

Circulating throughout Warrandyte, South Warrandyte, North Warrandyte, Warranwood, Wonga Park and Kangaroo Ground.

Turn to inside pages for further details of these coming events.

APRIL

- 1st—Elderly Citizens' Committee. WAA Play, "Goodnight Mrs. Puffin".
- 2nd—Club Night, Youth Club.
- 3rd—WAA Play, "Goodnight Mrs. Puffin". Scouts & Cubs Street Stall.
- 5th—W'dyte Fire Brigade Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting.

7th—Youth Club General Committee Meeting. WAA Drama Group Auditions.

- 8th—Elderly Citizens' Club Afternoon.
- 9th—Club Night, Youth Club.

13th—WAA Drama Group Poetry Reading.

15th—Elderly Citizens' Club Afternoon. Scouts & Cubs Auxiliary Meeting, 10.30 a.m.

- 17th—Youth Club Dance. Opening of football season.
- 18th—Youth Club Fund-Raising Meeting.

19th—Majellan Club Discussion Afternoon.

Village Calendar

- 20th—Royal Women's Hospital Auxiliary Annual General
- Meeting.
- 21st—BSL Auxiliary Dinner.
- 22nd—Elderly Citizens' Club Afternoon.
- 23rd—Club Night, Youth Club. "Malam Indonesia" Dinner Dance.
- 24th—Youth Club Photo Contest Judging. 25th—Anzac Day.

26th—BSL Auxiliary meeting.

- 29th—Elderly Citizens' Club Afternoon, Welfare Service Dinner.
- 30th—Club Night, Youth Club.

The Meals on Wheels scheme is about to begin in Warrandyte for residents of both the City of Doncaster and Templestowe and the Eltham Shire.

The launching of the service follows months of planning and behindthe-scenes activity.

Community leaders and elderly people this week welcomed the news that meals on wheels was starting.

One elderly male pensioner told Warrandyte Diary: "This is wonderful. Let us all hope that the volunteers who are putting so much work into the scheme are well rewarded by strong support from residents."

Volunteer drivers have held meetings and rosters have been drawn up for delivery of meals.

Key figures in the meals on wheels service are the Warrandyte & District Welfare Service, Dr. A. Kostezky, and Mrs. Marie Coleman, Director of the Victorian Council of Social Service.

Mrs. Coleman said this week that Dr. Kostezky had been concerned at the number of older people in the district, who in her opinion, were not receiving adequate meals.

Dr. Kostezky and Mrs. Coleman discussed the problem. At a public meeting in the Warrandyte Hall last December the Warrandyte and District Welfare Service elected a committee to launch meals on wheels.

Mrs. Coleman said this week: "Most elderly people are happier to live in their own homes in a community they have grown to love over a period of years.

"Many elderly people are solitary . . . their husband or wife having died, many live a long way from their children — if they have any. "Delivered meals can help to maintain them in a more healthy condition, and provides a friendly, regular, visiting service, and a link with the community for those who have become housebound with increasing

age and frailty." Meals are being purchased from the Judge Book Memorial Homes in Eltham. Under the scheme, the Welfare Service is eligible for a subsidy of 10 cents a meal

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Gus McLaren, noted local potter and cartoonist, has been appointed "genial host" at the Potters Restaurant.

Gus is already well-known in eating circles through his association with the Hot Pot Shop in South Melbourne, of which he is part-owner.

The potters have announced that Pat Murphy will be entertaining restaurant guests at the piano on Friday and Saturday nights.

"Warrandyte residents seem to be just discovering the restaurant and making their way there," one of the potters commented last week.

The potters believe that their restaurant offers good food at reasonable cost, served in a pleasant and informal atmosphere.

Danger! Cricketers!

The Warrandyte Cricket Club has written to the City of Doncaster and Templestowe council seeking repairs or possible re-siting of the practice wicket at the recreation reserve.

The wire mesh surrounding the wicket is badly in need of repair.

The wicket is situated close to a footpath and the road.

Several cars have been narrowly missed by cricket which have shot balls through the gaping holes at the back of the net.

Club officials are hoping the council may consider resiting the wicket. Trees cast shadows and falling leaves do not help batsman's concentration.

Also, at certain times on summer's day, the sun shines directly into the face of a batsman.

The cricket club officially ended their season with a barbecue at the home of senior captain Alan Woolcock on Saturday, March 29.

Awards won during the season were presented. The under-16 presentation



night was held at the home of Mark Davis.

Club vice-president Mr. P. Lovett presented trophies Ferris (batting), to Ken Graham Smith (bowling) and Max Summers (Most improved).

Committeemen Alan Chapman, Dennis Murphy and Alan Woolcock attended the function and wished the boys every success.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis were thanked for making their home available and for preparing the meal.

The attendance at the junior's presentation night was most heartening for club officials. Only two boys could not attend.

Already the club has

received promises from boys too old for under-16 next season that they will stay with the club and help form the new D grade side.

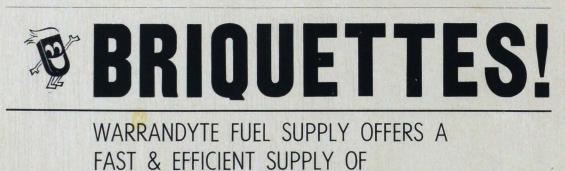
Many of the under-16 boys will be eligible to play with the same team next season. But at least five will be too old.

It is possible the club may field three senior sides in addition to the juniors next season.

Several senior players of previous years, have intimated they will be returning to play next season. This will help bolster the numbers.

On the financial side, the club had one of their best credit balances for years.

After the last match of the season, a social was held at the home of the vicepresident, Mr. P. Lovett. The function was well attended by players, officials and womenfolk.





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Eric Westbrook will re-open local gallery

Eric Westbrook, noted Melbourne art figure, will re-open the Kutta Mahal Gallery later this month.

Mrs. Anne Hudson, director of the gallery, told Warrandyte Diary last week that the exact date, probably around the third week in April, will be dependent upon Mr. Westbrook's appointment book.

The gallery has secured a most interesting and unusual selection of non-representational paintings by Laurie Carter, which will be exhibited exclusively for a fortnight.

Laurie Carter, who studied at Melbourne's National Gallery Art School as a rehabilitation student, is an ex-serviceman who has overcome serious mental and physical war-damage to emerge as an imaginative painter of first rank.

When Mr. Westbrook makes known the actual opening date, an open invitation will be published in the press and other media.

It is anticipated that a great deal of interest will be shown in this exhibition, which could prove to be one of the most exciting oneman showings of new work in Victoria in recent years.

Mrs. Hudson has also acquired exclusive rights to a handsome series of facsimile reproductions of cartographic art from the Ancient World.

This should prove of immense interest to lovers of antique maps.

These are folio sets of four, with text, and could make ideal decorations for a den, office or the modern home.

Kutta Mahal Gallery, described by Mrs. Hudson as "art in a cottage atmosphere", has been closed for some time due to ill-health. Its re-opening is an exciting event for art-lovers.

The gallery is situated in Castle Hill Road, Warrandyte. Turn right off Kangaroo Ground Road approximately 300 yards from the bridge. The phone number is 844 3415.





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If local actress Joan Golding was on earth on a previous occasion, it must have been as a homely silly old moo called Amelia Puffin.

Joan's playing of the middle-aged female cockney prophet, complete with stringbag and celery, was



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the highlight of WAA Drama Group's production, "Goodnight Mrs. Puffin".

Arthur Lovegrove's play was first introduced in London in 1961. It must have been already dated. It is certainly a far cry from the slices of kitchen sink life that were falling with colloquial thuds on British stages at this time.

"Puffin" is more like an English parlour farce of the 1920's — but none-the-less delightful.

Producer Gordon Picton-Devine wisely directed his actors along traditional lines.

Apart from Joan Golding's cosy insinuation, only Jock Macneish rose shrilly to the occasion, giving us that edge of over-acting necessary for traditional farce.

Muffy Ehrenburg, Carol Sinclair, Liane Gough, Anthony Burgess and Norm McGown were uneven, their talents not yet up to the delicate balance and timing required for effective farce.

Helen Davidson and Doug Rogers had the difficult task of playing straight roles in a comedy. They did this adequately.

Doug McManus needed a little more control of his natural comic ability to be

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fully successful.

Jock McNeish's set was an appropriate piece of middle-class suburbia, as aptly traditional as both the play and the production.



Children's Activities

Every Saturday morning in Warrandyte, while a large group of children is busily painting in the Mechanics' Hall supper room under the direction of Ken Robb, another group of small boys and girls is beginning a creative dance class in the main hall.

Under the direction of Yvonne Reid, they are taken through a series of exercises disguised as animal or object activities, listening and moving to music, character acting and dancing to a story — either told or invented — and then unbridled response to music in free dance.

The senior class which follows has the same balance of physical and imaginative work, although the exercises are more difficult and more concerned with building technique. The free dance is more dramatic and impressive.

DRAMA GROUP

Following the success of "Goodnight Mrs. Putfin", Drama Group dates to remember this month are April 7, when the group will be casting the three one-act plays, and April 13, when Yvonne Reid will produce a poetry reading at the home of Anthony and Noelle Brugess.

All senior children are swimmers sch

in 1972 please let the headmaster, Mr. L. Mares (844-3537) know as soon as possible.

Once a definite figure is obtained, application can be made for an extra classroom if necessary.

There is a demand at the school for more music. A



Warrandvte sub-The branch of the RSL will begin their annual Anzac Day march from the Scout Hall at 10 a.m. The service at the memorial will begin about 10.30.

Sub-branch members are hoping for a big roll-up of ex-servicemen and women, and residents of the district.

On March 13 the subbranch battled with the football club boys to retain the perpetual golf shield. The day was an outstanding social success.

The following were elected office-bearers at the annual meeting in February: Presi-dent, W. Cornhill; Imme-diate past president, J. Girvan; Vice-president, D. Ingersole; Secretary, N. Pearson; Treasurer, B. Miller. Com-mittee: V. Rush, K. Wallace-Crabbe, G. Bell, L. Mitchell, B. Hanrahan. Hon. Auditor: A. Hurwood.

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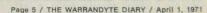
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good condition is preferable.

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swimmers in future Of the 107 children in Grades 5 and 6 this year,

outstanding

all can swim. Between them they have a most impressive list of awards. There are 64 junior swimming certificates, 22 senior certificates, 34 safe swimmer certificates, and 11 intermediate star certificates of the Royal Life Saving

Warrandyte State

School should be provid-

ing some

vears.

Society. Parents and teachers are most grateful to all those people who have given up their spare time helping children to swim.

The school swimming pool is proving a tremendous asset despite some maintenance problems in the past. During the past two seasons the pool has been used almost continuously.

The Saturday morning swim classes under the guidance of Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Mackinder have proved popular. So have the regular lessons during the week conducted by a visiting physical education instructor.

Will there be adequate classrooms for next year? This question is receiving serious thought at present. It is expected that next

year's intake of beginners will be about 70. This will strain existing facilities. Would all parents with children due to start school

FIRE LADIES TO MEET

The next meeting of the Warrandyte Fire Brigade Ladies' Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. Molly Docking in Yarra Street on Monday, April 5, commencing at 1.30 p.m.

The Lights of

As early as October 1856, the first coach service from Melbourne began operations.

It was a great day, worthy of celebration, when a large crowd gathered at Cameron's Store to welcome the first Ford & Co. Coach.

Although the coach, which became bogged at Deep Creek, never arrived, the celebrations went on — disappointment acting as an extra spur to the gaiety.

Several weeks later the service—which started from the corner of Bourke and Stephen Streets (now (Exhibition Street) commenced regular operations which continued thrice weekly each way throughout the summer. The journey took the best part of a day.

This, apart from gold, was probably the main single factor which contributed towards the rapid growth of the district.

It was not all work during that first year. Cricket was, apparently, the main social relaxation, for the club came into existence before New Year's Eve. Thus, 1856 "bowled in" with great expectations.

The first election campaign at Anderson's Creek, June, 1856, was contested by Captain W. A. C. Anderson, Commissioner of Public Works, and William Pender, of St. Kilda. The shadow of Eureka Stockade was cast over the election when fervent appeals from all over the State were made for electors to vote against Captain Anderson, who was described as a civil servant and a Eureka Stockader.

It was alleged that he dealt harshly with employees in the Public Works Department, besides which, he had served with the military at Eureka Stockade.

Although Anderson's Creek was regarded as a key centre because of the number of miners with voting rights, Captain Anderson was elected with an overwhelming majority.

Gold was still the main industry at Anderson's Creek, the Gold Circular stating that a rush was in full swing and up to 100 ozs. to the ton being obtained.

One reliable source quoted a Scot as earning more than £400 by breaking quartz with a sledge hammer. But James Sloan caused the biggest stir in Melbourne when he got 12 ozs. from a single bucket of quartz.

Within a month Dransfield Dowlings Company erected the first quartz-crusher on the field. Importing a 20 h.p. crusher — the first of its kind in the Colony, and which was also equipped for flour-milling—the Company exploited the goldfield outrageously, by charging the unheard of rate of £5 per ton for crushing. The dearest rate in Victoria, at that time, was Castlemaine at £1 per ton.

This monopolistic exploitation not only put the Company out of business within two years, but caused a developmental setback in the area, from which it took years to recover.

Those were the days of "get - rich - quick - Johnny - let - development - go hang". But there was always cricket.

After the first "rush" and frantic scramble for gold, came the lull of settling-in, and 1856 to 1870 was a quiet period of consolidation. It was obvious that the locality, so close to Melbourne, needed development of a permanent nature. The settlement had attracted many families who needed more than the bare essentials.

Communications, the bugbear of all pioneering ventures, came first. Portion of the road was metalled, overcoming the boggingdown after rain, and a punt was established across the Yarra in 1856, behind the site of the present Post Office.

It is amusing to note that human beings were classed somewhere between cattle and pigs — the toll rate being 9d each for bullocks and horses, 6d each for cattle and 1d each for sheep or pigs. Humans got a day return for 3d per person.



THE WARRANDYTE STORY

by HARRY HUDSON

This move by the Government provided communications to the north of the river and played an important part in opening up the area around the Upper Yarra. Within five years, Lilydale, Healesville, St. Andrew's and Eltham were within reach, by road, of Anderson's Creek.

Warrandyte's first death occurred during October, 1856. Three-year-old Patrick Halfpenny was drowned in a waterhole, and although Dr. Short — there was a doctor in residence very early in the piece, on Melbourne Hill — tried artificial respiration for over an hour, young Patrick failed to respond. The first tragedy, but not the last. Ford & Co.'

During October 1856, Walter Charles Brackenbury transferred from Creswick as first Magistrate and Goldfield Warden at Anderson's Creek.

His salary was £750 a year.

Two years previously he had been suspended on charges brought against him by David Armstrong, a Police Inspector at Bendigo. Brackenbury, in an action for slander against the policeman, was awarded £300 damages by a Supreme Court Jury. He was reinstated in the Public Service with £170 compensation for loss of wages.

Towards the middle of the year 1858, F. C. Armstrong, of the Treasury, wrote to the Chief Secretary complaining that Brackenbury's returns for Gold Licences were not only late and incomplete, but showed a deficiency of £29. Brackenbury was dismissed on June 9th, presumably without a hearing.

Brackenbury, who was very popular with the miners and a keen cricketer, was active in helping form the Cricket Club at Anderson's Creek. As a prominent member of the Melbourne Cricket Club he travelled regularly to Heidelberg each Saturday to play with the Yarra Yarra Club. His enthusiasm for cricket in the surrounding districts of Queenstown, Yarra Glen, and St. Andrew's helped establish the sport on a firm basis, both competitively and socially. His journeyings in the cause of cricket must have entailed much hard riding over rough bush tracks, particularly when it is realised that most of the districts were almost unheard of in Melbourne.

Brackenbury's dismissal from the Public Service did not seem to harm him socially, for he was selected by Melbourne to play for the "Gentlemen of Victoria" against "Gentlemen of New South Wales" in 1859. Brackenbury Street in Warrandyte perpetuates his memory.

Charles Warburton Carr succeeded Brackenbury until 1863. After that time the Warrandyte Court was presided over by Honorary Justices.

Early in 1857 Warrandyte showed signs of growing up. The first land sales were held in January, when 25 blocks went at prices ranging from £5 to £8 each, and during February, storekeeper Cameron was appointed first Postmaster at £20 a year, when thrice weekly mail service with Melbourne was inaugurated.

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Only those of us who remember the long dry summers wondering if the tanks would hold out until next rain, or if the hot north wind was bringing fire, can realise what a tremendous blessing the coming of water to Warrandyte was.

Bill Betton reminded us of the magnificent work of Mr. A. P. Withers in this regard in our last issue.

Residents in the outlying parts of Warrandyte are still waiting for reticulated water.

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Main street drama. Lady with much-loved little dog, doing her morning shopping. Little dog, being well-trained, sits sedately outside the shop.



BRIARLY MARTIN conducts her provoca-tive column each month in Warrandyte Diary. You can contact her with news, gossip, comment or outraged denial at 844 3914.

Enemies in the shape of two much bigger dogs, working as a team, had the little feller set. Then it was - free-for-all - with on the little feller getting the worst of it.

Out rushed distracted owner to rescue her little feller. Out rushes shop assistant with a bucket of water to quell the belligerents.

Who copped the water? That's right.



NEW PARISH

The Anglican churches of St. Stephen's, Warrandyte, and Emmanuel, Park Orchards, were recently formed into a new parish. Resident priest for the new parish is the Rev. Roger Featherston, of Lot 19, Old Melbourne Hill Road, War-

randvte. Services at St. Stephen's include:

SUNDAY:

Holy Communion 10 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

WEDNESDAY:

- Holy Communion at 6.30 a.m. and 10.15 a.m. Combined service with
- Presbyterians at 7.30 p.m. on first Sunday in each
 - month.

At Emmanuel:

SUNDAY:

Holy Communion 8.30 a.m.

Sunday School 9.30 a.m.



citizens

Early in March, 36 members of the Tooradin Elderly Citizens' visited the Warrandyte Elderly Citizens' Club.

The visitors tried their skill against the locals at carpet bowls and later joined in a sing-song around the piano.

After afternoon tea the visitors were shown some of the areas associated with the early history of Warrandyte.

In February, Warrandyte members went by bus to the Mornington Peninsula where they visited the Tootgarook Elderly Citizens' Club.

Thirty-eight members undertook the trip and enjoyed a wonderful afternoon.

Warrandyte president, Mr. Bert Lording is a wellknown identity on the Peninsula and renewed acquain-tances with many of his friends.

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from the Commonwealth Government.

Applications have been made to the Councils in the City of Doncaster and Templestowe and the Shire of Eltham for additional subsidy.

The service is selling meals to people referred by themselves, or their doctor, at a figure below the cost of meals

A dinner has been arranged for Thursday, April 29 at Potters Cottage to help raise funds. Committee members have tickets at \$5

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If you feel you would like to donate in helping meals on wheels please send your cheque to Box 256. Warrandyte.

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Football: On again Warrandyte Football ub will play their this month

Club will play their opening match of the season at home on April 17.

This season the club is fielding two open age sides and two junior sides.

and two junior sides. Club officials say they are urgently in need of players to help fill the under-15 and under-17 sides.

Any boy who has recently moved into the area and would like to play football with the juniors should contact the secretary, Mr. David Mitchell, Research Road.

The club is also seeking senior players to help fill a few vacancies.

Doug Stephens has been re-appointed senior coach for a second term. Doug is confident the seniors can make the four this year providing players give of their best at training and in matches.

The first eighteen just

LADIES — HOW FIT ARE YOU?

An exercise class for figure conscious ladies will commence in Warrandyte on Wednesday, April 14.

The first class will be held at the public hall commencing at 8.00 p.m. Cost will be 60 cents, juniors 30 cents.

Ladies interested can obtain further information from Mrs. Tricia De Luca, corner Beauty Gully and Grandview Roads (844 3106).

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Training for the seniors is held on Tuesday and Thursday nights. The juniors train on Wednesdays.

Some of last year's senior players are already showing outstanding form at training.

Coaches appointed for the season are: Keith Rochow (Second 18), Brian Tomlinson (Under-17), David Mitchell (Under-15).

At the annual meeting

of the club, the following office-bearers were elected: Mr. J. Templeton (President), Mr. T. Warr (Vice-Pres.), Mr. D. Mitchell (Sec.), Mr. T. Kerhof (Assist. Sec.), Mr. R. Edwards (Treas.).

Club secretary David Mitchell said this week the club was hoping for more local support this season.

He said the womenfolk needed help at the home games each Saturday with the afternoon teas and refreshments.



The Warrandyte Arts Association potters' group will hold a "Małam Indonesia" (Indonesian evening) dinner-dance in the Warrandyte Hall on Friday, April 23.

Proceed will help aid the fund for the restoration of the hall.

A six-course Indonesian

dinner will be provided. Tickets are \$4.50 a single. Dress will be Indonesian or gay informal. The show starts at 7.30.

Ticket secretaries are; Kath Fitchett (85-3419), Louise Amos (83-2913), Edna Stevens (844-3347), Frances Brown (878-5422).



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You can post your Warrandyte Diary news items and advertisements in the old tree in Yarra Street, opposite McDonald's Newsagency.

The next monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of St Laurence (Warrandyte Auxiliary) will be held at the home of Miss Burbidge, Pound Road, Warrandyte, on Monday, April 26.

The next fund raising function will be a dinner at the Eltham Barrel on Wednesday, April 21. Tickets \$4.00 a head.

The Annual General Meeting of the Warrandyte Auxiliary of the Royal Women's Hospital will be held on Tuesday, April 20, in the Church of England Hall, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

Mechanics' Institute HALL AVAILABLE FOR HIRE 844 3076 A Keystone Club — catering for young people in the 16 to 21 age group — has been set up in Warrandyte.

Operating as part of the Warrandyte Community Youth Club, the Keystone Club is meeting each Friday night in the North Warrandyte Fire Brigade hall.

The young people have elected their committee and are planning their future activities, most of which will be of a fairly informal nature.

General committee members Ken McKenzie, Stuart Robinson, Stan Andrew and Cliff Green have been appointed alternate Keystone leaders, but the initiative in running their club is being left entirely to the members themselves.

One of the Keystone Club's major functions is the running of regular dances in the Warrandyte Hall. The next of these will be held on Saturday night, April 17. The kids promise a really great night.

The senior and junior sections of the club are meeting as usual each Friday night in the recreation reserve pavilion.

Parents of club members have been circularised regarding re-enrolment for 1971 and increased membership fees.

The club's last dance, on February 20, was a big success and everybody thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The youth leaders want' to particularly thank Robert Gilbert and Doug Stead for their hard work in organising such a terrific night.

WILLPRINT!

The next dance, on April 17, should be even better.

General committee members, Mr. and Mrs. Scheffler, have offered their expert assistance in the formation of a stamp group within the youth club.

Any young people, or their parents, interested in discussing and swapping stamps, are invited to ring 870 4636.

Mr. Scheffler is an expert philatelist. Transport to meetings of the stamp group can be arranged.

The youth club's fundraising sub-committee is once more in full swing.

The re-organised committee met on March 13 and a number of future fund-raising activities were discussed, including street stalls, fashion parade, dog show and fancy dress ball. The current baby photo

The current baby photo contest will be judged at an afternoon at Mrs. Ley's

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home, Lot 1, Main Road (opposite Pigtail Lane). Afternoon tea will be served.

Mothers of youth club members are urged to assist in fund-raising efforts. They can phone 844 3851 or 844 3586 for details.

The next meeting of the fund-raising sub-committee will be heid at Mrs. Ley's home on April 18 at 2 p.m.

HELPING HAND

Members of the Wyena Pony Club assisted in the Red Cross doorknock appeal on Sunday, March 21, in the Doncaster, Templestowe, Warrandyte areas.

Many members travelled on horseback for their collections. The pony club headquarters are in Jumping Creek Road.

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