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KCDA Editorial

I would like to thank Syd Whyte for jumping in and being the temporary co-editor of the Burra Flyer over the past year. I am pleased to announce that Michelle Moon will commence as co-editor in the next edition. Thankyou Syd and Michelle for contributing to the sustainability of the Burra Flyer.

The revamped Korumburra Community website is becoming very popular as a source of information about local events, news, community groups and the Korumburra Staying Strong - Helping Hands project. Please visit korumburra3950.com.au for further details.

And welcome to the new students in the Like Minds Class from the Korumburra Community College. It is wonderful that with so many students in the class, supported by your Principal – John Wilson; that you can design and publish the Burra Flyer each quarter – thank you.

Craig Panagiris - Editor

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Some of the entertainment of the Coal Creek Park and Museum Summer Series

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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. You can also read the Flyer on our website along with other information for exploring Korumburra and surrounds

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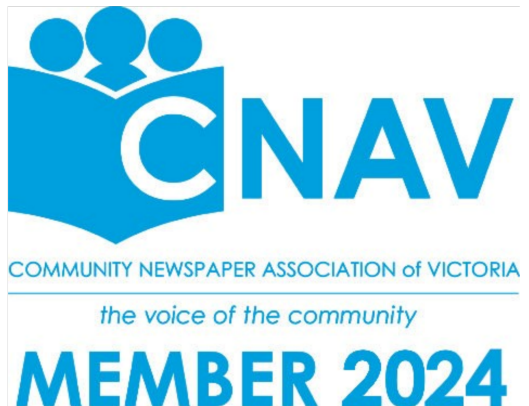
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KSC editorial



2024 has started and KSC is back for another great year! On the 3rd day back at school, students were able to participate and show off their incredible skills at swimming sports, with McDonald taking home the win.

Everyone put in their best efforts whether they were swimming or in the cheer squad, supporting their house with enthusiasm. The Year 7's are settling in and getting comfortable with their new surroundings and they've already headed off to camp to get to know one another better and bond.

As we all know, the storm hit on Tuesday the 13th of February in the late afternoon. Some students were unable to get home due to fallen trees and road closures and the school was able to accommodate for them. When the power went out, the school pushed through and remained open but did not run regular classes for three days..



The Like Minds class has welcomed the new year 7 students and made them feel cosy in their new class. On one Monday, our class visited the Community Hub and had a conference day there. We were very grateful for getting the opportunity to use their facilities. We're going to have a great year together!



We have enjoyed putting together the first Burra Flyer for the year and hope you enjoy.

It is great to see everyone settling back into school and we can't wait to see what the year holds.

Lelaina Watson—Year 8 Like Minds student.

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KCDA

Korumburra Community Development Association Inc.

The KCDA is pleased to report that we have slowly been growing the numbers of members and volunteers this year.

Welcome to our new volunteers (and continuing thanks to our existing volunteers):

Michelle Moon who has kindly offered to look after the KCDA meeting room and be the co-editor of the Burra Flyer

Maree Mills who being a newcomer to the area, enjoyed her new residents welcome kit so much, that she is going to look after their distribution to the local real estate agents; Post Office and Milpara House.

Joy Cowie who is going to help look after KCDA's finances

We are still on the look-out for a person who might be interested in working with the local business advertisers in the Burra Flyer. If you have a few hours per week to donate, please contact us for a chat.

We would also like to welcome Noelene Cosson as our new President and would like to thank Syd Whyte for all his work for the KCDA over the past 10+ years of his Presidency.

On a boring note – we changed our recently name from “Korumburra Community Development Association Inc.” to “Korumburra Community Development **Association** Inc.”

Most people know us as the KCDA and the “& Action Inc.” was always a bit of a tongue twister.

Just a reminder that our partnership with Korumburra Staying Strong – Helping Hands project is going well and the revamped website korumburra3950.com.au and 5,000 people have used the website since it's launch in October 2023.

Korumburra Bowling Club

The Korumburra Bowling Club is a sports accredited Club and is situated at 20 Charles Street, Korumburra. Club phone number is 56551246. There is a weekly event on Wednesday evenings called Twilight Bowls and run admirably by Peter Hearn and Mick Manning. Everyone is welcome to play on these evenings – names in by 6 o'clock and games start at 6:30 pm.



Pennant is going strong with 3 teams in Saturday Pennant and 2 in Midweek. The Club is going well with some of the teams having a chance for the finals.

Our Happy Hour is still very popular and welcoming to anyone who may want to join us. The member's drawer is 6 o'clock and sometimes is around the \$80 - \$100 mark if the member's number drawn isn't at the Club.

Members are welcome to have a roll on either Green at most times – checking that no games are being played, and bring along a guest.

The Club has been hosting several Christmas break ups which have proved very popular and at the moment The Tradies competition is being run each Tuesday. This event goes for 9 weeks and a lot of fun is had by all.

The annual Les and Jessie Chapman Australia Day Memorial Tournament was held this Australia Day. A very popular event organised by Ken Cecil. This year Mrs Lyn Perks presented the Trophy.

Our Counter Teas are every second Friday of the month and still as popular as ever.

Just put your names down on the sheet at the Bowling Club by the Wednesday and come and enjoy a meal with us.

A very warm welcome to the new members who have joined recently.



Left—Club A Grade Championship winners Joanna Lomagno and Charlie Edgarton with Club President Brian Pepperell (middle)

Right—The Club's annual Les and Jessie Chapman's Australia Day Tournament winners, Ken Cecil (Tournament organiser) Frank Gardner, Janis Parks, Bernie Gardner and Wayne Parks with Lyn Perks, family sponsor.



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The Discussion Paper on the future of Coal Creek Community Park and Museum issued by the South Gippsland Shire Council is now in the decision phase. All submissions had to have been lodged by the end of February. The Friends of Coal Creek (FOCC) have made a submission to the Council. This submission represents the community's feelings based on member and community input identified at our open meeting on the 5th of February, which attracted 70 participants. Korumburra and South Gippsland needs Coal Creek to flourish. It is at the gateway to our Shire and one of the main attractions for both residents and visitors.

Coal Creek continues to need the support of FOCC, and FOCC needs the support of all of its members, and that of the community. Anyone who would like to join FOCC can contact our president on 0418537132, or e-mail foccenquire@gmail.com.

FOCC have recently purchased a 'tap and go' machine for visitors to electronically donate funds to Coal Creek. It is located next to the cash donation box. All proceeds donated are used on initiatives within the park.

In the meantime, as autumn commences, so do a range of exciting events at Coal Creek.

The 50th anniversary of Coal Creek on March 2nd. For this anniversary, an excellent array of day and evening events have been scheduled. Aligned with the 50th anniversary, the 'Turning Points' exhibition will contain art works capturing the past, present and future of Coal Creek.

Easter Egg hunt at the end of March.

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Korumburra Senior Citizens

The Korumburra Senior Citizens Centre in Korumburra was officially opened in April 1961 after the need for a centre was initiated by the Rotary Club in 1959.

At the opening, the Shire President at the time, Cr J. Anderson, stated that more was owed to the Senior Citizens than any other section of the community. He emphasised that it was a place where people of the same age group could care for one another in the way of companionship, and develop friendships.

The committee was congratulated on their work as was the Korumburra Shire Council, for their foresight and generosity in donating the site. The Government of Victoria at the time, also donated £4000 towards the project.

Whilst the Senior Citizens no longer have access to their building in Radovik Street in Korumburra, they continue to meet and socialise regularly. Lunches are held at the Austral Hotel in Korumburra on the first and third Tuesday of each month from midday and a morning coffee is held at the Korumburra Middle Hotel on the last Thursday of each month at 10am.

New members are warmly welcomed. For more information please contact Janne Grenon ((President) m 0488 996 187 or Caroline Dunlevie (Secretary) m 0427 526 507.

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We hope every one had a relaxing and enjoyable holiday period and are now ready for the new year.

We have had a quiet summer and are now looking forward to a productive time.

As with every summer, we hope everyone is prepared for any emergency and have a 'go bag' just in case of evacuation. If you are preparing, the recommendation is that you pack everything needed for the initial 72 hour period. This should include essentials for all members of the family- even the furry and feathered members.

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Korumburra Probus began 2024 with their annual Summer Picnic meeting at Outtrim Reserve on 8 January. As you know Summer has been unpredictable, and so our "Summer" picnic turned into a rainy but enjoyable "indoor picnic", with lots of conversation and laughter.

This month we are back to normal at the Pavilion at the Oval, the day after the annual Korumburra Show.

Our guest speaker this month will be Alma Morrison from Pure Fitness, talking about exercises suitable for the "more mature" of us in the Community. We will remain seated during the session!

We have a few excursions coming up, with our Mystery Tour happening on Thursday 22 February - who knows where we'll end up.

We are headed to Benalla in March for our Getaway, checking out the local activities and sites.

In April we are heading to Tuesday Tunes, which will be the Songs of the Legends, which includes the bus trip, morning tea and lunch.

Come along on the second Monday of each month (second Tuesday in March as that Monday is a public holiday) to meet lovely people and enjoy listening to our guest speakers, borrow a book from our book exchange, have a cup or tea or coffee and make new friends. You can attend three meetings before committing, so come and "taste the waters".

If you have any questions, please contact Helen Willison on 04 2981 0311.



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Leongatha Cycling Club



Track cycling continues every Monday night throughout March. We have had an increase in junior riders this year, with many new faces coming along to try the sport. Each week after a warm-up the coaches mix it up with a range of different scenarios including sprints, time trial starts, half lap time trials, or a slow race on the grass. Along the way the riders improve their skills and they do like to compare their times against each other. To take part, turn up on a Monday night to the Leongatha Velodrome at the Recreation Reserve on Roughead St. Wear comfortable clothing, bring a helmet and a water bottle. The cycling club provide the track bikes. Come and try before our winter break.

The Leongatha Cycling Club also have a social ride on the 3rd Sunday of each month. It is along a section of the rail trail with a stop for coffee before returning. Junior and inexperienced riders can do a one-way ride, or a smaller section as needed. Check the LCC Facebook page for where they are starting from each month.

For further information, contact Steve Wilson on 0413 884 130.

Website: leongathacycling.com

Facebook: facebook.com/leongathacycling



There are lots of exciting projects taking place in Korumburra this year that will help to improve functionality, increase community connection and enhance aesthetics.

The construction of the Korumburra Streetscape has commenced and will focus on improving pedestrian and driver movement and visual appeal. The works will take place on parts of Commercial Street, Bridge Street and Radovick Street and will include:

- Replacing brick footpaths with concrete ones
- Changing Commercial Street to a single lane of traffic in each direction
- Retained parallel parking with the inclusion of a manoeuvring lane
- New street furniture, garden beds and public amenities

In addition to these works, a mural will be painted on the external wall of 42 Commercial Street by Melanie Caple. The mural was voted on by the community and includes a beautiful floral design featuring native birds.

A newly resurfaced parking area at the rear of the Burra Brewery is now complete and Council is engaging with Heritage Victoria to secure the necessary permits for work to occur in the Korumburra Railway Precinct area. These works will include installation of a new skate park and improved landscaping. Also planned is a new walkway at 27 Commercial Street. Council recently purchased this space, which was formally home to a newsagency before it was damaged by fire in 2022. The project will provide pedestrian connection between Commercial and Little Commercial Street, which is home to the new Korumburra Hub.

Stay tuned for more updates on these exciting projects for Korumburra.

Mayor Clare Williams



Milpara Community House



Welcome to the new Term, the first one for 2024 and what will be our first full one since relocating to the new Korumburra Community Hub (15 Little Commercial Street). Our contact details haven't changed and you can call us on 03 5655 2524 or email us at hello@milpara.org.au

Milpara's office is on the lower floor, and we look forward to seeing you all soon.

So, what have we install for this period? You can check out the full program at the Milpara Community House website by following this link: <http://milparacommunityhouse.org.au/bookings-and-activity-page/>, the hard copy of the Program has been delivered to letterboxes, and we're frequently updating our Facebook page with upcoming sessions of interest. You can even register for our online newsletter – ask us how.

- Basics of Backyard Chicken Keeping (there are 4 sessions with the option of just attending one or all – starting off on Wednesday 14 February to 6 March).
- Potluck - Let's Share Lunch and it's free. (Monday 19 February, 12 pm to 1.30 pm)
- Easy Home Cooking (Starts Wednesday 13 March, 11 am to 12.30 pm) with a small contribution of \$4 per session.



Coming up also are a number of information sessions to find out how Milpara can help you make a new start or start again. We have:

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POOWONG 150th Anniversary 20-21 APRIL 2024

Co-ordinated by Poowong Community Consultative Committee Inc.



The Poowong Public Hall will be the centre of activities for the 150 event with the dance on Friday 19th April, Saturday evening Basket Tea for families, 150 Book launch 'Since we were a Century', Cutting of Anniversary Cake. Sunday morning Ecumenical Church Service followed by informal gatherings. Pioneer Chapel will house photos and collectibles. A display of early farm machinery will be displayed around this historic building. The Marigold seeds were distributed throughout Poowong by the Poowong Garden Club inviting residents to pot them up and they will be used to supplement the beautification of the town by the Shire Parks and Gardens.



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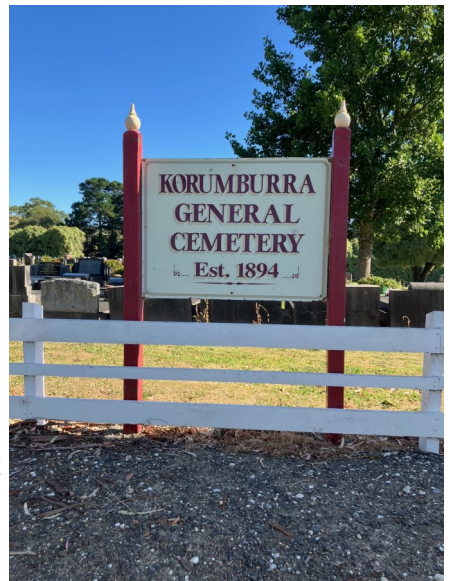
Korumburra Branch has hit the ground running for 2024 as there is so much to plan for! Our little group has once again banded together to plan for our upcoming conference with an excellent outlook, it's something very new to us but we are rising to the challenge!

After the conference is done and dusted, we can focus on planning our two fundraisers for the year, express our creativity and make items for our exhibition in April (held at Poowong for 2024) and most importantly, connect with our friends!

Do these activities sound interesting to you? Join us! Or just follow us on Facebook: CWA Korumburra Branch.

Cemetery Trust

The Trust would like to thank the Korumburra Community for looking after the Cemetery when visiting passed friends and families over the Christmas period. Korumburra Cemetery surrounds are in good condition thanks to our Caretakers Andrew and Fay Siekman tireless workers mowing, gardening and levelling sites etc. During December some low lights broke into the Cemetery Shed and stole our little Tractor we used to pick up the dead flowers around the Cemetery, we have since installed a remote controlled camera within the Cemetery thanks to Orange Beacon of Korumburra which alerts the Secretary. The new Rose Garden is completed adding an extra fifteen sites thanks to Korumburra Garden Supplies for supporting the Trust with Standard Roses costs and Mulch. We need to add a couple of Vaults also we will be adding some Beam extensions in. The Monumental Garden will be replanted and we are cementing the full path in a charcoal colour thanks to Michael Mileto Concreting Korumburra. The donated Granite Seat and Table has been installed, a Sail Shade will be added shortly. The Trust have added four Headstones with Plaques designed by the Trust within the Old Monumental area on unmarked graves, these burials were early 1900's for families from NSW & Qld, great to see unmarked graves being identified with Headstones. Trust Charges for Headstones on unmarked Graves only in the Old Monumental Section will be \$250 plus plaque cost. Any Cemetery questions please contact Geoff Wyatt 0413 081 1136 or Email wyatt@waterfront.net.au.



Stamp club

The Anderson Inlet Stamp Club will be holding their annual Stamp Fair on Saturday the 9th of March at the Uniting Church in William street Inverloch between the hours of 9.00am until 3.00pm all are welcome



The Anderson Inlet Stamp club Meet at the Uniting Church in William St on the second Wednesday of each month starting at 1.30pm

in March we meet on the 13th and the theme will be Aeroplanes on stamps then in April we meet on the 10th with the theme being other revenue stamps and in May we will meet on the 8th no theme at this time but I suspect it will be the letter A

The Korumburra Stamp club Meet on the third Thursday of each month starting at 7,30pm at the Anglican church hall in Bridge St Korumburra so in March we will meet on the 21st then in April we will be meeting on the 18th and in May we will meet on the 16th. No theme has been agreed upon at this stage but one will be selected at the next meeting

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It was an amazing experience last November for us to perform at the Memorial Hall in Leongatha in a combined concert with the Australian Male Welsh Choir. It was such a privilege to not only share the stage and get to meet such an amazing group of singers, but also to perform to a packed house of local choral music lovers.

After sharing some Christmas cheer and carol singing in both Koorooman House and Woorayl Lodge in Leongatha our members took a well-earned Summer break.

We enthusiastically resumed rehearsals earlier this month eager to see what program of music our Musical Director, Jen Holm, had selected for us to perform this. It seems we will be developing a repertoire of pop songs from the decades which will include "Bohemian Rhapsody", "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy", "Halleluiah" and a classic Elvis tune, "Love me Tender"

We welcomed several new prospective members who came along to check us out and have now joined us. We welcome anyone who would like to come along for a couple of weeks to see what we are all about. Experience is not essential and, as we learn by ear, nor is the ability to read music.

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Korumburra and District Historical Society

All is well in the K&DHS

We are back to Tuesday afternoon workshops each week, and our monthly meetings are attracting new people.

Unpacking, sorting and finding places to house all our memorabilia is happening, along with archiving new donations every week.

One of the questions we get asked most often is...can you tell me anything about my house??

I have been thinking about setting up a database with information about our older houses. What do you know about the house your parents, or grandparents lived in?

Do you have old photos of the outside of their houses?

If you are able to scan the photos and email to

secretary@korumburrahistory.com.au , or bring photos in to the Historical Society room at the back of the library in the Hub, on a Tuesday afternoon for us to scan, that would be great.

The need to start a database like this, has been brought on partially by the sadness of the demolition of the Alp houses recently in King St. More about those houses in the Autumn edition of the K&DHS Newsletter.

If you would like to be put on the email list to receive the newsletter, contact our Secretary Janet Wilson on secretary@korumburrahistory.com.au , message via the Facebook page 'Korumburra Historical Society'.

Visitors and prospective new members are welcome at our workshops on Tuesday afternoons between 1.30-4pm, and at our monthly meetings on Thursdays 7th March, 4th April and 2nd of May.



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We are happy to report that two of our new projects are now well underway!

Interpretive Rail Trail Project: This project will see a 0.6Ha area alongside the Great Southern Rail Trail (located approximately 300m Melbourne side of the Lion's wayside stop in Korumburra) planted out with a range of local indigenous plants. Our group is working closely with South Gippsland Shire Council on this project, with council providing us with significant guidance and support. We look forward to our planting days later this year!

Grower's Group: This group has been set up in order to support both our own initiatives, such as the Rail Trail project, and to support other local groups with similar revegetation aims. We have many plants propagated by volunteers in our nursery already, and are currently preparing to propagate more plants for the 2025 season. We will also look at growing plants for sale at local markets, and other possible areas of sale (in consultation with other local community indigenous plant nurseries) to raise funds to support our group.



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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 an anniversary afternoon tea, and in January we made very tasty Australian native animal cookies for the Shire's Australia Day Celebrations at Coleman Park.

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.

A donation of \$1000 was made to the South Gippsland Concert Band, and another \$1000 was donated to the Specialist School for a student's quick release tray.

We have contributed to the purchase of a defibrillator at Karmai Children's Centre, and bought mats for the floor in the Amenities complex kitchen. We also helped out at the Sheepdog trials with catering support.

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 prospective members would be made welcome. We have enlisted three new members in the past three months.

Anyone can now check out our Facebook Page under "Koringal Womens 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

Secretary Sue VanSinderen, 0401 039824.

Myli Korumburra Library

The Korumburra library, unveiled in November of last year, is a modern and inclusive space situated at the heart of the Korumburra community. Designed by the renowned architects Francis-Jones Carpenter Studio, the library provides a welcoming and easily accessible environment for all visitors.



Featuring modern architecture, large windows and balcony

positioned amongst the treetops, the Korumburra library offers a comfortable setting for both individual study and group activities. It hosts an extensive collection of books catered to the varied interests of the community, while also including amenities such as free Wi-Fi, video game consoles, and public computers. The library is also set to introduce a 24/7 membership this year, allowing members to access the library outside of staffed hours.

More than just a place to borrow books, the Korumburra library provides interactive learning spaces, hosts workshops, and organises regular events such as StoryTime, Baby Rhyme Time, Tech Talks, and Monday Movies to encourage continued learning and social connection. The library caters to various age groups through its resources and events and offers designated areas for children and teenagers.

Myli invites everyone to come along and check out the new library and events.



Signing up as a member is easy! Just head to <https://myli.au/join> to sign up for free and start borrowing and to gain access to all of our e-resources.”

Korumburra City Soccer Club



Korumburra City Soccer Club welcomes new and returning players to the Richard Street Reserve.

Junior and Miniros's Come and Try days Monday February 19 and March 4 at 4:45 pm Senior Men and Women Social Soccer and pre-season Training every Monday at 6:30 pm. We welcome new Women's Coach Maria Wallis and welcome back Senior men's coach Zach Grant for his second year. With new lights, the club will be looking to host at least one Friday night fixture.



In Juniors, we say farewell to club champions, Addison Greig, Taolin McNeil and Annie Cook who have been accepted into NPL clubs in the metro league. While we are sad to lose them, we are very excited for these incredibly talented players, and we wish them well on the journey.

Miniros programs for the little ones, Juniors, Seniors, Indoor, 5-a-side, and social kick arounds are all on offer. Burra is a community club and welcomes players of all ages and abilities. Equal opportunity for girls and boys in mixed junior teams, and the league will run an u13 girls only competition this year

Cassie, Aslyn, Annie and Becca hold the 14s trophy. The club is currently looking for under 12, 17 and miniros coaches. All enquiries are welcome. Contact korumburacitysc.secretary@outlook.com. We are on Facebook and have a website kcsc.teamapp.com.

Go Burra!



Korumburra Lions



Korumburra Lions have started 2024 as we finished 2023 – busy!

Over summer there were lots of community events to support. We were there for the KBA Christmas street event, Christmas Carols at Coal Creek, presentation of Russ Smith encouragement award at KSC, the very successful Auto Swap Meet, Australia Day event, Charley Crockett concert and the Korumburra Show.

Looking ahead, our club members will be cooking lunches at the Korumburra Trade Training Centre in the Industrial Estate, for the hungry trainees starting their courses.

Things ramp up in March when we assist at the 50th anniversary celebration of Coal Creek on March 2. This will be a great community function with lots of activities planned. Our Lions Club is running the next Easter egg hunt so the park will be open on March 31st for the Korumburra Lions Easter Egg Hunt @ Coal Creek. April will see another food drive outside IGA for Milpara's Food Bank and the return of the popular Burra Brush-n-Bubbles on April 11th. At Burra Brush-n-Bubbles #5 the guests told us they wanted more, so we will oblige! Bookings at www.trybooking.com/CNOXJ.

Our goal is to use all the money we raise to put back into the community to encourage or help our young people and those in need, as well as providing amenities for the wider population of Korumburra and tourists.

We cannot do this without your support, so we're looking for people to come and join us. If you want to help, please contact Roger on 0418-537-153 or email us at korumburralions@yahoo.com.au



Lions member Susan with her response to the question "What does respect mean to you?"



Lion Will working at a previous Food Drive outside IGA

The wayside stop on the SG highway showing our new Anniversary Garden being opened. Seated is Life member Norm McPherson, with his trophy on the ground for the District Club of the Year, which we won again!



The hard-working Lions team serving up sandwiches, scones, slices and drinks at the Korumburra Show on Saturday.

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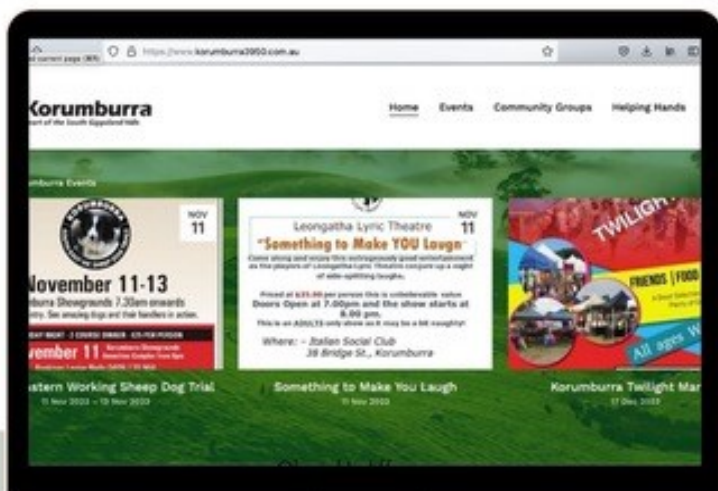
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