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*The cover photo is the Kardella-Fairbank Road, Arawata one bracing winter's morning .... Bbbrrr ! ... cold, typically the temperature of this season.*

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Editorial This Winter issue of the Burra Flyer is bought to you by the local businesses advertised herein. booklet was produced by a small team of volunteers. Thanks to the work done by Sadie & Bill Jansen and layout by John Abraham for this edition. Enjoy. You may also read the Flyer on our website along with other information for exploring Korumburra and surrounds. Syd Whyte, KCDA President.

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# **SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE BRASS BAND INC.** 7229R

PO Box 57, Leongatha 3953.

Phone: **5662 3623**

South Gippsland Shire Brass Band is happy to be back in full swing, enjoying the camaraderie, friendship, and joy of playing in a group. We enjoyed performing for the (very wet) Australia Day Ceremony in Leongatha, and the (perfect weather) Outdoor Local Talent Exhibition at Mardan South in February, and the Anzac Day Ceremony in Leongatha.

Like other local volunteer groups, we have lost a number of Band members for varying, health, family, work and study reasons. Our Band had enjoyed a good number of members in recent years, covering a wide range of instruments. We are now crying out for new musicians to join our Band. With the influx of 'life change' people moving into the area, there must be a lot of musical talent coming with them. We extend a very warm welcome to all newcomers who are now calling South Gippsland their home.

The South Gippsland Shire Brass Band, now in its 129th year since the Brass Band was formed on 19th February, 1892, is looking forward to celebrating its 130th birthday next year.

We need players for all Brass instruments. We are a friendly, relaxed Band who welcomes everyone regardless of gender, age, culture, religion, or musical ability. We do not contest at Eisteddfods, but prefer to play a variety of music for the local community. With a yearly membership fee of \$50, the Band provides the loan of an instrument and uniform, music and insurance cover.

We also have a Training Band for learners of all ages. Contact Darryl.

**SOUTH GIPPSLAND**  
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**Courthouse, Leongatha**

**Darryl 0407 444 210**  
**or Rod 0423 676 677**

**Kit Drummer**

**All Players welcome**

If you can play a Brass instrument, or would like to learn, please come along to the Leongatha Court House (next to the Leongatha Post Office) on Wednesday evenings at 7:30pm. You will be most welcome. For more information contact:

Darryl Hunt,	President,	<b>0407 444 210</b>
Judy Hunt,	Secretary,	<b>0409 215 129</b>
Rod Coughran-Lane,	Musical Director.	<b>0423 676 677</b>

South Gippsland Shire Brass Band.

## South Gippsland Concert Band

The South Gippsland Concert Band performed at the Show and Shine in Leongatha in April and enjoyed the opportunity to play together again at an outside local event. The band will be playing at our local nursing homes and hospital in the month of July and are looking for other community events where they can perform and entertain some well known charts and pieces.

The South Gippsland Band is currently rehearsing in the Anglican Church Hall in Korumburra on a Monday night 7pm – 8:30pm. If you can play an instrument and would like to join a friendly community concert band, bring your instrument along and come and get involved. If you would like further information please contact Cassie Moodie **0490 772 333**

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## ***Challenge and Achieve***

Korumburra Primary School supports our school community by offering a range of clubs and activities across the school week.

- Breakfast Club at the canteen – Monday - Friday, 8:15 – 8:50am
- Reading Club in the Library – Tuesday - Thursday, 8:30 – 8:55am
- Various Activity Clubs during Playtimes conducted by senior students – including Construction Club, ICT Club, Sports Club, Active Club, Mindfulness Club, Gardening Club, Games Club and Creative Club.

A special ANZAC Day assembly was held on the 26<sup>th</sup> April which included the unveiling of 2 Honour Boards with the names of past KPS students who went to war.

We would like to thank Tony Moon, Perry Neil and David Jackson from our local RSL for their hard work and dedication in researching and creating these honour boards which are now proudly displayed in our Gym.

May was a very busy month at KPS – Year 4 Allambee Camp; Naplan testing for students in Years 3 and 5; Cross-Country; Inter-school Winter Sport on Fridays for our Senior students began; Education Week; National Simultaneous Storytime, just to mention a few.

Students who make it through the Division Cross Country in May will attend Lardner Park for the Regional Cross Country on the 3<sup>rd</sup> June. Senior students will be involved in the Lightning Premiership Day on the 11<sup>th</sup> June.

Term 2 finishes on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> June at 2:30pm with School resuming for Term 3 on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> July.

Enrolments and school tours can be organised by contacting KPS on **5655 1309**, [korumburra.ps@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:korumburra.ps@education.vic.gov.au)

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*Principal:* Nathan Pirouet

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*Unveiling Honour Boards at the ANZAC Assembly*



*Primary School Choir at the ANZAC Assembly*

## St Joseph's Primary School

St Joseph's had a very busy start to the school year. Students have participated in swimming lessons, swimming sports, athletics sports, cross country and weekly winter sport matches.

We also welcome Meg Doherty to St Joseph's. Meg is providing individual music lessons for students and conducting our school choir. We are looking forward to them performing to the community in the coming months.

During term 2 and 3 grade 3-6 students are participating in an electives program on a Thursday afternoon. The activities are: Cooking, Drama, Gardening, Coding, Knitting, Woodwork & Yoga. Our junior students are rotating through Science, Music and Perceptual Motor Program activities.

Students are looking forward to our Footsteps dance program which will begin in Term 3. This is a bi annual event where students participate in 6 weeks of dance lessons which then culminates in a concert at the end of the 6 weeks.

A number of our students have recently received the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Eucharist. In June our Grade 6 students along with other members of the Parish will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Finally, we are very pleased to announce that the St Joe's Fete will be back in 2021. This is always a fun day out so save the date SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER. You won't have to high jump unless you want to.







## **KORUMBURRA LIONS CLUB BUILDING THE NEXT CHAPTER...**

The Korumburra Lions Club is building the next chapter; however, they would still like to see more people come forward to support the community in reforming the Lions Club for the town.

Ian Wilson, Club President, said, "We are excited to say that we have had a couple of meetings now with some new possible members, but we would still like to hear from more people. Remember, we need everyone, we need a club secretary, a club treasurer, we need people who can cook, people who can cater, people who can build and practical people. There are positions for everyone in our community and at our club."

**The Korumburra Lions Club needs help to keep rebuilding. Can you make a difference and help keep the club for Korumburra?**

Are you a person who has some time? Do you want to make new friends? Do you want to help build a better community? Do you want to support families, schools and causes in need? Do you want to have some fun?

"We have new ideas for some projects, but nothing is locked in; now it is time for us to mingle and be seen out in the community. So, if you see us in action, then come and say hello, pass on your ideas and let us know if you wish to join in our activities, Ian said."

**Together, we can make a difference.**

If you are interested, please contact.

**Email:** korumburrallions@yahoo.com.au or **Phone:** Ian Wilson 0407 572 265



## Korumburra Rotary Club

Getting back in to our regular face to face meetings has been an enjoyable time for members, with a social chat and a meal together. We are however always seeking new members to join our productive little club. Everyone in the community will have something to offer in supporting our events and working bees.

# Rotary



Money raised through the Korumburra Rotary Club goes straight back into our community through a range of scholarships, sponsorship and facility building opportunities. You all have something to offer and we encourage you to join us in giving up a few hours each month to help those in need within our community. If you are interested in joining us please drop us a line at [Korumburra.rotary@outlook.com](mailto:Korumburra.rotary@outlook.com) or give Ted Burley a call on **0417 347 475**

**Korumburra Rotary Club Mascot** – entries were received from far and wide for our mascot design competition. This little Rotary Cog was our winner as we felt that he represented both Korumburra Rotary and strong industry supporting our local community. He was designed by local Bret Dagleish and we hope to see more of our mascot around town soon. We would also like to thank Bret for generously donating his prize money back to the club for use in a local project. Second and Third prize winners were from the Korumburra Primary School – Warren Barlow (pictured here with Rotarian Bekk Anthony), and the team of Alana Sage, Imogen Ware and Maddie Church.



## ***Rotary Art Collection on Display***

Recently the Rotarians went through the extensive art collection that was being held in storage. In order to share these magnificent art works, we extracted enough landscapes for an exhibition. This exhibition can be seen in the Korumburra Art Gallery. You can view this during library opening hours, through the library entrance. We hope that you enjoy this display over the coming winter months. We will look at rotating pieces of the collection, placing out another themed future exhibition to ensure that our local community can receive the benefit of these talented artists.

In the future, the club will also be considering the sale of some of the more prominent pieces for fundraising to support major projects.



## ***Carinya Lodge Renovations***

President Ted Burley, along with Rotarians, and the representative of the Barton & Fisher families, Lew Fisher, attended Carinya Lodge for a ceremony on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> May at 10am, to present the Rotary Club of Korumburra's cheque for \$35,000.

The funds will be used for the refurbishment of 3 rooms in memory of Bill and Myra Fisher, Peter and Gwen Barton and also Brian Blake who was a lifelong friend of the families. Both Bill Fisher and Fred Barton [Peter's father] were Charter members of the Korumburra Rotary Club in 1948.



*Ted Burley, Jenny Blackmore (President of Carinya Fundraising Committee) and Lew Fisher*



**KORINGAL  
WOMENS SERVICE  
CLUB INC. A0004236P**

**P.O.Box 180  
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Koringal Womens Service Club is a group of volunteers who raise funds to give back to the community. Our wide range of fundraising efforts over the past 45 years have included raffles, boot sales, tea and garden parties, fashion parades, lots of children's activities, and many and varied catering tasks. Of course times have changed, and with Community events few and far between in the recent past, we have and will continue to adapt. Our main fundraising these days centres upon Catering. Funeral receptions, birthdays, high teas, special dinners – all are achievable, and our members will make the event as personal as you like.

We still meet monthly on the last Tuesday of the month, usually during the afternoon. We will continue to serve the community of Korumburra and surrounds for as long as we can, and are always on the lookout for new members.

Office Bearers for 2021 are: Jo Cash, Vice-President: Wendy Green, Sue VanSinderen, Treasurer: Renate Dennemoser, Catering Officer: Bev Hall.

If you would like to join us and offer your time and efforts with our friendly group we would be happy to hear from you. President Jo Cash, **0438 551 995**  
or Secretary Sue VanSinderen, **0401 039 824**

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## **Korumburra & District Historical Society**

Our June meeting will took place on Thursday 3rd. June, when Ken Myors has agreed to join us and will report on a meeting he has scheduled with the Chief Executive Officer of the South Gippsland Shire. Ken is encouraged in this endeavour finding that many, many people of the town are anxious about developments in the town, the latest being the purchase and probable demolition of the Top of the Town building. Our July meeting will take place on Thursday 1st. July, and at this meeting David Anderson will speak to us about prefabricated railway houses, a number of which are still very much a part of the town. Our August meeting will take place on Thursday 5th. of August, which will see us do a walk around the town as it was in 1892. Meetings are being held in the meeting room beside the library, at 7 pm. If you would like to hear more on any of these topics, or have an interest in the history of our wonderful town, please come along and join us. At each meting we have a business meeting and discussions in addition to the matters mentioned above.

Janet Wilson, Secretary.

## ***Top of the Town - some site history***

With renewed interest in 33 Bridge Street, we thought we would tell you more about the history of the building, which Janet Wilson gathered.

**1888** The land was purchased at the towns very first Land Auctions by William Nuttall.

**1892** The Temperance Hotel, a two storey structure was built by the land owner William Nuttall.

The 3 devastating fires in **1898**, two in January and a third in February. The Temperance Hotel was damaged and then completely destroyed. In fact five buildings along the street were destroyed.

**1908** 33 Bridge was rebuilt, Duncan N Robertson was in the replacement building on this site, until his death in 1945.

**1946** William Fisher, founder of Fishers Timberyard, ironically replaced the wooden building with the current brick building, where he operated a hardware & joinery business. The second hand bricks came from the engine house and chimney of the defunct Austral Coal Mine.

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To become a member and support us with work in Park the fee is \$20 each \$40 a family; (the term begins from the 1<sup>st</sup> October each year.) Anybody interested in becoming a member may contact

Joan Hopkins on **5655 2126** (Treasurer)  
or Syd Whyte on **5655 1247** (President)

## **Korumburra Horticultural Society**

The Horticultural Society is currently going through a transition period. After over a year without meetings we have recommenced and had two meetings this year, back to monthly get togethers on the first Tuesday of the month. Our first meeting was at our usual venue at Coal Creek, the second at a members home, as the council is not giving us access to Coal Creek again.

We are aiming now to be a less formal organisation, while retaining our affiliation to the Victorian Horticulture Society and our connection to all the regional groups. At present we have no venue in which to meet, although some groups have made contact and offered us premises, and that was greatly appreciated.

Although meetings ceased due to covid gardening continued, and the difficulty people experienced in obtaining plants from their usual sources indicates just how many people all over Australia turned to their gardens during lockdown.

Autumn is a great season to plant, before the ground is cold but after some rain when the soil is moist and workable, and the heat is not a factor. An added bonus is that in fertile Gippsland we have enough rain to allow gardeners to stop watering. Bulb planting time is almost done but in my garden this year the daffodils are already up. This may create difficulties later in the year for flower shows in early spring. There is even one very confused bearded iris in full bloom in my back yard, and friends are seeing the same thing in their gardens. It will be interesting to see what those irises do in spring. The camellias, however, have bloomed on time and are looking lovely all over town.

Winter is almost with us, and rose pruning will need to be done. This year I am going to prune early and hope we don't get frost on new growth. Fingers crossed.

The tomatoes have come out, and the sweet peas are in. Mr Glenn, who owns and runs Lambley nursery at Ascot, has reminded us that it's time to plant poppy seed. There is always something to look forward to in a garden, and always weeds to pull.

We hope to be in a settled venue soon, and then resume our usual timetable, and we look forward to welcoming new members.



## **South Gippsland Orchid Society**

Hi all, what's happening in your orchid house? A lot of your orchids should have initiated flower spikes by now, particularly your cymbidiums, the tall flowering varieties will benefit from staking, the smaller pendulous types should be allowed to grow as they are, just give them space to develop, give them a weak liquid feed once a week and DON'T forget the snail/slug bait.

For more information come along to our monthly club meetings 2nd Wednesday each month, our meetings are held in the angling club rooms Wonthaggi oval Korumburra Rd Wonthaggi commencing at 7.00 pm

June 9th AGM no guest speaker.

July 14th a presentation on Pleione orchids and their cultivation.

August 11th how to prepare plants for our annual show, which will be open to the public on 4th & 5th September, 9.30 am - 4.00pm daily.

I look forward to catching up with you.

John Betts

## Korumburra Croquet Club

The Club celebrated 100 years of croquet in Korumburra with a wonderful party in April. It was well attended by croqueteers past and present members, life members and special guests Russell Broadbent our Federal member and Julie Eisenbise, the South Gippland Shire administrator.

The croquet club is in a winter recess. If we haven't escaped the Gippsland weather by heading north, we hardier souls turn up at the club for a game or two as long as it's not hail or lightning.

We also held our Singles Tournament in March - the first one since the onset of COVID - then in April, as soon as we recovered from our party, we took on Leongatha Croquet Club for the LeonBurra Shield. On this occasion, Korumburra was successful.



*(L-R): Julie Eisenbise, Life Member Thea Mayes, President Ruth Cashin, Life Member Ruth Stevenson, Russell Broadbent and Secretary Joan Hopkins.*

The new season will start at the beginning of September. We welcome new faces any time. Why don't you come and try croquet? You might be pleasantly surprised.

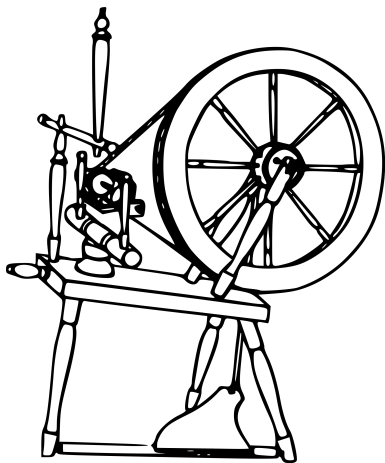
We are located at 44 Victoria Street, just before the bowling greens.

We play on Tuesday from 10am  
and Saturday from 1pm

Flat shoes are required. Contact Joan on **0408 505 789**



## South Gippsland Spinners And Fibre Arts Group Inc.



After a year of being restricted to meeting through Zoom , our group has taken off with great enthusiasm and quite a few new members. So far this year we have had a presentation from Fish Creek Wool Room, introducing us to Bond Sheep and a demonstration of weaving on a rigid heddle loom.

The highlight of the year so far was the first Saturday of May, when we experimented with food colour dyes on our wool. Christine showed us various ways to apply the dye, and we had great fun trying the different techniques. Can't wait to see the results at our next meeting. Our next Saturday Meeting on the 5th June will explore different ways of preparing fleece.

We will also be involved with World Knitting In Public Day and we would welcome anyone interested to join us at Wonthaggi Library from 10am on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> June.

If you would like to see what we get up to, you can visit our website [www.timeonyourhandscrafters.com](http://www.timeonyourhandscrafters.com) or visit our Facebook page.

Our exhibition at the Handweavers and Spinners Guild of Victoria was cut short by Covid last year. We are having a virtual exhibition with the guild this year starting on May26th. Check out the guild website [www.hwsgv.org.au](http://www.hwsgv.org.au) to see all the amazing items our members have produced.

We meet at the Anglican Church Hall, Bridge Street, Korumburra on the first Saturday and third Tuesday of each month. Meetings start at 10.30 and go til about 2.30pm. If you are interested in any Fibre Arts you are welcome to join us.

For more information, phone our President Janice Graham on **0490 954 915**

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## Korumburra Friends of Red Cross

Since our last report, we have once again been holding our meetings at the Senior Citizens building and have certainly enjoyed meeting face-to-face. New members are always welcome. We meet the first Monday of each month at 11:00am.

We would like to sincerely acknowledge the very generous people from Korumburra and district who gave us \$1408.40 for Red Cross Calling this year. It once again shows how Australians support each other.

The Red Cross Emergency Services Division have recently conducted presentations about the RediPlan which is the Red Cross booklet to prepare everyone for any sort of emergency. If a group would like a presentation, please call Adele on **5655 2691**



## Korumburra Golf Club

The Korumburra Golf Club committee, grounds-staff and volunteers are continually implementing improvements to the course and surrounds. Lately there have been a number of cart paths built to provide a firm surface for cart users and walkers and to prevent damage to the fairways through the wetter weather. The removal of a number of trees has allowed impressive water views from numerous fairways. The club extends its gratitude to Burra



Foods for the generous sponsorship of colourful and apt tee markers, which are special features throughout the course.

The Autumn months have been busy for the golfers with pennant, South Gippsland events as well as our own club golf, including championships, single knock-outs and regular competitions. The club Presentation night will be in late May so will be over by the publication of this article. Congratulations to all the trophy winners and much appreciation is extended to all those who participated to provide competitive and enjoyable events.

Recently the club has seen a growth in memberships and green-fee players as well as an increase in the numbers playing in the competitions on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. It is fantastic that many of our newer members have been regularly participating in the competitions and some taking the step to play in district golf events. [www.korumburragolf.com.au](http://www.korumburragolf.com.au)

The club-house is a comfortable venue with spectacular views and can be utilised for a range of occasions, such as birthdays, weddings, engagements and day-time or evening meetings. The club has a built-in projector and big screen that is readily available for power point presentations for meetings or photo displays for special occasions.



Further details such as membership, green fees, upcoming golf events or hiring the club-house can be obtained phoning John Payne at the club, **5655 1886**, on or like Korumburra Golf Club on Facebook.

## Korumburra District Darts Association

With lock down last year, we are pleased to be back playing again, following COVID safe rules.

We have a few places on teams if anyone wants to come and try darts as a social sport. And cater for all types of plays from beginners. Also have an age range from the young to the young at heart.

We play at the golf club on Monday nights from 7:15 to 10:30. Except public holidays. For more information please ring

Glenn **0417 566 196**

Rob **0497 901 372**

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## Korumburra Swimming Squad

Korumburra's Swimming Squad – the Burracudas – trained in the Korumburra Outdoor Pool over summer. Interclub carnivals were cancelled for the 2020-21 season so the squad concentrated on fun a fitness – a chance for members to refine their swimming technique in a supportive club environment. The season concluded in March.



Current plans are that squad training will restart for the 2021-22 season in September. For information on joining the squad, contact the Squad Manager, Lesley Turton on **0418 547 323**

## Korumburra Indoor Swimming Pool

The Korumburra Indoor Swimming Pool is operating under COVID-safe requirements. Lessons, rehab sessions and private bookings are available.

If you have injuries, medical conditions or are recovering from an accident, you are welcome to join our Rehabilitation and Self-Help sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1.30 – 3 pm for \$2 per session. No bookings are required but patrons are asked to follow social distancing requirements that are in place. Chris will be on hand to assist, supervise and clarify the procedures to keep everyone safe. For further information call the message bank: **5655 1681**

Children's swimming lessons:

For water babies and pre-school lessons contact Kaye Tipping on **5657 3317**;

for school age lessons contact Colette Pearl on **0417 058 154**

For private bookings, call the message bank 5655 1681 or make contact through the Korumburra Indoor Swimming Pool Facebook page.

## Korumburra Bowling Club

The Korumburra Bowling Club is located at 20 Charles Street, in the sporting precinct of town.

We welcome the new committee for the new season of bowls.

Bowls is a challenging game but is able to be played by any age and by anyone which includes people with a disability. Bowls is very simple to play. The club is very inclusive and everyone is welcome.

We provide everything you need to start playing bowls including loan bowls, free coaching, tea nights, weekly social bowls and competition matches.

Make sure you give us a call about the benefits of joining our club. For more details or just come down to our club for a chat please phone our club rooms on **5655 1246**

## Korumburra CWA

Korumburra member June had a win at the Gippsland Hills Group Exhibition this year with her beautiful hanging basket. As a branch Korumburra won the 100 percent participation award.

Membership is open all year round for women of all ages. Joining the association opens up opportunities to learn new skills in craft, cooking, gardening etc, while giving back and helping the community. CWA Korumburra Branch meets on the 2nd Monday of the month at Milpara Community House, We look forward to seeing you.

Regards, Louise Knight



## Anglican Parish of Korumburra & Poowong

### *What's on in the Parish:*

We look forward to the return of the **COMMUNITY MEAL** in the Parish Hall.

**MAINLY MUSIC ...** is happening: Every Wednesday (term time) 9:30am

**KNOW YOUR BIBLE:** Ladies Bible Study group meets Monday 10:00am (term time)  
in St Paul's Hall.

### **ST PAUL'S KORUMBURRA**

### **CHURCH SERVICE TIMES**

**1st** Sunday of the Month

9:30am Family Service

**2nd, 3rd and**

**4th** Sunday of the Month

9:30am Holy Communion

**5th** Sunday of the Month

9:30am All Parish Worship

### **ALL SAINTS POOWONG**

### **CHURCH SERVICE TIMES**

**1st** Sunday of the Month

11am Holy Communion

**3rd** Sunday of the Month

11am Family Service

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## **Korumburra Baptist Church**

Life seem a little less predictable these days. Covid is having a lingering impact along with all the usual ups and downs with which we must all cope. A well-developed Christian faith provides us with great resilience. If we know that a good God is in control of history we need not fear the future. If we know God has provided a way of forgiveness we need not be crushed by our mistakes. If we know God loves and accepts us we need not fear the opinions of others. If we know we have been made in the image of God we need not doubt our worth. If we belong to a caring congregation we need not fear rejection. In these and in many more ways, Christian faith gives us the resources we need to live well even in troubling times.

Only Jesus lived a perfect life, the rest of us are still learning. Why not take some lessons from the Master? His words are available in many modern English translations.

Our congregation continues to meet for Worship at 10.30am each Sunday. We also have mid-week Bible study, playgroup, ladies craft and an art group.

You would be most welcome to join in any of our activities.

Ian Wilkinson                      Pastor                      **5655 2077**

Church address - 39 Mine Road, Korumburra

## **Korumburra Uniting Church**

We are meeting again and enjoying joining in with worship at Glen Waverley Uniting Church. We are doing this via live streaming. The worship we are engaging in is lively

and engaging and thought provoking, just hits the right spot. We're a friendly group of people, and anxious to welcome any people who might be new to the town or the area, or maybe you are just waiting for this invitation. Please seek us out; we would love to have you join our worship. We gather from 10.30 a.m. for a cuppa and our worship begins at 11.00 a.m. We are working towards having a minister in placement, but this is can take some effort.

Janet Wilson, Secretary of Church Council.

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## Korumburra Community Meal

It's back.... So many people have been waiting for the return of the Korumburra Community Meals and we're happy to announce that this function recommenced on Friday June 4.

The Community Meal is usually held on the first Friday of each month. Put it in your calendar and we look forward to seeing you there.



**FREE**  
**community**  
**MEAL**



**1st Friday of the Month**  
**July 2 and August 6**  
Anglican Parish Hall - 5 Bridge Street  
Korumburra  
**5:30 pm**

Join us for a **FREE** monthly community meal to celebrate our vibrant community - families welcome.



**Need a lift to attend?**  
For transport assistance please call 5655 1007

Proudly brought to you by the following community organisations:





Korumburra  
**Landcare**  
Group

Winter is also the time of year where we plant out vast areas on landholders' properties with indigenous species of plants. Landholders have areas to plant out for several reasons, creating habitat corridors, shelter belts for their livestock,

restoration of creek banks, steep unmanageable slopes, slow erosion/landslips or just because they can. These landholders are lucky, being a member of Landcare, they can get access to expert knowledge of plant species, help with what grants are available and help with grant applications, along with volunteer days where lovely people visit your property to help plant your thousands of indigenous plants.



You don't have to own land to become a member, having a passion for the environment, sustainability, flora and fauna, or you are looking into farming, purchasing a large property. Landcare can give you access to like minded people who have knowledge and can help you learn and grow. Find Korumburra Landcare Group on Facebook. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for upcoming events, and a report on Tom Mays a mycologist at Royal Botanic Gardens visit. Happy winter planting !

### ***Council has purchased the Top of the Town site***

In order to facilitate traffic movements and parking arrangements around the new Korumburra Community Hub.

The site was for sale on the open market and Council can now confirm that it is the purchaser.

This strategic land purchase will allow us more scope for improvement of traffic flows and parking around the Korumburra Hub.

Having access to this site means that we can continue our work to implement the Korumburra Town Centre Framework Plan.

With the Hub, the mainstreet works, the railway station site improvements, the Great South Rail Trail extension and hopefully the new supermarket, it is a very exciting time for Korumburra.

*- Anthony Seabrook*

See some site history on Page 13.

Now ONLINE  
Showcasing 20 authors until 2022!

COAL CREEK COMMUNITY PARK AND MUSEUM

# COAL CREEK Literary Festival 2021

Similar to our 2020 Monthly Author in Focus we will be bringing you our

## **Coal Creek Literary Festival 2021 - In Conversation With ...**

which will be uploaded to the Coal Creek website, Youtube and Facebook for the general public to view and enjoy each month for the rest of this year.

*A big bonus of this year's format is it will be possible to showcase over 20 authors, so if you have written a book recently that you would like to publicise, please contact the Coal Creek Literary Festival committee at:*  
[www.coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com](http://www.coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com)

### **COMPETITIONS:**

Bert Van Bedaf Short Story ~ \$500 prize  
Open Poetry ~ \$200 prize

**Entries close 1 October 2021**

### **Coal Creek Community Park & Museum**

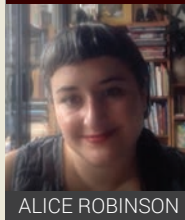
12 Silkstone Road, Korumburra

Phone 03 5655 1811

[coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com](http://coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com)



### **FEATURED AUTHOR:**



ALICE ROBINSON

Our first video interview, with author **Alice Robinson**, can now be viewed on Facebook at [#coalcreekliteraryfestival2021](https://www.facebook.com/coalcreekliteraryfestival2021), on Youtube, and on the Coal Creek website at [www.coalcreekliteraryfestival.com](http://www.coalcreekliteraryfestival.com).



Community Park & Museum



South Gippsland  
Shire Council



**LEGEND**

- Lawn
- Garden bed or mulched area
- Asphalt road
- Footpath
- Freepath
- Rail trail
- Playground soft-fall
- Timber deck, ramp or seating
- Sports court

**KEY**

- 01 New lawn area
- 02 Replace existing public toilets and picnic shelter at end of life.
- 03 New playground facilities
- 04 Upgrade stormwater shed (Phase 2)
- 05 New landscape treatment under eastern bridge
- 06 New skate park (already funded)
- 07 New multi-sports area with basketball/netball tower
- 08 New railway/coal loader-themed playground
- 09 New carpark
- 10 New path connections
- 11 New rail trail (already funded)
- 12 Upgrade existing Korumburra railway station building (Phase 2)
- 13 New station carpark (Phase 2)
- 14 Upgrade existing freight gate
- 15 Upgrade existing freight gate
- 16 Oak woodland
- 17 Upgrade turning circle
- 18 Improve pedestrian connections
- 19 New bus parking
- 20 Existing access road



South Gippsland  
SHIRE COUNCIL

**3 Acres**  
Landscape Architecture

Client  
South Gippsland Shire Council

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**KORUMBURRA RAILWAY PRECINCT Concept Plan**





# COAL CREEK LITERARY FESTIVAL

## Writing Competitions

### **Bert van Bedaf Memorial**

*for a short story of 500 words*

~Open to all ages

\$500 and a trophy for the winning entry

### **Open Poetry Prize**

*for a poem in free or rhyming verse*

*of no more than 20 lines*

~Open to all ages

\$200 for the winning entry

Entries close Friday 1 October 2021

(no late entries accepted).

Entry forms can be found on the Coal Creek website:

**[www.coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com](http://www.coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com)**

### **Entry Fees:**

- \$15 for the Bert van Bedaf Memorial Award
- \$10 for the Open Poetry

Prize winners will be announced 10 October 2021.

*The winning entry in each section will be published on the Coal Creek website.*



### **Coal Creek Community Park & Museum**

12 Silkstone Road, Korumburra

Phone 03 5655 1811

[coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com](http://coalcreekcommunityparkandmuseum.com)



Community Park & Museum



South Gippsland  
Shire Council

## Korumburra Italian Social Club

The Korumburra Italian Social Club located at 38 Bridge St Korumburra.

The Committee aims to plan events for all of the community to enjoy.

We are pleased to announce “We are Back” holding our first “Pizza and Pasta Night” on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June. **This event was Sold Out.** Guest enjoyed traditional homemade pizza, pasta and dessert while entertained by J & C Duo.

We also look forward to holding Local Lyric Theatre Event of “Boggs” on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November.

Our members continue to play cards and tombola (Bingo) once a week. What joy this has brought back.

We hold meetings every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the Month.

It Sadden us that Our Italian Seniors Club has closed. However, wish to let everyone know we still continue to operate it under the Korumburra Italian Social Club. Therefore all luncheons and trips are an open invite to ALL Members at a discounted rate and to the public at full cost.

Luncheons are held every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month and to Call Arc to confirm your place or details.

New members are always welcome so please contact us for details.

Stay tuned on the Burra Flyer for our upcoming events and Facebook for all the details.

Tickets are required for entry to all our event and to be paid prior event to avoid disappointment.



Our Venues are also available to hire for any occasion.

For all enquires contact	Arc Gammaldi	(President)	<b>0419 507 410</b>
	Frank Parini	(Treasure)	<b>0456 056 507</b>
for all tickets	Maria Condoluci	(Vice President)	<b>0437 288 822</b>

Sarina (Secretary) Email : korumburraitaliansocialclub@gmail.com

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## **Korumburra Senior Citizens**

Korumburra Senior Citizens club is slowly gaining momentum again. On the last Thursday of each month we have a very successful coffee morning with a delicious morning tea. Lunches will resume again this month on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month.

Everybody is welcome.

Recently we celebrate our 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday by holding a barbeque. 31 Members attended and 5 representatives of Drouin Seniors joined us. With beautiful music played on his keyboard by Bruce McLaren everybody enjoyed an excellent meal. But as is sure to happen, certain things can go haywire. The industrial oven which had been sleeping peacefully for a year was not impressed and refused to cooperate. Finally, in desperation, the rather large amount of chicken wings were rescued and cooked in two large frypans on the hot plates. Frank Walker did a great job with the barbeque cooking mountains of sausages and rissoles and managing to have them ready to coincide with the reluctant chicken wings. All this went down with fresh salads.

The sweet, 2 enormous apple pies made by Thelma Faragher, were to die for. Eaten with icecream and or cream they made a fantastic end to a very tasty meal.

In fact everybody had dined so well that the afternoon tea was hardly touched and the very rich Birthday cake had to be sliced and taken home.

During the afternoon there was a raffle which had a series of excellent prizes including baskets of goodies. Thanks go to all who made it a great fun day.

President : Janne Grenon

Secretary : Jan McLaren contact: **5655 1458**

## Scrabble Group

*Do you love word games?* Played by millions of people every day, scrabble is a great word game. Currently it's the third most played board game beaten by chess and monopoly only. Everybody knows how to play scrabble, it's an engaging game which stretches your brain to find new words and score high points. We have great fun looking up words to play for the maximum score, especially when you pull out three i's, a q, a v, an l and maybe even the z from the bag. Our vocabulary has certainly grown after all the years of playing!



Our friendly, easy going group of scrabblers meet in the KDCA meeting rooms in Radovick Street (opposite the Middle pub) once a week. We invite new or seasoned scrabblers to come along on Thursday afternoons from 1 pm and join in the fun and fellowship.

Our contact for more information is Nancye: **5658 1835**

## Stamp Club News

Both of Stamp Clubs are again active after Covid. Anderson Inlet Stamp Club meet on the second Wednesday of each month at the Uniting Church in Inverloch starting at 7.30pm. On June the 9th the nights theme will be the letter Q. Then on July the 14th the theme will be the letter R, and August the letter S will be the theme. All are welcome to attend.

The Korumburra Stamp Club meet at the Anglican hall in Bridge Street, Korumburra starting at 7.30pm on the 3rd Thursday of each month. June will be on the 17th. In July it will be on the 15th and of course August is on the 19th. All are welcome. Tea and coffee are available after the meetings of both clubs.

Any queries please contact Peter Treadwell: **9024 0206**



## **Combined PROBUS Club of Coal Creek**

Well, we are up and running again after being “grounded” due to Covid for the best part of last year.

This year we have already enjoyed several trips, including Port Welshpool, William Ricketts Sanctuary, the Saffron Farm at Mirboo North with lunch at Escargot plus a 5 day trip to Warrnambool and surrounds.

Coming up we have a trip to Walhalla, a shopping day to Chadstone, Pakenham Races and Christmas in July.

As you can see we are a very social Club with lunches after our General Meetings and also another lunch during the month. We also have a book exchange for our avid readers.

We try to keep in touch with our Members who are unwell or very elderly, plus give support to Members and their families who lose a loved one. Our Carer and Committee work together to provide a network of support for these and all our Members.

We would love to see more people join our Club. We invite you to come along and see what Probus is all about – enjoying friendship with like-minded people.

### ***SO COME TO A MONTHLY MEETING AND SAY HELLO***

Our meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month commencing at 10am at the **Korumburra Golf Club.**

Contact: Cheryl Routley (President) **5658 1074**  
OR Helen Taylor (Secretary) **5655 2785**

## **Korumburra PROBUS Inc.**

Our Club returned to our wonderful monthly meetings in March 2021, after a twelve month recess. It has been great to catch up with friends and share conversation, stories and laughter.

Nearly fifty Probarians participated in our annual Mystery trip in April, which is always great fun.

Our programme for the winter months includes Christmas in July. We will be heading to the Noojee Hotel, via Yarragon for morning tea. We are also planning a visit to the Rhododendron Gardens in Olinda at the beginning of Spring.

We have guest speakers each month, with our last speaker being a Captain in the Merchant Navy/commercial shipping. He began his career as a deckhand when he was fifteen years old and retired at 71 last year. He had many adventures to tell us, and as he said “nobody fell asleep” which is always a good sign!

We have already welcomed new members this year, and we would be very happy to welcome more. We meet every **second Monday of the month at 10 am**, in the Agricultural Pavilion in the Showgrounds.

Please join us to see if you might like to become a member. You can attend as a visitor for three meetings to help decide whether we are your “cup of tea”.

Please contact Helen Willison, our Secretary on **04 2981 0311** if you have any questions.



*The Mystery Tour group at Point Leo Sculpture Park*

## **Arawata Community Hall News**

The monthly Community dinners at the Arawata Hall have continued to be a pleasant and congenial gathering for a hot meal and a natter. Although attendance has been down a little as the cold dark Winter evenings are upon us, it is lovely to see folks re-engaging socially in 2021. Three new family residents have been welcomed at recent dinners. The lucky attendees at May's dinner shared in a huge box of persimmons brought along by the kind owners of Della Downs Farm in Kardella. The very special gardener at Bushy Brae distributed masses of lovely Chrysanthemums for Mothers Day to sick residents, a very nice gesture too.

The Hall Committee has been hard at work maintaining the Hall and School grounds and planning the next major fundraiser which is the Trivia Night on May 29<sup>th</sup>. The last Trivia Night was in 2019 so there is no winning team engraved on the Trivia Shield for 2020. This years' winning team can claim a double dose of glory ! The





challenge has been sent out to Loch, Bena, Ruby and Poowong to send their best Trivia team to compete.

Some special events are in the planning stage for second half of 2021 including the very successful Arawata Pet Day likely to be held in October.

Lend a hand, provide an ear, share a smile ... therein lies the community spirit.

## Bena Hall

The Committee of Bena Hall held its' Annual General Meeting on the 11<sup>th</sup>. April and it is pleasing to report that the Committee remains unchanged for another year, demonstrating yet again the terrific teamwork and dedication of all 11 of the Committee Members to running and maintenance of our beloved hall.

In April at our first concert for 15 months the talented duo "Mental As Everything" performed a two part show. The first half both entertained and educated us about the topical subject of mental health and how people deal with anxiety, confusion, humour and many emotions in their daily lives that can affect their behaviour and personal relationships. The second half was just brilliant pop music that had the audience calling for more.

A treasured possession at Bena Hall is our piano. Sadly, there has never been a piano stool for pianists who give of their best at our concerts. That has now changed thanks to the generosity of Neil & Lorraine Perry who are avid patrons to the Café Culture shows. A quality stool now enhances the stage with the piano and the Committee is most appreciative of this wonderful gesture.

Young local family man Matt Burns has generously taken over the mowing at our hall which in the past has always been done by volunteers on a roster system, which mostly works very well. Matt has noticed that most of the volunteers are aged and he wished to ease our workload and keep the hall surrounds tidy and professional. I urge you stop for a brief chat with Matt when you see him and tell him what a great job he is doing. He will not bite.



A reminder that to be "first in best dressed" for upcoming hall events, as we hopefully get back up to speed, call any of our Committee to have your name added to our email register. This will help us to reduce printing and mail out costs, save much time and improve booking efficiency.



## Korumburra Scout Group

What an exciting Term one and two the Group has had, lots of new faces joining the group along with the same familiar faces.

All of the sections have been out enjoying the local area and doing activities they love with activities for everyone.

Joey's have had fun Bike riding water fun and touring around the local Korumburra town area.

Cubs have been navigating, knot tying and achieved a hike through the mount worth state park.

Scouts have been hiking down at Cape Woolamai, Knot tying nights, I'm a scout Get me Out of here, Fun and Crazy nights.

All sections participated in clean up Australia Day.

Our Group was given the opportunity to sleep at the scout hall in the lead up to Anzac Day, this brought the kids together and brought a great scene of Gratitude for what the Anzacs and other service people had done before us.

The scouts enjoyed a camp called Corroboree over Easter where there were lots of activities, including abseiling, rock climbing food colour fights and much more.

The cubs also attended a camp just after Easter called Cuboree where they mixed with other cub groups from around Victoria.

The Kids, big and small thoroughly enjoyed these camps and although they came home with a big pile of wet muddy washing the smile and memories are what makes them smile and go again.

Congratulations to our badge recipients

Joey Section                      Henry Stuckey Joey scout Promise badge

Scout Section                    Danni Amor on achieving her Green Cord  
Ryan Zuidema on achieving his Blue cord

All of our sections have room for new people wanting to come and enjoy some fun.

Some Nights we meet at the scout hall (39 Queen Street Korumburra) other nights we might explore the local area, nothing too far though.

Joey Scouts	5-8 years	Tuesday nights
Cub Scouts	8-11 years	Thursday
Scouts	11-15 years	Tuesdays
Coal Creek Venturers	Currently in Recess	
Leadership roles	for those over 18years	

Please contact Shane Moodie **0417 127 420**  
In regard to times and leaders in charge.





*Joey's Cubs and Scouts representing 2<sup>nd</sup> Korumburra at Korumburra Primary schools ANZAC Day Presentation service.*

## **Korumburra RSL - Round Up ANZAC Day**

Our ANZAC Day service commenced this year with our Sub-Branch attended the local Football/Netball club at the showgrounds where we were privileged to present several ANZAC medallions to "Best On the Ground" player. This culminated in a moving service conducted in the evening before a packed Grandstand. ANZAC day itself witness a return to our traditional dawn service and breakfast conducted at Coleman Park Several hundred attendees participated despite the rain. A great effort. This was supplemented by our 10:30 Service. For the first time, to our knowledge, this event was supported by a Sentry Party provided by Sailors from HMAS Cerberus and an RAAF flyover from RAAF Sale. Additional services were conducted at Carinya Lodge and the Korumburra Secondary College.

### ***Honour Roll Dedication***

This was a very special event, as the Korumburra Primary school have not had their history or involvement in WW1 and WW2 acknowledged previously. This event was the culmination of three years of research for our RSL. The event was broadcast live via the internet, and also appeared on the local television /radio news. Well done to all who participated.

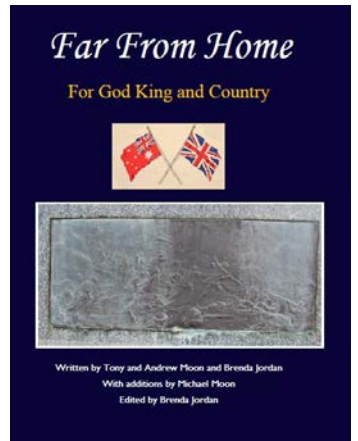


### ***New Fence***

Progress is steady for our new fence program. It has always been the intent of our sub-branch to install an appropriate fence with a memorial garden. The concrete has been poured, the bricks procured and the fence itself design. Watch this space for further progress.

### ***New Book***

We spoke last issue about our new book “Far from Home: For God King and Country”. The new book highlights the fate of our local servicemen and woman who gave their lives during WW1, WW2 and up to contemporary times. Each copy of For God King and Country has 747 pages. Each book is a “Hard Back” and filled with both colour and black/white imagery.



### ***What's on the Horizon***

Looking at our calendar we are thinking of some new an interesting events. Some of these include, opening up the RSL Hall on Wednesday of Friday afternoons for Coffee & chat. This will be a regular activity, as will monthly movie nights in the hall. Some outings being planned include, a trip to the Shrine of Remembrance, the Vietnam Veterans museum at Phillip island and the RAAF base Sale. We will also be inviting guest speakers on a variety of topics. All welcome Further inquires

David Jackson: **0474 136 469**

Tony Moon: **0490 376 327**

Perry Neil: **0498 087 571**

## Milpara Community House

It's fantastic to be able to get out and about again following such a long period of restrictions due to COVID. We've seen the return of many familiar faces, and welcomed some new ones too.

Now that the weather is turning colder (and wetter) it's time to think about how you would like to spend your time. We've got some great sessions, in warm surrounds, with good company. One of these is our Games, Puzzles, Crossword and more....bring along your favourite brain activity, or just bring yourself and enjoy sharing time and conversation while you play games or put puzzles together. We've also got Art with Gayle on Tuesday mornings, Crafts and Cards with Barb of Friday afternoons, and Social Mahjong Monday evenings, or Wednesday mornings.

Milpara Community House is part of a larger network of Neighbourhood Houses and we've been able to link in with Good Shepherd to assist people to lodge their claim for the \$250 Power Saving Bonus. If you haven't made your claim yet, and would like some help, give us a call, or come in to visit and we'll get the process underway for you. See the contact details below.

We've also linked with KidsSafe Victoria to bring Safe Seats Safe Kids to Korumburra. It's frightening to know that 70 per cent of car child restraints are not correctly installed and this poses a serious risk to a child's safety each time they are on the road. On average, six children under the age of 13 are killed, and around 160 are seriously injured in vehicles on Victorian roads each year. If you'd like to have your child car restraints checked, give us a call, or send an email to [safeseatssafekids@kidssafevic.com.au](mailto:safeseatssafekids@kidssafevic.com.au) to book your place when the fitters come to Korumburra. The first session is set for Monday 21 June, between 10 am and 2 pm. Appointments are essential. Don't stress if you miss our on the first session, they'll be taking names to set another date.

Women in the Shed got underway recently. This is a 6 week course, just for the gals, and is designed to help women build their confidence and capacity to use hand and power tools as they work on projects involving timber, tiles and metal. If you'd like to know more, or may be interested in taking part in a future session, give us a call on **5655 2524**.

A big shout out to the guys in the **Korumburra Men's Shed** for making the space available to us to offer this workshop, it is truly appreciated and we couldn't have done this without your support.



Milpara 56552524 21 Shellcot Road, Korumburra VIC 3950

[milpara@dcsi.net.au](mailto:milpara@dcsi.net.au) [milparacommunityhouse.org.au](http://milparacommunityhouse.org.au)

## Korumburra Men's Shed

\$5 per session \*

A place for men to dabble, create, chat, watch, exchange knowledge or just enjoy the mateship. You don't have to be handy. Just willing to make new friends.

The Old Goods Shed  
(behind Post Office)

Tuesday 9:30 am - 1 pm  
Wednesday 9:30 am - 3 pm



## Korumburra Men's Shed (& Women) Hospital Garden

Korumburra Hospital Grounds.

Thursday 9 am - 12 noon

Contact: Neil 0458 422 412



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## Coal Creek Farmers Market

We are seeking reviews of our monthly event and would like your opinion. Could you please give us a [facebook](#) score and leave a brief comment. For a small country farmers market we really do appreciate all the amazing support we get for our producers and local community groups.



then 11th July  
and 14th August



CARINYA AGED CARE

# LOOKING FOR PEOPLE TO LEND AN EAR TO THE RESIDENTS

We are currently looking for members of the community to participate in our newest program "Carinya Buddies".

Our program aims to enrich the lives of our residents, promote resident well-being and give company to those who may not receive regular visits with a one on one approach.

The eligibility is quiet simple... Over 18, great listeners, people who are up for a chat and laugh, caring, understanding and have some time.

If you are interested in participating in our Carinya Buddies please email [sarah@carinyalodge.com.au](mailto:sarah@carinyalodge.com.au) for more information.

Please note all applications will require a current police check.



**Carinya** is a not-for-profit, age care facility, with forty-eight independent living Units and a sixty-bed assisted living Lodge. Overlooking the beautiful rolling hills surrounding Korumburra situated in Carinya Crescent.

Carinya Lodge is in the final stage of its multimillion-dollar development, this section is the administration offices, hairdresser, communal area and multipurpose room. All the residents' rooms have been refurbished. Work is expected to be completed by December 2021. Also, the independent living is in the process of starting to build four new Units two, two -bedroom units and two, three- bedroom units. We are awaiting to hear if we have been successful with a development grant for the purposed parkland/ walking track area adjoining the Lodge and some of the Units.

If you are considering moving to a retirement living village or you are in need of an assisted living arrangement don't hesitate to give Carinya a call. **5655 2125**

# KORUMBURRA ROUND TABLE

We hope you are enjoying your read of this winter edition of the Burra Flyer!

The Round Table continues to work away on the things that matter most in our town. We are excited that the 'Turning of the first sod' for the Korumburra Hub will happen in a few months, with the winning submission for 'name the hub' to be announced very soon. It is worth remembering that a very popular 'meet the team and have your questions answered' day was held for the community when the concept designs were first released, at which the architects and major projects officers from the council were present. And since that time local council has continued to meet with the major stakeholder groups – including our neighbourhood house, the library and the senior citizens – to ensure that they are kept fully apprised of progress on the hub, as the project continues.

The rail trail is still on track to be completed by the end of the year, with the bridge work being contracted out to a local firm, and people are already out walking their dogs on parts of the path.

And finally, the Round Table, along with the Korumburra Business Association, continues its negotiations with Bendigo Bank, following the highly successful 'Save our last remaining bank' crisis meeting, held down at the Rec Centre last month. As this publication goes to print, we are hopeful that a physical bank presence will remain in Korumburra.



## *Korumburra Round Table ...*

To finish on a historical note, it is now more than eight years since the very first meeting of the Round Table was held. Since that time we have continued to advocate as strongly as we can for the people of Korumburra, particularly in terms of state and federal government grants our group is able to attract to the town.

The strong and ongoing connection between the community and the Round Table, and then the Round Table and the Shire represents a unique model of community-driven advocacy and service. We hope you agree that the formation of our group, which regularly goes in to bat for the 17 groups represented at its meetings as well as the broader community more generally, is worth having.

Stay warm! Pee-Wee Lewis, President. [korumburraroundtable@gmail.com](mailto:korumburraroundtable@gmail.com)

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## **Korumburra Business Association**

Imagine Korumburra and surrounds and in your mind, picture our small businesses.

Now, imagine it without any small business.

Instantly, the area loses everything that makes it unique and brings charm.

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### **HOW WE SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY**

The Korumburra Business Association (KBA) represents and advocates on behalf of our local businesses and services. The KBA aims to create mutual support among members in order to encourage businesses in our community to prosper.

Run by a committee of volunteers the KBA oversees projects, events and initiatives, through the strategic partnerships with our Business and Community organisations, and is proud to work with the South Gippsland Shire Council, The Korumburra Round Table, Community and Sporting groups.

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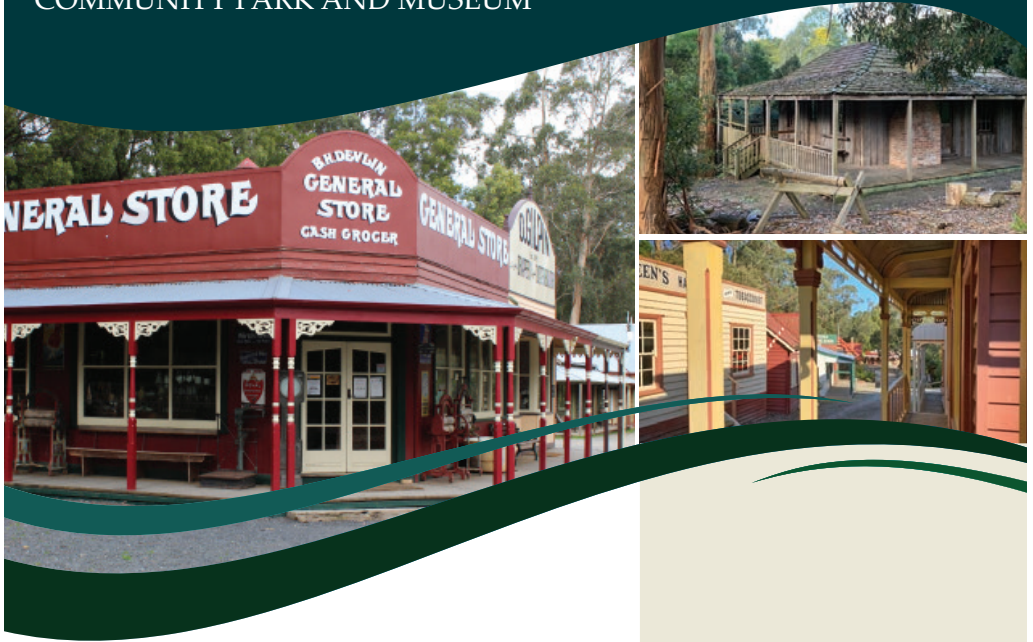
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