyboard: Judith Dennelly & Brad Griffiths

Next Communion Service Sunday 13th August, 2000

Communion is held every 2nd Sunday. There will be no church meeting on the 5th Sunday of the month as we all meet in at St Nicholas Church in Kinghorne Street Goulburn.

Group Study Sessions

Tuesday nights at 7.30 pm at Dawn & John Edwards home. Come along and enjoy a night with a difference. Phone Dawn for information 4821 5489 or Cherie 4822 4241.

GAS Group (Growth and Sharing)

Held at the Dennellys, contact Judith or Peter on 4822 4845.

August Cleaning and Flower Roster The Jessep Family

September Cleaning and Flower Roster: The Dennelly Family

ST. PATRICKS - MARULAN

Mass is celebrated at 4 pm every Sunday

Priest: Father Kevin Brannelly's absence on sick leave and Fr. Bateman will be acting Parish Priest at North Goulburn. 4821 1022

GARDENING IN AUGUST

Its time to begin preparing both flower and vegetable gardens for spring. If you have supplies of compost or any clean animal manure, dig it into the soil with generous handfuls of complete fertiliser and lime per metre. Growing vegetables and flowers can naturally be a drain on the soil, so for a successful and rewarding garden, make sure you have fertile soil.

This month you can sow carrot, parsnip, lettuce, asparagus crowns, rhubarb crowns, silver beet, onions and peas. You can also plant out seedlings of cabbage, lettuce, silver beet and onions.

You can put your petunia and phlox seeds in this month and seedlings that are available at your nurseries will come into flower quickly as the days get longer and warmer. Pansy, viola, stocks, snapdragons, aquilegia, carnations, dianthus, primula, dwarf sweet william, alyssum, poppies and larkspur.

Roses and fruit trees can still be pruned as well.,

Spray apple, pear, plum, quince and your roses with Winter Oil, this controls mite and scale.

If you have had trouble with black spot on apples and pear, roses or leaf curl on peaches and nectarine, spray with Lime Sulphur or Bordeaux. With peach and nectarine, make sure they are sprayed no later than pinking of the buds. If it is a wet season, you should spray these trees with Benlate which is a Systemic Fungicide.

BIRTHDAYS IN AUGUST

August

04	Ken Moran
07	Kate Farrugia & Warren Davey
08	Paul Bayliss
13	Dennis Jenkins (the BIG 50!)
18	Helen Allen
26	Dean Walters
27	Ray Dole Junior
30	Ray Dole Senior
31	Leon Moran

Wedding Anniversary: Cherie & Dennis Jenkins (29th)

Birthstone: Sardonyx (Conjugal Felicity)

Flower: Gladioli

LOCAL HISTORY

Eliza Champion is not someone whose name you will find in the history books, she did not hold an important official position as did Goderich or Bedford yet it is people like her who built our country.

She was born in Gloucester, England, in 1796. According to Arthur Miller, a family historian, she had a child or children (could have been twins -one boy and one girl deceased) to Henry de Bougher, a French Duke. She married William Champion in England and they migrated to Australia in 1841, Eliza was then 45. Her son, John de Bougher Gale, may have migrated earlier because again, according to Arthur Miller, John married Eliza Macdonald in 1838. They lived in the Goulburn/Bungonia district and had two children, William and Eliza. John had some connection with the Hope Inn and Eliza may have taken over the licence from him. John died in 1857 aged 44 and this must have been a terrible blow to Eliza.

Eliza Champion was licensee of the Hope Inn in 1856, 1857 and 1858. She died in 1863 aged 67 and is buried in the Bungonia cemetery (Section 6 Lot 58). It is not really clear if Gale was Eliza's maiden name or the surname of the father of her illegitimate twins. My guess is that Gale was Eliza's maiden name.

Eliza's many decedants lived in the district for many years, Hopkins and O'Neills, just to mention two families, Hopkins at Leakfield and O'Neills on the property now owned by Margaret and Arthur Davey.

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

FOR SALE

Electric Milking Machine, single stand, excellent working condition, \$800.00 ono
phone 4822 4241

Kelvinator Freezer, 700 litres, as new condition, \$700.00 phone 4822 4241

House in Goulburn, brick veneer, Tasmanian Oak Kitchen, 3 bedroom, landscaped yards,
close to schools. \$130,000.00 phone 4821 9986

FOUND

In Bungonia Village, female black whippet type dog and a male brown staffie type dog. If you have lost them or know who owns them, could you please phone Lorraine Brooks on 4844 4216. Thanks!

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

COUNCIL TIPPING FEES effective from July 1st, 2000 until June 30th 2001

All fees are GST inclusive:

Residents: <i>sorted waste</i>	\$2.50	Residents: <i>unsorted waste</i>	\$5.50
Cars, normal household garbage, (2x55) litre bins		Cars, normal household garbage, (2x55) litre bins	
Station Wagons, Panel Vans	\$3.00	Station Wagons, Panel Vans	\$8.50
Utes, trailers	\$5.50	Utes, trailers	\$11.00
1 tonne trucks	\$8.50	1 tonne trucks	\$16.50

Stolen Goods

If you have been approached recently to buy any of the following items, please contact Paul Kemp at Goulburn Police on 4841 1516 – stolen between 3rd & 7th July.

Silver Honda Accord Hatchback (un-reg)
Phillips VCR
Nintendo Player Plus Games
Blue Radio/Tape player with twin speakers
Kingray TV Booster
Small Tyre Compressor Pump
Spot light - hand held

The above items were stolen from a property in the close to the village.

FARM FORESTRY TRAINING

Nationally accredited training in

Pruning
Brushcutting
Basic Tree Falling
Chainsaw Operation
Managing Stand Health
Preparing & Implementing Plantation Establishment Plans
Plantation Establishment including Planting, Fertilizing & Controlling Weeds
From the Certificate II in Forest & Forest Products
(Forest Growing & Management) FPI 30199

At Inverary Creek Landcare Resource Center, Bungonia

Coming Courses

Manual & Mechanical Planting Saturday 19th August
Trim & Cross Cut Filled Trees Sat. 2nd – Sun. 3rd September

For further information or to book your place
contact Doug Werrin on 9361 6513

NSW Timber Industry Training Company



Fax: 9361 6907
ACN: 056 870 109



AUGUST REPORT**S.O.C.O.G. GOLD TREE.**

For anyone wondering why a lovely old snappy gum suddenly turned gold on Inverary Road. We have received a small grant from S.O.C.O.G. promoting the Green and Gold Olympic Games. The grants through out Australia are to both publicise the Olympics and future awareness of Landcare issues. The Gold tree is also entered into a State Wide competition --- I would like to thank our junior members, Melissa and Byron for painting the tree and themselves.

An official tree planting ceremony will be held at a field day on September 3rd. at 10.00 a.m. at Inverary, the guest of honor will be former Olympian, Lisa Lieschke of Goulburn, who represented Australia at Seoul Olympics. The field day will concentrate on the tree planting of a Green and Gold Wattle Grove, a trial of 10 selected species of Acacias with some commercial potential for the area.

We extend an official invitation to all Bungonia Organisations to be present at the field day and B.B.Q. lunch to follow at the Resource Centre. All guests are welcome. An R.S.V.P. please for catering. Please contact Beryl at 4844 4214 by the week before.

F.A.F.P.E.S.E. TRAINING COURSES.

Inverary Creek Landcare Group has initiated a training programme which I believe is a first for Landcare, certainly in this area. The initial course - 2 day module on basic chainsaw cross cutting and felling has already been held with 8 participants accredited. The courses have been organised by Doug Werrin, through TEMS (Training Education and Management Services)

Employing contractors can be a real problem for tree growers and plantation managers. It is often difficult to know the experience of contractors and indeed what training they have had unless you are lucky enough to get a personal recommendation.

From the contractors perspective it is difficult to demonstrate competency to potential clients and accredited vocational training in forestry is often difficult to access.

Doug Werrin of TEMS has at Inverary Creek Landcare has been concerned about this problem and hopes to be able to change it. Doug is coordinating the implementation of parts of the National Forest Industry Training Package for Southern Tablelands region. This training package, developed by the Forest and Forest Products Employment Skills Company (FAFPESC), is intended to provide Nationally Accredited vocational training for forestry workers.

Doug will work with locally qualified people to train contractors and tree growers themselves in a range of activities. To pass the modules participants will have to demonstrate a high level of competency in the field they are trained in. If they do pass an individual module they will receive a 'Statement of Attainment' and if they continue to do other modules will eventually be eligible for a Certificate or Diploma.

This will allow contractors to show potential clients their qualifications and for tree growers to know exactly what competencies the contractors possess.

For further information about the training package and other modules to be run please contact Doug Werrin on 02 9361 6513 (bh).

LIBRARY NEWS

CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK

With a theme of "The Edge of Tomorrow" Children's Book Week will be celebrated during the week of the 20 - 26 August. Children's Book Week is the one week of the year set aside to celebrate the quality and originality of Australian children's books their authors and illustrators.

Each year, books ranging from picture books to young adult fiction are sent in to the Australian Children's Book Council to be considered for the short list, which is announced in April. The short list comprises of twenty-four books in four categories, which range in style and subject matter.

The short list for 2000 is:

Book of the Year: Older Readers

- ◆ Killing Aurora by Helen Barnes
- ◆ 48 Shades of Brown by Nick Earls
- ◆ Borrowed Light by Anna Fienberg
- ◆ Stripes of the Sidestep Wolf by Sonya Hartnett
- ◆ Tyro by David McRobbie

Book of the Year: Younger Readers

- ◆ Graffiti on the Fence by Elaine Forrestal
- ◆ Hitler's Daughters by Jackie French
- ◆ Hannah and the Tomorrow Room by Libby Gleeson and illustrated by Ann James
- ◆ Hazel Green by Odo Hirsch
- ◆ Rowan and the Zebak by Emily Rodda
- ◆ Captain Mack by James Roy

Picture Book of the Year

- ◆ Buffy, An Adventure by Bob Graham
- ◆ The Great Bear by Libby Gleeson and illustrated by Armin Greder
- ◆ Luke's Way of Looking by Nadia Wheatley and illustrated by Matt Ottley
- ◆ Jenny Angel by Margaret Wild and illustrated by Anne Spudvilas
- ◆ Memorial by Gary Crew and illustrated by Shaun Tan
- ◆ Hello Baby by Jenni Overend and Julie Vivas

Eve Pownall Award for Information Books

- ◆ *Crash! The Search for the Stinson* by Katrina Allan, Dyan Blacklock and Jennifer Beck
- ◆ *How to Guzzle Your Garden* by Jackie French
- ◆ *Inside the Australian Ballet* by Diana Lawrenson
- ◆ *Fishing for Islands: Traditional Boats and Seafarers of the Pacific* by John Nicholson
- ◆ *Sand Swimmers* by Narelle Oliver
- ◆ *Tapestry* by Maria Pallotta-Chiarolli

All of these books are available for loan throughout the Southern Tablelands Regional Library. If the book you want to read is currently out on loan, ask a library staff member to show you how to place a reserve.

The Goulburn Branch Library's major celebratory event will be "Leaping of the Page" an infants and primary school show presented by the Australian Theatre of the Deaf. "Leaping of the Page" is designed to introduce young readers to the magical hidden words within books as they witness stories leaping off the page into three dimensional, vivacious and colourful performances. This magical event will take place at the library on Friday 25 August at 4:00pm. The cost is \$4.00 per child. Children will be supervised by library staff for the duration of the performance. Payment must be made at time of booking.

For further information contact the library on 4823 4435 during opening hours.

Rowena Gibb
Children's and Young Adults' Librarian