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President Neil Guscott

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Marysville hosts Mobile Library Conference

It was an impressive 'battle of the buses' at Marysville on 17–18 November when the Annual Mobile Library Conference rolled into town.

Mobile Library buses of all shapes and sizes converged on Gallipoli Park where 45 delegates came together for a weekend of networking and inspiring discussion.

Mayor John Walsh said that the weekend was a fantastic opportunity for Marysville to be showcased as being well and truly open for business.

"The Marysville Community Centre provided an ideal location for the gathering with ample parking for the impressive mobile library 'rigs'," Cr Walsh said.

"There are 79 Mobile Libraries throughout Victoria, New South Wales and Queensland and we had representatives from 26 of them at the conference. It was a big trip for many of the attendees and we were very pleased to have them visit Marysville, and to see firsthand how far the town has come in its recovery."

Conference coordinator John Branton said that the weekend featured a number of highlights.

This included illuminating presentations from guest speakers such as award winning Australian writer Arnold Zable, professional public speaker Paddy Spruce and author Sandy McKinnon.

A problem solving session on Sunday led by Jenny Branton of Branton Consulting saw a number of issues addressed, which resulted in the resolution to create the Australasian Mobile Library Network.

"The conference went above and beyond our expectations with one mobile library operator claiming it be the best he had been to in the 17 he had attended during his career," Mr Branton said.

"Many expressed their intentions to return to Marysville in the future for a longer stay. They loved the beautiful surroundings and friendly people."

Image 1: Some impressive mobile buses were on display at this year's Mobile Library Conference in Marysville.

*Books are no more threatened by Kindle than stairs by elevators
(Stephen Fry)*



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| Sunday 2 | - CFA Buxton - Meeting @ 9.00am |
| Monday 3 | - Narbethong Progress Assoc - Meeting 7.30pm, Narby Hall |
| Thursday 6 | - CFA Buxton - Training 7pm |
| | - Buxton Progress Assoc Meeting, 7.30pm @ Buxton Hall |
| Sunday 9 | - Buxton Community Christmas Party |
| Tuesday 11 | - Narbethong History Group - Meeting 10 am, Narby Hall |
| Thursday 13 | - MDF&NC AGM - 7pm (see notice) |
| Sunday 16 | - Carols by Candlelight - Marysville |
| Thursday 20 | - CFA Narbethong - Meeting 8.00pm |
| Thurs Feb 14, 2013 | - Buxton Recreation Reserve - Public Meeting - 7.30pm
at Buxton Hall |



Annual General Meeting



Marysville District Football & Netball Club

Cross Country Ski Hire

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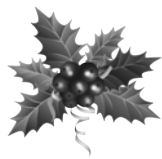


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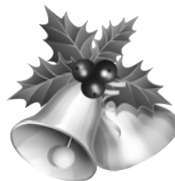
Buxton Recreation Reserve, Buxton Progress Association & Buxton Fire Brigade

Triangle Community Christmas Dinner



Marysville Golf Club

**Monday, 3 December
6.20pm for 6.30pm**



**Please bring food to share
with your friends and neighbours
Enquiries: Ian 0418 142 645**



Xmas is just around the corner and the annual **Taggerty Xmas party** will be held on **Saturday Dec 1st from 5pm at the Hall !**

This year there will be **delicious, hot spit roast beef, cold chicken, hot roast potatoes and sour cream and hot vegetable burgers.**

You bring either a salad or dessert to share and we have a fabulous meal all for the cost of a gold coin donation - excellent value. In addition to our usual **games** for the kids (including the now famous wombat toss) and **visit from Santa**, the kids can have fun on the **Jumping Castle**, while you enjoy Xmas music and a drink and chat with friends and hopefully meet some of our non-permanent Taggerty neighbours.

Pick up a flyer at the Taggerty store with all the details and remember, if there's a child in your party to provide a small "gift from Santa."

So come along and add to the season's cheer.

TIMMS Frank, died on Monday 26th

Beloved husband of Pearl, Loving father of Sandra, Garry and Colin,
Loving grandfather of 8 and Great grandfather of 9.
Gone to be with the Lord

A Service to celebrate his life will be held at Marysville Community Centre, on Friday 30th, at 11 a.m.
No flowers by request.

Carols by Candlelight

Sunday 16th December

Lion's Park (near rotunda)

Carols begin at 7:30PM but.....

Come early and bring a picnic

Bring a chair and rug



Candlelight Service



CHURCH NOTICES

Anglican Parish of Marysville / Buxton

Locum Priest: Fr Ian Clark
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Pastor Ivor Jones: 03 5963 3623

Secretary: Terry Calvert: 0437 160 269

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MARYSVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

building has been transported to the North side of El Kanah.

We will be meeting in El Kanah's beautiful Chapel, "a Church with a view." for some weeks while the church building is fitted-out etc.

Access by Temporary Village driveway.

Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church

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enquiries to Chairman, Robert Chaffe 5772 1620

Yea Shire Hall transformation at next stage

Restoration works to the historic Yea Shire Hall will soon be noticeable to residents.

Whilst most of the preparation works have so far been behind the scenes, passersby will soon start to see the old hall take on new life.

Mayor John Walsh said that council staff have been working closely with a Heritage Consultant to ensure that all areas of historic significance are identified and protected while delivering the project.

"The stabilisation of the building has required discussions with both a Heritage Consultant and a structural engineer to establish the most suitable solution to address the movement of the building," Cr Walsh said.

"Once stabilisation has been addressed, works to the inside of the hall can commence.

"A number of site meetings have been undertaken and quotations are currently being sourced for all internal works."

Council has ensured that all statutory requirements have been met and the necessary investigations undertaken.

"We are excited to see this important restoration project begin to take shape." Cr Walsh said.

ROTARY CLUB OF ALEXANDRA –BUSH FIRE GARDEN VOUCHERS

The Rotary Club of Alexandra has been very active in Bush Fire Recovery projects, since February 2009-Black Saturday.

These projects have covered:

- Catering for the Relief Centre for over two weeks.
- Distributing donated goods from the Anglican Church & RSL Halls and then Gaudians Cherry Shed for 10 weeks.
- Assisting the Bayside Building Group and Rotary Club of Sandringham to supply and install 20 large Rural Sheds on properties in the fire areas. Value \$ 300,000.

Carrying out over 50 projects in the Triangle area for bush fire Recovery worth nearly \$ 400,000 [not including the above \$ 300,000], ranging from bridges for the Marysville Golf Course, playground, community garden & "Chook"Shed for the Marysville Temporary Village, Rotunda at Gallipoli Park, sponsoring the Marysville Marathon and " Rising from the Ashes" Football Match, projects at the Marysville Primary School, the Narbethong Hall landscaping, \$ 22,000 to the CFA units. to the most recent \$15,000 in equipment for the Triangle / Marysville Mens Shed [Funds from our Rotary District Disaster Committee.]

There have been two issues of Vouchers, the first in 2009 of \$ 250 per family for tools, clothes, small household appliances etc-[This totalled \$ 80,000] and from mid 2010 to now- \$500 per family for Garden equipment, materials and Plants, totalling \$ 85,000.

These funds came from a variety of sources, including our Rotary District Bush Fire Committee –some \$ 130,000, Rotary Clubs across Australia & New Zealand, even from Canada & Russia [Rotary Club of Balwyn \$50,000 & Mooropna around \$20,000 are examples], private individuals, Schools and organisations.

The purpose of this article is to remind people still holding Garden Vouchers that a significant number of these issued in 2010 and later, have not been redeemed. As one of the purposes in issuing these Vouchers was to assist our hard-hit Traders with some business, we would like to see them used. The Vouchers have a notional Date of two months, but we will still redeem these up to 31/12/2012 Therefore we are advising that we will not be able to redeem Vouchers which are used for purchases AFTER 31st DECEMBER 2012. Please use them before Christmas. If there are any queries please ring Treasurer Maurie Pawsey on 5772 2157

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Beau Simmons Wins the Par Shield at Marysville Golf Club.

The men's three day tournament culminated in a 27 hole event on Sunday 18th November. Sixty three players from 22 clubs participated in the competition and there were some excellent results from local golfers. Alexandra golfer Matt Richards was the 27 Hole Overall Scratch Winner and the 27 Hole Overall Handicap Winner was Ed Body from Eildon. Other local section winners and runners up were Robert Kidd from Alexandra, Nick Strongman and Russell Hack from Eildon and Daniel Archibald, Dean Connell, Willy Williams, Brad Simpson, Steve Krueger and Ken Whittingham from Marysville. Congratulations to all the winners.

Last Wednesday the golfers played Par and husband and wife Helen and Alan Howard swept the field. Helen (24) won with +1 on a count back from Alan and both Helen and Alan played a gobble during their round.

The Thursday nine holers played stroke on the front nine holes and Bob Emblin with nett 33 was the winner with Paul Hayden runner up with nett 35. Rob Christie won the putting with 15 putts and Laurie Wright won nearest the pin on the 4th hole.

On Saturday the men played the final of the Par Shield. Congratulations to Beau Simmons (9) for winning the shield with +1. The runner up was Laurie Wright (23) with -1 on a count back from Adam Littlejohn. The men who were not Par Shield finalists played a Par round and the in form Bob Emblin (17) with an excellent +8 was the winner followed by Alan Howard (14) with +3 on a count back from Ian Wilton. The ladies winner was Lesley Rundle (29) with +4 with Sabrina Stow (26) runner up with +2. The nearest the pins were won by Mark Bambery, Lesley Rundle and Willy Williams.

After play on Saturday the ladies section held their AGM. Jan Wheeler was elected President; Lesley Rundle retained the Captain/Secretary role; Gail Leigh, Helen Howard and Jenny Coleman will form the Match Committee and Gail Leigh, Liz Amos and Lesley Rundle will form the Tournament Committee.

Next Saturday Marysville will host the first round of the 2012/13 Foodworks Murrindindi Masters and look forward to welcoming local golfers to this event.

Good Golfing.

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Councillor Comment

small town that has moved to capitalise on and gain business from the interest in recreational fishing.

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Even the street names are reproduced on signs in the outline shape of a trout.

Eight years ago the Cressy community created the Tasmanian Trout Expo as a well sponsored weekend with a major fishing competition and a fishing trade expo. Their Expo draws large numbers of visitors each October and it is a popular destination for travellers from interstate.

There are several other fishing expos, competitions and festivals held in other fishing centres around Australia. I think there are opportunities for the Murrindindi region to explore what more can be done to harness the tourist and visitor dollars created by the growing interest in recreational freshwater fishing.

This is an area that I am keen to discuss with the new Council as we develop our four year plan.

Cr John Kennedy Cheviot Ward

It was very pleasing to see Lake Eildon and the Goulburn River voted as the most popular freshwater fishing places in Victoria.

Murrindindi Shire has many other well recognised recreational fishing streams including the Rubicon, Steavenson, Taggerty, Acheron and Yea Rivers and the King Parrot Creek in particular.

If you travel around the local area and count the vehicles parked along roadsides it is clear that a significant number of visitors and local people fish our streams on weekdays, weekends and at holiday times.

Recreational fishing provides a major boost for all types of local businesses. I think it is time our community gave some thought to how we can further benefit from the strongly growing interest in recreational fishing.

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Lake Mountain Alpine Resort has been announced as an Adventure Tourism Finalist at the RACV 2012 Victorian Tourism Awards.

Paul Squires, CEO of Lake Mountain was delighted with the first year result saying "it is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the resort management board and staff and the support of the local community, with the announcement highlighting the resort as an iconic attraction within regional Victoria".

Lake Mountain is Melbourne's closest alpine resort, providing many visitors with their first time snow experience. The resort has over 30km of cross country ski trails, toboggan slopes and snow play areas. During the warmer months the resort transforms into a nature based playground for bushwalking and biking. Lake Mountain has been a catalyst in the recovery of the Marysville region since February 2009, attracting over 150,000 visitors each year.

In its 28th year, the awards are instrumental in encouraging creativity, professionalism and innovation within the tourism industry.

"Each year, the RACV Victorian Tourism Awards recognise and reward the best tourist experiences across our state and honour our highly skilled workforce and promote award-winning products," Minister for Tourism and Major Events Louise Asher said.

"The awards celebrate the achievements of those who strive for tourism excellence and quality and to make Victoria a world-class tourism destination."

More than 150 tourism operators competed in 27 business categories, with another three individual and group awards presented at a gala ceremony on 19 November.

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The Upper Goulburn Field Naturalists Club (based in Alexandra) enjoyed a walk around the Buxton "river walk" before holding it's AGM in the Buxton reserve on the evening of 20th Nov.

The walk was voted a winner by the members and is clearly a great improvement and attraction for the area. We thank the local community and council for bringing the dream to reality.

Anyone interested in joining the Field Nat's can ring Graham Page, 5774 7555.



The next general meeting of the Gallipoli Park Precinct Committee of Management will be held on **Tuesday 18th December** (note change - normally held on the 4th Tuesday of each month).

The meeting will be held at the usual place and time - i.e. the upstairs function room of the Community Centre at 5.30pm.

Members of the public are invited to attend all meetings.

Bookings for community rooms and stadium are to be made on:

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The Christmas Tree Festival

Throughout the world there are thousands of Christmas Tree Festivals and Alexandra is going to have one here, to be held at St Johns Parish Church, Downey Street Alexandra.

It will open on 7th December at 7pm and run until Sunday 16th December.

The Festival will be open between 6pm and 9pm each night, and Santa will be available to be photographed with children on Saturday December 8th from 6pm to 7pm, Tuesday 11th December 6pm to 7pm and on Friday 14th from 6pm to 7pm and photos will be available at a modest cost.

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Dear Marysville Heated Pool Patron,

Currently the "Marysville indoor pool" will be closed in December this year. The site developer in association with Regional Development Victoria intends to demolish the pool and its housing.

A new "solar heated" outdoor pool is to be built as part of the site development, the same as the existing council pools at Marysville, Yea, Alexandra and Eildon.

The Marysville indoor pool is the only heated pool in the Murrindindi Shire. It has been an extremely valuable resource to our broader community, attracting people from Alexandra and Eildon.

The indoor pool was initially constructed with a government contribution of \$100,000; it exists on a site that was purchased by the government after the fire; and is part of a development that the government is largely funding.

The pool has been an invaluable resource not only for our children's water education, but also for the elderly, for physiotherapy, for health and well being and for outdoor education water skills training.

Please write as soon as possible and express your concern that such a valuable resource is to be demolished and what a great loss this will be for our community. Please direct your letters to:

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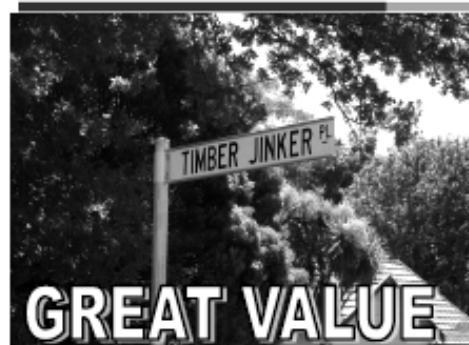
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Council meets with Minister for Local Government

Minister for Local Government Jeanette Powell has held positive talks with Murrindindi Shire Councillors and senior staff following a three hour meeting in Alexandra.

Mayor John Walsh welcomed the opportunity to highlight the work the Council and officers were doing across a range of issues and challenges.

"We have a commitment from Minister Powell that our Council is being heard in Spring Street," Cr Walsh said.

"Our meeting was highly productive. The Minister was open in her comments and is well aware of our challenges and the measures we are putting in place to deliver for the Murrindindi Shire community.

"There were a range of topics and issues raised, including our call for State Government financial support following the recommendations of the KPMG report into Council's finances.

"We also spoke of the need to develop and grow our rate base which needs to be supported through infrastructure – particularly mobile and broadband communication – and the sustainability of training institutes such as the Murrindindi Training Institute.

"Importantly we have the strong feeling that Council is being heard in Melbourne, and the Minister indicated her willingness to advocate on Council's behalf. We are very pleased with the outcome."

Council CEO Margaret Abbey said it was important the work of Council was being recognised by senior government ministers and bureaucrats.

"We have seen a willingness by Minister Powell and the Department of Planning and Community Development to explore further the findings of the KPMG report. This has included the establishment of a special investigations team to progress our request for assistance," Ms Abbey said.

"We have had the opportunity to talk about the impacts the defined benefits superannuation liability calls are having on our Council as well as the buy-back scheme as a result of the Bushfires Royal Commission.

"Minister Powell acknowledges that Council was grappling with issues that went across a number of portfolios, however she was willing to ensure that these were raised with the appropriate ministers.

"The meeting was also attended by Member for Seymour Cindy McLeish who continues to work and advocate on behalf of Council and the community.

"We believe that we will see positive outcomes from what was an extremely important conversation."

Photograph: Member for Seymour Cindy McLeish, Mayor John Walsh, Local Government Minister Jeanette Powell, Cr John Kennedy, CEO Margaret Abbey, Cr Christine Challen and Cr Margaret Rae had productive talks during the Minister's visit to Alexandra.



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The governance of ADH is through a Board of Management, which is made up of volunteers from both the local community and parts further afield. The Board is responsible for the good governance of the operations of ADH through the appointment and management of the CEO, strategic planning and risk management oversight.

The current Board consists of 7 people with varying skills ranging across health services management, accounting, business management, project management, community services, risk management, IR and clinical governance. The role of Board members is an important aspect in the successful delivery of health services within our region and to ensure that ADH facilities deliver health services of the highest standard. Board members find their roles to be both interesting and very fulfilling.

The Board is able to have a maximum of 12 members and it is the current Board's belief that we could be more effective with a larger number of members than our current 7. This allows a sharing of the Board workload such that the contribution by Board members can fit within either fulltime employment or a retired or semi-retired life style.

Advertisements will be appearing in the Alexandra Standard and other publications over the next few weeks for applications for ADH Board positions. These appointments will be effective from 1st July 2013. I would encourage anyone to apply who may be interested and believes they may have relevant skills. We can offer further advice on the role and can provide assistance in the application preparation. Please make contact with our CEO Heather Byrne or any current member of the Board of Management for support or clarification.

Ian McKaskill
Chair, ADH Board of Management

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Dear Editor

On Sunday afternoon I had the privilege to attend a music concert which was held at the beautiful new Narbethong Town Hall. I was treated to a fantastic display of talent from the Music School run by Gary Soloman at Narbethong. The concert was an exceptional showcase of all his students, not just children of the area but adults as well. Displaying all forms of magical talent from Singing to Guitar performances to solo demonstrations. I was taken aback by Gary accompanying some of the children in the performance to give them encouragement and support during their time on the stage.

It was truly touching to hear all the appraises to that were given to the new Narbethong Hall. Our community is so very lucky to have Gary Soloman, such a wonderful and caring person living and working in the community with all his musical experience and history. Well done Gary and performing acts, you all should be so very proud of yourselves, for the amazing production in which you were all a part of on Sunday 25 November 2012

Gail Dacey

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