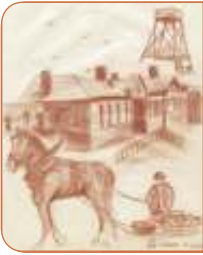


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## Editors' Note

*The town of Bright in north east Victoria is rightly renowned for its beautiful autumn colours. Although not as spectacular, Korumburra puts on an excellent autumn display. It is good to appreciate the beauty on our doorstep. Budding photographers might like to capture this year's splendour for next autumn's Burra Flyer front cover.*

*Don & Gail Patterson*



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## Milpara - Korumburra's Community House

### 21 Shellcot Road, Korumburra

Milpara Community House is a great place to meet people with similar interests and has a great variety of courses being

offered in Term 2. We are open Monday to Friday during school terms from 9.30am - 4.30pm, with friendly staff ready to welcome and help you.

Some of the courses you can rely on us offering each term are

- Reckon Accounts (QuickBooks),
- First Aid,
- Food Safety Levels 1 and 2,
- Responsible Service of Alcohol,
- Construction Induction,
- Computers for Beginners,
- Computers Beyond Basics,
- Excel Spreadsheets,
- English as a Second Language,
- Creative Writing
- Adult Literacy.

We also offer classes for those interested in Arts and Crafts and these include

- Beading Techniques,
- Painting and Drawing,
- Cake Decorating,
- Basket Weaving.

In **April** we will run *Cyber Safety for Seniors*, and also an Introduction to *Digital Literacy for Seniors*. This session is an important one with so many government services requiring online reporting and access to information.

Other sessions of interest are titled *Take Control of Your Power Bills* and *Recycling-what could and should be recycled?*

For the **business owner** interested in staffing matters, we are hosting Small Business Victoria workshops titled *Getting the Right Staff* on **24 March** and *Keeping the Right Staff* on **28 April**, and to assist in managing business more effectively, another session titled *Keeping Your Business on Track* will be offered in **May**.

For further information on what is happening, check the local newspaper columns for up and

coming events under Milpara Community House News or look out for our term program in your mail box.

Don't forget we are also a Centrelink and Medicare Agency.

For further information or to enrol in any activities please call 5655 2524, email [milpara@dcsi.net.au](mailto:milpara@dcsi.net.au) or check out our webpage at [www.milparacommunityhouse.org.au](http://www.milparacommunityhouse.org.au).

## Milpara Men's Shed

Milpara Men's Shed at Coal Creek has been operating since August 2011. It is open two days a week on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9.30am till 1.00pm.

On a typical Shed day you will find somewhere between 10 and 15 men pottering around in the shed working on a variety of projects. Several of our guys are making toys for their grandchildren and others get involved doing community projects. We have a couple of keen wood turners who make items that are sold through the shop at Coal Creek to raise funds for the Shed. There is also a group that use the green house at Coal Creek for gardening and plant propagation. Many of the guys are learning new skills they have not tried previously.

One of the benefits of belonging to the Shed is the sharing of skills and experience. If you get stuck doing something, there is always someone there to help, but by far the greatest benefit of belonging to the Shed is the "mateship" that has developed. We don't measure the success of the Shed in the output of things made but by the fact that men keep coming back to enjoy the company of other men in an environment that they are comfortable with. Some days the "output" from the Shed is measured more in the amount of talking done and coffee or tea that is drunk than things made.

So, if you'd like more information about the Shed just ring Milpara Community House: 5655 2524 or John on 0411 485 113 or better still, just come down to the Shed at Coal Creek on a Tuesday or Wednesday morning and see for yourself.



## Korumburra Playgroup

Korumburra Playgroup meets at Milpara Community House, 21 Shellcot Road, Korumburra every

Friday from 10am to 11.30am during school terms. Mums, dads, grandparents or carers with pre-school children are most welcome.

Playgroup is a great way to meet new people, have fun and share some quality time with your child.

Korumburra Playgroup has lots of puzzles, toys and activities to keep children from 0 to 6 years old entertained. We have a safe playground with lots of outdoor toys and ride-ons as well as a sandpit, slide and swings.

It costs just \$20 per year to be a member and \$4 per week plus a piece of fruit for morning tea.

For further information contact Jenni Keerie at Milpara Community House on 5655 2524.



## Korumburra Golf Club

Things are all abuzz at the Golf Club with golf well underway for the new season.

The inaugural Hackers Magazine 11th Annual Hackers Cup was played at the Dunes in January and we congratulate our very own Rod Spokes. Rod won the overall event and was presented with the coveted purple and lime Hacker Jacket. Congratulations too to Heather Grist who had the best women's score.

It was great to see so many new ladies giving golf a go at our recent Beginners' day which was a great success. We hope to see you at our clinics.

Our Men's Championships commenced on Saturday 21st February. We wish you all luck.

***We are currently offering Sunday Green Fee Specials during March, April and May.*** Visit our website or Facebook page for all the details.

Our course is starting to come back after maintenance works and coring/scarifying of greens. The very dry and humid conditions have slowed the process a little but recent rains should see an improvement. Thanks to our Greens' Staff and volunteers who are working so hard to improve our course.

Names are now being taken for this year's Footy Tipping Competition. Please see Steve Osboldstone to confirm your entry.

With many golf and social events proposed this year, keep up to date with what's happening at the Club by visiting our website [www.korumburragolf.com.au](http://www.korumburragolf.com.au) or "Like" us on Facebook and network with us.

Members are reminded that subs fall due on 31st March. Please collect your renewal notice from the Club.



## ANZAC Day 2015 is fast approaching

Saturday 25 April 2015 marks the centenary of the ANZAC landing.

To mark this day the Korumburra sub branch of the RSL is planning a special commemorative event.

To honour the memory of those service men who gave their lives in freedom's cause we are conducting a special ANZAC day service at the Korumburra Cenotaph.

**We will commence our dawn service at 5.45am on ANZAC morning.**

This service will include a Roll Call of the men listed on our Cenotaph and will conclude at approximately 8.00am.

Breakfast will be served in the Scout Hall following the conclusion of the service.

**An additional regular service will be conducted from 10.30am.**

*All most welcome to attend*

Please feel free to contact the Korumburra RSL, or phone.

Kevin Moon: 5655 1545,

Perry Neil: 5655 2119

Tony Moon: 5658 1231





## Korumburra Lions Club

Korumburra Lions have been busy catering at local events such as the Korumburra Swap Meet, and also at the Korumburra Show. Catering is a large fundraiser for the club and we thank all those who support us in working for our local community.

The Debutante ball, usually held in March each year, has been postponed to June to enable

students to attend other school activities. We look forward to holding this event at the Korumburra Recreation Centre on 5th June, more details to follow at a later date.

Lions' business meetings are held every second Monday of the month at the RSL hall at 7.30pm. All those interested in joining Lions are welcome to attend a meeting, stay and have a cuppa and a chit chat afterwards.

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## Korumburra and District Historical Society

Did you see the historical display at the Korumburra Show featuring a history of the Show Girl competition? Thank you to Sue Ritchie for all that she did to get the display together.

Thank you, too, to Tony and Andrew Moon for putting together the display on the work they are doing in recording the lives of those who lost their lives in WW1 and WW2. They are hoping to have their work completed in time to have a publication available for Anzac Day.

There is one more project underway too, that of finding the locations of all the honour boards in the former Shire of South Gippsland, and from these the Society is working to put together a comprehensive listing of all those who served in WW1. These boards contain, in the main, just

the initials of those who served, and to arrive at a comprehensive listing it is necessary to find the Christian names of those listed - quite a task - and the Society is asking for assistance with those names and the locations of honour boards. Contact Secretary, Janet Wilson (5657 2267) if you can assist the Society with this project.

***Meetings of the Society are held on the first Thursday of each month, in the rooms in King Street, Korumburra. New members would be most welcome.***

There are workshop afternoons held each Tuesday afternoon from 1.30 pm. You might like to call in on a Tuesday afternoon to see what is happening, or to come along to a meeting. A warm welcome is assured.

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## Coal Creek Probus

Would you like to meet other people in your local community?

Semi-retired or retired - it doesn't matter; come along and join the fun. Our club is 11 years young and we have many varied activities: dine-out club, writing group, book exchange and tours; these are just a few of the interesting things we do.

In November we had a great day at Flemington enjoying the beautiful roses. Early in December many of our members went on a very enjoyable trip to Tasmania and later in the month we had our Christmas function at Inverloch. In January

we were back at Flemington again to see Cirque du Soleil and in February we went on the popular Tramboat again. In April we head off to Queensland.

Maybe you have a special interest you would like to share with others? We would like to invite you to come along and see what Probus is all about - enjoying fellowship with like-minded people.

Our meetings are held every 3rd Tuesday of the month, commencing at 10 am at the COAL CREEK GALLERY.

President: Margaret Issell 5655 2514

Secretary: Cheryl Routley 5658 1074

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## South Gippsland/Bass Ostomy Social Club

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Four ecological environments - wet forest, dry forest, marshland and riparian forest - feature a variety of flora and fauna including many birds, three types of bat, wallabies, koalas, wombats, Greenhood Orchids and other rare plant species.

Clear paths meander through the reserve with 13 points of interest along the way to explain special features of the environment around you. At several places podcasts are available to give even more information.

Picnic tables exist throughout the park with barbecue and toilet facilities on the northern edge of the park next to the tennis courts which are open to the public.

### 'Spotto' is back!

2nd Korumburra Scout Group is currently raising funds to continue to renovate the Scout Hall and assist Scouts to go to the Australian Jamboree.

20 local businesses in the main street have something in their window that you would not buy in that shop.

#### *What do YOU do?*

Anyone 15 years and under can enter. Just purchase a \$2.00 entry card from the following businesses:

- Jenny's 'Picture this Framed'
- Korumburra Video Shop
- Korumburra 'Thrifty Link' Hardware

#### *Winners will be announced at*

2nd Korumburra Scout Hall, Queen St

**1 pm on March 14th**

at our **LEGO Display & Car Boot Sale.**

*Good Prizes to be won!*

For further information: Shirley – 5655 2273



### World Day of Prayer



**Friday 6th March  
at 7.30 pm**

**Anglican Church Parish Hall,  
Bridge Street Korumburra**

***Guest speaker: Richard Collyer***

***Local artists Terry Lay & Phil Beggs will  
entertain in a café style setting***

***Supper provided***

***All are most welcome.***

World Day of Prayer is a worldwide movement of Christians of all traditions who come together to pray on the first Friday of March each year.

More than three million people in over 170 countries join in. The service this year has been written by the World Day of Prayer Committee in **the Bahamas.**

Come and celebrate our unity in Christ and our diversity of culture.

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15th August for September Issue

15th November for December Issue



**Saturday 21st &  
Sunday 22nd March**

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South Gippsland  
Highway, Nyora  
(opposite Lang Lang  
Golf course)

*see page 11 opposite  
for full details*

## COAL CREEK

**It's Time....  
to revisit Coal  
Creek today!**

***Free Entry - Bring the family and enjoy a picnic  
New Craft Market for Coal Creek***

Come and enjoy the relaxed atmosphere of the new Coal Creek Craft Market, Stroll amongst the wonderful craft stalls dotted around the village. ***1st Market will be on Saturday April 11th, 10am to 2pm.*** Expressions of interest are invited from stall holders. The craft market will be held on the second Saturday of each month. Please leave a message for Karen Wolswinkel on 5655 1811.

### **What's that?**

This carriage was built for Mr W Rainbow of Moyarra. It was made in Korumburra by Boston's Carriage Works. This type of carriage is called a horse drawn jinker. This particular jinker would have been used as transportation for Mr Rainbow and his family.



The Boston family's story is one of the stories highlighted by a new tablet application that will be available soon. The application will guide you around the museum and give you a further insight into some of the personalities who made up early Coal Creek and Korumburra.

### **Education update**

Coal Creek Education programs are all set for another school year and is welcoming bookings for our programs. We have also been successful in gaining funding from the Victorian Government to run a local history program for students. We also have funding to run professional development sessions on local history in the curriculum for Primary Teachers over the next three years. If schools want to be involved in a program to learn about our ANZAC History at Coal Creek, please contact Emma [education@southgippsland.vic.gov.au](mailto:education@southgippsland.vic.gov.au)





## Korumburra Working Horse & Tractor Rally

The Korumburra Working Horse & Tractor Rally will be held on **21st & 22nd March 2015** commencing at 10am each day at the Rally site on South Gippsland Highway, Nyora.

The Rally theme this year is *Military* and the colour is green.

A great range of vintage tractors, stationary engines and steam engines will be on display with activities including tractor pull, whip cracking, Clydesdale horses working in the paddocks, sheep shearing and working dogs. Some earth moving equipment and a couple of modified Army tanks will be demonstrating

their skills. The South Gippsland Woodworkers will share their wide variety of skills including pyrography (using a burning tool to create pictures on wood). There will also be wood cutter demonstrations.

Also enjoy the usual food and craft stalls, historical displays and pioneer skills. Families love to see how farming was done in the early days in South Gippsland.

Do come along, you will not be disappointed. Free parking.

Admission: Adults \$12.00  
under 16 free

No alcohol & no dogs allowed.

Further information: Peter 0438 574 216



## Rotary Club of Korumburra

Last year the Rotary Club of Korumburra formed the Robyn Holmes Foundation to support education within the local community.

Recently, grants were awarded to Julia Boys and Meg Macri to commence their tertiary training in Melbourne. Julia and Meg both completed their VCE at Korumburra Secondary College last year. Julia is commencing a double degree in Arts and Law at Swinburne University in Hawthorn. Meg is also beginning a double degree, in Law and Criminology at Deakin University at Burwood. Congratulations are extended to both students from all members.

Nominations are now being called for applications for grants from the Robyn Holmes Foundation. Criteria used for awarding grants:

- Priority will be given to applicants residing within the "old" Shire of Korumburra boundary
- Grants will be used to support education within the local community
- Education, broadly speaking, will encompass kindergarten to tertiary, including all trades
- Grants can be awarded to include the provision of special equipment required for educational purposes
- Grant recipients must be prepared to report back to the Rotary Club of Korumburra as to the use of the funds and how it has assisted the recipients.

The Grant Application Form can be obtained by emailing the Rotary Club Secretary at [korumburra\\_rotary@bigpond.com](mailto:korumburra_rotary@bigpond.com) Applications close on March 31st, 2015.

**Rotary are looking for new members.** If you would like to get involved in local and international activities to assist people in need then please come along to any meeting, held weekly at the Austral Hotel, commencing at 6.45pm. Some of our current activities are:

1. Eradication of polio worldwide.
2. Life Education - motivating and encouraging young people to make smart, healthy life choices.
3. Gippsland Rotary Centenary House - an affordable, comfortable, supportive and secure accommodation facility for patients and their families attending the Cancer Care Centre at the Latrobe Regional Hospital.
4. Disaster Aid Australia - providing shelter, warmth and comfort to people around the world who have been left homeless after natural disasters and wars.
5. The Robyn Holmes Foundation - offering grants to inspire and support children, youth and families, especially in the local community.
6. The Sunbeam Mine Walking Track - development and upkeep of this walking track from Ivy O'Neill Park to Ritchie's Reserve.

If you are interested in joining us, please contact President George Auddino on 0417 311 942.



## Korumburra Red Cross

Members of Korumburra Red Cross conducted a tin rattle at the election held in November where \$511 was collected. Thank you again to our very generous public.

Christmas lunch was enjoyed at the Middle Hotel. Marion Humphrey donated a fruit cake which was raffled raising \$36 and was won by Faye Loughridge. A one day raffle was held at IGA raising \$250. Mardi Abbott won the rose and Hilda Glover won the toiletries. \$1,300 has been forwarded to headquarters.

**March is Red Cross Calling month** so we will be accepting donations at IGA on Wednesday 4th, Thursday 13th, Thursday 19th, and Friday 27th March. Please help us to continue the work of Red Cross throughout Australia and the world.

Our Red Cross Centenary rose is blooming nicely in the side garden (Victoria Street side) of the Senior Citizens Centre. Thank you to Cr. Bob Newton for placing the plaque block for us. There are two plaques, the explanation is as follows:-

The Red Cross rose was planted to celebrate 100 years of Red Cross in Australia along with a plaque to dedicate this year.

The other plaque reads 'Red Cross Centenary 1859-1959' to commemorate the founding of Red Cross by Henri Dunant.

Our records show in the June 1959 minutes a motion which reads:

'Moved Mrs. Lyons, Seconded Mrs. Brookes that a Golden Cyprus be purchased to plant for our Centenary Celebration tree. Permission has been received from the Council for this tree to be planted in Guys Road.'

Council minutes recorded in May 1959:

Greaves/Canobio - permission for Red Cross to plant a tree in International Avenue, Bridge Street, to commemorate their centenary.

These statements seem to differ a little. It seems the Cyprus died and the plaque was placed on a tree near the Recreation Centre in the 1980s.

In 2008 a lady walking her dog noticed the plaque embedded in the bark of the tree and reported it to a Red Cross member. The plaque was removed but then misplaced for a period of time.

Eventually the plaque was acquired by the Red Cross and is now displayed with the rose plaque outside the Senior Citizens Centre (*see photo page 13 opposite*).



## SOUTH GIPPSLAND TOURIST RAILWAY celebrates 20 years

On December 26th last year SGR celebrated 20 years of operation. A special train was run on the day with holiday makers, locals and members joining the train at Korumburra. We look forward to many more years of providing an enjoyable heritage rail experience to visitors and members of the local community.

SGR's small number of volunteers is perhaps our greatest asset but it is also the cause of much worry as without some reasonable growth in numbers the organisation will find it more and more difficult to survive. Within the membership there is a dedicated group working to restore two ABU passenger carriages and the Diesel Electric Rail Motor (DERM) 51 RM. With lots of work and a fair bit of luck thrown in it

is SGR's hope to have both these projects completed in the coming months.

The picture on page 13 opposite, taken by Mark Banfield, shows the ABUs in the yard at Korumburra in 2014. Work continues on both carriages in the Carriage Shed.

If you are interested in railway preservation and would like to use your skills or gain new skills please make yourself known to a member at Korumburra Station. Or alternatively telephone 5658 1111 or send us an email at [info@sgr.org.au](mailto:info@sgr.org.au)

For details of Train Running Times, Special Events, Dream Come True packages and Charters, please refer to our website: [www.sgr.org.au](http://www.sgr.org.au)



Red Cross rose with centenary plaques (see article p 12)



## South Gippsland Tourist Railway



Volunteers working on the carriages in the yards at Korumburra (see article on page 12 opposite)

What's happening in Korumburra on the weekend?  
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## **Korumburra CWA**

The Korumburra CWA recently held a High Tea at the home of Treasurer Mrs June Scott. More than 40 members attended and a great time was had by all.

We meet at Milpara House on the 4th Friday of the month. New members welcome.

President: Mrs Dot Parr 5655 2004

Secretary: Mrs Norma Head 5655 1717



Burra Flyer distributor Vince Sgarioto received a certificate at the South Gippsland Shire Council Australia Day Awards, 2015

*(Photo left)  
Cups and  
Saucers all ready  
to serve at  
Korumburra  
CWA's recent  
High Tea.*

## Korumburra Swimming Club



### Korumburra Swimming Club Committee

The Korumburra Swimming Club Committee operates the Indoor Heated Pool and the Korumburra Swimming Squad. The Committee's office bearers for 2015 are: President Davin Nicholas, Secretary Susan Blogg, Treasurer Maureen Trewin and Assistant Treasurer Noelene Cosson.

### Korumburra Indoor Pool

The Korumburra Indoor Pool is managed by this volunteer committee as a private facility.

**Rehabilitation and Self-Help Sessions** are available for anyone who requires rehabilitation from injuries, accidents or medical conditions. These sessions are held on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1.30 to 3.00 pm at a cost of \$2 per session.

**Children's swimming lessons** are available at the pool. For water babies and pre-school lessons contact Kaye Tipping on 5657 3317.

For school age lessons contact Colette Pearl on 0417 058 154.

Bookings can also be made for private swimming sessions. Phone the message bank on 5655 1681.

### Korumburra Swimming Squad

Korumburra's Swimming Squad – the Burracudas – are well into the summer carnival season. Training is held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 5.45 - 7.00 pm at the Korumburra Outdoor Pool. Participation in the squad offers members the chance to refine their swimming technique to participate in competitive swimming.

The Burracudas have more than 40 current members, from age 7 to adult, who compete in swimming carnivals throughout February and March. Carnivals are held in Wonthaggi, Phillip Island, Toora, Mirboo North, Leongatha and Korumburra.

For information on the swimming squad please contact the Squad Manager Lesley Turton on 0418 547 323.

### MS Family and Friends Day 2015

**Sunday May 3rd,**

**11.30am to 4.00pm**

**Korumburra show grounds complex**



*Help support people living with MS*

Raffle - Devonshire Tea - Auctions

Handball comp - Sausage Sizzle

CFA display - Guessing Games

Candle stall - MS ribbon merchandise

Door prize for a lucky winner

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All profits from the day are donated to

MS Australia.

Enquiries - Phill Dempster 0490 132 623

### Korumburra Senior Citizens

*Situated at the cnr of  
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For anyone 55 years and over.

Luncheons are held on 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month. Meal consists of Main course, dessert, tea & coffee \$10

Coffee Morning: Last Thursday of each month. Enjoy morning tea plus prizes and either a guest speaker or music.

Bingo every Tuesday at 1.30 pm. Come along and try your luck.

Bias Bowls - gentle exercises, such a friendly atmosphere, Saturday at 1.30 pm. Contact Margaret Jones on 5655 2195.

The hall is also available for hire for minimal cost.

For further information contact the President, Joy Anderson on 5655 1143.



# What's On at Korumburra Library – Autumn 2015



## 'Tech Savvy Seniors'

Our libraries will run 76 'Tech Savvy Seniors' sessions until June 2015. Bookings free but essential. To book please contact Korumburra library: 5655 1105. Alternatively you can book

online at: [www.wgrlc.eventbrite.com.au](http://www.wgrlc.eventbrite.com.au)

Topics include: cyber safety, social media, email, sharing photos and attachments, online shopping, and online banking and bill payments.

## School Holiday Fun: Knights, Dragons, Kings & Queens

Step back in time and enjoy some medieval madness with this FREE show by Carp Productions.

Thursday, 2 April, 2.30 - 3.15pm

Korumburra Library

Bookings free but essential.

## Baby Friendly "Between the Covers"

These 'Baby-friendly-Between-the-Covers' sessions are especially for parents of young babies. If you are beginning to feel like you may never get out of the house or read a book again in your life, your library may have the solution! We will share some great new reads with you and introduce you to our eBook and eMagazine collections. Your baby will enjoy some fun rhymes and songs with our trained staff while you relax.

Wednesday 22 April, 10.30am

Leongatha Library. Bookings not required.

## Living Language: The early years 0-2 years

A special 5 week program for babies and toddlers to help them learn language through songs, rhymes and play! Each week we focus on a theme like bath time or waiting - a fun, social way for children to learn. Older siblings welcome. Come

along earlier for a cuppa and chat.

Weekly on Thursdays

5, 12, 19, 26 March & 2 April

Leongatha Library, 11am - 12pm

## Lego Club

5-12 years

Join in with the Lego Club as we take over the library with Lego!

Leongatha Library, Thursdays 4pm

5 March, 2 April & 7 May

## Interfaith Seminar

Do you have a question about Islam or the Church of Latter-Day Saints? This forum aims to promote respect and understanding of different faiths through conversation.

Tuesday 21 April 7 - 9pm

Leongatha Library

Bookings free but essential.

## Book Talk

Writing is so personal, how do you finish someone else's book for them? Join Abbas Mehran who completed his daughter's novel 'The Margaret Thatcher School of Beauty'.

Wednesday, 18 March, 10.30 - 11.30am

Leongatha Library

Bookings free but essential

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## Poowong Library

### Poowong Library hours:

Thursday 3.30 – 5.30

Friday 11 – 12.30 1.30 – 4.30

Phone: 5659 2349

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## Nyora Mobile Library

The mobile library visits Nyora every second Saturday in Mitchell Street opposite the General Store from 10.15 am – 12.45 pm.

Coming dates:

March 14th, 28th,

April 11th, (no library on 25th)

May 9th, 23rd

## Korumburra Library hours

Monday - Thursday 10.00 am - 5.30 pm

Friday closed

Saturday 10 am - 12 noon

Phone/Fax: 5655 1105



## South Gippsland Concert Band

Following an extremely hectic Festive Season as well as performances on Australia Day and at "Music for the People" at Mossvale Park at the end of February, we now take a short breather and begin work on a fresh repertoire from our extensive Music Library.

### BAND MANAGER REQUIRED

Do you have a little spare time available? Would you like to be part of a small group of music making folk of all ages? At our AGM in April we will be needing a non-playing Manager for South Gippsland Concert Band. You do not have to be a musician, just have a love of music, and the chance to be part of a small group of dedicated musicians.

Your main task is to ease the load on our Conductor Eric and attend rehearsals on Monday nights. Along the way you need to liaise with Coal Creek management, keep accurate records of players, ensure they are kept up-to-date with memos through our webmaster,

oversee transportation of equipment to venues, and in general be a fantastic "back-stop". For more information please phone either President Greg on 5674 5506 (a.h.) or Em on 5655 1767. Our email address is [admin@sgconband.net](mailto:admin@sgconband.net) and website [www.sgconband.net](http://www.sgconband.net)

As is usual at this time of year a number of our players have had to relocate for either employment or study, leaving a few vacancies. Do you wish to return to music after a break? Are you new to the area and wish to keep up your musical skills? Have always wanted to learn a musical instrument and decided that 'it's your New Year's Resolution' ? We would love to hear from you and offer loads of assistance to help get you started.

You can contact us by email at [admin@sgconband.net](mailto:admin@sgconband.net) or by phoning Em on 5655 1767.

Our website [www.sgconband.net](http://www.sgconband.net) will keep you up to date with our happenings.



## South Gippsland Shire Brass Band

### Attention musicians and music lovers



The Band has recently enjoyed performing at Australia Day ceremonies at Leongatha and Pound Creek as well as at "Music for the People" at Mossvale Park in February.

**The next performance is at the Toora Post Office Centenary celebrations on Sunday 15th March.** This promises to be an excellent day so we would love to see you there.

The Band always welcomes new members of different age groups. (Age is no barrier).

Perhaps you have just moved into the area, can play a brass instrument, or just want to learn. (Present and former members of the South Gippsland Schools Music Programme would be most welcome).

We play a wide variety of music from classics to pop.

We have a modest membership fee, and supply instruments and uniform.

If you just enjoy music and would like to come along and listen, or play, you would be most welcome. Rehearsals are on Wednesday evenings at 7.30pm at the Leongatha Courthouse, or contact Darryl Hunt on 5662 3623. You can also look us up on Facebook.

### Friends of the South Gippsland Shire Brass Band.

If you would like to become a member of Friends of the Band, and receive first preference and discount on concert tickets, please send your details to PO Box 57, Leongatha, 3953.

### CrossFit Korumburra

Free CrossFit Workout every Saturday 9.00 am at the Korumburra Showgrounds Exhibit Pavilion. Sessions also available on weekdays by appointment.

Contact Simon on 0438 568 861

## Korumburra Horticultural Society



The Autumn leaves. Well, they are not here yet but what a bounty when they arrive. The times have passed when you could see and smell piles of them being burned in backyards or even in the street. I always felt that was a waste of a useful resource. These days we use our Autumn leaves as mulch, piling them as much as 150cm deep around trees and shrubs to deter weeds and hold moisture. As they decay they make a valuable soil improver. All of this just for the easy task of raking them up.

It is not too late to take cuttings for propagation, an excellent way to get free plants to plant out or swap with friends. This can be done with many popular garden shrubs. A useful tip I learned recently is to select the piece you want for a cutting and find the highest point up the stem at which it will snap in half. This is the piece you want. Cut it cleanly just below a node on the stem. If you haven't tried it, possibly the easiest is with pelargoniums, commonly known as geraniums. Just take a piece of this year's growth about 100 to 150mm long that is starting to harden up and pop it into some propagating mix or potting mix, after removing most of the leaves, leaving two or three but cutting off about half of each. You can use cutting powder as a growth stimulant but it isn't essential. I use honey on plants such as Rhododendrons, which are slower to strike, as it helps prevent infections. Keep them in a shady spot and keep them moist until they strike, which may be a few weeks or maybe a few months. Then treat them as any other small plant.



Autumn is harvest time too. We are getting lots of vegies which, if we can't use them now, are frozen or preserved. Corn, beans, tomatoes, potatoes plus lots more. Our tomatoes this year we reckon have been our best flavour ever. At the time of writing we

have only had Mighty Reds so far. The Grosse Lisse and KY1s will follow later. The spuds are magnificent. Dutch Cream, Snow Gem and Red Norland were our choices this year and they have all been just great.

If you are interested in gardening and want to meet others with a similar interest, why not come along to one of our monthly meetings. These are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 1.30pm in the meeting room at Coal Creek. We are a friendly lot. It is usual to have a guest speaker or a garden visit and complimentary afternoon tea is provided. For further information, please contact Ron or Carole Davis on 5655 2652.

### COME AND PLAY SOCCER!!



Players of all ages and abilities are invited to come and play soccer at:

**KORUMBURRA CITY Soccer Club**

We're very excited about the new season ahead - the club and the league are growing every year and there's a real buzz around the game in the aftermath of Australia's win in the Asian Cup.

We have just had our registration day so you are not too late to register via our new online registration system.

We have teams ranging from small-sided girls and boys through to Men's and Women's Seniors playing in the South Gippsland League. New players are always welcome.

Korumburra City SC is a family-friendly club and a great environment to learn the game in. Bring the kids along, get fit and have fun!!

For more information call

Leanne on 5657 3117.

You can also find us on Facebook.

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## Korumburra Rocks

*Where do the commemorative rocks around Korumburra come from?*



Past issues of The Burra Flyer have featured a couple of large commemorative rocks but Korumburra is not renowned for any rocky outcrops so where do they come from? Bob Newton is one of the main "culprits". He has collected rocks from the property of John Little and



delivered them to Lancey Lookout, Ivy O'Neill Park (with help from the Shire) and the site of the Kilcunda Road State School. Alan Perks' property provided the rock that Bob delivered to Newton Park in Inverloch. No, Bob is not interested in any deliveries to home gardens!

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## Coal Creek Farmers' Market

*Fresh faces, tunes and local flavours at the market*



The Coal Creek Farmers' Market continues to be a mecca for the things that make South Gippsland wonderful. The hard working and passionate growers, makers, bakers and farmers bring their bountiful produce down to the market in the wee small hours ready for shoppers to enjoy - rain, hail or scorching! The caring community of like-minded food lovers has been working hard behind the scenes to create a special place to meet and eat on the second Saturday of every month.

One of those people is Korumburra local Elizabeth Collins who has taken on the busy and varied role as Market Manager. She brings with her a decade of experience in running the Melbourne Design Market, twice yearly, at Federation Square, which has over 50 stalls and considerable infrastructure. You'll still see Chris

around, but probably more in a shopping and chatting capacity, although she's staying on as a committee member so she'll still be a part of the action.

The Community Stage has been graced by a diverse mix of entertaining and delicious presenters including most recently Leslie from Jindi Farm Bush Food. The Pop Corn chicken was a big hit. Another flavour sensation is getting taste buds talking with Graham's Homemade Gourmet Pestos.

A must-do on market day is to say hi to Meredith and Gill at the Grow Lightly Food Hub just next to the playground. They used to have a stall but have moved into permanent digs. They have fresh fruit and vegetables grown in Gippsland using sustainable organic methods along with biscuits and preserves, home-made muesli, berries, eggs, olive oil and local nuts.

And to make shopping even more delightful, cool tunes can be heard as you wander around. The beautiful tones of Bec Archibald and guitarist Danni added some smooth atmosphere recently and other local musicians will swing by over the coming months. Keep an eye out on Facebook for what's fresh and exciting, or just head down on the day for a very pleasant surprise. Market starts at 8am and goes until 12.30pm at the Coal Creek car park Korumburra. See you there.



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## 2nd K'burra Scouts

*At the Australia Day ceremony, Loch  
Awaiting the arrival of the  
flag (left)*

*Saluting the flag (below)*



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## 2nd Korumburra Scout Group

The Scout Hall in Korumburra is a hive of activity with the start of Term 1. All Sections: Joey Scouts (5-8yrs), Cub Scouts (8-11yrs), and Scouts (11 – 15 yrs) commenced the Term with water activities and games. It was great to see new members joining all the returning members from last year.

We started our program on Australia Day as part of the proceedings at the Loch Rec Reserve...see photo on page 22.

Outdoors, environment and water will be the main themes for Term 1.

- **Scouts** will be raft building in preparation for the annual Water Day at Walkerville South. They will also be preparing for a mountain bike camp.
- **Cub Scouts** will be busily getting their racing crafts and camp gear ready for their beach camp, and Water Day at Walkerville South.
- **Joey Scouts** will also be hard at work preparing for a fun day at the beach at Walkerville South.

2015 is also a year of great achievement in Scouting: **25 years since Joey Scouting began.** Congratulations! There will be various activities happening throughout the year to mark this historic milestone in Scouting.

Other exciting news is that, with the generous support from some local Service Clubs, we have

finally been able to commence stage one of renovations to (Y)our Scout Hall with the outside of the building being painted. We look forward to continued support from the community and hopefully before too long (Y)our Hall will be in great condition for the use of (Y)our Community and young people.

As part of the fundraising to help finance the renovations we are currently running a 'Spotto' competition in the main street of Korumburra. 20 local businesses are supporting this competition. Great Prizes are on offer.

- Entry is open to those up to 15 years of age only.
- Competition opened on Feb 10th, and closes March 14th, 2015.
- Entry is \$2.00 per entrant/sheet.
- Entry forms can be purchased from:
  - ★ Jenny's Picture this Framed
  - ★ Korumburra Video Shop
  - ★ Korumburra "Thrifty Link" Hardware

Feel free to visit any of our sections during our meeting times.

For further information please contact the Section Leaders:

**Joey Scouts:** Michael 5659 2122

**Cub Scouts:** Helen 5657 7327 or Heidi 5655 2326

**Scouts:** Belinda 5659 4339

**General:** Shirley 5655 2273

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## Jumbunna Bush Market

On the 1st Sunday of the month the Jumbunna Bush Market is held in the local hall on Cruickshank Road, Jumbunna. It runs from 9.00am until 1.00pm.

For anyone in South Gippsland it is a pleasant Sunday drive to Jumbunna. There is a variety of stalls with mostly home grown and home made goods for sale, as well as an array of plants and crafts.

What's more they are always looking for more stallholders for their large hall. **A very nominal fee is charged (\$6.00) for a market with all stalls under cover.** As it is undercover it doesn't matter what our weather is like, whether it is hot or raining there is shelter from the elements.

There are delicious homemade cakes and sandwiches to have with a "cuppa" at the most reasonable price around in our community. Why not go for a picturesque drive and have a cuppa or if you are a late starter on Sundays, a sausage for lunch, or even breakfast.



For the book worm who does not rely on the computer there are plenty of books for sale.

All proceeds from the Bush Market go back into the Hall Funds for ongoing maintenance.

For more details contact Dawn on 5657 3253 or Brian on 5657 3261.



## Korumburra Anglican Parish

Rector: Reverend Jenny Ramage. Phone: 5655 1007 or 0407 369 486

### What's On

#### Youth Group:

Wednesday 3.30 – 5.30pm. Grade 5 up during school term.

We have Xbox, playstation and WII games, activities and theme nights. Come and see.

#### Community Kitchen

3rd Friday of each month, 10am to 12.30pm

Have lots of fun choosing a menu, cooking and eating together. Please come and join us.

#### Creative Art for heart

1st & 3rd Friday afternoons of the month from 1pm to 4pm in the meeting room under the parish hall.

Gather to chat and bring your unfinished creative work to do – show and tell – sharing our talents with each other. Please come and join us for coffee and a chat as we complete our projects, plan excursions to the local coffee shops, shopping tours and dream of others to do.

#### MEDITATION:

Take time out to “just be” on the 4th Thursday of the month, 9.30am to 10am.

*See page 26 for Event Dates for your Diary.*

#### Easter Service Times:

**2nd April Maundy Thursday:**

7.30pm. Korumburra

**3rd April Good Friday**

9.30am, St Paul's Korumburra

**5th April Easter day**

8am: All Saints Poowong

9.30am, St Paul's Korumburra



#### Church Service Times:

**1st Sunday of the month:**

St. Paul's, Korumburra:

8.00 am: Holy Communion

9.30 am: Prayer, Praise and Proclamation

**3rd Sunday**

9.30 am: St. Paul's, Holy Communion

**2nd and 4th Sunday:**

9.30 am: St. Paul's, Holy Communion.

11.00 am: Poowong, Holy Communion

**5th Sunday:**

9.30 am: St. Paul's, Parish Worship

**Mondays:** 7.30 pm: Holy Communion

**Wednesdays:** 11.30 am: Prayer for Healing and Holy Communion, St. Paul's.

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## St Joseph's Catholic Parish

St Joseph's Church, Guys Road, Korumburra. St Vincent's Church, Victoria Street, Loch.

Parish Priest: Fr Peter Kooloos

Presbytery: 31 Ogilvy Street, Leongatha.

PO Box 166, Leongatha. 3953

Phone: 5662 2020

St Joseph's Parish Office & Walsh Parish

Centre: 2 Guys Road Korumburra,

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Office hours Mondays, 9 am – 5 pm

Parish Secretary, Colleen Peterson

Ph: 5655 1862

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Email: stjoeskor@vtown.com.au

#### Weekend Mass Times:

**Korumburra** Sunday at 9.30 am

**Loch:** 5 pm (6 pm daylight saving)

#### Weekday Mass Time:

Thursday, Walsh Parish Centre Chapel, 9.45am

#### Holy Week Mass & Reconciliation Times

**Holy Thursday, 2nd April**

Korumburra, 7.30 p.m.

Mass of the Lord's Supper

**Good Friday, 3rd April**

Korumburra, 2.30 p.m.

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion

Loch, 10.00 a.m.

Ecumenical Stations of the Cross

**Easter Vigil, 4th April**

Korumburra, 7.30 p.m.

**Easter Sunday, 5th April**

Loch, 11.00 a.m.

#### Reconciliation

Korumburra after Mass on Holy Thursday and the Ceremonies on Good Friday.

## **Korumburra Uniting Church** *Bridge Street, Korumburra*

“**Just Harmony**” an 18 member Berwick-based choir, will perform for a **concert at Korumburra Uniting Church at 2.00 pm on 8th March**. Cost per person is \$10. Funds raised will go to a Methodist Church project in Sri Lanka to help children who have been injured in the civil war there get back to the schooling that has been denied them while living as refugees. Marion Stephens has been the director of this group for the past 17 years, and the accompanist is Annette McMaster a singing and piano teacher. Marion's husband is the MC at the group's concerts. Many people will know these names, and recognise a wonderful opportunity to share in the delightful music the group creates. The choir provides four part harmony and a wide variety of secular and sacred songs. This will be a wonderful concert, so please join with us and enjoy a lovely musical afternoon.

Plans are underway to celebrate the **40th anniversary of the opening of the present building in Korumburra** on 19th April, with worship to be timed later on that day, and followed by a luncheon. A second musical

afternoon is to take place on **June 28th**, with the return to Korumburra of the group which brought us a wonderful **Gilbert and Sullivan concert** in mid 2014.

### **Easter Services:**

**Good Friday:** Korumburra at 9.30 a.m

**Easter Day, Sunday 5th. April:**

Korumburra at 9.30 am

**Easter Day Sunrise Service** Arawata, 6.30 am  
This Sunrise is a very special time of gathering together.

We would warmly welcome all to any of these worship times, and also to the concerts and 40th anniversary celebration.

### **Regular worship times are:**

9.30 am at Korumburra every Sunday,

11.30 am at Arawata on the first and third Sundays, and

5.00 pm at Kongwak on the second Sunday.

Again you would be warmly welcomed.

Our Pastors, Sue and Gavin Sharp can be contacted by phone on 5655 1997.

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## **Korumburra Baptist Church** *39 Mine Road, Korumburra*

### **Easter Sunday Church Service at Coal Creek.**

Coal Creek Heritage Village's Church building will open its doors for an **Easter Sunday Church service at 10.30 a.m.** Korumburra Baptist Church Pastor Ian Wilkinson will lead the service which will include a celebration of the resurrection of Jesus, praise in song and an Easter message.

At the conclusion of the service children and adults will be invited to join in outdoor activities featuring balloon tying. Everyone is invited to come along and join in the fellowship and fun.

### **Easter reflection**

About 2000 years ago in a backwater of the mighty Roman Empire a man was executed. He was just one amongst so many who were crucified and yet we remember him today. His life was remarkable for his kindness and straight talking. Although no charge could be brought against him he was killed and his death is now the model of self-sacrifice that is lauded in places like the Shrine in Melbourne. He may well have been

forgotten if that was all, but his story didn't end with his death. He was seen alive from the grave by many people. That gave rise to a substantial message of hope that death is not the last word about life. His message of eternal life has sustained generations and inspired people to acts of kindness. The man was Jesus of Nazareth, who was the Christ.

We have four stories of his life that have been collected into the Bible. Why not get back in touch with why we remember this man's death and resurrection (with public holidays) by reading either Matthew, Mark, Luke or John?

### **Easter Services**

**Good Friday:** 10.00am at the Baptist Church, 39 Mine Road.

**Easter Sunday:** 10.30am at Coal Creek Church.

Our regular service time is every Sunday at 10.30 am.



## HAPI now running two programs in Korumburra

Gippsland Southern Health Service has continued to expand its highly successful HAPI (Healthy Aging and Prevention of Injury) program by commencing a second group in Korumburra on Tuesday mornings. This addition to our groups will not only allow for new clients to join us, but will provide additional opportunities for existing members to undertake this valuable exercise program.

By providing exercises that assist in increasing flexibility, maintaining core strength and enhancing balance, the HAPI program is designed to assist clients in being able to remain healthier and happier at home.

People are eligible to participate if they are living independently in their home and are:-

- Frail and/or able bodied older people;
- People with an intellectual and/or physical disability;
- People with an acquired brain injury (ABI); and
- Carers of these people.

Our classes are run by trained and registered exercise practitioners, and are designed to promote general health and wellbeing, plus help to reduce risk of falls in older people – all while having fun in an enjoyable and social

environment. HAPI features low impact resistance training, light weights and a combination of weight-bearing and chair based exercise, to help clients build on their fitness and stay active and happy.

Our groups run in a variety of locations at different times throughout South Gippsland.

Classes run for 45 minutes and conclude with a cuppa, morning/afternoon tea and a friendly chat.

### **Mondays, 9.30am**

Korumburra Shire Meeting Rooms,  
Commercial Street

### **Tuesdays, 9.30am**

Korumburra Shire Meeting Rooms,  
Commercial Street

Anyone can refer themselves or an eligible person to this program by contacting the Planned Activity Groups office. For more information, please call Kay Rodda or Brendan Kellow on 5654 2785

We look forward to seeing you there !!!

*\* If you decide to participate, all you will need is a referral from your doctor (outlining any restrictions) – or a completed GP referral form which can be sent to you.*

## Events at the Parish Hall, Korumburra

Trivia Night 18th April, 7.30pm, \$10 per person

Sit & Sew, 2nd May, 10am - 4pm, Bring hand sewing, machine sewing or any other craft. \$10 per person, includes Workshop, soup & rolls lunch.

Parish Dinner, 30th May, \$30 per person, the Rhythm Kings playing.

Come and eat and dance the night with us.



## Event in Poowong

Blumes Fashions, 29th May, 10 am, Poowong Memorial Hall, display and sale of clothing

## Korumburra Church times

### **Korumburra Anglican Church**

Sundays, 9.30 am, Bridge Street.

(see full details page 24)

### **Korumburra Baptist Church**

Sundays, 10.30 am, Mine Road,

(see article, page 25)

### **Korumburra Uniting Church**

Sundays, 9.30 am, Bridge Street.

(see article, page 25)

### **Southern Hills Assembly of God Church**

Sundays, 10 am, 4 Mine Road, K'burra

Pastor Rob Davey, 5655 2478

### **St Joseph's Catholic Church**

(see full details page 24)

## Korumburra Baptist Church Playgroup

Playgroup is a Community Project of the Korumburra Baptist Church, welcoming mums, dads, grandparents and caregivers to meet together each week with their babies, toddlers and pre-schoolers for interaction and fun.

Playgroup offers a wide variety of early learning experiences. It's a great way for your child to play, learn, make friends and develop social skills.

Playgroup also gives the adults who accompany the children a chance to meet and to share ideas and experiences. Many long-term friendships begin at Playgroup.

**Enrolments for 2015 are now open.**

**When:** Tuesdays during school terms 10.00 am – 11.30 am

**Where:** Korumburra Baptist Church Hall,  
39 Mine Road, Korumburra



**Cost:** \$20.00 annual family registration.

Weekly \$2.00 first child, \$1.00 additional child. Children up to 12 months free.

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Volunteers at the flourishing Hospital gardens plus results of their hard work (see article page 29)

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## Milpara Men's Shed Hospital Garden

You may have noticed the food garden when visiting Korumburra hospital. This is Milpara Men's Shed Hospital Garden. In 2002, our volunteers, a core group of 5, (women as well as men) began by redesigning wasteground and establishing a sitting area for visitors and patients. Then we turned our attention to the vegie area. Although run down, there was a very good basis for food gardening with the existing eleven raised beds. The group then proceeded to plant and enhance the garden with the aim of providing food in response to needs in the community and provide a restful recreation space for hospital visitors and patients.

Plans to continue developing and extending the garden and our input to the community are ongoing. Initially we divided the sitting area from the vegetable area with a low fence supporting a pomegranate hedge and have added plants such as crepe myrtles for future shade which should all look fantastic in the future.

Last year we built a quirky but practical shed and a red pallet trellis using recycled materials where possible. Our bank of four compost bins was also constructed from pallets.

This year, using the glasshouse, we have propagated all of our seedlings from donated seed and now have very productive crops - for

example, tomatoes, corn and broccoli. We are building a trellis using recycled rusty grader blades to support passion fruit and kiwifruit. We will erect a similar trellis in the sitting garden to support scented clematis thereby enclosing the area in more attractive "walls". Some interesting sculptural plant supports using metal grader blades are planned. Meanwhile ongoing production and maintenance ensures this continues to be an exciting and vibrant garden space.

In 2014 we provided both fresh food and prepared and cooked casseroles for Milpara's food bank and intend to do so again this year. We have cooked and shared meals with the hospital Planned Activity Group participants using produce from the garden.

We raise funds mainly by selling some produce to Grow Lightly and hospital staff. We also plan to add a teaching component at this stage in collaboration with Grow Lightly and Milpara. We hope to encourage and educate participants in the enjoyment, knowledge and simplicity of producing your own healthy food with little outlay. One of our volunteers illustrates this. Doug came to us with little knowledge of vegie gardening or the joys of cooked beetroot. His place now boasts a very productive garden including plenty of beetroot!

## Friends of Coal Creek

Friends of Coal Creek hold their meetings on the second Wednesday of the month. They have commenced repair work on the Auctioneer's room and work is progressing.

Funds are still being raised to repair the two buildings for which they are responsible. Please support their efforts at Michaels IGA and the farmers market to raise additional money or join the FOCC customer tag at Michael's IGA.

Membership is \$20 each, \$40 a family; (the term begins on 1st October each year.) Anybody interested in assisting with the repairs to the buildings or in becoming a member, may contact Joan on 5655 2126, or Wayne on 5662 2013 for further information or look out for the table at the Farmers' market or at IGA on market day.

## Mardan Scots Church

**Pleasant Sunday Afternoons, 2 pm**

**Sunday, 28th March:** John Murphy, local historian on history of the local area



**Sunday, 25th April:** Peter Frazer, a Vietnam veteran on his experiences in Vietnam

**Sunday, 30th May:** a musical afternoon with *the Gospelairst*, led by former locals Adrian & Val Campbell

An interesting program has been arranged with musical interludes followed by a delicious afternoon tea. Everyone welcome.

Why not enjoy a drive in the beautiful, scenic Gippsland countryside and join in a very pleasant Sunday afternoon.

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# COAL CREEK

Community Park & Museum

**It's Time.... to revisit today!**  
**Bring the family and enjoy a picnic**

## Free Entry

The year ahead, as always, promises to be a bumper year with new exhibitions, activities and a variety of events at Coal Creek Community Park and Museum.

**Coal Creek's newest event** the Gippsland Geekfest was a huge success in January. The park entertained over 1200 visitors from across the region. Kids and adults enjoyed Minecraft, guest speakers and the medieval sword fight display. Lots of families extended their stay to explore South Gippsland.

**Join us for another fantastic Easter** on Sunday 5 April 10.00 – 4.30. Hunt for golden blocks to exchange for chocolate eggs. Kid's story time and free family games will be part of the day. Join in for the Easter Wars floor game and help Easter Bunny save the day. For more information please go to our website.

**Congratulations Coal Creek** for attaining Museum Accreditation and for being selected to host the Museum Accreditation Sustainability Workshop in September. Museum operators from around Australia will converge on Coal Creek to attend the workshop and to learn how to make museums more sustainable.

Thank you for your ongoing support and look forward to seeing you in 2015.



## Coal Creek Events for 2015

### **Easter Hunt**

Sunday 5 April

### **Teddy Bears Picnic**

Sunday 7 June

### **Pirates Day**

Saturday 19 September

### **Literary Festival**

Saturday 3 October

### **Halloween**

Saturday 31 October

### **Buskers**

Sunday 1 November

### **Carols @ the Creek**

Friday 18 December

## Monthly Events

### Ghost Tours

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Monthly

### Craft Market

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday Monthly

## **Ride the**

## **Count Strzelecki Steam Train**

### **\$10.00 per person**

Sunday 29 March

Sunday 31 May

Sunday 26 July

Sunday 27 September

Sunday 29 November





## **Korumburra Primary School – Challenge and Achieve**

KPS has welcomed many new students and families for 2015. It is a particularly exciting time for new Prep students and an important transition in their lives. KPS recognises the importance of a successful start to school, and this year School Council hosted a free BBQ and bush dance to bring the school community together.

With a live band, amid bales of hay, hundreds of students and their families ate, mingled and danced on the school quadrangle. The evening included informal classroom visits and an opportunity for parents to meet their child's teacher for 2015. Thank you to all of the staff and parents involved – and thanks also to the attending families who embraced the event so enthusiastically!

Sporting events also keep us busy in term one.

The house swimming sports were held in February. Congratulations to Ellie Newton and Riley Olden our Year 6 swimming champions and to Tarli Kelly for organising and running the day. On March 24th the whole school will be on-the-go for the athletic sports. It's a great day for parents and friends to come and support the students, and an opportunity to appreciate the fabulous school grounds and facilities we have available for these events.

For anyone who wants to stay in touch with KPS news and events, a free smart phone app is available. The app includes regular newsletters, event notifications, school calendar and contact links. Of course, you can still contact the school office directly for more information about KPS activities or enrolments: 5655 1309, korumburra.ps@edumail.vic.edu.au

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## **Korumburra Community Development & Action Inc.**

KCDA Inc. held their raffle outside IGA and in the main street in Korumburra to support Korumburra's 120th show with live entertainment all day. The raffle was drawn at the Show grounds and the three lucky winners were notified. We would like to thank the members of the public for their support.

### **Benefits for your Community Group through KCDA Inc.**

There is a photo copier for Community Groups to use free of charge. Contact Simon on 0438 568 861 to learn more.

KCDA also have membership at 3mf for our Community to use for free advertising of Korumburra Community Events.

**A reminder too to Community Groups wishing to run a raffle.** They may do so under the auspices of KCDA Inc. For more information contact the President Syd on 5655 1247.

### **Korumburra Community Website**

Community Groups are encouraged to use the website [www.korumburracommunity.org.au](http://www.korumburracommunity.org.au)

You may email your articles to Lorelle at [lorelle@southgippsland.vic.gov.au](mailto:lorelle@southgippsland.vic.gov.au)

**Community Notice Board:** This is situated outside the Middle Pub and is updated by Vince. This is a Community Notice Board for events in the Korumburra area and neighbouring towns. Have a look and find out what's happening in our town and local area.

**Welcome Kits** are still an appreciated item by newcomers into our Community. Lois who has been with this K.C.D.A. Inc. program since it began is doing a great job. If you are new to the area ask your Estate Agent.

**Korumburra Tourist Railway Station:** The ladies have been doing a great job with the gardens at the Railway Station.

**The South Gippsland Citizens Advice Bureau** is located in the Memorial Hall complex, Michael Place, Leongatha opposite the Post Office.

Opening hours: Monday to Friday 10 am - 4 pm

Visitor & Tourist Information: Monday to Friday 10 am - 4 pm, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays (except Christmas Day and Good Friday) 10 am - 2 pm

Tel: 5662 2111 Fax: 5662 2001 Email: [cab@dcsi.net.au](mailto:cab@dcsi.net.au)

# Korumburra Primary School – Challenge and Achieve

(see article on page 32)



*Ready to dance at the KPS school community bush dance*

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# Creative Arts Exhibition



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Some of the delights available at Jumbunna Bush Market (see page 23)

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## CWA Creative Arts Exhibition - Back in Loch again!

The CWA Bass Group is holding their annual Creative Arts Exhibition in Loch once more. Following the success of the exhibition in 2014, this year's 61st Annual Exhibition will again be held in the **Public Hall in Loch**. Mark the weekend of the **28/29 March** on your calendar and look forward to a wonderful display and some exciting activities. Displays include members' cooking, preserves, needlework, knitting, crochet, flora and photography.

With cooking and craft demonstrations, raffles, lucky dips and activities for the kids there is something for all the family even those who just want to sit and eat our famous scones with jam

and cream. For those who enjoyed the scone making demonstration last year, I'm told the same entertaining demonstrator will be back again this year to show us how to make and decorate cupcakes. Watch the Facebook page for details of other demonstrations as they are confirmed.

The exhibition will be open from 10am to 4pm Saturday 28th and Sunday 29th March. Admission is \$3 adults, children with adults free. Morning/afternoon teas and light lunches available. There is a lot to see and do in Historic Loch Village in addition to the exhibition so it is well worth a visit.

## Moyarra Car Boot Sale and Morning Tea

The Moyarra Ladies Group raises money for the Cancer Council as part of the "Biggest Morning Tea" fundraiser. The ladies are starting early this year raising funds, they are holding a

**Car Boot Sale and Walkathon  
Sunday 15th March, 9am - 2pm  
at the former Moyarra School  
135 Andersons Inlet Road, Moyarra,  
(follow the signs).**

If anyone has any goods they would like to donate to the ladies stall they would be very much appreciated. If you wish to have your own stall on the day you can do so by paying \$10 for the privilege. There will also be a **cake stall, car wash and a silent auction** on a trailer load of firewood.

Whilst all this is happening we will be running a **Walkathon around the perimeter of the**

**School**. You can either participate and get your own sponsors, or sponsor, or donate on the day to other walkers. Walkathon sponsor forms and all other enquiries can be made to Lyn Herbert on 5657 3277, email [austiwi@bigpond.com.au](mailto:austiwi@bigpond.com.au) or Joy O'Meara on 5657 3352.

The ladies will also be holding a **morning tea on 4th May from 10am to 12pm**, also at the former Moyarra School at 135 Andersons Inlet Road, Moyarra. Entry is \$5, there will be a spinning wheel operating on the day with lots of great prizes, tickets will be \$1 per spin. The ladies will serve you beautiful morning tea with lots of homemade goodies.

All money raised on both days goes to the Cancer Council. Your support in both these fundraisers would be greatly appreciated.



## History & Ideas

*"like a book club but you don't need to pretend to have read the book"*

**At our March 17th meeting we will discuss the ideas raised in the movie Selma.**

**History and Ideas meets on the third Tuesday of each month at 7.30 pm in the hall at the rear of Korumburra Baptist church in Mine Road.**

**For more information call Don on 5658 1083**



## South Gippsland Citizens Advice Bureau and Community & Visitor Information Centre



The latest bus timetables for services in South Gippsland are available at the South Gippsland Citizens Advice Bureau.

This is just one of the services which the bureau provides to the community. For over thirty years the bureau has been helping South Gippsland residents in numerous ways.

In all those years the bureau has been active in the community, whether by providing information and help with regard to consumer and financial matters, leisure and recreation matters or transport and health matters.

The bureau can access web-based information services for clients, as well as arranging access to social workers, financial counselling and legal services.

Clients on low incomes receive assistance with tax returns from taxation office trained volunteers.

The bureau has an up-to-date database which can provide information about local services. And it also auspices the Visitor Information Centre in Leongatha, at the same location.

The bureau is located in the Memorial Hall complex, Michael Place, Leongatha on the corner opposite the post office, or it can be contacted on 5662 2111. *(See page 32 for opening hours)*

The bureau is free, confidential, impartial, community based and independent.

Last Christmas \$2,500 was raised on behalf of Arthritis Victoria, the Cancer Council,

Anglicare, Children First, the Lort Smith Animal hospital, and the Royal Flying Doctor Service through the sale of Christmas cards.

### Leongatha Centrelink & Medicare Agent kept busy

The Leongatha Centrelink Agent (which operates from 9.00 am to 1.00 pm each weekday, not including public holidays) has been handling Medicare matters for nine months.

Clients may use the phone and computer for Medicare business or have the friendly staff download forms and information.

“People still like to deal with a real person,” said Bev Ellwood, Centrelink and Medicare coordinator for the bureau. “They can access many Centrelink services on the net, but many prefer to deal with the agency,” she said.

“Many Centrelink customers are not aware that there is a Centrelink Agent in Leongatha. Although Centrelink Agents do not have system access, they can provide information on payments and services, and help with forms and claim lodgement. Agent staff can even sight and photocopy Centrelink Proof of Identity documents, which can save a lot of travel time. Centrelink Agents can also refer you to Centrelink staff (including specialists) if you require further support.” said Ms Ellwood.

The branch is located in the Memorial Hall complex in Michael Place, up the stairs opposite the rear part of the post office.

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## Consumer Affairs Victoria, Korumburra Courthouse

We help businesses and consumers by:

- informing the community about consumer and business rights and responsibilities
- resolving disputes about building, real estate, renting and buying products and services
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Building and renovating, clubs and not-for-profit organisations, motor cars, owners, corporations,

product safety, retirement villages, scams and shopping queries or complaints can also be handled by CAV.

A CAV officer is available by appointment at the **Korumburra Courthouse on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, or by phone 5116 5701.**

*CAV is also able to provide information sessions to groups or clubs.*

This information is also available on the Consumer Affairs Victoria website:

*[www.consumer.vic.gov.au](http://www.consumer.vic.gov.au)*

## What's on in Poowong?

**Poowong Garden Club:** Every first Tuesday at the Primary School at 7.30 pm.

For further details contact Hannah on 5659 2034.

**Poowong to Warragul Bus:** Every Thursday a bus departs at 9.40 am from the Poowong Post Office, returning to Poowong at 2.30 pm.

**Poowong Uniting Church Lunch:** Each third Tuesday in the month starting at 12 noon.

**Mya Mya Café:** Poowong Uniting Church, every Wednesday from 9.30 am to 3.00 pm

**Craft Meeting:** Poowong Uniting Church, every fourth Wednesday from 10.00 am to 12 noon.

**Line dancing classes for beginners:** Every Wednesday 10am-12pm, Poowong East Hall. Every Friday, Poowong Uniting Hall, 10am-12pm. For further details ring Rose on 5659 2246.

## Korumburra Show Society

The 120th Show added a wide variety of entertainment for the community to enjoy.

It is proposed to continue this for the show each year and give all those who visit the show a great day of entertainment. For those who were fortunate to attend they were also able to see the history of the show in the form of a photo display.

The Korumburra Agricultural and Pastoral Society responsible for organizing the Korumburra Show would like to thank the stewards and judges as well as all the volunteers who assist them to run the Korumburra Show. Without their help it could not happen.

Thank you, too, for your support of the KCDA

Inc.'s raffle which helped fund the entertainment section, as well as all the exhibitors who help make the show and of course those who gave their support by attending.

The Battle of the Bands will continue following the inaugural attempt to showcase the students' talents, as they are our future musicians and this is an opportunity to become experienced and known to the public.

Thank you to our local suppliers Lyre Bird Winery, Djinta Djinta, Mirboo North Brewery and Murray Gouldburn and our volunteers who assisted at the wine and cheese tasting. Thank you too, to Sam our M.C. for the afternoon.

## Korumburra Craft Group



We meet at Coal Creek every 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month from 10.30am to 2.30pm. There is no charge and tea and coffee are provided. The object is to have a 'get together' with craft, patchwork, knitting, crochet and U.F.Os.

Everyone is welcome to come. There are no classes provided. Enquiries: Nellie 5655 1371 Betty 5655 1378

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Sun 08 "Just Harmony" concert (p 25)  
Wed 11 FOCC meeting (p 29)  
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Scouts Lego display & Car boot Sale (p 9)  
Nyora Mobile Library (p 16)  
Sun 15 Moyarra Car boot Sale & Walkathon (p 35)  
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Sun 22 Working Horse & Tractor Rally (p 11)  
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Mardan Pleasant Sunday Afternoon (p 29)

## April

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Sun 05 Easter Sunday services (p 24, 25)  
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Sat 11 Coal Creek Farmers' Market (p 20)  
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- Sun 26 Mardan Pleasant Sunday Afternoon (p 29)  
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## May

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Thu 04 Historical Society (p 6)  
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Anglican Youth Group (p 24)  
SG Shire Brass Band rehearsal (p 17)  
Thursdays Poowong to Warragul Bus (p 37)  
(2nd & 4th) Craft Group (p 37)  
Fridays Milpara Playgroup (p 5)

An updated calendar of events is available at: [www.korumburracommunity.org.au](http://www.korumburracommunity.org.au)

# IT'S TIME....

## COAL CREEK

Coal Creek Community Park & Museum  
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