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This Autumn Issue of The Burra Flyer is brought to you by the local businesses advertised herein. The booklet is produced by a small team of volunteers and the Like Minds class at Korumburra Secondary College. Thanks to the work done by Sadie & Bill Jansen for this edition. Enjoy! You can also read the Flyer on our website along with other information for exploring Korumburra and surrounds.

Syd Whyte, KCDA President.

Like Minds Editorial

The Like Minds students of KSC have had a fantastic start to 2023! With a new group of Year 7s starting in our class this year, we have all quickly gotten to know each other. In Maths, we have started the year learning measurement. In English, we are reading 'To Kill A Mockingbird', and we also watched a documentary about kids around the world who aren't as fortunate as us. In Science we have all received our Bunsen Burner license, something that we all looked forward to greatly. In Humanities, we have been learning about maps and BOLTSS (border, orientation, legend, title, source and scale), and we have all chosen a city around the world to research about. In P.E, we have been doing some athletics training for our carnival coming up, like high jump, javelin, shot put and some fun little games at the end of each session. And of course we have been busy putting together this Autumn edition of The Burra Flyer. Like minds is off to a great start so far, and we are looking forward to the rest of the year.



KCDA Editorial

As president of the KCDA I'd like to submit this Burra Flyer. We desperately need more members to pick up some of the jobs that are going to be difficult to fill with the loss of Sadie Jansen, with all of the tasks being extensive. Roles performed by Sadie for the KCDA include advertising, Burra Flyer bureau, Welcome Kits, brochure, procurement of same, cleaning KCDA facility, treasurer, collecting rent, room bookings. Some of the roles have been combined in the short term, hence we are eager to attract new members to pick up some of these roles. The committee heartily thanks Sadie and Bill Jansen for all of their support, and they will be sadly missed. I would like to also thank Shirley Cowling for all the work organising the Australia Day event at Coleman Park. This was totally organised in every facet by Shirley. We were entertained by the Wonthaggi Brass Band, and soloist Jesse as well as Jaron & Chris Natoli. Korumburra Lions managed the BBQ and Koringal donated shortbread biscuits.

The 500 club

The 500 club meet at the Poowong Football clubrooms every Tuesday at 1.30pm, play 500 with a break at 3.30 for afternoon tea with tea and coffee being available, all are welcome.



Even if you cannot play we can instruct on the games rules and how to play. A cost of \$4 which helps the Poowong Football club and the cost of said afternoon tea.

For any further detail ring Peter on 90240206

Country Women's Association

The Korumburra branch of CWA is excited for a new year of fundraising and friendship!



During 2023 we hope to host some events and welcome new faces, we're a friendly group of ladies so please don't be afraid to come along and say hello!

We meet at Milpara on the second Monday of the month at 1pm, please follow us on Facebook for updates and happenings: CWA Korumburra Branch.

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The South Gippsland Group of the Australian Plants Society

Is a small friendly group focusing on knowledge of Australian Native plants, species endemic to the South Gippsland area and plants from other areas growing in our local gardens.

We meet most months of the year in halls around the Leongatha/Inverloch area with a presenter . There is always a table ready for a display of the beautiful plants and flowers growing in our gardens and member contributions to name the plants, discuss growing requirements and growing conditions. A friendly relaxed way to learn about Australian native plants. Past activities have included Fungi identification walks, book launch meetings, members' Australian travel talks and occasional week-ends away to other Victorian regions incorporating visits to other Australian Plants Society groups.

Plant discovery, friendship, and sharing of knowledge are key features of our group activities.

Membership also provides a group discount on the purchase of Neutrog fertilizers including Bush Tucker, a product especially formulated for growing Australian native plants, plus other products in their range.

To join our South Gippsland group, email southgippsland@apsvic.org.au

Some special upcoming events to consider and attend:

Meeting 8 March 2023 – 2 speaker presentations

Illawarra Grevillea Park Botanic Garden &

Native born poet, Grace Carmichael 1867- 1904

When: Wednesday, 8th March

Where: Koonwarra Memorial Hall, 4 Koonwarra-Inverloch Rd, Koonwarra

Time: 1.30 PM

RSVP required: <https://www.trybooking.com/CFQLE>

Entry Fee: Gold coin donation

John Elton is the Illawarra Grevillea Park Botanic garden manager and will introduce the garden and his work there.



Patersonia occidentalis

Korumburra Landcare group



Autumn is here, although the way the weather has been it has felt like we went straight from Spring into Autumn and forgot about Summer. A new year with a new committee, welcoming Jim Ahon as President, and Rosemary Lyne as Secretary, changes for the better have already taken place behind the scenes.

March is your last chance to give blackberry the shove, before it goes dormant for the colder months. Autumn is a perfect time to get around your property, ensure all fences are still standing and secure before it gets too wet and boggy, that's if your land ever dried out from the rains of 2022!!!

Our first function for 2023 will be a Farm Walk on Paul and Liz Calverts property in Outtrim on Saturday 25th March, with a bbq lunch. Paull and Liz planted 6000 trees, shrubs and grasses back in 2016. Although this planting is still young, it is quite dense. This is a great opportunity for new landholders, to come along and ask lots of questions, on revegetation, help get some ideas and motivation to make the best use of your land, the parts too steep for cattle or crops. RSVP korumburralland-care@gmail.com

Keep an eye out as we may have some fantastic and in high demand guest speakers coming up in the near future. As the next few months roll on, Korumburra Landcare members will be preparing for the planting season, things quickly ramp up. Check out our Facebook page for updates on functions and planting days



Milpara Korumburra's Community House



It's with much excitement that we watch the Korumburra Community Hub building progressing. While we can't say for certain when Milpara Community House will be moving in, we can say it's likely to occur during the time of this editions of Burra Flyers – super exciting! This is a huge change and we'll endeavor to make the transition as smooth as possible.

Milpara will still be delivering everything that our community expects, no matter which location we are. The new venue with modern facility and larger training rooms will provide really comfortable spaces as well as scope for new activities too. Milpara Office will be down stairs, along with Services Australia (Centrelink), Counselling Room, Foodbank and a wonderful shared Flexi Room with kitchen. Rooms we use for a number of our activities will be on the top floor along with the library and historic society. It's fantastic that you can enter the building from either level, and for those concerned about getting between the two levels, be reassured there will be a lift to make that simple.

Milpara Korumburra's Community House has a variety of activities, social groups, courses and classes running throughout the school terms. We also have an Emergency Foodbank open during business hours, Services Victoria (Centrelink) Agent limited hours, visiting services and can assist with photocopying, print and general information. Please check out our website www.milparacommunityhouse.org.au, Facebook Page 'Milpara Community House' or call our friendly staff on 5655 2524 for more information or bookings.

Much thanks,

Belinda Nicholls

Program Coordinator

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Happy New year to all!

Prior to Christmas, many of us enjoyed a trip to Chadstone to stock up on Christmas goodies and enjoy the beautiful decorations. We had a break for a couple of weeks after our Club Christmas lunch, then took a trip to the Dandenongs on a very rainy day to enjoy a delicious High Tea (many people took leftovers home).

Coming up we have a trip on the Tramboat up the Maribyrnong River to Poynton's Nursery with a gourmet sandwich lunch. In March we are doing a trip on Puffing Billy including a 2 course Seniors lunch. In May we have a 5 day silo trip based in Echuca.

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 plus our popular footy tipping comp.

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 3rd Tuesday of the month commencing at 10 am at the KORUMBURRA GOLF CLUB.

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We have fun exercising our brains by trying to make some good scoring words with the seven letters picked out of a bag. If you pulled out the letters c r a b l e and added them to a word with an s you could indeed make the word scrabble, scoring a bonus fifty points. Using all your seven letters to make a word is very satisfying. Making a seven-letter word near the end of the game even more so but not a priority. As one of our members often says 'we are not playing for sheep stations'. We just enjoy an afternoon of fun and fellowship.

(An afternoon's session with some of our members at the Access Centre)

We have a sheet of two letter words, and we sometimes use a dictionary. We may use these before playing a word that sounds plausible, especially after drawing out certain combinations of letters. Often a comment is made how we would use that word in a sentence, which is quite a comical challenge!

So, whether you have played before or not, come along and join us in a game that has been enjoyed by many people all over the world for over seventy years.



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It was with great joy and gusto that we welcomed in the 2022 holiday season with our Christmas concert on 27 November. As well as some beautiful and moving pieces, our audience joined us in singing some traditional Carols. We were all treated to a rare solo performance of the moving *O Holy Night* by our Musical Director, Jen Holm

We returned from our summer break with great enthusiasm (and surprisingly strong voices) on 8 February, with some new singers joining us to see what we are all about. We have begun working on some Andrew Lloyd Webber pieces, including a selection from *Les Miserables* and the haunting– *Pie Jesu* from “Requiem”. As well, we are tackling some Nursery Rhymes, cheekily arranged to sound very different from how we learned them as children!

We will (health orders permitting) be conducting our two concerts, one in June and another in November or December. However, we are hoping to resume our pre Covid practice of also joining in with community events.

Experience is not essential to join our choir. We learn by ear so there is no pre requisite to be able to read music. We welcome anyone who wants to just come along for a couple of weeks to see if this is for you.

We meet at the Dakers Centre,
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If you would like further information contact Kerry Rogers
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11 SEPTEMBER

9 OCTOBER

13 NOVEMBER

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South Gippsland Shire Brass Band.

The Hills were alive with the Sounds of Christmas Carols, as the local Bands worked overtime to fill the air with the lovely sounds of Christmas for the wide community. A mighty effort from all the talented musicians across South Gippsland.



The South Gippsland Shire Brass Band has enjoyed performing at many venues during the past three months, including the Woorayl Lodge Fete, the Pleasant Sunday Afternoon at Scot's Church, Mardan South, the Leongatha Community Market, the 'Carols at the Drome', and playing Christmas Carols at Koorooman House, Leongatha Hospital, on Christmas Eve.

2023 has got off to a busy start with performances at the Australia Day Ceremonies at both McIndoe Park, Leongatha, and the Pound Creek Fire Brigade.

The Band would warmly welcome any Brass players, or anyone wanting to learn. We provide training for young and mature age people wanting to learn a brass instrument and be part of a Brass Band. You're never too old to start, and there are very positive health and social benefits

Band rehearses at the old Leongatha Court House on Wednesday evenings from 7:30–9pm. Contact: Darryl Hunt, President. 0407 444 210.

South Gippsland Shire Brass Band entertaining the crowd at 'Woorayl Lodge Fete'



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2nd Korumburra Scout Group

Scouts is back in full swing this year!!!

To start the year our scouts along with other local groups have had an exciting 2 day hike along the Great Southern Rail Trail, walking with hike packs from Korumburra to Meeniyan! Over the 2 days, the Scouts walked a total of 34kms!! This involved these children camping the night at the Leongatha scout hall , creating their own culinary feast. Everyone had a great time, although some tiredness was accepted!



The Cubs are getting familiar with their camping equipment, this will prepare them for the CUBORREE later this year. A 5 day camp for children aged 8-11 who are invested in scouting with lots of cool adventures to participate in. The Joeys have had some water fun, in preparation for South Gippsland districts water/ founders day.

These groups have room to accept new members and the programs have some very exciting experiences for their youth. We are still collecting Lemons and attend the Coal creek farmer market. These fundraising options allow us to support our youth on various camps and activities. Thankyou to the community for their continued support.

We are always happy to welcome new members, helping them to grow and understanding the impact they can have on the rest of their community. Please email Shane to find out more information at gl.2ndkorumburra@scoutsvictoria.com.au

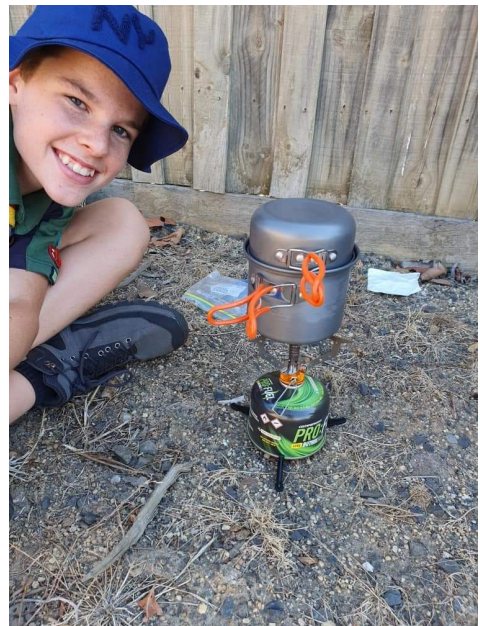
Our sections are:

Joeys is for children aged 5-8

Cubs is for children aged 8-12

Scouts is for youth aged 12—15.

Venturers is for youth aged 15 to 18.



Korumburra Uniting Church

We meet at 10.00 a.m. each Sunday. Not always at Korumburra though, so we need to be tuned in.

You will find a small group of friendly, welcoming people who would give any new people wishing to join the group, and visitors, a warm welcome.

The World Day of Prayer, held each year on the first Friday in March, will this year take place at the Uniting Church in Korumburra at 7.30 p.m. For those who can't make this time, and for those folks in the Poowong area, there will be a gathering, at the Uniting Church at 11.00 a.m.

Going back to the weekly worship times, gatherings are at 10.00 a.m.

March 5th: Holy Communion at Poowong.

March 12th: Worship at Korumburra.

March 19th: Worship at Korumburra.

March 26th: Worship at Leongatha Uniting Church at 10.00 a.m.

April 2nd: Worship at Poowong.

April 7th: Good Friday at Poowong 10.00 a.m.

April 9th: Sunrise (6.30 a.m.) at Arawata.

Holy Communion at Korumburra at 10.00 a.m.

April 16th: Worship at Korumburra.

April 23rd: Worship at Korumburra.

April 30th: Worship at Arawata 10.00 a.m.

May 7th: Holy Communion at Poowong.

May 14th: Worship at Korumburra.

May 21st: Worship at Korumburra.

May 29th: Worship at Korumburra.

The welcome mat is out, come join us. For further information contact Janet Wilson, Secretary of Church Council.

janet.wil@outlook.com or 0409 248 603



Korumburra Bowling Club



Our Club is situated at 20 Charles Street, just opposite the Showgrounds. We have approximately 75 members. Currently we have two teams in Midweek Pennant – Division 1 and Div 3 and Saturdays there are 3 teams – Divisions 1, 2 and 4. Our midweek Twilight Bowls has been very popular held Wednesday evenings commencing 6 .30 pm. Names in by 6 o'clock – just call the Club on 56551246 and Peter Hearn or Mick Manning will happily put you in a team. Anyone can play on this evening and a lot of fun is had, even music to bowl to.

Our Club also runs a Traders event for about 8 weeks during the summer and this is also a very popular event. Some very good bowlers in the making are there to show their process.

We held a beautiful Christmas dinner prepared by our Chef Keith March and his very able helpers. There were some 80 + folk that thoroughly enjoyed that scrumptious meal.

Tommy Brown was extremely busy in the weeks leading up to our yearly Christmas Hamper raffle – Tommy does an amazing job selling raffle tickets for us and a very good profit was made.

On the long weekend in March our Club is holding the annual Jack and Mary Wrench mixed pairs event. This has been very popular the last 6 years and will be again no doubt.

More news in the next edition.



Our Club Champions
Robert Cosson and Joanna Lomagno



Winners of Les and Jessie Chapman Australia Day 4's—Col Underwood, George Hams, Bob Snooks, Peter Spark and organiser Ken Cecil

Friends of Korumburra Botanic Park Inc.



We continue to actively work to promote the Park in association with South Gippsland Shire Council.

Many thanks to South Gippsland Shire Council for providing a Small Grant for the sum of \$833.00 to enable us to rehabilitate the "Paperbark Drain" area near the Rotunda. The Shire Contractor Envirogain will spray the Ivy shortly and then our volunteers will plant 530 Indigenous plants from Wonthaggi Seed Bank Nursery in the drain site late Autumn/early winter.

We have continued working on cutting & painting blackberries in part of a sizeable bush area in the Botanic Park and east of the Rotunda. Pictures on our Facebook page show the improvement.

We anticipate being involved in one or two events in the Park soon. More information to be announced shortly.

We are now pressing forward with increasing our membership (now at 23 members) and are developing a Strategy Plan for our group in consultation with Barbara Look

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Korumburra Horticultural Society

Although we are not holding regular meetings at present, our remaining members still individually and actively support neighboring clubs, and events such as:

National Eucalypt Day.

This is when our great gum trees are celebrated annually on (or near) March 23.

Here in South Gippsland, the day was initiated by KHS and local gum guru, Richard Lester, five years ago. It has since grown substantially and is now auspiced by the very active Friends of Korumburra Botanic Park.

One of FOKBP's members recently gave the Park a young Strzelecki gum, a local type that needs re-propagating to save it from possible extinction. We decided to make it our first 'Feature Gum' to try to encourage people with farms and big gardens to preserve what they may have, and plant new ones.

We'll have more on this local tree (and hopefully some sources of tube stock) at two National Eucalypt Day events: Open days at Dick Lester's Mardan garden and a guided tour of Korumburra Botanic Park on the weekend of March 25 and 26.

For full details please see the poster that goes with these notes. The gum leaves are the work of noted botanic artist Vicki Philipson – who happens to be the person who gave the Park its Strzelecki!

KHS members appreciate the support and enthusiasm of the people who've helped develop and grow this local focus on National Eucalypt Day.



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RSL

Thanks to James **Clifford Painting and Decorating** for exterior painting of the hall.

New windows being installed shortly - Thank you to **Hayden Glass & NKA Carpentry & Maintenance**.

RSL Plant Sale at the Hall March 25th 800hrs to 1300hrs.

ANZAC Appeal coming up.

ANZAC Day Dawn service and Morning services at Coleman Park Plus Midday service at Poowong Cenotaph.

BBQ lunch at the rooms after the services

Hall open Thursday 1300hrs – 1500hrs Come by for a chat and a cuppa.

Billiards / Snooker starting soon Fridays 1900hrs – 2300hrs

Membership available to service clubs and the general public.

Grants being applied for maintenance and updating facilities.

Welcome back - WOW girls / Tai Chi exponents / Stringz Costero rehearsals and a special welcome to Smart Paws Dog Obedience Training

Thank you, *David Jackson Pres.*

Korumburra RSL Sub Branch

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Korumburra Friends of Red Cross

Our group has been fairly quiet over the holiday season. We continue to have our meetings on the first Monday of each month and would welcome new members. Our contact point is korumburra-redcross@gmail.com if anyone is interested on joining us.

We would like to thank the Korumburra RSL for their donation of \$200. It was greatly appreciated.

The Red Cross Emergency Services South Gippsland Division is in the process of more volunteer training in emergency preparedness and all activities related to that. If preparedness awareness information is something you might be interested in, please contact the email address above.



Citizen's Advisory Bureau



Sir Stanley Savage—The Founder of Legacy

Legacy grew out of the Ashes of World War 1. Over 60 000 Service personnel were killed during the War and more than 150 000 were wounded. Many of these died soon after.

Realising the dire circumstances of the tens of thousands of veterans, widows and children left behind, those who returned set out to help them. In 1923, Major General Sir John Gellibrand formed the Remembrance Club in Hobart. Another returning soldier, Lieutenant General Sir Stanley Savage was inspired to establish another club in Melbourne. This club was named Legacy and it is celebrating its Centenary this year.

There is a local connection to Sir Stanley Savage, he was born in Morwell on 26 June 1890. The family originally lived in Korumburra. He left Korumburra Primary School at the age of 12 to work as a blacksmith's striker. He joined the School's Junior Cadets (Scouts) as a Bugler. The family moved from Korumburra to Prahran in 1907.

He had an interest in community work and soldiering serving as a senior cadet and scout master between 1907 and 1915. He enlisted in the AIF on 6 March 1915 and landed in Gallipoli in September 1915, he received a series of promotions and was commissioned at Lone Pine on 9 November 1915. He commanded one of his Battalion's rear-guard parties the following month. He was then posted to France where he saw action in a number of the great battles and was awarded the Military Cross. In 1918, he volunteered to go to Palestine as part of Dunsterforce where he received the Distinguished Service Order for protecting refugees while under fire.

He passed away on 15 June 1954 and the Rotary Club of Korumburra erected a gate in his honour in Coleman Park in 1955, My wife and I and a couple of our Legacy widows dropped into the park a little while ago. Some of you will know this of course but the park is quite pretty and the memorial from World War 1 is impressive.
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Karmai Children's Centre

Karmai Community Children's Centre is a centralised children's service located in Korumburra.

We pride ourselves on supporting Korumburra community and surrounds.

We are a not-for-profit organisation specialising in Long Day Care, Kindergarten programs and Out of School Hours Care.

We exist to make a meaningful difference in the lives of all children and their families in our community.

The programs we offer are:

- Long day care – providing care from 6 weeks of age up until 5 years of age.
- 3-year-old Kindergarten.
- 4-year-old Kindergarten.
- Out of School Hours Care – 5 years to 12 years.
- Vacation care.

We are passionate about our community and over the coming months you will see us all out and about visiting our parks, library, emergency services and the boarder community.



Photo of our recent involvement in the Korumburra Show

Korumburra Medical Centre

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The Life! group course comprises seven sessions run across a 12-month period.

The introduction session (1 hour) is a one on-one between the participants and their Life! facilitator where participants can ask questions and learn more about the program.

Group sessions are 1.5-2 hours.

The first four group sessions are run fortnightly

Session five is at six months and the final session takes place 12 months after starting the program.

The group environment gives participants the support and motivation they need to reach their health goals.

Tania and Michelle are our Life! Facilitators here at the Korumburra medical centre. They are keen to get this program back up and running post covid, commencing mid-March, 2023.

You can check whether you are eligible for the Life! program by doing a simple online test at lifeprogram.org.au/test or speak to your GP. If you are eligible, you do not need to be a patient of the clinic to attend the program.

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Anglican Parish of Korumburra & Poowong

What's on in the Parish:

CHURCH SERVICE TIMES:

St Paul's Korumburra

2nd, 3rd and 4th Sunday of the Month: 9.30am Holy Communion
1st Sunday of the Month: 9.30am Family Service

5th Sunday of the Month: 9.30am All Parish Worship every Wednesday 11.00am Holy Communion

February 22nd 11.00am Ash Wednesday Service

Join us during Lent for Holy Communion with Bible Study, commences March 1st.

All Saints Poowong

1st Sunday of the Month: 11.00am Holy Communion,

3rd Sunday of the Month: 11.00am Family Service,

Everyone is invited to the Parish Community Dinners on the 1st Friday of every month at 5.30pm in the Parish Hall on Bridge Road. Our next dinner will be held on March 3rd. There will be music and conversation and it is free to everyone.

The Poowong Community Garden which is part of All Saints Church is open for everyone to enjoy, including picking the seasonal vegetables as you need them.

Join with the Combined Churches on Good Friday on the high point of ground next to the highway at 11.30am for the Gathering at the Cross. And on Easter Day at the Pioneer Chapel in Poowong at 6.30am as we rejoice in the glory of our Risen Lord.

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Works and directions that are being actively pursued are:

1. Using CC as the venue for major and community events.
2. Structural engineer assessment of 13 high priority buildings.
3. Remediation of the trains and rail system.
4. Opening up the auditorium for use as a white-wall gallery.
5. Developing the remaining tourist information centre elements at the Park, with interactive displays.
6. Heritage buildings populated with skilled artisans and workshops.
7. Re-establishment of volunteer program.

THANK YOU KIM AND YOUR TEAM.

Interested in becoming a member? Visit our Facebook page, or phone Shirley on 0400976248



Korumburra Baptist Church

39 Mine Road, Korumburra

We meet each Sunday at 10.30am for worship. At the same time we have our weekly Sunday school for primary aged children. The service is followed by a cuppa and chat.



During the week we have the following activities:

Bible Study each Wednesday evening at the church at 7.30pm.

Playgroup for preschool children meets on Tuesday mornings at 10am in the hall behind the church. For all enquiries, ring Jenny on 0491075449.

Men's Coffee meets in Kelly's Bakery at 10am each Monday.

The Rail Trailers' walking group meets each Thursday morning at 10am at the picnic shed near the rail trail for a walk, finishing with a cuppa at Kelly's Bakery.

Ladies' Craft meets in the hall on the first Wednesday of the month at 9.30am. Bring along your own activity and enjoy chatting with others.

Burra Artists meet on the fourth Thursday each month in the hall at 2pm.

You would be most welcome at any of these activities.

Easter will soon be with us. Easter is a great opportunity to find some rest for your soul by drawing close to Jesus Christ who loves us, gave his life for us, and was raised to life for our sake. He offers us peace and security in an uncertain world.

We will have services on Good Friday at 10am and Easter Sunday at 10.30am. There will also be a Combined Churches Good Friday Service at the crosses beside the highway in the Industrial Estate at 11am.

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Korumburra Lions Club goes from strength to strength!



Membership of our Club has now reached 31 people. While this number is very encouraging, what we do as a Club is much more important. We are here to serve our community, and have some fun along the way.

We've been doing that successfully through many catering opportunities – at the KBA Twilight shopping event before Christmas, the Auto Club Swap Meet and Australia Day event in January, the Korumburra Show in February – and other service activities. A small group of our members has helped a couple of locals who were not able to maintain their gardens.

As a Lions Club, we will continue to support the students at Korumburra Secondary College through the South Gippsland Schools Music Program, and a Good Samaritan student award at St. Joseph's Primary School. We are looking at other sponsorships for local young people.

On April 14th and 15th, we will be accommodating and feeding the riders in Lions 'Ride for Sight' when they come through Korumburra. We'll also be running another Food Drive for Milpara's Food Bank during April.

After another successful Burra Brush n Bubbles in February, we have planned the next one for May, just in time for Mothers' Day. Bookings at www.trybooking.com/CFXIJ

On March 4, Lions Awareness Day, Lions Clubs will be out and about promoting our community work and talking to interested people about club membership. If you'd like to know more at any time, contact Club President Roger Powell on 0418-537-153.



Korumburra Staying Strong



On October 15th last year the Korumburra Staying Strong (KSS) group held a Community Event that attracted over 200 enthusiastic locals. Everyone enjoyed the free donuts and sausage sizzle, learnt about the projects happening around town and contributed hundreds of ideas on how to help Korumburra continue to stay strong.

What we learnt from this Korumburra Staying Strong event was that if we provide a welcoming place for people to be heard and share their views on what Korumburra needs, then people will come along and contribute. This is exciting to us, because at our heart we are a group focussed on building the resiliency of our town in the face of future challenges.

As a resiliency group, our biggest worry up to this point was how to connect the community, the diverse 'tribes' of our town. How do we get the **whole community involved in resilience and disaster readiness?**

We have learned that the key to resilience in Korumburra, is finding a way for the community to continually engage in doing things for the town, maintaining energy and momentum. We see a need to recognise the diversity of the community while celebrating our common values through community events and projects. We want to be a group that helps connect **everyone** - a group where fourth generation farmers can meet newly arrived city slickers, young can meet old, sports club people can chat with Landcare volunteers and so on.

Our vision is to have an ongoing way for all people to connect, and that connection itself will be the foundation of how we adapt, react and organise in the face of whatever challenges face us.

In January our partners at FRRR (Foundation for Rural & Regional Renewal) held a workshop with the KSS group and local representatives from several services organisations, Victoria Police, SES, South Gippsland Shire Council and Australian Red Cross.



KSS Community ideas

This workshop explored how we as KSS can best help the community and emergency services in future disaster scenarios. We were again pleasantly surprised that the answer was overwhelmingly about us building connections to all members of the community. By creating a way for everyone to connect, we strengthen our community and that is the most important thing for the resilience of our town.

But how do we sustainably create a way for the community to be truly connected?

We don't know, but we do have a few ideas that we are ready to try.

Over the next month or so we will be working through the feedback from the October event and coming up with some projects that can be funded & implemented through the FRRR DR:FR program. We'll also start thinking about what our group can be and do to help connect the community more for the longer term.

Keep an eye out for future events advertised around town and for more regular updates follow us at

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Summer was a busy time for the Round Table, with plenty of exciting community projects underway. Which many of our members were able to visit and inspect.

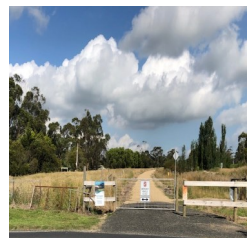
These included, firstly, our magnificent Coal Creek, which underwent significant groundworks particularly during the peak of COVID, when it was closed to the public. According to Team Leader Kim O'Connell, over the next few months visitors will see ongoing works around the lake. which is being drained, cleaned out, and then planted with over 2000 reeds and aquatic plants which will remediate the lake. By the middle of the year it will have been refilled, and it will definitely be worth taking a stroll down to the Rotunda, to see the results for yourself.

Up in Little Commercial Street the Korumburra Hub is gradually taking shape. The major stakeholders were shown through the complex, followed by members of the Round Table. On a tour organised by site coordinator Peter Cook. Of particular interest was the upstairs area with its huge windows leading out onto a balcony. From which there is a magic view of the surrounding hills. This floor includes the library, several meeting rooms and a computer lab, along with the Historical Society's new home. Because of holdups in the shipment of some materials, stakeholders will now not be moving into the hub until the second half of the year, but that will come in a flash!

This summer period has also seen the opening of the Loch to Nyora section of the rail trail. Thus completing that particular shire project. This last section has more magnificent scenery, and I can highly recommend hopping on your bike and making the trip from Korumburra to Nyora, with a cheeky little coffee stop in Loch along the way.

Wishing you all a calm and contented Autumn season, and I will speak to you again in the winter.

Pee-Wee Lewis,
President.



Leongatha Horticulture Society

After a welcome break over Christmas/New Year our garden lovers are excited about the forthcoming guests that have been invited to share their knowledge and specialist skills with us. In February, our first guest will be Jo Hayes - Jo is a qualified chiropractor and actively advocates the use of 'Forest Therapy' as an adjunct to support healing and wellbeing through immersion into forests and natural environments. On this occasion, our members are encouraged to bring a piece of textured nature - a rough piece of bark, or a furry leaf for example. Jo will lead a forest therapy discussion using these wonderful treasures from nature as inspiration. This meeting will be held at The Dakers Centre, Cnr Watt and Smith Street, Leongatha, Thursday 23rd February, 2023 at 2.00 pm.

In addition to our normal March meeting, our 'tour whizz' Heather has organized a wonderful day out on Thursday, 9th March, 2023. The coach will visit two venues: Wilson Botanic Park in Berwick and Tim Drewitt's Bulbs in Silvan. For more details or to reserve/ a seat visit our Facebook page and leave Heather a message.

From the San Remo Garden Club, Maureen Mathew's presentation is about Euphemia Henderson, who was a well-known wild-flower artist, who contributed to Baron Von Mueller's botanical collection at Melbourne Botanical Gardens. This meeting is planned for Thursday, 23rd March 2023 at 2.00 pm, at The Dakers Centre.



In April, we have invited Jo Tonkin, from Tonkin's Bulbs and Perennials. This is a family business run by Jane and Shirley, situated in the Dandenong Ranges. This subject is particularly timely for those planning their winter/spring bulb display as April is still an ideal time to plant your favorite winter or spring flowering bulbs. The meeting will be held in our usual venue on Thursday, 27th April 2023 at 2.00 pm. For our meeting in May, we are trying to persuade Roger Morris from Verti-Gro Australia to share with us the story of how Verti-Gro was started. It began with the development, design and installation of a system of vertical planters that presently forms the basis of a thriving commercial farm. Their farm Phillip Island Strawberries, was formed due to public interest in their commercial vertical strawberry farm. At the time of writing, the appearance of our guest is yet to be confirmed; the May meeting will be held on Thursday, 25th May 2023 at The Dakers Centre at 2.00pm. Our gardening community is also very active on our Facebook page: Leongatha Garden Club where we also post updates on meetings, member events, coach trips and activities hosted by neighbouring garden clubs. We love to receive visits from gardeners new to the area or just passing through - you are always most welcome.



Korumburra Men's Shed

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New Members Welcome

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South Gippsland Concert band



The South Gippsland Concert Band had a fantastic end to 2022 with numerous Christmas playouts during December at the Loch, Bena, Coal Creek and Meeniyan Carols as well as the Coal Creek Farmers Market. Every performance was a lot of fun, and the audience participation was great.

We have an exciting year ahead with performing at many other community events throughout the year starting with the Inverloch Farmers Market at the Sound Shell on 26 March and Anzac Day at Korumburra.

We are keen to grow our members this year and would love to hear from you if you can play the timpani, percussion woodwind or brass instruments. If you haven't played in a while and are keen to pick up your instrument again, or you are learning and have general music reading and instrumental skills, or you are at school and would like to develop your musical skills outside of school bands or you are now a Uni student and you want to keep your skills up, give us a call.

We rehearse on a Monday night at 7pm – 9pm at Anglican church hall in Bridge Street Korumburra. Feel free to come along and just get involved in a rehearsal to see if it's right for you or give Kath Moodie a call on 0400 332 851 for further information.

Historical Society

Recently i heard a lovely lady at one of our meetings say "i am not really a local as i have only been here ten years". Now this really perplexed me as i have consider myself a local and i have only been here 12 months! I suppose it is all in the perspective of what a 'local' is.

Preserving local history and information is what our society is all about and having more locals involved is key to our long term survival and prosperity. Currently we have massive amounts of information, files and relics from our area stored and available for viewing at our rooms at the town library. Soon, these will be on display in a more grand and interactive manner at the new Hub opening soon.

Moving forward our club is aiming to attract a younger generation to help keep our club growing and relevant to a wider demographic. We will be having excursions to historical places to immerse ourselves in the ambiance of a time long ago and try to remember how things used to be. Regardless of whether you have been in the area for 5 days or 50 years ALL are welcome to join us.

If you wish to know more about the Korumburra and District Historical Society please contact James Murray (club VP) on 0477147563



There are some great projects both in progress and coming up in Korumburra over the next 12 months. I'm excited about the future of Korumburra!

The Korumburra Community Hub is set to be completed this year, which is a much-welcomed boost for our community. Korumburra Streetscape renewal is happening, somewhat alongside this and is progressing well. Little Commercial Street between Bridge Street and Radovick Street is set to be completed in 2023 as well, with the Korumburra Rail Yards car park and Commercial Street upgrades planned to start this year as part of that project.

Other planned projects include, but aren't limited to: the Korumburra Rail Precinct Redevelopment, new netball changerooms and AFL changerooms at the Korumburra Showgrounds. Korumburra Skatepark construction and new field lighting at the Korumburra Recreation Reserve.

Korumburra really is a hive of activity and is getting a strong investment from Council.

Council is also working closely with other parties for the new Korumburra Supermarket and the refurbishment of the Korumburra Railway Station building.

To stay up-to-date on these projects and more, subscribe to the fortnightly newsletter, In the Know here: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/subscribe

Cr Nathan Hersey – Mayor



Feedback Sought on the South Gippsland Planning Scheme

At Wednesday's Council Meeting, South Gippsland Shire Councillors unanimously supported having the South Gippsland Planning Scheme Review open for input from the public.

During the engagement period, residents and those who use the planning scheme regularly, such as developers, are encouraged to provide their feedback online.

The Review is a comprehensive look at the current state of the Planning Scheme and the changes required to bring it in line with legislation and community expectations.

A number of recommendations have been made and grouped into the following categories:

- Planning Scheme Amendments;
- Further Strategic Work;
- Process Improvements;
- Advocacy; and
- Other Work to Consider.

To provide your feedback, please visit <https://yoursay.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/planning-scheme-review>

There you can complete the survey, upload a written submission or participate in the Ideas Board with fellow South Gippsland residents. Feedback is now open and closes **Wednesday 15 March 2023**.

Quotes attributable to Cr Nathan Hersey, Mayor South Gippsland Shire Council:

"I am really excited to see this review go out to our community. The Planning Scheme Review is not normally something that goes out to the public, but this Council is committed to hearing from our community."

"If there is something you want to see addressed, raise it. The best way to make sure something is happening on an issue that impacts you, is to raise it."

To view all of Council's media releases, please visit: www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/media

Korumburra Business Association



The year got off to a speedy start with 2 months under our belt already. The Summer weather was kind to us most of the time and with the Rail Trail now open all the way to Nyora it is certainly proving popular. Bike riders both local and visitors can be seen in town almost every day enjoying a coffee or a bite to eat.

Late last year the 'Save the Bank' working group met with the Bendigo Banks' new State and Regional Managers, Ash & Caitlin. This is something that has been happening on regular basis since saving the bank from closing back in 2021. The Bank is working hard to attract new customers and is particularly keen to hear from anyone chasing a home loans, refinancing, business or personal loans. The staff and our 'Save the Bank' group ask that you at least contact them for a current rate and not just rely on what you see online, as a more attractive offer may be found. They are keen for your business and we as a town are very keen to make sure we are never going to be left without a bank. Please support our one and only bank as it's extremely important for Korumburra.

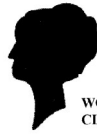
The Business Association have been quietly working in the back ground to get a newsagent open again in Korumburra. We are confident that things are moving in the right direction and hope that Korumburra will have some of the services provided by the newsagent available in the next few months.

It is pleasing to see the building at 113-115 Commercial Street has been sold and we await with anticipation to see what exciting new venture it will bring to Korumburra. If you have not been down to the Industrial Estate for sometime there has been a lot of action and movement. Several businesses have changed premises, new buildings going up and others being sold or leased bringing new businesses to town. Korumburra is going from strength to strength.

Small businesses are what Korumburra is made of and there is nothing more exciting than to see every shop front filled giving Korumburra an exciting vibe. When you support a small business you are supporting Korumburra to grow and continue on its vibrant path. Everything you purchase from one of our small businesses goes a long way to adding to Korumburra rich and vibrant future. 'Buy in The Burra' when you can.

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Our support of the Korumburra community continues. We were again able to contribute to prizes for end of year celebrations at all of the Shire's Schools, for students showing leadership or academic skill. Congratulations to the worthy recipients.

We regularly contribute to Milpara's Food Bank by cooking and providing home made meals for the freezer. Our group has already this year catered for a few funerals, and in January we made beautiful Australian native animal cookies for the Shire's Australia Day Celebrations.

Once again we have offered to provide funds for prize cards to present to children's winners in the Korumburra Show. Our talented members entered the Organisation cooking and crafting sections, with wonderful results. Well done and Congratulations to our ladies, who all contribute to our entries and support the Show for another year.

One large donation of \$5000 was made to the Korumburra Swimming and Life Saving Club for the purchase of a new chemical dosing system. We all appreciate the importance to the whole community of our Pool and realise that maintenance is a huge cost and ongoing expense. Our members voted to support this essential asset in whatever way we can.

Our meetings are held on the last Tuesday of the month at 2pm at the home of Helen Pearce, 80 Bridge St. Korumburra, and all would be made welcome.

Anyone can now check out our Facebook Page under "Koringal Women's Service Club", or contact us on our email address: koringal1975@gmail.com. We are happy to discuss any ideas for donations or activities.

President Jo Cash, 0438 551995 or
Secretary Sue VanSinderen, 0401
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Korumburra Swimming Club & Heated Pool



The Burracudas were led by Club Captains Noah Furness and Milli Mackay over the 2022-23 season. The squad competed successfully against swimming clubs from Phillip Island, Mirboo North, Corner Inlet and Leongatha at carnivals throughout the region.

The season will conclude with an awards night in March and the squad will then take a break before beginning winter training in the Korumburra Indoor Pool during Term 3. For information on the swimming squad, contact the Squad Manager Kirsten on 0408 461 238.

Korumburra Indoor Swimming Pool

Generous donations from our community have been used to enhance the Indoor Pool over the summer. We are incredibly grateful to the Koringal Women's Services Club for contributing \$5,000 toward the cost of installing a new chemical dosing system for the pool. The new system is a huge improvement on the previous water treatment system. It will maintain high water quality standards and safeguard operational viability by reducing the workload for our volunteers.

Additionally, the Rotary Club of Korumburra contributed \$1,000 toward the cost of treating and repainting the steel frame in the pool area. The completed work looks terrific. Thanks to Rotary for supporting this important maintenance task.

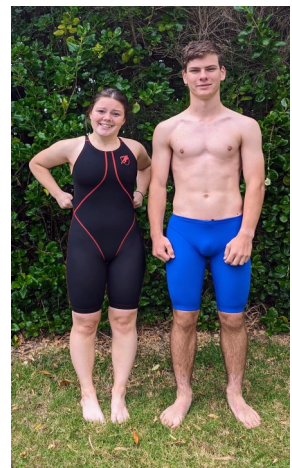
This year we are welcoming Dylan Muir's swimming school to the Indoor Pool, taking over the school age lessons previously run by Colette Pearl. (We wish Colette all the best for her retirement!) The swimming school will operate expanded hours in 2023. For information contact Dylan on 0400 032 734.

For Water Babies and pre-school lessons contact Kaye Tipping on 0419 568 714.

Rehabilitation and Self-Help sessions operate on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1.30 – 3 pm for \$2 per session. No bookings required, just come along to a session and someone will assist you. For further information, call the message bank: 5655 1681.

Private bookings are available in half hour blocks for only \$15. To make a booking, call the message bank on 5655 1681 or make contact through the Korumburra Indoor Swimming Pool Facebook page.

Photo caption: 2022-23 Club captains Milli Mackay and Noah Furness



Korumburra Golf Club

The golf course has been looking awesome these last months and the golfers have been enjoying the magical run on the fairways.

Beginners Day was held in January and it was fabulous to have seventeen women who are new to golf, come along and become more familiar with the game. Naturally, all people who are interested in trying out golf can call John at the club and one of our members will be happy to join you for a hit to show you around the course and offer some helpful golfing hints. Visitors and newcomers to the district are able to pay green fees and play nine or eighteen holes or join in with the competitions, which are generally on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The club also welcomes new members.

The Indoor Full Swing Simulator is a great way to view your own golf swing and to look to improve techniques. It can also be hired by individuals or groups to play golf on international courses as well as other sports and games.

Friday night teas are usually on the third Friday of each month so please consider coming up for a meal from 6 – 8 pm.

The club-house is a relaxing environment and can be hired for a variety of functions. More information is on Korumburra Golf Club's Facebook page, www.korumburragolf.com.au, or phone John Payne at the club, 56551886. John has over 25 years of experience as a PGA golf instructor and can provide golf lessons on the Full-Swing Simulator or out on the course.



South Gippsland Orchid Club



Hi, South Gippsland Orchid club extends a warm welcome to everyone. Our club meets on the 2nd Wednesday in each month, this year for the first time we are trialling daylight meetings from April to end September, our March meeting will commence at 7.00pm, April to September at 2.00pm, October and November will go back to 7.00pm start. The location is Angling Club Room, Wonthaggi Oval, Korumburra Rd , Wonthaggi.

We have a range of guest speakers talking on all things related to orchids, plus information nights and potting demonstrations.

Looking forward to welcoming new members to our friendly club

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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.

10th December was celebrated with our Annual Christmas Dinner with special Guest "Santa" Fun family night.

4th of February 2023 we celebrated our Clubs 50th Year. We had special guest Cr Nathan Hersey and Bob Newton. We presented Plaques to Frank Reale for 31years as Treasury & Ross Lomango for 20years as a president. We thank them for all their work into building and getting the Club to where we are today. We thank all the community and members for their support over the last 50years. We have some great memories and stories to share. Let's keep going strong. New members are always welcome so please contact us for details.

We have been entertainers J&C Duo for our past events.

We hold meetings every 1st Friday of the Month.

We hold luncheons every 2nd Wednesday of the Month. These are an open invite to ALL Members at a discounted rate and to the public at full cost. Call Arc for details & to confirm.

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

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

We are a non for profit origination and our purpose is:

"To enrich the community with our culture, treating all people equal with respect and dignity"

Our Venues are also available to hire for any occasion.

For all Enquires contact

Arc Gammaldi (President) 0419 507 410

Frank Parini (Treasure) 0456 056 507

Maria Condoluci (Vice President) 0437 288 822 for all Tickets

Sarina (Secretary) Email : korumburraitaliansocialclub@gmail.com

Korumburra Probus Club



Korumburra Probus continues to deliver. Last month our guest speaker was Kim O'Connell, newly appointed Team Leader at Coal Creek Community Park. He is a breath of fresh air! He lives in Korumburra and knows all the local issues and challenges ahead, but is enthusiastic and very knowledgeable about what is involved with bringing Coal Creek back to a vibrant and wonderful place to visit. We have asked him back in twelve months for an update. The future of Coal Creek looks very hopeful indeed. After the meeting we headed to the Middle Hotel for a delicious lunch.

Future guest speakers include a representative from a Hearing organisation, complete with facilities to perform hearing tests. This month we have our annual picnic meeting at Outtrim Oval, which has always been a very enjoyable morning and lunch. March brings our Annual General Meeting followed by lunch at the Austral Hotel - always worth a visit.

Our Getaway group head to Foster in March, with excursions planned for the Prom and other local attractions. We are also heading to Beleura House in Mornington for a day trip in April.

It is wonderful to see our members together, enjoying catch up conversations and laughter. Please feel free to come along and "test the waters". We meet on the second Monday (Tuesday if there is a Monday public holiday - so March and April) of each month in the Pavilion at the Showgrounds from 10 o'clock. Please contact Helen Willison on 0429810311 for more information.

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Friends of Woodford Reserve Inc.

It is official; we are now an Incorporated body and can begin project, utilising a wide number of volunteers at regular working bees within the reserve. We wish to thank both Presidents of the Korumburra Landcare and Friends of Korumburra Botanic Park Inc., for their ongoing support during this process.

Friends of Woodford Reserve Inc. aims to help maintain and enhance the natural environment of Woodford Reserve, hidden away at the end of Woodford Place, Korumburra and planning is being finalised for 2023. This information will be posted on our Facebook page, [Friends of Woodford Reserve Inc.](#) and the [Korumburra Community Noticeboard](#). So keep an eye out for it.

Membership is now open! For more information Contact Tony Twining- President on 0425 729 459 or drop a note at friendswoodfordres@gmail.com.

South Gippsland Spinners and Fibre Arts Group

It was wonderful to be able to meet together in person in 2022 after being restricted to Zoom meetings over the Covid lockdowns. Our group continues to grow, and we always welcome new members no matter what their interests or skill levels. Last year we held several workshops including felting and dyeing days at Jumbunna Hall. Our group also participated in the Bendigo Wool Show.

2023 has got off to a great start, with an excursion to an Alpaca farm and wool mill, and a talk from Fibre Artist Cheryl Cook. Our President Janice Graham has already cooked up a challenge for the members to use some of Cheryl's ideas to create some fibre art of our own.

If you are interested in spinning, knitting, weaving, dyeing or felting (or would like to learn how to do any of these) and want to meet with like-minded crafters, then come along to our meetings. There are always some amazing fibre creations and a yummy afternoon tea to enjoy.

Meetings are held on the first Saturday and the third Tuesday of each month.

We usually meet at the Anglican Church Hall, 3 Bridge Street, Korumburra

Meetings begin at 1pm until 4pm.

For more information, visit our web site www.timeonyourhandscrafters.com or the South Gippsland Spinners facebook page.

Contact our President Janice Graham on 049095915

Korumburra & District Agricultural & Pastural Soc.



Korumburra held their 127th Show Saturday the 11th of Feb. There were items of interest for all ages, especially for the young ones.

The magician amazed many, while the animals kept care of the younglings. This included miniature goats, sheep, cattle, and pony rides too. There were plenty of exhibits with a great variety.

Also on display were vehicles including classics and vintage, motor cycles with a side car for passengers, and even a Russian Ural.

There were fairy stilt walkers, face painting, and lots more with Fireworks in the evening.

Winners of the music competition were:

Under 12 yrs: Logan Walters

Under 16 yrs: Chloe Gross Grosseck 1st., 2nd. Kira Rowe, Hamish Daker Encouragement award

Over 16 (Open): Kate Spacy, 1st, Elizabeth Lynch, 2nd, Bruce Chandler, 3rd. All of these people were great artists, making it a difficult task for the judges.

Chainsaw artist Andrew Noble's carving of a Kookaburra sponsored by Burra Foods

Also pictured Goldwing motor cycle and sedans also present at the show



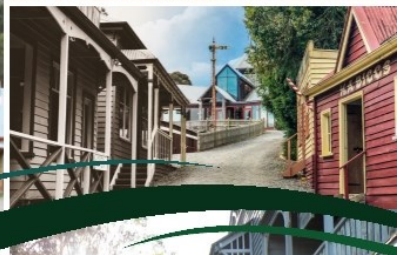
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