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Coming Events…

December

3rd Kindergarten Orientation Day

11th Landcare Xmas AGM

19th Windellama Country Markets

January

1st Annual Cricket Challenge V's Bungonia @ Windellama Hall

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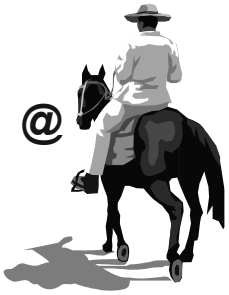
14th November

Endurance Ride @ Sassafras



South Cost Endurance Riders Assoc. invite you to join them in the Ruth Leahy Memorial 20km social ride at Sassafras on Sunday 14th.

The ride commences at 9am. Vetting of horses at 7am. Restrained pets & partners allowed.

Every successful completion receives a prize.

Any enquiries just contact Alan on 4422 8818 or by email: kirkh@skymesh.com.au

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Nerriga Museum will be open the second Sunday of each month from 11am - 4pm. Located in the old Nerriga School grounds near Bindi Brook

Goulburn & District Prostate Cancer Support Group

√ **Providing <u>support</u>**
√ **FREE <u>information</u> &**
√ **<u>Advocacy</u> to men & their families affected by prostate cancer**
√ **Raising <u>awareness</u>**

For more information phone
4821 5932 or 4821 4558
www.prostate.org.au
1800 22 00 99

Early detection saves lives

Reward offered.....

for recovery of stolen goods from Oallen Road, Oallen property on or about 6/8/2010.

<u>Items Stolen include:</u>
Blue Yamaha TTR250 motorbike
Orange KTM 125 motorbike
White TT250 motorbike
White MX 80 motorbike
Near new Stihl farmboss chainsaw in orange case
3 toolboxes full of tools (some marked with Batchy or 567}
Approx 8 jerry cans of fuel - diesel & unleaded
Approx 40-50 DVD's (some marked with Batchy)
Hunting knives
Childrens' bow & arrow set
6.5kw brand new 4 stroke generator
Some teenager motorbike riding gear

Please Contact David on 0414 563 485
or Braidwood Police on 4842 2101

LOST

Motocross gear bag, blue/black with Yamaha Factory Racing written on bag on Sunday 17th October on Windellama Rd near Muffets Lane
Ph Brad on 4821 4911 or 0422 714 372
REWARD OFFERED

Thank you to all who sent cards, flowers and telephoned after the recent death of my beloved brother and our uncle, "Chick"

Greatly appreciated
Pam Williams and Family

The Upper Shoalhaven & Upper Deua Landcare Network will be having its AGM on Wednesday the 10th of November at the Windellama Hall

- 5.30pm: BBQ dinner
- 6.30pm General meeting
- Followed by the AGM

All Landcare members are welcome and encouraged to attend.
Please RSVP Felicity on 48422594 for catering purposes and travel arrangements.

Community Notice Board

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

All classifieds are FREE & also included in the Tarago Times & Nerriga Nugget

We run your advert until you let us know when you have sold it or gained it

FOR SALE

Pop-top caravan with annexe, regd. to Feb 2011. Compact, good cond., located at Windellama. $3,500 ONO. Ph 4751 7492

Slasher – Jarrett 5 ft cut, Centre Mount suit 45 HPW tractor, had minimal use. $750

Super Spreader - 1 tonne Crump Kurrajong 1000. $1,200

Diesel Tank, 1,000 litre overhead tank with ladder and nozzle $350

All goods 2nd hand but in good condition. Will negotiate. Windellama Area Ph**:** Chris 0411 421 416

Fresh homemade Green Tomato Pickles. Phone 0418 275 402

Excavator KATO, 20 tonne, fair cond. $15,000 Ph: 0411 019 420

New and secondhand doors. Ph: 4849 4390

Site Office, fully insulated inc. kitchenette, lighting. Exec cond. Ph 0420 942 779

Kerosene fridge 1946 Electroluux model. Comes with original manual in good woking order $300 ono
Ride on mower yard machine 13hp 38 inch cut briggs & stratton engine runs good little use enquiries ph 48445856 or 0425230837
$850 ono

For Sale, 1988 Toyota Landcruiser Diesel HJ 60, Excellent Cond., Air, Steer, Rego Oct. 2011, Air Bags on Rear, Elect. Brake Controller, UHF & AM CB fitted, Tow Bar, Bull Bar, Driving Lights, Dual Batteries. $5500, ONO, 4844 5085.

Straw ex Field Day - available after 4 p.m.
$10 per bale. Phone 4844 5157.

Garage Sale - 9am Saturday 6th November at 1181 Oallen Road Nerriga.
Household goods and furniture.

STOCK / ANIMALS FOR SALE

Alpacas - females from $440, males from $165. www.wallabyridge.com Ph 4844 5455

Dorpers, 3 rams, 9 months old. $300-$350 each. Ph. 4844 7191

2 steers - Murray Grey cross, approx 2 years old, Ph 0403 065 875, or 0413 241 356 after 7pm

WANTED

Hydraulic auger for bobcat. Ph. Tom 4844 7191

Milking sheep, milking goats, meat lambs. Ring 4849 4486

Nirvalley Homestead Nursery on Cullulla Road will recycle your unwanted plastic plant pots.

Off-road motorbikes (2) suit kids aged 8-12. Please phone 0420 942 779

Cleaner, every Sunday, 3-7pm.
Nanny, every Wed & Thur, 10am-6pm.
Ph Dave 0411 766 622

Foldable wheel chair. Ph 4845 9147 after 5pm.

FREEBIES

2 TV's, colour, (Sanyo & Phillips) analogue. Excellent condition. Ph 0428 494 686

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

85 acres in the Tarago area, 3 dams, spring fed creek, corner block, cattle yards, power and phone through the property, $250,000.
Phone after 7pm, 0403 065 875 or 0413 241 356

Rainfall Stats

16th Sept to 15th Oct

Rosewood, Windellama Road, Windellama
21 ml /5 days

Amaroo, Roberts Road, Windellama
28 ml / 5days

Gar-den, Oallen Ford Rd, Windellama
39.5 ml /10 days

Johnno's Store, Oallen Ford Rd, Bungonia
35 ml / 4 days

Tarkierelea, Fernleigh Close, Windellama
ml / days

Windellama Fireshed, Oallen Ford Rd
ml / 1st - **th Oct

Windellama Garden Club

We have been busy this month with two big events we catered for, both being a great success. Our last meeting at Sandy's was a very enjoyable day out despite the damp.

We are having a floral display and stall at the Small Farms Field Day.

Or next outing is to the Southern highlands in November. Ring a Garden Club member for the date and departure time

Pam Williams

The Charles Ledger Alpaca Show is held once a year in memory of Charles Ledger. It was held as Moss Vale Showground this year, 12th September. Country Charm Alpacas is a small Alpaca Stud at Quialigo, near Goulburn. Pam Maher was lucky enough to win Reserve Senior Champion Female, 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in other sections. Many years of hard work had finally paid off.

Historical Society

Annual General Meeting
Saturday December 4th at 2 pm
All Welcome

Willow Glen Gardeners

We are having our next garden ramble on

Melbourne Cup Day
From 11AM
Tuesday 2nd November at
Joy & Ross Sutcliffe's
42 Yarralaw Road, Bungonia Heights

Bring along your BBQ food you wish to cook & a side dish to share (please arrange your side dish with Joy so we don't double up).

BYO drinks - tea/coffee supplied.

Then comes the sweep & watching of the race. Don't forget to wear your hat!

The Sutcliffe's have an existing garden being renovated with great features & ideas. Come along & pick up some local knowledge, ask for help about your garden problems.

Swap some cuttings or seeds or plants.

Just contact Joy Sutcliffe on 4844 5731 or Warren Yates on 4844 5350 for any info.

The **December** Xmas party get together will be at Sandra & Tony Greville's (1135 Cullulla Road) on Tuesday 7th. Contact Sandra (4844 5047) to organise your festive xmas platter contribution.

There will be a **January** get together on the 2nd Tuesday, 11th Jan, at Leon Robar's (114 Yarralaw Road) for all those who will be around in the new year.

WINDELLAMA PUBLIC SCHOOL
TRANSITION TO KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM
For students beginning 2011
(Eligible students: turning 5 before 31 July 2011)

ORIENTATION PROGRAM

Friday 5 November:	
Orientation Day No.3:	**9am – 11.30am**
Friday 19 November:	
Orientation Day No.4:	**9am – 11.30am**
Friday 3 December:	
Orientation Day No.5:	**9am – 2.50pm**

Windellama School P & C

P&C plans for child's play

Last month the P&C had a great day at the very successful Nerriga Road celebrations. The children's area was hugely popular. Our biscuit-decorating and face painting volunteers were kept extremely busy even as we tried to packed up the stall. The threatening rain held at bay, everyone had fun and we even managed to raise some money which will go towards the purchase of books for the school presentation night. Many thanks to Nerriga Progress Association for the opportunity to participate in such a fun day.

This month of course we have the Windellama Small Farms Field Day. We're still looking for animals suitable for the nursery so if anyone can help out by "lending" a pet or poddy for a day, please let the P&C know via the school.

The November P&C meeting will be held on Monday 1st at 6.30pm up at the school. As always, everyone is welcome to attend.

Windellama SES First Aid & CFR

S.E.S. was invited to attend the opening of road 92, Nowra to Nerriga. Shirley Cornish & I attended. All those responsible for the organising of that day, are to be congratulated. I do not think, that even they, would have expected the amount of people who came to witness the event, well done.

The problem is that the road past Nerriga is going to be a real danger to those who have to travel on it. There is a centre to this road, and I wish people would realise this, even though there is no white line to prompt their memory. To "locals" who travel this road, please be extra vigilant, and allow for people who are not familiar with our country roads, that will be expected to carry the extra traffic, which is already starting to build up.

We as C.F.R. members, have been unusually busy so far this month, with many, and varied calls.

Our new S.E.S. members are starting their training, which has to be done, before they qualify to become members of the C.F.R. unit. It will be very gratifying to have the extra help, that they will provide.

Regards from your S.E.S.& C.F.R. Team Leader. Kevin Muffet

Promote your business to visitors

Goulburn Mulwaree Council's tourism staff are encouraging local businesses of interest to visitors to register to promote their goods and services through the Goulburn Visitor Information Centre.

Acting Tourism Manager Jenny Falconer said the Registered Advertiser program for Goulburn and Surrounds is a free service for all tourism-related businesses located within the Goulburn Mulwaree area.

"Unlike similar opportunities offered at many other destinations, this program is independent of any industry associations or memberships," Mrs Falconer said.

"Benefits of registering as an advertiser include a free listing on the tourism website www.igoulburn.com with photos, description, contact details and a link to the business's website.

"Other benefits of joining include a free display of brochures at the Visitor Information Centre for customers to pick up, a free listing in various relevant guides such as the *Accommodation Guide, Dining Guide* and *Conferences, Functions and Events Directory,* as well as additional marketing opportunities and regular information updates.

"Registrations are due for renewal at the start of every financial year to ensure our staff have the most up-to-date information on hand for each registered business," Mrs Falconer said.

Council's Tourism Marketing Officer Jessica Aliffi encouraged businesses not to miss out on this opportunity.

"This free service is a not-to-be-missed opportunity for our local businesses who are interested in attracting out of town customers," Ms Aliffi said.

"It ensures maximum exposure to the estimated 230,000 visitors the Goulburn Mulwaree area hosts on average each year, including more than 88,000 potential visitors researching a Goulburn holiday using the www.igoulburn.com website per year.

"All you need to do to register your business is complete the relevant forms and submit them with a copy of your public liability insurance certificate of currency to the Goulburn Visitor Information Centre in Sloane Street."

Road 92 Completion Party at Nerriga on the 2nd October was enjoyed by hundreds of locals & visitors alike.

Cutting of the ribbon by the oldest Nerriga resident, Kevin Smith; speeches from locals & politicians was then followed by a grand parade led by Robert Rolfe on his horse followed by a team of bullocks, vintage cars & trucks, entertainers, then fire trucks from Nerriga & adjacent RFS brigades.

The rain held off until the afternoon, the party then moved to the Bark Tree Hotel.

Congratulations go to all those involved in the organisation of this event, we all thoroughly enjoyed ourselves.

WINDELLAMA VOLUNTEER RURAL FIRE BRIGADE

Report all Fires 000 & Emergencies **Brigade enquiries 4844 5359** **UHF 21** **Yass - 6226 3100**

RFS website www.rfs.nsw.gov.au or Brigade website www.windellamarfs.com.au

Captain - Jim Meehan 4844 5554 **Snr Deputy – Lynton Roberts 4844 5118**

Our Annual Open Day was September 25th which also saw additional Plaques added to our new Memorial Wall, there are approximately forty plaques on the Wall now, commemorating past members who played an active role in our local Bushfire Brigade. A considerable number of families attended and partook of our sausage sizzle.

BUSH FIRE DANGER PERIOD COMMENCES 1ST NOVEMBER 2010 SOUTHERN TABLELANDS ZONE

NSW Rural Fire Service SOUTHERN TABLELANDS ZONE has declared the start to the statutory Bush Fire Danger Period (BFDP) as at 1st November 2010.

From **November 1, any person wishing to light a fire in GOULBURN MULWAREE, UPPER LACHLAN and YASS VALLEY Local Government areas will require a permit.**

During a Total Fire Ban however, no fires of any kind may be lit, even if you hold a permit.

Small Farms Field Day

The brigade will be attending at the Windellama Small Farms field day on Saturday 6th November, so come along and see us there.

Training

For information on training dates, times and structure check the Brigade website or contact the Captain Jim Meehan on 4844 5554. **Remember** training and meeting times alter during daylight saving times, check the website for updated information. **www.windellamarfs.com.au**

General Meeting 27th November 7:30pm
25th December No Meeting - Merry Christmas

Training 27th November Grass Fire - 2pm
25th December No Training - Merry Christmas

Please take care on our roads and see you at the next training and meeting. **All welcome.**

Cnr Sandy Point & Oallen Ford Roads

Local Windellama Roadworks Completed

On Friday 8th October two sections on Oallen Ford Road were surfaced with bitumen.

The corner of **Sandy Point Road** has had road-support, widening, drainage & landscaping work done. Past **Roberts Road** there has been a portion of road that has been realigned, cleared of trees, new drainage & landscaping works completed.

There is definitely more traffic on this road now since Road 92 from Nowra to Nerriga has finished.

Another kilometre extension of Oallen Ford Road past Roberts Rd

Well, good news to report this time. My dreams and desires came true, two darling little girl Alpacas were born. Had been waiting and waiting for them to arrive.

Mayu,(Incan for celestial river or the milky way) arrived at 2.55 pm on the 7th October. A white girl with brown feet and a few spots on her legs from Anna and Marlecchino, now in South Australia. Heroides had gone to help someone shear and rang at 1pm to say he had finished and was on the way home. I had asked my angels and guides to delay the birth until we were both here, as these will be our last two babies. As he walked in the gate she began serious labour, she had started cushing and rolling as soon as I put the phone down and he helped deliver her.

Then on Saturday 9th October I had to go out at 11am, as my son had bought tickets for Mother Africa in Canberra and sure enough Leti started at 7am and at 8.05 she produced Mamacuna (Temple of the Sun also Incan), a little roan girl from Florino, also now in South Australia. Afterbirth passed at 10.15am and soon up and on the teats. However we are going to give her a few bottles as Leti's milk is a long time coming in. So it was totally well planned and orchestrated by my angels, then it was a full on day as we had to go to a Latin American concert in the evening, we never usually go out!! I was exhausted but glad the births were safely over. We have had 117 alpaca births in total over 15 years. Now I can relax until shearing time in December.

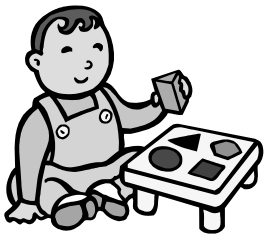
Namaste, Joy Book " Alpaca Addiction "available.

www.lagranjaholistisalpacas.com.au

WINDELLAMA PLAYGROUP
At
Windellama Public School

For more info ring Tony at the school on - 48445130

Every
School Thursday
9.30am – 11.30am



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email: windellama-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au **Phone:** 4844 5130
Website: www.windellama-p.schools.nsw.edu.au **Fax:** 4844 5265

EISTEDDFOD SUCCESS

Our school once again took out the champion's ribbon for the Small Schools Verse Speaking Competition at the Goulburn Eisteddfod. The choir recited "*Mulga Bill's Bicycle*" and received a mark of 95% from the judge. That's 2 wins in a row for trhe school!

Our school also had the winning pair in the duologue section for the second year running – Kieren & Kimberley won with their rendition of "*Mutt Dog*".

GOULBURN SPACExpo

WPS students and staff enjoyed participating in the annual Sport & Culture Expo at Carr Comfoy Fields in September. Along with 3000 other students from the district, our students enjoyed rockwall climbing, wheelchair races, art, craft, drama and a variety of sports.

NUDE FOOD!

Our school participated in National Nutrition Week recently and celebrated a special National Nude Food Day at school. Students are being challenged to eat nutritious food that has little or no packaging to reduce our ***'waste footprint'.*** Many lunchboxes this term have absolutely no plastic packaging in them which is a great achievement.

We love Nude Food at Windy!

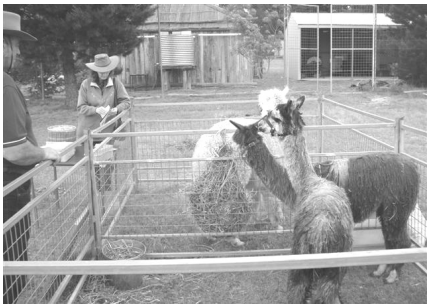
UPCOMING EVENTS

Term 4

P&C Meeting – Monday Nov 1
WINDELLAMA CUP – Tuesday Nov 2
Kinder 2011 Orientation Day No3 – Nov 5
NAIDOC Activity Day – Tarago PS – Nov 17
Kinder 2011 Orientation Day No4 – Nov 19
Kinder 2011 Orientation Day No5 – Dec 3
Presentation Night – Dec 13

'Simply Sustainable Lifestyle'

at Windellama's Small Farms Field Day

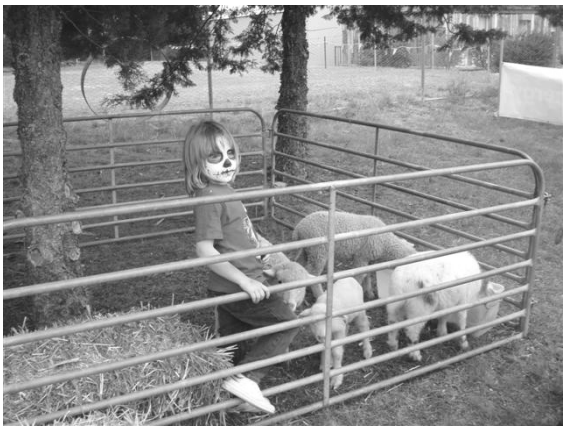


6th November
9am to 4pm

At Windellama's Small Farms Field Day there will be exhibitors & demonstrations to inform & excite you.

Entry fee is more than reasonable with adults paying only $5 each, pensioners only $3 each, and all school children FREE.

- **FREE** ample parking is available.
- Pick up your **FREE** Field Day guide at the main gate entry.
- Fill in your gate ticket & enter in the draw for your **FREE** prize drawn later in the day.
- Enter the cow pat competition - lots of fun with **$1,000 prize.**
- **FREE** Reptile awareness exhibitions
- Check out your Field Day Guide for the times of various **FREE** lectures.



Entertainment for children is also available in a designated centrally located area; including a jumping castle, face painting, animal nursery, and craft activities to name a few.

Entertainment for all ages with live music in our comfy seating areas where hot & cold food, hot & cold refreshments are available all day; making for a relaxed & friendly family atmosphere.

The Windellama Museum is open to all for a look into the past and also the history of the Windellama area. There are also various craft / market stall holders, vintage machinery, local spinners & weavers, local emergency services & much more to pique your interests.

Bargain purchases on the day are guaranteed from the many exhibitors & market stall holders.

It's on again...
The Windellama Small Farms Field Day
Saturday 6 November 2010

Every year the Windellama Small Farms Field Day gets bigger and better, and this year is set to be the best yet. We have lots of new exhibitors along with all the old favourites, plus of course demonstrations, market stalls and live entertainment.

This year's featured exhibitors include solar and wind energy suppliers; mud brick builders; cattle, goats, sheep and alpacas; apiarists; wineries and olive growing; farm forestry; bush soaps; nurseries and garden supplies; waste and grey water solutions; farm machinery and more.

Working dog demonstrations and reptile awareness shows will be held throughout the day. Local apiarist, Bob Shaw, will have a glass fronted working beehive for those who've always wanted to see what goes on behind a bee's closed doors, and the popular Cow Pat Competition will once again be conducted during the afternoon. There will also be craft and market stall holders, vintage machinery, local spinners and weavers, and local emergency services.

There's live music, fabulous food and snacks, plus the children's area (complete with jumping castle, face painting, animal nursery and biscuit decorating) to help entertain the younger attendees.

The Field Day is sponsored by Country Energy and will be held at the Windellama Community Hall and grounds from 9am to 4pm, Saturday 6 November. Entry is still just $5 per adult, $3 per pensioner and all school children are free. It's a compact, informative and fun-filled family day. See you there!

Need to know more? Visit: http://www.windellama.com.au/field_day/index.html

WINDELLAMA PROGRESS ASSOC. HALL Inc.

October has been a very busy month at the hall. The outside walls of the bar area have been reclad and the improvement is remarkable.

We have had a couple of fundraisers – a stall at Nerriga at the celebration of the naming of Main Road 92, and catering for the Weeds Expo at Windellama on behalf of Goulburn Rotary and NSW Industry & Investment.

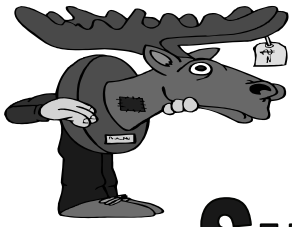
Planning for the Field Day is well advanced. There will be lots to see and do and all we need now is a lovely sunny day. Helpers in the food outlet will be most impressed with the work that has been carried out over the past few months. Lloyd and Greg have been busy building counters and workbenches to make life easier for our volunteers and the purchase of anti-fatigue mats will mean legs are less tired at the end of a long day.

A grant from the Federal Government has resulted in the purchase of new chairs and an extra shade tent, for which we will all be grateful when it comes to putting it up on the morning of the big day. Offers of help on Saturday morning to assist with the set up will be most eagerly accepted.

Members of the Field Day Committee, together with the committee of the Progress Association, look forward to welcoming you to this most important day in our yearly calendar. Please join us and help make the day a wonderful success.

The next meeting of the Progress Association will be held on Monday 15th November at 2 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Frances Knights - Secretary



Sunday

21st November

10am to 2pm
at
Windellama Hall

November Car Boot Sale—Bring along your preloved items
$10.00 per boot

Devonshire Tea
Toasted Sandwiches

2nd Hand goods
Mushroom Compost
Deli delights
Toys
Linen
Cakes
Craft goods
Soaps & lollies

All enquiries to Bob Shaw on 4844 5001

Landcare Update

Landcare update for Windellama news November 2010

On Sunday 17 October we will be planting more trees and lomandra at Oallen Ford on the Shoalhaven River and will be joined by a Bushcare group from Sydney suburb of Willoughby.

In early December we plan to have another busy bee at Oallen Ford when we will also have our Christmas meeting. More details about this event later.

At all three busy bees morning tea and lunch will be provided **so please let us know if you are coming** (Joy or John (Catering Officers) - 4844 5225 or Sandra (Secretary) - 4844 5047). We want to make sure we have enough tucker for all.

If you are not already a member of the Windellama Landcare Group and are interested in joining the Group or seeing some of our projects you are very welcome at one of our up-coming working bees – just call one of the numbers above.

The Windellama Locals Linking Landscapes program is continuing with the Steering Committee meeting in early September to plan projects for the current year.

POLICE BEAT
Monthly crime report

The month of October has seen rural offence become the focus of crime

Stock

It's that time of year again when the lambs that were dropped around the April period have gained enough weight to sell. Therefore making it desirable for the theft of stock.

On the 13th of October 22 lambs were stolen from a property on Mayfield Road Tarago. The theft appears to have occurred sometime between the 3rd of October and the 13th of October. The lambs have been reported stolen from Lake View Estate adjacent to Mayfield Road. If anyone can assist police with information please contact the station on 4849 4411.

There have also been two reported incidents for dog attacks over the September and October periods. On the 14th of September sheep were attacked on Taylors Creek Road Tarago, which cost the owner a considerable loss.

The second attack occurred on the 4th of September. On this occasion 24 lambs were attacked and killed by dogs. It's believed the dogs responsible for the attack were two large marino dogs. Again this was quite a financial loss to the owner.

If anyone sees any vehicle acting suspicious around your property or your neighbours, please contact police. Most of the offenders involved in the theft of stock are linked to small numbers being stolen which makes it easy for the stock to be transported by small vehicle's like box trailers and horse floats.

Remember, if you are transporting stock you need to be in possession of a Travelling Stock Statement (TSS). Police will be showing a high level of focus on stopping stock being transported over the coming months.

I encourage all property owners to protect their stock from these types of dog attacks. If you see dogs straying around your property you can contact the ranger through the Council and have them removed.

Traffic:

On the 20th of September a heavy vehicle accident was reported on the Bungendore Road. A heavy vehicle loaded with about 40 tones of turkey manure had rolled over on Bungendore Road just south of Tarago which blocked both south and north bound lanes for most of the day. As a result of the roll over, no one was injured and the driver returned a negative roadside breath test to alcohol. Police don't believe speed was a factor in the cause of the accident.

Community Notice:

A reminder that a state wide firearms audit has commenced. So, please make sure your licence is current and has not expired and your storage cabinet complies with the standards, because when I get your file I will be contacting you to arrange a time and date to inspect your firearms and storage cabinet.

I thank those from the Bungonia area who have sent their forms in and encourage everyone in the area to do the same.

I have started a register to record your movements when you're away on leave. All this means is if your planning a holiday or just away for a length of time and your house is going to be vacant, then call me and I will record your name, number, contact person in the case of an emergency and when your leaving and returning. This will help me to patrol your area / house during your absence and hopefully prevent your place being broken into. There is still no guarantees, but I am always looking for ways to prevent break and enters and property theft especially relating to the weekenders in the area.

Regards
Brad Carey
Senior Constable
Tarago Police Station
48494411

Body Language in Communication

"Fie, fie upon her! There's language in her eye, her cheek, her lip. Nay, her foot speaks; her wanton spirits look out at every joint and motive of her body."

William Shakespeare's description is one of many epic passages that illustrate the complexity of body language. The most prevalent form of communication since pre-historic times, body language can express the most subtle feelings of a person – which in many instances, no common words can reveal.

The Language in the Body:

The word "language" is often associated with spoken or written language. After all, it is this unique ability that separates humans from other primates. But despite the association, body language reigns supreme when it comes to volume of messages. Some authorities claim that when two people are conversing, around 93% of the communication is exchanged non-verbally* (where 65-90% is body language, according to each interaction).

Body language is often "taken for granted" because in many instances, it occurs on an involuntary or semi-voluntary basis. For example, the human face has around 90 muscles and just about 30 exclusively expressing emotions. Most of the communication which is represented by changes in facial muscles is biologically-inherited and unconscious. Nevertheless, there are several cues which can indicate how a person is feeling or what they are thinking through facial expressions.

We also do semi-conscious or automated body movements. These movements can represent certain mental dispositions and in many instances, we don't notice them at all. Imagine the following scenario: you are talking to a friend, who is trying to prove a point which you strongly disagree with. You cross your arms while talking to him. You may have crossed your arms because you were cold, but it is also a known expression for defensiveness in body language. You will probably not notice it at that moment, but you could be sending a message to your friend

Examples of Body Language:

There are hundreds of situations which body language takes a prominent role. In sports, body language literacy is synonymous with an ability to accurately "read the game", resulting in higher on-field performance. Thus, the more experience a player has, the more he or she is likely to make effective decisions by predicting what the opponent will do in a particular situation.

In interpersonal relationships, body language is everywhere. People send constant messages to each other via body language much before a word is said. Imagine the people you normally see on your way to work everyday: after sometime, you may smile to them, or change the way you look at them. Your body language may tell them: "I don't know you, but I acknowledge your presence". When people go to social environments such as bars, clubs or parties, they constantly communicate with each other via body language; flirting, for example, is often initiated by "bodily expressions of interest or messages".

In intercultural communication, body language can play the role of translation. When spoken and written languages are not a common channel, there are a variety of body signs which are universal and can be used as a language of their own. Just think about a trip overseas where someone tries to purchase a ticket or is looking for a public toilet, but cannot say a word in the native language. In the absence of a Lonely Planet, body language comes in handy. Additionally, contextual factors may require people to use body language instead of other media: an example is when they are trying to transmit a message in a noisy place, such as a concert or sports event, or in a silent environment, such as a hospital.

There are almost infinite instances of 'body-talk' in people's lives, despite culture or background. Body language, as necessity or an added benefit, is inherent to almost every face-to-face interaction between human beings.

Reading People:

The fact that most people do not pay due attention to body language does not deny the fact that they are constantly 'speaking' through their bodies. People give away a torrent of information via their posture, movements, expressions, and other visual cues – and most individuals simply do not consciously catch it because they are not trained to do so.

However, this is a competency which can be easily learnt with some training and practice.

Facial Expressions: There are three sources of information about an individual's feelings and thoughts in the visual channel: facial expression, posture and gestures. Facial expression is considered most prominent source of information about emotions by many researchers and scientists.

Eye Accessing Cues: Eye signals are one of the most 'eloquent' forms of facial expression. The presence of eye contact normally determines whether a person is interested in a certain conversation. If the individual stares uneasily to his or her interlocutors, if he or she may be intimidated; whilst a 'direct stare' is commonly associated with aggression and/or a challenging stance.

Posture and Gestures: A person's posture often indicates his or her disposition in a conversation. When people are uninterested during communication, they often demonstrate that by crossing their arms or legs or pointing their body away from the interlocutor. Inclining back during a conversation is a sign of comfort and perceived power; normally used in hierarchical situations such as job interviews or a work meeting.

Conclusion:

Body language is likely to remain the most prominent form of human interaction for many more decades – centuries perhaps. Reading body language is a very useful skill for any individual, and something worth taking time to learn about. It is quite amazing how relationships can be improved once there is a new channel of mutual communication. As the old adage says, the eyes are the window to the soul: using body language effectively may open many more windows.

Adapted: "*Aust. Institute of Professional Counsellors"*

Prepared by: **www.virtualrealitycounselling.com**

The sheets of bark were placed around fires for a day or two, with the sap side facing the heat. Then they were laid flat on the ground under heavy weights until they became reasonably flat. Rawhide thongs were used to attach the sheets to the framework because the bark would split as it shrank and the roof would leak if nails were used. The ridge-cap was made from specially selected sheets of bark laid with the fibres running lengthwise. It was bent over very carefully so that it did not crack.

When all the bark was in place it was prevented from being blown off by heavy pieces of wood known, as riders. The riders were pegged to saddle-poles which ran up to the ridge and were pegged to the corresponding saddle-pole on the other side of the hut. The same type of roof construction would be used for the slab house built later.

A Slab House

A site for the permanent house had to be above flood level but near a creek which would be the water supply. It would be cleared of grass which might be a fire hazard and cleared of trees which might fall on the house.

Trees were carefully selected for fine grain which would split easily with few splinters. Those selected were felled and sawn into ten feet lengths for corner posts or eight feet lengths for slabs. The corner posts would be squared with an adze or broad axe for eight feet of their length before being stood upright in holes dug two feet deep at each corner of the outside walls and at each junction of interior walls. Other heavy squared timbers, called ground plates, were cut to fit between the corner posts and were embedded in the ground and other slightly longer squared timbers, called wall plates, were laid across the tops of the corner posts. We can only wonder how these heavy timbers were manipulated into position with the primitive equipment and limited manpower available.

The eight-feet lengths of tree trunk were split into slabs about three inches thick using a sledgehammer and steel wedges to progressively open a split from one end to the other. The slabs were squared along their long edges and were fitted vertically between the ground plates and the wall plates. Two-inch square timbers were nailed each side at top and bottom to keep the vertical slabs in place. The cracks between the slabs were stopped with clay and (in later times) covered with strips of galvanized iron.

A fireplace was built of broken stones held together with clay. Stones from watercourses could not be used because they were likely to explode when heated by the fire. The fireplace was made very large so long logs could be used. This saved a lot of chopping but the logs were heavy to carry. The kitchen was in a separate building to limit losses if it caught fire, a not uncommon event.

For the floor of the house the earth was compacted with the sawn end of a log then covered with green cowdung. When this had been absorbed it was sprinkled with charcoal, creek sand and water. If prepared properly the earth floor was clean, odourless, black and

In Your November Garden

From Irene Turner

Vegetables to be planted now:

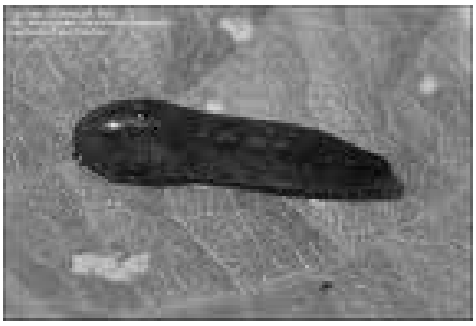
Seeds of beans, carrots, beetroot, radish, parsnips, herbs, cucumber, squash, zucchini, pumpkin, capsicum, sweet corn, celery & lettuce.

Seedlings of cabbages, silver beet, celery & lettuces.

Flowers

Amaranthus, celosia, cockscomb, coleus, cosmos, gazanias & zinnia.

Check for aphids on roses; spray with Eucalyptus oil or rose spray; or pinch the aphids off.



Cherry slug can be a problem this month - you can dust with cabbage dust or mix lime to a thin paste and spray on the trees.

CROP ROTATION

How to plan your garden beds

Year 1 - Legumes & Brassicas

In Autumn prepare the soil with lime & sow broad beans, and later other legumes such as peas. After they are harvested, cut the plants off at ground level & leave the nitrogen-rich roots to rot. This feeds leafy Winter & Spring flowering brassica crops such as broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage & sprouts; which go in as the beans finish.

Year 2 - Root crops & alliums

As the last of all the Winter & Spring brassicas are being harvested, root crops such as radish, swede, celeriac, carrot, parsnip & beetroot can be sown. Potatoes too should be planted now, and most can be left in the ground until the next winter.

Spinach & alliums such as onions, garlic & shallot will likewise thrive beside tasty tubers; but make sure all these crops are lifted by late Spring so you can apply plenty of manure & leave it to weather in.

Year 3 - Cucurbits & Corn

After all that well-rotted manure has been worked into the soil, plant crops of sweet corn & cucurbits such as squash, pumpkin & watermelon. Then in Summer sow a late crop of cucumber & zucchini to be sure of a supply of these vegies. After harvesting sow a green manure crop such as lupins or rye, and dig it in at the end of Winter.

Year 4 - Solanaceae

By this time the bed has not been limed for 3 years, so the slightly acidic soil is perfect for the plants in the solanaceous family such as tomato, eggplant & capsicum. Between rows cover the soil with lime to get ready for planting next years' crop of legumes & brassicas.

Other Crops

Herbs - grow them in & around crops in the solanaceae family.

Strawberries - grow them around a garden bed. Replant into a new bed every 3 years.

Lettuce - grow these vegies beside the cucurbits & corn as space allows.

Thank you to Colin Lock for sending this article

The next time you drive along Windellama Road through Quialigo, around Golden Plains Drive, spare a thought for a young farmer who toiled in the area almost 100 years ago. Gilbert Berryman was born in Yongala, South Australia on the 14 April 1894 the third child of William and Catherine. Along with sister Myrtle and brother Searle, the family moved to Goulburn and lived in *Illilliwa* in Belmore Street. William and Catherine also purchased the station *Quialigo* and the two boys subsequently moved there to work on the property. With the outbreak of WWI both boys enlisted: Searle on the 22 August 1915 and Gilbert on Sunday the 23 January 1916.

Gilbert arrived in England on the 25 August 1916, a reinforcement for the 55th Battalion, to prepare for his own adventure for King and Country. A member of the 22nd Field Artillery Brigade, Searle was repatriated to Liverpool a fortnight later to recover from gun shot wounds. Whether the boys met at this time is unknown. Snippets in the *Goulburn Evening Penny Post* mention Searle and Gilbert catching up with fellow soldier friends and relatives also in England. Thinking of home they enquired: 'How is father getting along? If he can manage for 12 months we boys aught to be back in that time.' In any event Gilbert embarked at Folkestone for France on the 19 December 1916 whilst Searle passed through the same port to rejoin his unit on the 8 January 1917.

In May, Gilbert sent a message to his mother saying he had been wounded. There was no official advice however, possibly because of an address mix up. Mail was being addressed to *Yongala*, Windellama Road. Gilbert had suffered multiple shrapnel wounds and had been admitted to Horton, County of London, War Hospital at Epsom. Then messages to the family began to arrive at *Illilliwa* advising the family of Gilbert's wounding, then a message saying he had died followed by another message saying he was still recovering. With William now spending the weekdays out at *Quialigo*, a confused and distraught Catherine endeavoured to find out more: she was advised that Gilbert had, in fact, succumb to his wounds. The message advising his death had a high priority and it had overtaken some of the more promising messages already enroute, leading to confusion and a desperate hope.

Gilbert was only 23 when he died on the 27 June 1917. At 1:30 on the 3 July he was buried with military honours at Brookwood Cemetery in peaceful Surry; his chief mourner was Searle. It is possible that Searle was with Gilbert when he died as he had been given leave from the 26 June. The cruel reality being that Gilbert, apparently on the path to recovery, was already dead and buried before his family in Goulburn knew about it.

In July this year whilst in London I took the opportunity to visit Gilbert's grave, one of hundreds in a serene setting far from the horrors that caused his death. His epitaph is telling; perhaps in disbelief of events that occurred thousands of miles away, his parents chose:

He is not dead
He only sleeps
so peacefully at rest

Standing in front of Gilbert's headstone, set in its own nicely tended little garden of English flowers, I wished I had brought a few leaves from one of *Quialigo's* old eucalypts with me. I wondered what his aspirations may have been, did he leave a sweetheart…

New exhibition honours local pilots

A new exhibition honouring the efforts of local pilots during the World Wars will open at the Goulburn War Memorial Museum next week.

War Memorial Curator Bob Saunders said the exhibition is based on a number of Goulburn pilots who served in the skies over Europe during the two World Wars.

"For this exhibition, the Museum has decided to focus on four local airmen, and we would like to thank the generosity of the Baxter, Goldsborough, Manfred and Sykes families for contributing so heavily to the exhibition," Mr Saunders said.

"Each object they have donated tells a unique story of survival, mateship and the history of aerial warfare.

"In World War I, the Goulburn district provided some 25 servicemen to the fledgling Australian Flying Corps, and more than 600 servicemen to the RAAF in World War II, so the area has quite a strong historical connection with the RAAF."

The exhibition will open on Wednesday 27 October at 10am, and will be on display until August 2011.

The War Memorial Museum is open to the public from 10am - 4pm on weekends, public and school

Church News

Catholic Church Services

Parish Priest: Fr. Dermot McDermott
Assistant: Fr. Sunhil Kadaparambil

Presbytery & Parish Office
Phone 4821 1022

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Sunday Mass will be at 9am. on the 2nd & 4th Sunday at St. Patrick's **Marulan**.

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