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# MARYSVILLE

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## HILLARY CHALLENGE AT MARYSVILLE Saturday & Sunday June 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>.

Camp Marysville is hosting another Hillary Challenge State Championship event which will be running in and around Marysville. There will be about 100 Year 10, 11 and 12 students and 20 staff from 8 schools competing for the opportunity to compete in the finals in New Zealand. About 30 officials consisting of Marysville staff, OEG staff and volunteers from Marysville Lions Club and other Marysville residents will be assisting.

Teams from Alexandra High School will be competing again this year in an effort to be the top team going to New Zealand.

Named after Sir Edmund Hillary, famous mountaineer, explorer and adventurer, the Hillary Challenge is a series of outdoor adventure challenges for school teams. Teams compete for not only the State Championship title but also for a spot in the National Final, the winner of which will be crowned the **Top School Outdoor Adventure Team of Australia**. Teams of eight take part in competitive team challenges that test basic outdoor skills and competencies in an outdoor setting and are scored on their skill, speed, endurance, ability to lead and work together under time pressure.

Teams consist of eight students

from Year Levels 10 to 12 which represent each school. The minimum age of competitors is 15. Schools may enter two teams initially and may possibly have more if the allocated team places for each State Championship are not filled. If a school enters more than one team, only the team with the best placing will go through to the National Final.

They may have a mixed team which must have a minimum of three participants represented from each gender. A maximum of two single gender schools may combine to form a mixed team entry.

The National Final is three days in length and full of adventure as the challenge level increases. School teams are put to the test once again in competitive team challenges with stages lengthening to an 8 hour rogaie and 4-5 hour long multi-sport race. There is also the addition of leadership and environmental project stages.

The New Zealand Final for NZ schools took place in May 2014 and now all that remains is the final which will include one school from Australia. Last year St Leonards College Melbourne won the Aussie event and represented Australia. Camp Marysville is owned by

the Outdoor Education Group (OEG), a not for profit educational organization which offers Outdoor Education experiences for 30,000 students every year throughout Victoria, NSW and South Australia.

Keep an eye out for the competitors in and around Marysville on those days as they navigate and run through the town and the bush. Cheer them on when you see them around the town.

Photo: entrants in the Hillary Challenge



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- Wednesday 18* - Blumes Fashion 2pm @ Our lady of the snow
- Thursday 19* - Narbethong Fire Brigade General Meeting 8pm @  
Narbethong Fire Station
- Friday 20* - Open Mike Night 7pm @ Black Spur Inn
- Sunday 22* - Triangle Junior Fire Brigade Activities 9am @  
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- Tuesday 24* - Gallipoli Park Precinct Meeting Marysville  
Community Centre @ 5.30pm
- Wednesday 25* - Triangle Junior Fire Brigade Activities 7pm @  
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- Wednesday 9* - Triangle Junior Fire Brigade Activities 7pm @  
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The next general meeting will be held on the 4th Tuesday of  
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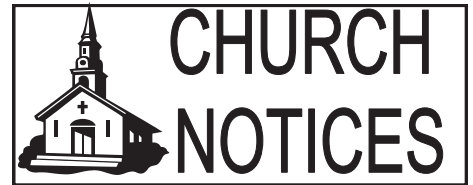
The newly renovated clubhouse has been officially handed over to members and last week the fridges and other items were transferred into the new building so that the bar can be utilized. This week the computers and telephone lines will be installed and very soon the portable offices will be removed from the car park. Our thanks to Roger Thomas and Ken Whittingham for coordinating the move. When the move has been completed members of the community will be invited to view the new facilities, sit on the huge deck and admire the view across the beautiful course. Details of room hire for weddings birthdays and community events will be given at a later date.

Last Thursday the nine holers played stroke on the front nine holes. Rob Christie was the winner with nett 36 followed by Ken Whittingham who also won the nearest the pin on the 18<sup>th</sup> hole. Graham Page won the putting with 13 putts.

On Saturday both the men and ladies played a stableford round for the Monthly Medal. The winner of the men's competition was Steve Coker (26) with 39 points. The runner up was Ken Whittingham (24) with 38 points on a count back from Ray Jones. Rebecca Lee (28) with 30 points won the ladies' competition followed by Sabrina Stow (22) with 28 points. The nearest the pins were won by visitor, Gary Yarnston, and Chris Burgess. Chris this week made some new nearest the pin markers for which the members are grateful.

Last Thursday three ladies played in the Hidden Valley Bowl and congratulations to the ladies from the Heritage Golf Club for winning the Bowl. This week, three ladies will be playing in the Avenel Silver Salver.

Next Saturday the men will be play the second round of the individual match play with a stroke round for those who are no longer in the competition and the ladies will play a stroke round.  
Good Golfing.  
Lesley Rundle



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## Mayor's Chair by Cr Margaret Rae

At the beginning of a new month I usually review the activities of the previous one – and often reflect on the diversity of activities that have taken place. May was no exception – though I have a feeling it was one of the busiest months I have experienced.

As my report to Council reflected, many of these were formal meetings and forums – the Hume Regional Development Australia Committee, the MAV Rural and Regional Forum, the Rural Councils Victoria Mayors, Councillors and CEOs Forum, the High Country Councils Coalition, the MAV State Council, as well as meetings with political representatives – all of which provide opportunities and pathways for us to continue to advocate for the needs of our community.

Then there are the locally based formalities – the opening of the Allandale Road bridge, the Central Ranges Local Learning & Employment Network AGM, the Building Our Business Community event, the Creative Arts Exhibition and the Kinglake Ranges Inner Wheel Club Charter presentation – where we shared in and celebrated success with those communities.

The opportunity to host a visiting Vietnamese delegation through our continuing relationship with RMIT was a great way to share knowledge and understanding and showcase our Shire's attributes; and, although the visit was brief, there was also an opportunity for them to meet some local businesses and to sample their products.

The opening of the Yea Shire Hall was a terrific occasion which brought so many people together with shared memories and experiences – and gave me the opportunity to learn a little more about the history of our Shire. The Hall was again in action for the National Emergency Service Medal presentations. This was the third ceremony that Council has hosted to commemorate the contributions made by community members in extraordinary times and was a very special event shared by many friends and family.

The reason I am talking about all these events is that they have one core thing in common – that is, community. The central purpose for all the events taking place is either to represent the community or to celebrate with the community. It is sometimes easy to forget, particularly when caught up in the formalities of external meetings and forums and the inevitable degree of bureaucracy that accompanies them, that the reason everyone is there in the first place is quite simply to try and do the best they can for their communities. There are times when the outcomes do not match the desires – but that shouldn't stop us trying to get improvements and make things better for the long term. Unless we participate, our voice won't be heard at all.

Change is incremental and takes time but, by keeping our eye on the end goal and working with and for our community, we have a much better chance of success.

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## Councillor Comment

The deadline for comments and feedback on the draft 2014-15 Budget and Council Plan Review (incorporating the Strategic Resource Plan) ended on Friday 6 June with Council receiving very few submissions. What has been received will be considered at a special meeting on Wednesday 11 June, with the adoption of the Budget and Council Plan scheduled for the ordinary meeting of Council on Wednesday 25 June.

Over the past few months Council has presented a new Governance manual to all of our Section 86 Committees throughout the shire. This manual has been developed to assist our fantastic volunteers who look after a variety of facilities on behalf of Council. It ensures good governance practices as well as consistent and effective management processes.

On 31 May the newly refurbished Yea Shire Hall was officially opened, with a fantastic turnout with lots of very positive comments from the community. The first event to be held at the newly reopened hall took place the following day and was the second round of Murrindindi Shire National Emergency Medal presentations. Congratulations go to each and every recipient who was recognised for their contributions during significant events, such as the 2009 bushfires. Nominations are still open and I encourage community members and organisations within the shire to tell the story of people who gave so much of their service to those most in need during the initial response phase of the fires. Nominations are now being assessed by Government House Canberra and they can be contacted via email at [nem@gg.gov.au](mailto:nem@gg.gov.au) or phone (02) 6383 3607 or (02) 6283 3678.

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Department of Environment and Primary Industries (DEPI) staff investigating the recent dumping and burning of commercial waste in the Mt Disappointment State Forest have called on the community for more information on the incident.

DEPI's Forest and Fire Officer, Karen Brown, said: "We want to hear from anyone from Wandong or Clonbinane who noticed a large truck carrying rubbish over the weekend of the 23rd and 24th of May."

"DEPI takes all forms of rubbish dumping and littering seriously because of its detrimental effect on the forest environment including pollution in both soil and waterways," Ms Brown said.

"We are currently following up on some leads about the incident.

"Our staff have a good track record in identifying people who commit these types of crimes thanks to information from the public.

"Information can be provided anonymously, however, officers may need details to follow up on the initial report. All information is treated confidentially.

"This is the largest volume of waste dumped on public land in the Murrindindi District in the past decade.

"It is the best part of a demolished house including the kitchen sink.

"Money spent removing rubbish dumped on public land is money that can't be used on maintaining and enhancing facilities for the community and visitors to enjoy."

Anyone caught littering or illegally disposing of household and/or commercial rubbish will be prosecuted under the *Environment Protection Act 1970*.

Dumping commercial waste attracts a maximum penalty of \$14,436 or one month imprisonment, or both.

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## june events

12	<b>Story Reading for babies and preschoolers</b>	11
16	<i>Cake and Conversation –Queen's Birthday Party bring Royal memorabilia</i>	2-4
17	Fortnightly Free French lessons	6.30-7.30
17	<b>Tuesday Show discover Britain's greatest travel writer, spy, resistance fighter</b>	<b>7.30-9</b>
19	<i>Storytime rhymes, stories, activities &amp; songs with Sharron</i>	11 – 12
24	<b>4F – Food, Fiction and Fun on Tuesdays</b>	<b>3.45 – 4.45</b>
24	<i>Blokes Night – drinks and a yarn with mates, bring a mate</i>	6.30 – 8
26	<b>Murrindindi Writers – all aspiring writers welcome</b>	<b>10</b>
26	<i>Story Reading for babies and preschoolers</i>	11
27	<b>Acoustica featuring the talented Alexandra Acoustic Music Group</b>	<b>12.30 – 1.30</b>
27	<i>Ukulele Heaven – music, singing &amp; mayhem. FOL ukes available.</i>	6.30-8.30

### HIGHLIGHT THIS MONTH

#### EXOTIC TRAVEL & SPIES OF THE MEDITERRANEAN WITH JOHN FAIRFAX

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## Buxton Primary School's Trivia Night

The Trivia Night, which was held on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May, was a wonderful success with 72 people in attendance.

\$2574 was raised from ticket sales, raffle tickets, the auction and the coin toss.

The winner of our major raffle was Howard Jones with second prize going to Norm Fiske.

Third prize was won by Bryce Crow and fourth prize went to Dominic Ventura.

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## 2014 RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride

On Thursday 19 June Murrindindi Shire Council, together with Bicycle Network, will host a community meeting about this year's RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride. The meeting will be held at the Alexandra Lawn Tennis Clubrooms in Perkins Street at 6pm and everyone is welcome.

The RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride is one of the world's largest one week cycling holidays and will take place during November and December. The 2014 route will feature the hills and valleys of the spectacular North East of Victoria and will see around 4,000 bike riders, including 1,200 school students, taking part. Participants will range in age from toddlers to 80 years.

This year's event will see an overnight stop in Alexandra.

Bicycle Network's General Manager of Events, Darren Allen, said the 19 June meeting will allow interested community members, local businesses and tourism operators to find out more about the ride and what opportunities there are for them to get involved.

"It also allows bike riders who are interested in taking part in the event to find out more".

"These meetings will answer questions about the RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride so everyone can start to look forward to the ride coming to town," Mr Allen said.

"Even though the ride is still over five months away, planning needs to start early to ensure the event is enjoyable and of benefit to everyone," he added.

Bike Ride Event Options:

This year there are a range of options to suit all bike riders:

Nine day *RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride* from Albury to Lilydale – 520kms  
(29 November – 7 December)

Five day *RACV Great Vic Escape* from Albury to Mansfield – 334kms (29  
November – 3 December)

Three day *RACV Great Vic Getaway* from Mansfield to Lilydale via the Black  
Spur – 186kms (5 – 7 December)

Riders will be offered transport from Melbourne, Sydney and Canberra – to be taken to the start of the RACV Great Victorian Bike Ride with their bikes and back again after the ride.

### Ride Facts:

The nine-day ride is a fully catered, camping holiday. There is extensive support provided including meals, luggage transport, a licensed cafe under canvas, massage facilities, a full medical team, bicycle repair service and lots of entertainment.

Date	Route	520 Kms
29 November	Albury (Arrival Day)	
30 November	Albury to Yackandandah	67
1 December	Yackandandah to Bright	88
2 December	Bright to Moyhu	93
3 December	Moyhu to Mansfield	86
4 December	Mansfield (Rest Day)	
5 December	Mansfield to Alexandra	61
6 December	Alexandra to Healesville	82
7 December	Healesville to Lilydale	43

More information: [www.greatvic.com.au](http://www.greatvic.com.au)

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**Saturday 28th June, 2014**

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### Program for the day:

11:30 – 12:00 pm	Welcome/Introduction
12:00 – 01:00 pm	“Burnout Prevention and Energy Optimisation” / by Dr. David Bird, GP
01:00 – 02:30 pm	Vegetarian Buffet
02:30 – 03:30 pm	Renovation Tour
03:30 – 04:30 pm	“Highwood Memories & Inspirational Thoughts & Tunes” / by Stine Struksnæs

### END OF OFFICIAL PROGRAM

04:30 – 06:00 pm	Possibility for individual treatment/SPA: Sauna/massage/hydro therapy/facials
06:00 – 07:00 pm	Light tea
07:30 – 08:00 pm	Evening Though

### B&B

### Speaker & Topic:

Dr. David Bird, GP was Highwood Health’s residential doctor for a number of years (2005 - 2012). He is now working at the renowned NIIM Clinic in Melbourne. One of his specialties is in Burnout and Chronic Fatigue. His talk “Burnout Prevention and Energy Optimization” is designed to encourage listeners to evaluate their personal health in the light of their individual situation and to put into place a health plan that leads to optimizing their energy levels.

### Buffet & Tea, prices:

Buffet/Lunch: 15 dollars

Light tea: 7 dollars

### Treatments/SPA and B&B:

Contact Highwood Health Retreat for more information.

### Highwood Health Shop:

The Highwood Health Shop will be open.

### Registration/Information:

Call: (03) 5963 7000 or email [stine@highwoodhealth.org](mailto:stine@highwoodhealth.org)

### Directions:

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*The main lecture for the day will be held by Dr. David Bird who worked as a residential doctor at Highwood from 2005 - 2012. He is presently working at the NIIM Clinic in Melbourne.*