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triangle news



NARBETHONG & GRANTON

BUXTON & TAGGERTY

Friday October 18th 2013

President Graham Taylor

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Lions Convention a Resounding Success!

Many months of hard work and planning came to fruition over the weekend with the staging of the Lions district V5 convention.

This event was applied for, and granted to us in October 2011 at the convention held in Tatura. The building wasn't even finished! It was another way to show the community how the building could be used.

Our 'Team' from the previous Monday onwards and right through the week, did a terrific job, some under difficult circumstances, setting everything up, and there was nothing that could be faulted on the weekend.

We also thank the Lake Mountain boys for their assistance in putting up the marquee, and Trudi for assistance and for bringing the 'coffee, tea and cakes' when they were thirsty and just a little hungry.

The weekend started with the Civic Reception held at the Patisserie, this was a great 'starter' and we thank Ashraf and Christine for their efforts and also for assisting with providing desserts for the Friday night meal. We also thank the Shire for hosting this event.

This was followed by the Opening ceremony incorporating a Flag Ceremony with selected national flags being carried by the Marysville Guides, assisted by Lions. Our sincere thanks to the Guides, they were wonderful.

Dinner was then served, another fantastic meal prepared by Marysville Lions and Kellan assisting our Chef Glen Fiske. Between courses, visiting Lions were given the option of a trip to the Falls, most of our visitors



took the option and enjoyed it thoroughly. Thanks to Richard from Country Touch and to Norman for organizing it.

The Men's Shed boys did a great job on the Bar, both Friday and Saturday night, and were a real asset to have on board.

Saturday involved some keynote speakers and business. Lunch was prepared by the Eildon Lions Club, our thanks to them for their support.

To Chef Mike and his great team on Saturday night got what was a sensational buffet dinner, we thank you!

Special thanks too, must go to the Bev Fraser Band who kept everyone dancing so late on Saturday night, and to Don McQueen the Balladeer from Strath Creek, who truly had the audience 'hanging off every word' during his great presentation.

As always, many thanks to 'Poppa Smurf' himself, David Buchanan, always a pleasure to work with and great quality Sound for the band!

On Sunday the proceedings started with a memorial service, which at late notice was changed somewhat due to the weather forecast.

We also wish to thank the Alexandra Lions for their support in cooking a really great BBQ lunch for

everyone.

To our other suppliers, Sample Wines (Joffa), Things of Sand and Stone, Marysville Patisserie, Marysville Bakery, Marysville Foodworks, the Marysville Visitor Information Centre, the Marysville Community Centre (thanks so much to Nat and Beryl), and Michael Booker from Creative Design for the great Convention programs etc, we thank you all.

The displays in the upstairs room, organized by our Lion members were well attended.

To the Marysville community, the accommodation providers and the businesses who made all the delegates feel so Welcome - Lions Thank You!

Please see the wonderful comments made by one of our guests on the 'Visit Marysville' webpage, and feel very proud!

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What's on When in October

Thursday 17 - Narbethong Fire Brigade Meeting 8pm
Sunday 20 - Parish Luncheon—see notice
Monday 21 - MDF&NC AGM (notice below)
Saturday 26 - "Light the Night" Lantern Walk (see flyer)
Sunday 27 - Marysville Community Market
Monday 28 - Mystic Mountains Tourism meeting (see notice)
Wednesday 30 - Junior Fire Brigade 7pm @ Narbethong



**Marysville & District
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OPEN & ENROLMENT DAY

Information session and enrolment day Monday 21st October
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Marysville District Football & Netball Club Inc.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The AGM of the Marysville District Football & Netball Club will be held
on

October 21st 2013 - 6.30pm

At Elevation 423, 41 Murchison St. Marysville



Mystic Mountains Tourism Inc.,

Notice of Special meeting

*'To ratify and accept merging of current MMT Inc., Model Rules
in to the new Associations Incorporation Reform Act 2012.'*

Monday 28th of October 2013

From 6.30pm

Venue: *Marysville Patisserie - Falls Road*

**This meeting is to be followed by a normal MMT Inc., General
Members (Dinner) meeting (\$28pp) - With guest speaker.**

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- Murrindindi Young Citizen of the Year
- Murrindindi Community Event of the Year

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Please download the nomination form from our website

www.murrindindi.vic.gov.au, pick up an application form from any council office or call Kat James on 5772 0341.

Nominations close at 5pm on Friday 8 November 2013

RACV Marysville Marathon Festival Runs Again

Our 5th annual RACV Marysville Marathon Festival rolls around this year on Sunday November 17 and we are expecting another great day out, with showbags and medallions for finishers and pulsating music from our steelband at presentations after noon. Events for runners and walkers cover from 4 km up to 50 km for the Ultramarathon, around the trails, riversides and waterfalls of our town.

But we need help from our volunteers to make it happen and avoid any problems. We are again offering \$100 per volunteer who is representing a club for helping with about half a day of various jobs, mostly on Sunday but we could also use some help on the preceding Saturday November 16. We need a commitment by October 15, before we offer it to the wider area, apart from any outside groups we have already had contact with. Volunteers need time to get familiar with their roles and not just decide in the last week or days that they'll turn up on the day -- it's hectic enough for the organisers!

Our surveys estimate a spend of \$80,000 from our visitors for the weekend, plus spreading the word about Marysville for visits at other times. We are a community event and of course welcome volunteers who are not representing clubs to help boost our numbers and make the festival sustainable.

For registration or volunteering click on our website www.marysvillamarathon.com.au as soon as possible, or contact Race Director Brett Saxon whose details are listed there.



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Marysville Police News

Police are seeking assistance from the community about criminal activity that has occurred in the triangle area over the past month.

Between 8am on Friday the 4th & 7.15am on Sunday the 6th of October three wooden picnic table sets and two bench seats have been stolen from the Narbethong Picnic ground, between the CFA building and the Community Hall. The determined criminals have un-bolted the tables from their fixed positions into slabs of concrete. It is most likely that the theft occurred in the early hours of Saturday morning. Due to the size of the picnic tables, the offenders are likely to have used a large trailer or truck. Similar thefts of picnic tables have occurred in the Warburton area recently, and some time ago in the Kinglake area. Next time you pay your rates notice, have a think about the upstanding citizens that have done this. A portion of your rates will go toward replacing the picnic tables. Every person who lives in this shire is a victim of this type of crime.

Speaking of rate payers being the victim, during the first weekend in September, unfortunately the door to a storage room was left unlocked at the public toilet behind the Marysville Information Centre. Opportunistic thief/s have stolen a red/chrome coloured 'Rockford' brand vacuum cleaner, and a green 30 meter garden hose. Combined value of the stolen items is about \$300. Yet another cost to the Murrindindi rate payers. This crime sucks..... Get it?.... Stolen vacuum.... Never mind.

Another opportunistic theft happened at lunchtime on the 11th of September outside an address in Eagles Nest Road, between Marysville and Buxton. A box of new plumbing fittings worth about \$250 was stolen. The fittings had just been delivered to a local plumber by a courier. Somebody took the box. If it was you, have a think about ways you could support a local business. You could start by putting the box of fittings back where you found it.

Yet another one, overnight on the 9th/10th of September at Elkanah guest-house on the outskirts of Marysville, offender/s have removed 2 of 3 heavy steel plates that were fitted as covers over a grease trap pit. The steel plates were custom made to fit the pit, and were valued at about \$700. Local businesses have enough hurdles to jump without this type of thing happening to them.

There have been a couple of other crimes over the past month. For those, we have some leads and so prefer not to telegraph punches.

These crimes remind us of the importance of keeping an eye out for suspicious activity, and reporting it. Ring 000. If whatever you observe turns out to be innocent, no harm done.

If you have any information about the above crimes, please contact Marysville police. 59633222.

Crafters Wanted

We're looking for locally made crafts and produce to sell in a new shop in Marysville.

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The Anglican Parish of Marysville Parish Luncheon

12.30pm Sunday 20th October
Saladin Lodge
Maroondah Highway, Narbethong
Speaker : Clem Clement

EVERYONE WELCOME

Cost: \$35.00



Please telephone acceptances to Val Cockerell (5963-4592) before 5:00pm Sunday 13th October



CHURCH NOTICES

Anglican Parish of Marysville / Buxton Church Service Times:

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Church Service Times

Every first & third & fifth Sunday
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Chaffe 5772 1620

Mayor's Chair

In politics it is often said you must be doing something right when people on both sides of an argument say you are wrong.

In the past week I have had forestry workers say I'm a greenie and environmentalists say I'm pro-logging. The Council's position is to strive for a sustainable balance between the competing interests of environmental species preservation, logging, tourism, outdoor education and amenity.

At the Department of Environment and Primary Industries (DEPI) Leadbeater possum workshop in Melbourne, I joined environmentalists, timber industry representatives and community members to hear the latest scientific research into the survivability of the possum given the effects of the 2009 fires and logging operations.

The science was clear that unless changes were made in the areas logged and the method of logging Mountain Ash, it was highly unlikely that the possum could survive.

The workshop was one of four that were trying to find ideas that would ensure the survivability of Leadbeater possum while still having a sustainable forest industry. No one at the workshop considered we should allow the extinction of the possum. So changes to forest operations must be investigated.

One of the underlying issues will be to maintain employment of those in the timber industry. While there is the possibility of expanding some tourism operations that could create new jobs, there is no automatic link that tourism will provide sufficient jobs and that such jobs could be undertaken by current timber workers. We need to be more creative and look at ways in which existing skills can be used in different business opportunities.

One of the suggestions at the workshop was to take the pressure off the Ash forests by establishing plantations to meet the fibre needs of paper manufacture. Further, different areas of the forest could be made available for other hardwoods to be harvested using methods other than clear felling. Such measures would assist in the protection of the possum and would also help to maintain forest employment.

The expansion at Heyfield of timber lamination facilities could allow the development of different timber products based on species other than Ash.

All these options plus other ideas raised at the workshop are going to be investigated by the State Government Leadbeater Possum Advisory Group that has been tasked to make recommendations.

Cr John Walsh Koriella Ward

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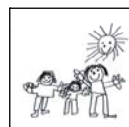
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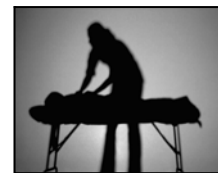


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Our vision is that the Marysville and Triangle Community Foundation Inc build a legacy for a vibrant, healthy and resilient future across the communities of the Murrindindi shire.

A position has become available for an executive officer of the foundation. The successful applicant will be based in Marysville and must be prepared to work outside of normal working hours when required. Following the successful completion of a three month probationary period terms and conditions may be re-negotiated.

A position description and remuneration schedule can be obtained by contacting the secretary, Tony Thompson at marytone1@bigpond.com or 0417 138 572. By mail addressed to Marysville & Triangle Community Foundation PO Box 9 Marysville 3779. Applications must be in by close of business on the 25-10-2013.

Positions Vacant

An opportunity exists to join the Y Water Centre as the
Y Water Centre (Yea) Coordinator
Permanent Part time (0.5 EFT)
Band 6 - Local Government Award



This position sets out to:

- Establish and coordinate the Y Water Centre in line with the objectives of Council and Y Water Inc
- Ensure that information and interpretive experiences provided at the Centre meet visitor and stakeholder expectations
- Ensure visitor information services delivered through the Centre are integrated with a shire wide and regional approach
- Ensure that the Visitor Information component of the Centre is and remains accredited.

An opportunity exists to join the Y Water Centre as the
Y Water Centre (Yea) Customer Service Officer
Permanent Part time (0.6 EFT)
Band 5 – Local Government Award

This position sets out to:

- Provide day to day operational support and customer service at the Y Water Centre
- Ensure that information and interpretive experiences provided at the Centre meet visitor and stakeholder expectations
- Assist the Centre Coordinator with administrative tasks to enhance the effective management of the centre and coordinate volunteers
- Support processes that enable visitor services to integrate with the other Visitor Information Centres/services across the Shire and regionally.

An information pack is available and includes the position description, key selection criteria, information about Murrindindi Shire and Y Water Inc. Applicants are required to address the key selection criteria and provide a resume with a cover letter clearly stating the position being applied for.

To receive an information pack, please call Lisa Wallace on 5772 0318. To view the position descriptions and key selection criteria, please visit Council's website www.murrindindi.vic.au and click on Find Employment.

Applications should be marked "Confidential" and addressed to the Manager Economic Development, Bob Elkington. Applications and accompanying attachments can be submitted:

- online – you will receive an email notification confirming your submission; or
 - by email to msc@murrindindi.vic.gov.au (please include Y Water Centre position in the subject line); or
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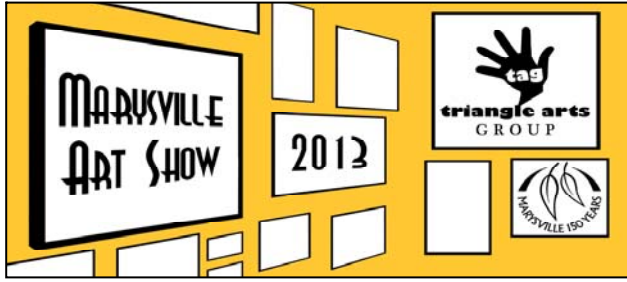
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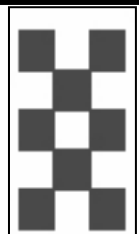
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More than 70 participants not only enjoyed the wonderful music provided but were also treated to a number of dance displays.

Senior's Week and other activities encouraging community participation are all supported by the Municipal Health and Wellbeing Plan which is to be discussed at this month's ordinary Council meeting.

Photograph: Stepping out in style, our seniors enjoy a great day out.



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BMX and basketball to add to skatepark attractions

Marysville's skatepark is about to be further expanded into an all encompassing, fun-filled precinct with works to start on a BMX track and half court basketball area.

As a result, the skatepark will be closed to the public for the next four to six weeks – weather permitting.

Cathedral Ward Councillor Christine Challen said the works would create a wonderful showpiece for the town.

"The latest round of works will also include significant landscaping of the area," Cr Challen said.

"We are seeing an increasing family presence in Gallipoli Park and these works should have the skatepark area in magnificent condition for the Christmas school holidays.

"While the area will be off limits for a little time, the benefits, long term, will be well worth the wait."

The works will cost about \$85,000.

Photograph: Marysville's skatepark will see further upgrades to include a BMX track and half court basketball area.



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CRICKET IS BACK!

The Cricket season is here, and bigger than ever with Marysville fielding 3 sides on Saturday - U12's, U14's and C Grade Seniors.

Our new look U12's side took on the experienced Warburton-Millgrove in a T20 at home, the U14's travelled to Mt Evelyn to face some fierce left arm bowlers in their T20 and the Seniors headed to Wandin for a one-dayer to see if they could make it two wins from two matches.

U12's Marysville 6/33 (P Birtchnell 6no, R Wilson 3no, J Gleeson 2no, D Tauber 1/0). Def by Warburton-Millgrove 1/62 (R Niko 3no, J Read 4no, D Bellingham 1/10).

U14's Marysville 8/34 (D McFadzean 6, E Colussi 5no, J Coutts 3/7) lost to Mt Evelyn 2/67 (S Vanhoogstaten 14no, B Westaway 8no, S Bebbington 1/6 D McFadzean 1/2).

C Grade Marysville 5/182 (A Matthews 50, B Norman 33no, B Johnson 2/50) Defeated Wandin 169 all out (R Aitken, G Goslano 24no, Norman 4/39, M Finlay 3/10).

This week U12's vs Launching Place away, U/14's vs Warburton-Millgrove at home, C Grade vs Mt Evelyn at home.

Don't forget the Cricket club Annual Duck Race will be held on Sunday 3rd November - Cup Weekend. Ducks can be purchased for \$2 per duck from Foodworks Marysville, Marysville Bakery or Committee members.

Marysville Golf Report

Last Saturday was the first Saturday after daylight saving and the golfers gathered at 9.00am for a 9.30 hit off. This Saturday hit off time will remain until the end of daylight saving in 2014. The men played a stroke round for the first round of the Club Championship. The daily winner was Damien Archibald (18) with nett 70 on a count back from Joe Tricarico. Whilst the men were playing a stroke round the ladies played a stableford game for the Norman Trophy. The winner was Beverley Bellman (27) with 31 points followed by the in form Heather Jenkins (31) with 30 points. The nearest the pins were won by Chris Burgess, Ming Kuan, Brendan Krueger and Jenny Coleman.

On Saturday 5th October Helen and Willy Williams and Jenny and Robbie Coleman played in the Jack and Edna Baynes Memorial event at the Yea Golf Club. It was a Canadian Pairs game and congratulations to Jenny and Robbie for winning with nett 66 followed by Yea golfers Vicki and Greg Clements.

Last Thursday whilst Beverley Bellman was playing in the Veteran's event at Lancefield the nine holers played Par on the back nine holes. The winner was Adam Delarue with nett 36 followed by Graham Page with nett 37 and Ron Jones with nett 38. Adam also won the nearest the pin on the 18th and Liz Amos won the putting with 13 putts. Adam's drive on the 17th was approximately 270 m. but unfortunately his second shot went in the river! Bob Emblin finished on top of the table in the Nine Hole Winter Competition and 11 players have qualified for next week's play off.

A series of golf clinics, run by golf professionals Alison Munt and Nicola Moulton will be held at Marysville for five consecutive Mondays beginning on Monday November 11th. If you have never played golf but have always wanted to or if you have played but want to improve your skills then keep an eye on the advertisements in the local paper and read the details regarding registration.

Next Saturday the men will play the second round of the Club Championship and the ladies will play a stroke round for the final of the Barton Cup. Qualifiers for the Barton Cup are Gail Leigh, Helen Howard, Heather Jenkins and Sabrina Stow.

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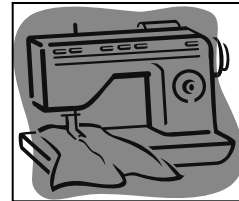
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Saturday October 26, Marysville will be hosting a Leukaemia Foundation community Light the Night event.

Where: *Gallipoli Park, Falls Road Marysville, BYO picnic followed by 3.5km walk to Steavenson Falls Scenic Reserve. Walkers will depart Gallipoli park at 6.45pm*

When: Saturday October 26, **Time:** 5:30 pm to 9:00 pm

This year will be the first Marysville Light the Night walk. These events are run by the Leukaemia Foundation to support its cause to create a brighter future for people living with leukaemia, lymphoma, myeloma and other related blood disorders.

Light the Night is the Leukaemia Foundation's inspiring twilight walk where families, friends and colleagues gather to shine beautiful lanterns: gold to remember a loved one, white for your own journey and blue to support others. The lantern walk into the waterfall will be complimented by the reserve's floodlighting.

This community event will help the Leukaemia Foundation reach \$1 million for vital research.

How: *As places are limited, you must pre-register your attendance and order your lantern to shine on the night by emailing marysvilleanterns@gmail.com [Lanterns can be purchased for \\$20. Participants are encouraged to fundraise in other ways such as being sponsored to complete the walk from town.](#)*

Why: By shining a lantern at the Marysville Light the Night event, you will help to raise vital funds for research, giving new hope to people with blood cancer.

Every 46 minutes, an Australian is diagnosed with leukaemia, lymphoma or myeloma and every two hours, someone loses their life to one of these blood cancers. That's why the Leukaemia Foundation is asking you to help raise \$1 million for blood cancer research by attending your local Light the Night event. The experience is breathtaking and the money you raise will fund projects in Australia's leading hospitals and research institutes through our National Research Program.

The Leukaemia Foundation is the only national not-for-profit organisation dedicated to the care and cure of patients and families living with leukaemia, lymphoma, myeloma and related blood disorders.

For enquiries about the night, please contact:

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Council Fire Restriction Period starts

Murrindindi Shire Council's fire restriction period will start on Tuesday 15 October which means property owners wanting to reduce fuel loads must obtain a permit to burn.

General Manager Infrastructure and Development Services Tamara Johnson said Council was actively encouraging people to reduce fuel loads on properties but they must follow guidelines under the fire restriction period.

"Before you burn-off you must obtain a permit, unless it complies with a range of criteria. This also applies to the burning of windrows," Ms Johnson said.

During the municipal fire restriction period, residents should contact the Municipal Fire Prevention Officer (MFPO) Andrew Daly, to discuss their situation and an inspection can be arranged for a permit to be issued.

Residents, landholders and visitors who ignore the fire restriction period can face fines up to \$2000 given the significant risk fire posed to life and property.

"Council is playing its part as we are finalising our annual slashing and fuel reduction program for works on Council roads and reserves," Ms Johnson said.

"Council will start property inspections in and around settlement areas in mid November to ensure owners have completed fire prevention works.

"It is important that everyone plays a role in fire prevention. Failure by owners to maintain their property could lead to enforcement action."

During the fire restriction period, permits are required in rural areas to burn-off any tree, stump, log or vegetation in excess of 75mm (3 inches) in diameter.

Permits are not required for the burning of stubble grass, bracken or vegetation under 75mm (3 inches).

For any fire lit under these provisions, the following conditions apply;

(1) an adult person must be in attendance whilst the fire is alight,

such fires are lit between the hours of 3pm and 11pm on any day until

the commencement of the CFA fire restrictions.

All fires must be extinguished by 11pm of the same day the fire is lit,

adequate means are at all times available for extinguishing the fire,

the person who lights the fire, or allows a fire to remain alight, must extinguish the fire upon being directed to do so by an authorised officer, member of the Victorian Police, or authorised Forest Officers of the DSE.

The municipal fire restriction period will end at the commencement of the CFA's Declared Fire Danger Period which will be determined by the Country Fire Authority.

"It is important to note that after the commencement of the CFA Declared Fire Danger Period no permits to burn will be issued by Council," Ms Johnson said.

People wanting more information on permits should contact Murrindindi Shire Council on 5772 0376.

Marysville Beer & Platter Garden

Marysville Buxton Rd

Opening for another glorious summer season on 9 November 2013

Have you visited the Beer Garden yet? It's a must visit for the warmer months. It's a great place to relax, seating outside by the lake or in the Rose Garden or air-conditioned seating inside

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Saturday 12.00 pm – 9.00 pm

Sunday 12.00 pm – 4.00 pm



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A visit with Santa to make sure you are on his list; a small gift and afternoon tea in our Rose Garden

Saturdays 23rd & 30th November

2.00 pm – 4.00pm

Saturdays 7th & 14th December

2.00 pm – 4.00pm

Cost: \$15.00 per child

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Open Gardens featured in Narbethong and Buxton

This year Alexandra & District's Open Gardens weekend celebrates 23 years of offering superb town and country garden viewing. Awarded Murrindindi Shire's "Community Event of the year 2012, the open garden weekend in conjunction with the Rotary Club of Alexandra, has steadily developed into a longstanding and successful event .

The finishing touches are now underway in the twelve lovely gardens open to visitors on Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th October. The challenges of a dry autumn followed by frost and wind damage, were soothed to some extent by welcome winter rainfall and the optimism that accompanies warmer spring weather. Garden owners have worked hard preparing their properties for visitors to enjoy a wonderful weekend when the local district is looking superb.

Among the twelve gardens open this year three are located in Alexandra township, three in the outskirts of Alexandra at Cathkin, Crystal Creek Road and Taggerty, four in the Buxton area and two at Narbethong.

Both open gardens in Narbethong are in the stages of recovery and regeneration following the fires. The resilience of these garden owners is remarkable and visitors are fortunate to be able to enjoy the results of their hard work.

Sally Kellas and her late husband Bill worked hard to establish their garden, removing blackberries and improving fences and drainage. It evolved into a shady cottage-style garden, home to many bird species. Fire ravaged the property in 2009 and the garden was destroyed. Again Sally set to work to rebuild her garden. With a permanent water supply from a natural spring, many perennials thrive along with roses, ferns, hostas, lawn and trees. Native wildlife frequents this garden as well as free-range hens and the family cats. Sally remarks "I call it a four seasons garden as there is always colour and visitors comment on the calm, warm feeling. It is a peaceful spot and I am happy to share my garden with you all."

Also in Narbethong, "Saladin Lodge" is included in the open garden program this year as an example of recovery and regeneration. Owner Kim Rycroft describes how "The basic structure of the landscape has slowly been restored". The hard work of adding new top soil, gravel paths, new fences, clearing the property and lake of debris has filled three years. Planting is only just beginning. Visitors to this property in 2013 will see the framework of recovery in place and they may learn a little of its history. Kim hopes visitors may return in several years to see how the garden has evolved. A return to an established landscape will take many years. There are vast areas of inviting grass where visitors can picnic. The beautiful deep lake forms a permanent water supply and a place to enjoy the reflections of towering trees. Extensive tracks through the bush beckon visitors to wander quietly. During the Open

Gardens Weekend, Kim's Barn Café will be open offering sandwiches, hot and cold drinks, delicious cakes and gifts. Outdoor seating and picnic areas are in abundance. Kim invites visitors to "Come along and enjoy music around the lake with great coffee and interesting art works on display in the Gallery of Saladin Lodge." This is a beautiful and natural environment. Time here will be well spent.

A short drive to Buxton will be rewarded with the opportunity to visit four lovely gardens.

Jill & Geoff Olive's garden continues to regenerate beautifully following the fires. Set amidst the borrowed landscape of rolling hills, forest and the Cathedral Ranges this is an impressive property. The hilltop garden comprises landscaped beds surrounding the home and sweeps down to an expansive and tranquil dam beyond which, is their vegetable garden and fruit trees. Gardening enthusiasts will be delighted to discover that renowned presenter of ABC TVs "Gardening Australia" program, John Patrick, will deliver a talk at this venue on Sunday 27th October at about 12.30pm. Another bonus at this garden is the Habitat Creation demonstrations by arborist Patrick Kenyon. Patrick will demonstrate how to create habitats for tiny creatures and birds. The demonstrations are scheduled for 11.30am and 2.00pm on Sunday 27th October. Tea and coffee is available at this venue.

More Open Garden information next week...

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