Replacement of trees in The Triangles

Tallangatta’s beloved trees in The Triangles will receive some much needed care this coming fortnight.

Following advice from an independent arborist, Council will be replacing two pin oaks and two poplars that are at risk of shedding limbs, potentially injuring residents or visitors.

Rather than cordonning off sections of the park to minimise the risk, Council will remove the trees and replace them with healthy new pin oaks trees.

Because pin oaks and poplars have different sized root systems and canopies, only three can be accommodated in the space available. An extra tree will be planted within the town to ensure the current number of trees is maintained.

Much loved trees planted by the Girl Guides will not be impacted by the changes. Council is working with the Guides to arrange plaques to commemorate these trees.

This process is part of our ongoing Tree Management Program. Our comprehensive Tree Management Plan outlines how we assess the health of our trees and conduct safety audits, and regularly replace trees coming to the end of their life span.

Works to the Tallangatta Caravan Park will commence next week after the contract for $483,727 in upgrades was awarded to Barton Street Developments at the June Council Meeting. The works include a new amenities block, barbecue facilities and a reception-kiosk building.

The Park improvements are part of the larger Destination Tallangatta project which aims to attract visitors to the town. Destination Tallangatta has also included streetscaping improvement to the main street of Tallangatta and the development of Pelican Park at the foreshore.

Last week 16 children from Tallangatta Early Years Learning Centre made a trip to Bolga Court Aged Care Facility. These regular visits are part of the ongoing long day care and kindergarten programs.

After a week of cold and rainy weather the sun came out for a beautiful Thursday morning stroll, with children travelling in formation to the facility. The children were stocked with books, puzzles, board games and toys. Some children showed off their construction skills, making cars and wriggly snakes with the Mobilo. Several residents commented they didn’t have such toys when they were young.

Other children were happy to pull up a seat and share a story with residents.

During these regular visits children interact and engage with the residents, improving social skills and promoting respect for the elderly members of our community. The visits create a sense of belonging and connection for both children and Bolga Court residents. They are often a subject of enthusiastic discussions among the children long after they leave.

For more information about the kindergarten and long day care services offered at Tallangatta Early Years Learning Centre, please contact Centre Director Jason Pearson on (02) 6071 2282.
Mary Russell

The passing of Mary Russell has left many people mourning the loss of a good friend. She was a quiet achiever – a co-manager of the Op. Shop, a very good cook, an empathetic listener and an enthusiastic and hard worker. Mary would often be at the Op. Shop but her special days were Tuesdays and Wednesdays when she would supervise the pricing of goods by a willing team. She knew what items were likely to sell and their appropriate price. She also looked after welfare needs, collecting basic supplies from Wodonga and storing them for distribution in Tallangatta. Mary cooked food for the freezer for emergency supplies and listened to many stories in her non-judgemental way.

She was a member of the Tallangatta Uniting Church, where a Service of Thanksgiving for Mary will be held on Friday 14th June at 2 o’clock. Op. Shop members will supply afternoon tea after the service and all are invited.

Applications still open for Short Term Rotary Youth Exchange

Gabbie Jeffs, Rotex 09790

Can you see yourself enjoying a snow sprinkled Christmas in France or perhaps a sunny, tropical New Year in Brazil? Or how about trying authentic Italian pizza and pasta in the piazzas? Students in Years 9-12 can apply now for a 6-week exchange to France, Brazil or Italy departing early December 2019. Costs from $2,500. Apply now at www.ryea.org.au/apply-today.html & check out the ‘Rotary Youth Exchange 9790’ Facebook page. Be quick - applications closing soon! youthexchange@ rotary9790.org.au

WHAT’S ON

JUNE 2019

All Located at Tallangatta Library and Community Centre

MAHJONG
When: Every Monday
Cost: Free
Time: 10.00am – 2.30pm
Registration: To register please phone Towong Shire Council on (02) 6071 5100

Heirloom Wedding Dresses And Antique Lace Presentation With Jelli Forrest
When: Thursday 20 June
Time: 1.00pm -1.30pm followed by afternoon tea and the opportunity to view a collection of dresses
Cost: Free
Registration: By 14 June, please phone Towong Shire Council on (02) 6071 5100

Pilates With Paula Kissane (Tuesday)
When: 18, 25 June
Time: 5.30pm – 7.00pm
Cost: $15 regular $18 casual
Registration: To Paula Kissane on email paula.kissane20@gmail.com or call 0429 353647

Pilates With Patsy Kirk (Wednesday)
When: 19, 26 June
Time: 6.30pm - 7.15pm
Cost: $105 for a 7 week program
Registration: To Patsy Kirk on email pkfsbodz@gigabond.com or call 0418 965 988

Pilates With Patsy Kirk (Friday Morning Class)
When: 14, 21, 28 June
Time: 9.00am – 9.45am
Cost: $80 for a 6 week program
Registration: To Patsy Kirk on email pkfsbodz@gigabond.com or call 0418 965 988

Multicultural Tastes Of Tallangatta Brazilian Cooking Class And Cultural Presentation With Jefferson Conde
When: Thursday 13 June
Brazil or Italy departing early December 2019. Costs from $2,500. Apply now at www.ryea.org.au/apply-today.html & check out the ‘Rotary Youth Exchange 9790’ Facebook page. Be quick - applications closing soon! youthexchange@ rotary9790.org.au

WHAT’S COMING


Church Times

Anglican – All at Tallangatta
Sunday, June 16 – Eucharist 10.30am – Lunch at the Vic
Sunday, June 23 – Morning Prayer 9.00am - Rev. Mitch
Saturday, June 29 – Rev Mitch Porter priested at Cathedral in Wangaratta
Sunday, June 30
Eucharist – 10.30am
Combine with Tack Parish at Tallangatta – First Eucharist in Paris with Rev. Mitch

St Michael’s Catholic

Mitta Mitta
1st & 3rd Saturday of the month 9:30am
Sunday, June 9 Salvadore
Every Saturday -6:00pm
Tallangatta
Every Sunday - 9:00am
Curvyong
Every Sunday -11:30am
Walwa
Every Sunday - 4:00pm

Uniting

Tallangatta
Sunday 10th June 9.30am
Rev. Lance Armstrong H C
Red Bluff
Sunday 16th June 11am
Rev. Lance Armstrong H C
Tallangatta
Sunday 23rd June 9.30am
‘Sharing on Sunday’
Carmelyn Winkler
Tallangatta
Sunday 30th June 9.30am
Susan Cheetham

Quiz

1) Argentina’s east coast lies on which ocean? 2) Which language apart from English is an official language of Canada? 3) Which Chinese landmark was viewed from space? 4) What is the Great Barrier Reef made from? 5) Buckingham Palace is in which English City. 6) Okinawa is a volcano in which country? 7) Which US state is famous for Disneyland and the film industry? 8) What are the Islas Canarias in English? 9) Madagascar is off which coast of Africa? 10) The River Seine runs through which European capital city? 11) Which US holiday state has the Everglades National Park?

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morning was much greater,” Mrs de Hennin said. “The weather was warm and sunny, so people enjoyed the delicious morning tea spread, sitting or wandering around the garden with a tea or coffee, bidding on the auction items and catching up with friends.” As part of her post graduate studies, Ms Quigley is aiming to become a Nurse Practitioner specialising in oncology while Ms Webb hopes her two-year course will greatly enhance her work as an Albury Wodonga Health Cancer Care Coordinator, and as a clinical research nurse with the Border Medical Oncology Research Unit.

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Berringra Morning Tea A Sweet Success

A morning tea fundraiser held at Talgarno has raised enough money to pay for two nurses to undertake Masters studies at the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre this year. The Berringra Community Morning Tea held on May 4 raised more than $26,000 to go towards the Albury Wodonga Regional Cancer Centre Trust Fund’s new nursing scholarship program. Organisers were thrilled after they immediately raised enough funds to support Border Cancer Hospital clinical nurse specialist, Tamara Quigley, to complete a Masters in nursing practice. But the morning tea more than doubled its fundraising target and will now be able to help pay for a second nurse, Nicole Webb, to undertake a Masters of Cancer Science. Held for a third consecutive year, the morning tea at Jim and Julie de Hennin’s property in Talgarno was attended by about 450 people. “The team who worked at putting this event together aimed to raise enough money to support two nurses each to be awarded a scholarship to undertake further studies to strengthen the pool of specially trained oncology nurses at the cancer centre,” Mrs de Hennin said. The Trust Fund thanked everyone involved in the morning tea for making a genuine difference to families across the Border impacted by cancer.

Mary Grant

WILLIAMSTOWN Hall was abuzz with chatter, laughter and purses open as 400 + women from around the State gathered to hear reports of the Association, inspiring speakers and the passing of important resolutions.

9 Resolutions were put forward and the majority were adopted. Some of the significant outcomes of those resolutions included:

To urge both levels of Government to prioritise funding to provide adequately trained and properly resourced rural policing districts in an effort to ensure thorough investigations are carried out in regard to reported crimes relating to farm produce, farm stock and equipment.

To urge the Victorian Govt and Health Dept to urgently fund all rural hospitals to allow them to be able to afford to keep two units of Snake Antivenom on the premises.

To urge State Govt and relevant bodies to investigate the anomalies in the Victorian School Bus programs that are caused by Federal and State Govt to give urgent attention to resolve the issues of deteriorating water quality and quantity managed by the Murray Darling Basin Authority.

This resolution was moved by the Agriculture and Environment Committee, chaired by Margaret Wood, Kurrajong CWA President, and seconded by Mary Grant, Club Chairman and Kurrajong member. Both Margaret and Mary spoke to the resolution and fielded questions from the floor. This resolution did not reach the unanimous status but was very close. We were very pleased with the outcome as this was a first for both of us.

An inspiring speaker was Sallie Jones, Director of Gippsland Jersey, a family owned milk processing venture. Sallie was her father’s right hand man and together they dreamt of owning their own milk processing company. Tragedy struck when her father committed suicide as the pressures of farming and low milk prices eventually took their toll on him. Sallie was devastated but picked herself up and vowed to carry out her Dad’s wishes. To fund the early stages of the venture, she sold hand made icecream at Farmer’s Markets around Gippsland and through her farm gate. She is well on the way to achieving the dream and has established a high producing Jersey dairy herd along the way. A truly inspiring story and there was not a dry eye in the audience.

A second interesting speaker retold the roller coaster ride her family went through when their daughter was diagnosed with Batten’s Disease. a genetic disorder where you are not aware if you are a carrier. In this case both parents were carriers unbeknown to them. A child seems healthy, developing as they should until about the age 3-4 when a rapid deterioration occurs and very soon the child cannot walk, talk and generally the survival rate is minimal. This little girl died at age 9.

Research has been limited until now, but they are making some progress with ground breaking research overseas in an attempt to understand the condition and trying to find ways of curing the devastating results once a diagnosis is made. If you see a fund raising campaign called Bounce for Batten’s please consider a donation. CWA will support this research during 2019 and next year we will present the researchers with our Thanksgiving Funds that have been raised. Other interesting speakers were on Worksafe and The Influence of Social Media.

During 2018 Branches from across the State contribute to a designated Thanksgiving Fund. The fund chosen was for the National Centre for Farmer Health and a sum of $35,000 was raised to assist with the work of this vital organisation.

During 2018 substantial donations for drought and emergency relief were received and were made up by Coles $1,061,068, National Aust Bank $ 30,000, $150,000 from Dick Smith and donations from Branches $ 30,000. This money was distributed to drought and fire affected farmers as a $3000 payment. Following the St Patrick’s Day fires, funds were provided in the form of grocery vouchers and fencing materials to affected families.

The Scholarship/ Education Grants, open to primary, secondary, tertiary and post graduate students, were awarded to the value of $17,745. These are open to any member to apply.

Pennies for Friendship, members placing their loose change in a piggy bank at meetings, raised $15,632. Women Walk the World fundraiser realised $2,427. The latter two fund raisers are forwarded to ACWW (Associated Country Women of the World) the International arm of CWA, to continue their work in developing countries.

Donations made to outside organisations, through donations from local branches, realised a total of $688,835.

This total was made up donations to Local $ 615,721 National $ 27,124 International $ 45,190 (this included the generosity of Branches across Victoria who contributed $32,000 to pay for the costs of bringing Women from the South Pacific area to the World Conference in Melbourne in April.) CWA is certainly a dynamic, progressive and generous organisation. Why don’t you join a local branch and contribute to the wonderful work of members across the State?

If interested, please contact Joy Lowry, Upper Murray Group President, (02) 6071 3519.
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Tallangatta & District Seniors’ Club News

Elaine Hempel

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Future of our forests
Regional forest agreement community drop-in session
Corryong

Come along and meet with representatives leading the modernisation of the Victorian Regional Forest Agreements (RFAs) and inform potential improvements to the North East RFA.

The Victorian RFAs are agreements between the Commonwealth of Australia and the State of Victoria that establish the framework for the sustainable management of forests. The Victorian and Australian governments are working together to deliver a modernised RFA framework that will meet the future needs of Victorian communities, industry and the environment.

When: Thursday 20 June 2019
Time: 11.00am - 1.00pm
Where: Towong Shire Office Meeting Room, 76 Hanson St Corryong

For further information please contact Judy Charlton at Judy.Charlton@delwp.vic.gov.au or on 0436 639 684.

For further information visit: https://www2.delwp.vic.gov.au/futureforests

Elaine Hempel
Above: Seniors group at the Bill Laarsen concert

Nicol Rumble

Tallangatta Freemasons makes donation to Albury Legacy.

This year the Benambra Lodge No 153 Tallangatta has been fundraising at barbecues and catering events to support charities in the local community. On Thursday, 23 May 2019 representatives attended at Albury Legacy and made a donation of $2000.00 The donation will be used by Legacy to support Legacy Ward children with their educational expenses in the coming period. Albury Legacy supports 15 plus children aged between 15 months to 20 years of age. The local branch has 725 widows currently under their care.

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Trivia Night Fun

Maree Peters

So, who did write Anne of Green Gables? And can horses breath through their mouths? What about who won the AFL grand final in 2012? These are just some of the questions posed at the Tallangatta Girl Guides Trivia Night which was planned, organised and run by Teagan, Maddie and Saiya with help in the planning phase by Thalia. The girls worked hard in the weeks leading up to the Trivia Night, writing letters and visiting businesses to obtain donations, writing trivia questions, designing novelty events and activity sheets, as well as wrapping and preparing prizes for the night.

The evening – and a part of our history concluded with Auld Lang Syne and Advance Australia Fair.

Our Deepest Sympathy

It is with great sadness that we record the recent passing of a former Old Time Dance musician and all round great character, Noel Larsen, as we extend our condolences and prayers to Gwen and the Larsen family.

Other Happenings

Community Markets

Are on a break for a couple of months in the cold weather – watch this space.

Clerical Commission

Rev. Mitch Porter, when he will be working as a Deacon in Corryong and Tallangatta Parishes for the last few months, will be admitted to the priesthood at the Cathedral in Wangaratta, on Saturday, June 29. He will conduct his first Eucharist in Tallangatta at 10.30am on Sunday, June 30 – see below

Fifth Sunday Service

Our next fifth Sunday service will be in Tallangatta on Sunday, June 30, conducted by newly priested Rev. Mitch Porter, when we welcome Yackandandah Parish to join with us. This will be followed by lunch together in the Parish Hall – Sunday roast and dessert. Please bring a dessert if you can. A donation bowl will be available to help cover other costs.

Anglican Activity

Recent Events

Trivia Night

Tallangatta Guides competently conducted a very enjoyable Trivia Night in our Parish Hall on May 31. It will be reported elsewhere in the Herald – they did a great job.

Farewell Old Time Dance

Over 60 people shared music and memories at our final Old Time Dance on Saturday, June 1st. We had made the decision earlier in the year to close down due to increasing difficulties involved in maintaining the services of the brilliant volunteer musicians who have served us so well for nearly 44 years.

A final appearance - Able to make it for this final occasion were Bill Larsen, Peter Croucher, Alan Touzel, Keith Klippel and John Hibberson. Banjo players Noel Larsen and Carol Keep were unable to make it due to health issues. The family of veteran pianist, Donald Peters, hijacked him from hospital to make a final appearance which was highlighted by daughter, Judy, partnering him on a wheelchair assisted participation in the Monte Carlo – which they almost won!!

Our grateful thanks - To mark this farewell occasion, the above mentioned musos were presented with an attractive fruit cake, each decorated with cameo photos of them providing the music we all loved. Bob Bultiv, who ensured that we appeared in the Border Mail Diary each month, also received a fruit cake “bonus”. Dance organizers and the Parish as a whole wish to record our grateful thanks for the support of all of the above, and the many others who have gone before in the years since Fr Laurie Allott got it all started in 1977.

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The Camp Experience to Beechworth

*By Cassie Lynch*

My first favourite part on camp was the Courthouse. We dressed up and it was so much fun. My second favourite thing was the Gaol. The grossest thing was, one man did not want to leave his cell so he made a mess in there. My third favourite thing was the pajama party and we watched Little Rascals. My fourth favourite thing is settling into the Old Priory. The beds were so cool but they were not that comfy. I really really liked the honey store. The best honey there was creamy cinnamon Honey. The next day we went to The Beechworth Bakery and the Lolly shop. *By Olivia*

When we got there we hopped off the bus. We saw a poisonous mushroom, and walked over to a bench and had our lunch. We went to the Bourke Museum it was so cool, there was even the 1800’s section.

**By Penny**

Broom broom me and my friends are on a bus going to Beechworth. One hour later we arrive at a park in Beechworth we eat lunch and play together then we go to the Bourke Museum and have a treasure hunt. It was so fun, then we went to the Kelly Vault. We did another treasure hunt there too. Then we went to the Courthouse and acted out a show about Ned Kelly. I was Constable McIntyre, the policeman, it was really funny. Then we went to the gaol. After that we went to Beechworth Honey, I bought a jar of honey for six dollars. We then went to the Old Priory.

By Jayla

What an amazing time it was on 3/4 camp! We hopped on the bus and travelled to Beechworth. My favourite two things were the old Beechworth Gaol and the Court House. I was the judge in Ned Kelly’s trial. *By Penny*

WOW!!! I can’t believe how much stuff we did at camp!! I have no idea where to start!! I may as well tell you about when we got to Beechworth. When we got off the bus, we had some lunch at the park, we also had a dance fight and I won twice. After that we went to the Bourke Museum. We saw an old phone book. After the Museum, we went to the Ned Kelly Vault. We had a treasure hunt, I found handcuffs, a door from his Grandfather’s with his initials in it. We also did a treasure hunt as well!! After that we went to the Old Beechworth Courthouse. We all got to have a part in the play, it was awesome!!! *By Mia*

On 3/4 camp we went to Beechworth. The Bourke museum was amazing and we went back in time and had a wonderful experience. After that we went to the Kelly Vault. We loved it so much at the Courthouse, it was very interesting. At the old Beechworth Gaol they kept injured birds in a cage to help them get better. There is also a pool there for people who did the right thing. Ned Kelly was there 3 times for different crimes. My favourite thing was eating at the Bakery. *By Brenden and Isabel*

My favourite thing was the Lolly shop, the Bakery and the Honey shop. *By Isabel*

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**We’re still here!**

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**WAW**

Banking as it should be.
This week has been a big one for everyone at Bethanga Primary School: On Wednesday it was World Environment Day. We hosted all of the cluster schools (108 students in total!) Our focus was on ‘Plastic Pollution’. Students worked in cross age groups making beeswax wraps, succulents planted in reused plastic containers, friendship bands made with strips of plastic shopping bags as well as a community clean up in and around the school... it was a fabulous day with students embracing the need to be waste wise (bringing nude food lunches), learning new skills and cementing cluster friendships. Thank you to Eskdale Primary School, Upper Sandy Creek Primary School, Talgarno Primary School, Mitta Mitta Primary School and Walwa Primary for joining us for this great day! Thanks also to The Pure Bee for the beeswax... our kitchen smelt amazing!

This week we also continued our partnership with Bethanga & Wises Creek-Talgarno Landcare Groups and Petaurus Education Group with an incursion exploring many varieties of wattle (our National Flora Emblem). We worked together to propagate seeds which we will nurture in our School greenhouse and created clay seed balls to spread down at the Bethanga Recreational Reserve in September.

Rachel Saunders
Snapchat, Instagram, eye difficulties and online bullying. They can all be traced back to one fatal fall in modern day life; mobile phones. Primary schools are no place for mobile phones, they should be banned. No primary school children should be allowed mobile phones. Have you ever woken up from a nightmare so real you want to cry with relief when you realise it was only a dream? Before you go buying your kid a phone, think of the risks. Sure your kid might be the talk of the school with their new iPhone X or whatever, but do you really want your precious little angel glancing the horrors of the real world? Have you watched the news lately? Have you heard of cyber bullying? 2 out of 5 cases of people who have been cyber bullied have been primary school students aged under 12. Would you really want your kid being tormented daily by an unknown bully? What’s the best advice you can give them? “Just ignore the bully”? We all know the kids under 12 are way too sensitive to “just ignore them”. So yeah, still planning to get that “surprise” birthday present? Students should not have mobile phones if they are in primary school. Without doubt, primary students are already smart enough without mobile phones. School is not an appropriate place for students to have a phone. If students had their phones in class imagine how distracted they would get. They would never learn anything they need to learn. How would you feel if you sent your child to school with a mobile phone, and all they did was play on it? Children do not need phones at break time. Students need to use their imagination. How sad would you feel if your child came home crying because they had ruined their relationship with friends because they were on their phone all the time? It definitely wouldn’t be fair if your child was ignoring another student because they just wanted to be on their phone.

What would you feel like if you got a phone call from a grumpy school teacher saying your child has fallen asleep AGAIN! Because they spent all their time on their phone all day. If students were on their phones all day and all night they would have square eyes before you got home from work.

Look you’d better be off leaving your child with no phone and just a book. The research shows say that with phones students get distracted, bullied and they don’t use their imagination. We need to act now and stop students having mobile phones.

By Emma W. Grade 5

Mobile phones

Students should not have a mobile phone at school. Even though there are phones everywhere school is not the place to have a mobile phone! If you have a mobile phone at school you might cheat in maths also you could get cyber bullied. Did you know that it is not safe for kids? Some people might do bad things. You will get grumpy after playing (or using it) for a long time. You will get addicted and bump into someone. There are bad websites out there on the internet. If kids have phones they DON’T need Snapchat or Instagram. How would you feel if you sent your child to school with a mobile phone then they’re getting off the bus and you are getting a call from the school and getting told that your child has done nothing except play on their phone all day? How guilty.

If you are being silly on your phone you might unlock your safeness and get hacked. People might cyber bully other people and get hurt feelings. Under 12 should not have a mobile phone at school. Without a doubt you should not have a mobile at school if you don’t want your childhood wrecked. So act now before it happens! So lets ban phones from school.

By Zac & Grade 3

Should phones be banned at primary school?

Primary school the high light of your school life. And would you let mobile phones destroy that? Mobile phones should be banned from primary school and there are at least a dozen of reasons why.

Can you remember how much fun primary school was and how social you were? Now a days kids at primary school and high school are on their phones texting across the same table from each other. They cannot even be bothered to put their phone down and talk face to face. I believe we should have a banned on phones at primary school don’t you?

Teenagers spend up to 48 hour straight on their phone without socialising so why would you let your kids turn out like that? It’s terrible. At school they won’t talk face to face and they spend so long on their phones it is destroying their learning.

It’s obvious that phone are destroying kid’s life. Don’t let your kid turn into a terrible life less screen addict. Put your foot down and take control of it before it’s too late. Put time and effort into it and I’m sure you will get results.

By Isaac C. Grade 6

Students Shouldn’t be allowed to have Mobile Phones at School

Mobile phones shouldn’t be in school. Students do not need a mobile phone in school they just need to do their school work! School is no place for mobile phones.

Students are already spectacularly smart without a mobile phones. How would you like it if you had a class full of disobedient children on mobile phones, or if you were a parent sending your children to school and going to pick them up and being told that your kids haven’t anything all day except play on their phone? Would you feel disappointed?

Do you really want your children to grow up, get a job and be not any good at it because when they were young they did nothing but play on their mobile phones? These days you just can’t get away from those smart pants mobile phones. They are everywhere! Mobile phones are a MASSIVE distraction to students at school!

Did you know that 85% of your brain can be destroyed by screens? Exactly! Your brain is a very handy thing and also, there is a 50% chance you’re going to get cyber bullied. Mobile phones are a dangerous and harmful tool when they’re used by children without adult supervision. Without a doubt mobile phones shouldn’t be in a school or any sort. They are distracting, dangerous and detrimental!! Children need to be social not hide away and play on their phones. Keep school a phone free zone.

By Scout C. Grade 3

SCHOOLS

Eskdale Primary School News
It was time of the year again as students from Tallangatta Primary School made the beautiful trip up to Corryong for the TKVSSA District Cross Country. This year we took 36 eager students who all qualified in the top 10 at our school event. There were many eager (and nervous) faces lined up at the starting line as students prepared for their races. Competition was very tough with only the top 10 over the line making it through to the Division event to be held in Wodonga. It was fantastic to see the team and community spirit on show from both students and parents from Tallangatta as we cheered all of our students across the line, no matter what position they crossed the line in. It’s this spirit which makes these days such an enjoyable event, and it’s fantastic to see our students demonstrating and owning the mantra, “it’s not about winning or losing, it’s about getting in and having a go”.

I would like to congratulate ALL the students who attended on the day, for doing not only yourself proud, but also our school proud. It’s definitely not easy running 2-3km (I definitely know your school proud. It’s definitely not doing not only yourself proud, but also students who attended on the day, for going!”

Losing, it’s about getting in and having a go.

Our District competitors this year were:
- Dakotah B
- Lenny B
- Gracie B
- Ryan C
- Riley M
- Lara P
- Amelia P
- Georgia T
- Stevie B
- Harry B
- Rueben D
- Casey M
- Sean M
- James W
- Bella A
- Phoenix A
- Caelan C
- Grace M
- Tallangatta Primary School Division Cross Country

It was a cold and wet morning on Friday the 31st of May as staff arrived at Willow Park in Wodonga at 7:30am to start setting up for the Upper Hume Division Cross Country. The fog had rolled in and the misty drizzle persisted as staff from Kiewa, Wodonga West and Tallangatta set up the gruelling 3km course and spectator area before the expected 1000+ crowd descended for the 2019 event. Before competitors and families arrived, the rain had subsided but the cold and fog stayed around most of the day.

Tallangatta Primary School had 7 District competitors this year:
- Axil V
- Murray M
- Angus P
- Ally S
- Ava M
- Murray M
- Max R
- Tobias R
- Alijah T
- Rueben D
- Sophie P
- Hayley B
- Pepper C
- Jemima D
- Rory K
- Makeenze L
- Senaya L
- Angus P
- Ali S
- Harry B
- Harry B
- Lenny B
- Bella A
- Phoenix A
- Caelan C
- Grace M
- Casey M
- Sean M
- James W
- James W
- Ryan C
- Makenzie L
- Georga T
- Amelia P
- Dilan C
- Lenny B
- Harry B
- Bella A
- Phoenix A
- Caelan C
- Grace M
- Casey M
- Sean M
- James W
- Ryan C
- Taylor S
- Makenzie L
- Georga T
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Tallangatta Health Service News

**Congratulations - Master of Health Leadership**

Congratulations are extended to Haydon Cunninghame, our Nurse Manager, who recently attended a Sydney graduation for Southern Cross University where he was awarded a Master of Health Leadership. Haydon completed this study across the last two and a half years. A part of this program included researching if the gender of care staff in residential aged care facilities makes a difference to the residents or not, the findings of which were very interesting.

Haydon expressed his thanks to Tallangatta Health Service for the support shown toward him as he progressed through his study pathway. He is currently on a ministerial advisory panel examining opportunities to increase diversity in nursing. This will further support his role here at Tallangatta Health Service as Nurse Manager of Acute and Aged Services.

**Exercise for Health**

Have you noticed a decline in your strength, balance, or general function? Have you had a recent fall? We can help!

At Tallangatta Health Service we offer exercise groups as well as specialised Exercise Physiology and Physiotherapy services for all members of the local community. Exercise groups are a fun and social way to improve your health and wellbeing as well as decrease your risk of falls and chronic disease.

Please contact us on 6071 5200 if you would like any further information, or to book an appointment for an assessment.

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**NETBALL**

**Round 7**

**15 & Under**

Tallangatta 19 Chiltern 35
A fantastic effort by the team today against Chiltern. The girls fought hard for every ball. Keep up the good work girls.

**Awards:** - Jemma, Kayli and Stevie.

**13 & Under**

Tallangatta 9 Chiltern 25
You guys did an amazing job. Hold your heads high. I’m so proud of you.


**18 & Under**

Tallangatta 27 Chiltern 45
Plenty of things to work on from this game. We need to implement the things learnt at training on game day. Keep working hard as the results will come.

**Awards:** - Best on Madi McKimmie and Monique Drummond.

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**Hoppers Happenings**

**Round 8**

**13 & Under**

Tallangatta 37 Wahgunyah 4
Great game by the girls today. Once the fog lifted we lifted and brought home a good win.

**A Grade**

Tallangatta 44 Chiltern 31
A great 4 quarter effort by the girls saw us come away with the win. Pressure all over the court resulted in numerous turn overs and the attackers made the most of their opportunities. Katie Mason and Molly McCarty were hard to contain in attack, whilst Anna Avery was outstanding in the mid court.

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FOOTBALL

Round 7
Tallangatta vs Chiltern
Under 14s:
A great win for the boys against Chiltern. Accurate kicking and getting in front for the marks ensured the ball stayed down our end. Well done boys.
Best Players: Zac Whitehead, Harvey Cribbs, Angus Quinn (Crackers Award), Nick Patton, Cooper Ried, Tim Smith (Uncle Matt’s award)
Sponsors Awards: (Urban Graze) Hudson Prichard (Tallangatta Takeaway) Sebastian Alessi, (Hot Chocolate) Jaxon Sharpe, (Canteen Award) Brodie Nicklin. A big thank you to our generous Sponsors.
Goals: Zac Whitehead 4, Cooper Ried 2, Hudson Prichard 1, each to Isaac Norman, Jaxon Sharpe, Harvey Cribbs, Isaac Suckling.

Under 17s:
Against an under manned Chiltern who to their credit never gave up our thirds got off to a flyer with Ned Quinn kicking the first 5 goals. With a 7 goal 1st qtr the result was never in doubt and the boys finished with a great win.

Reserves:
We started with a pretty impressive first quarter but it seemed to fade quite quickly from there. Battling for the rest of the day the backline seeing plenty of action. When it was in our forward line we made the most of it with Tom Cowie and Brent DeVries snagging 3 each for the day.
Best Players: J.Wickham, D.Avery, J.Lewin, B.DeVries, K.Mathieson, B.Harrison
Goals: T.Cowie 3, B.DeVries 3, B.Harrison 2, D.Avery 1

Round 8
Tallangatta vs Wagunyah
Under 14s:
The boys gained momentum as the game went and fought hard, but did not come away with the win. Chin’s up and look forward to next week.
Best Players: Angus Quinn (Canteen Award), Zac Harding (Wagunyah Rural), Cooper Ried, Tim Smith, Seth Hanley (Hot Chocolate), Isaac Norman (Tallangatta Takeaway)
Sponsors Awards: (Urban Graze) Beau Nicklin, (Uncle Matt’s Award) Brodie Wheeler (Crackers Award) Sebastian Alessi, (Heinrich Bakery) Lucas Nussar. A big thank you to our generous Sponsors.
Goals: Hudson Prichard 2, 1 each to Isaac Suckling.

Under 17s:
In a one sided game we had a big win against an opponent that was under manned, but to their credit still did not give up. The 2nd half the boys showed how they can move the ball. The challenge is to do it more consistently.
Best Players: Riley Saxen, Darcy McKimmie, Lindsay McDonald, Harley Middleton, Adam Ciccone, Dylan Wheeler.
Goals: Ned Quinn 10, Darcy McKimmie 5, Scott Spencer 2, Justin Wickham 2, 1 each to Hamish O’Brien, Tom Russell.

Seniors:
After a slow start the boys got the game going for the next 3 qtrs. on their terms with everyone contributing. Breeny’s 7 goals and Bailey’s 5 showed what we can look forward to in the future. A really good team effort. With a tight ladder need to keep winning. Well done to BJ on his return to a good game in the Reserves.
Goals: James Breen 7, Bailey McKimmie 5, Scott Spencer 2, Justin Wickham 2, 1 each to Hamish O’Brien, Tom Russell.

Coming Events:
King Valley winery walkabout June 9th check with Sharlene if you would like to come all welcome. Next Saturday at Tallangatta June 15th BIG REUNION 1979, 1989, 1994, 2009 Grand finals all past players, members and supporters come along for the day and catch up with some players and friends. If you know anyone or supporters involved please pass on this info.
Don’t forget to get your Annual Ball tickets on sale now a ticket to come along on July 13th @ SS & A get some friends as well, all welcome see Bernie or Sharlene.
REPLACEMENT OF TREES IN THE TRIANGLES

This week Council will be removing four trees in The Triangles after advice from an independent arborist that they are posing a risk to residents and visitors.

The two pin oaks and two poplars will be replaced by three pin oaks. A fourth tree will be planted within the township in coming months to ensure the current number of trees is maintained.

For more information on how we manage trees across the Shire contact Council on (02) 6071 5100.

WHAT IS E-WASTE?

E-waste is any item with a plug, battery or cord that is no longer working or wanted.

From your phone to your fridge, your laptop to your electric lawnmower, it covers a whole range of items from work, home and even the garden shed, including:

- Large and small household appliances (fridges, irons, kettles, hair dryers)
- IT, telecommunication and TV equipment (computers and their accessories, tablets, mobile phones, TVs)
- Lighting (LEDs, fluorescent lamps)
- Electrical and electronic tools (drills, lawnmowers)
- Toys, leisure and sport equipment (race cars, hand-held video games, musical equipment)
- Other e-waste (medical devices, thermostats)

The Victorian Government is committed to making managing our e-waste as easy as possible, with new e-waste drop off points at transfer stations opening all over the state. Visit ewaste.vic.gov.au or contact your local council to find your nearest e-waste drop off point.
The Kindergarten Room at Kiewa Valley Kids was recently treated to a special visit from Leading Senior Constable Lisa Lorenz. Senior Constable Lisa spoke to the children about what the police do, her responsibilities of keeping people safe and helping people. Senior Constable Lisa also spoke to the children about the importance of staying safe and close to our parents while out and about and if we become lost, to stay still or find a safe person to help us.

Senior Constable Lisa then showed us some of her special equipment and some of the children got to try out her handcuffs. A couple of special helpers also got to have a go at sitting in the police car turning on the lights and the siren.

We are so grateful that Senior Constable Lisa was able to visit us and teach us some things about our community helpers. Thanks Lisa.

The netball club was once again the recipients of money raised from the recent dance at the Tangambalanga Community Centre. This was the second such dance event directed towards the recently developed netball courts and brought the combined total contribution to approximately $1000.

Several of the netball girls again helped in the running of the dance and it is pleasing to see more of the locals attending and enjoying the action.

These dances are held every second month and have made significant donations to community projects.
remain in the nest for an extended period. The chicks are born naked and blind and alone. The incubation period is not known. The female broods eggs. They are a light pinkish-brown colour, tapered oval in shape. The female currawong is believed to be indigenous in origin. The pied currawong (Strepera graculina) is a medium-sized passerine bird native to eastern Australia and Lord Howe Island. It is a crow-like bird averaging around 48cm in length, black or sooty-grey plumage with white undertail and wing patches, yellow irises and a heavy bill. The male and female are similar in appearance. Known for its melodious calls, the species name is currawong is believed to be indigenous in origin. Populations at higher altitudes relocate to lower areas during the cooler months. It is omnivorous, with a diet that includes a wide variety of berries and seeds, invertebrates, bird eggs, juvenile birds and young marsupials. The currawong produces a clutch of three eggs. They are a light pinkish-brown colour, tapered oval in shape. The female broods eggs. They are a light pinkish-brown colour, tapered oval in shape. The female currawong is believed to be indigenous in origin.

For more information: www.indigoshire.vic.gov.au/Grants

Indigo FM is up and running with seven presenters providing a variety of programs throughout the week.

Sunday - Aaron with 'Country Sunrise' 7am - 9am
Saturday - Ross with 'Sound Tracks and TV Themes' 7pm - 9pm
Friday - Mornings with Lanelle 9.30am - 11am

A program of music and information is to be provided in our studio. We look forward to hearing your feedback and suggestions on what we should be playing and what programs you would like to hear. Our aim is to provide a wide range of programs and services to the community of Indigo Shire.

Out and About at KVPS

Our year 3/4 roving reporters were out and about deciding what to write about for the Kiewa Valley Gazette when we realised the story we needed was right under our noses. If you have been lucky enough to come in to the KVPS front office lately, you will have noticed a lovely new face at the front desk. That’s right, Pam is taking the term off for some well-deserved long service leave and we are lucky enough to have Lisa to fill in for her this term. We don’t know much about Lisa, other than she is great at her job… so we thought it was about time to find out a little more about KVPS’s new Business Manager.

So here we go… 10 questions with Business Manager Lisa…

1. What would you do if you were not a Business Manager?
   - I would play golf and play golfing with my dog.
2. Do you like help children?
   - Yes
3. Do you have a pet?
   - Yes, two cats and one dog.
4. What do you like doing (hobby)?
   - I like to play golf and scrabble.
5. What is your favourite colour?
   - Yes, I like to play golf and scrabble.
6. What is your favourite food?
   - Chocolate.
7. What do you like doing (hobby)?
   - Playing golf and playing with my dog.
8. Do you like help children?
   - Yes
9. Do you have a pet?
   - Yes, two cats and one dog.
10. Do you like to play games?
    - Yes, I like to play golf and scrabble.

So there you have it, our wonderful new Business Manager, Lisa. And we now know that if you need to get on her sweet side you just have to bring chocolate or have a good chat about golf.

By AW & HN
Lions Club News

Just amazing! June already!
This means nearly Change Over Dinner time where our new executive will be 'Sworn In'.
As of July, President Rhys will be replaced by Ged Qual, while Ken Jones will take over as Secretary from Lanelle. Peter Read will remain as Treasurer.
As was mentioned in an earlier article our Lions’ Den was recently repainted and now our resident ‘Builders’ Team’ has been busy re-decorating the meeting room and installing new cupboards. The whole building has a great feel about it and has become a real community asset as lots different groups are making use of our facilities which is great to see.
On a sadder note, lots of people in our community are affected by cancer, and the Lions Club is no exception. Over the years, and in more recent times, our club has been saddened by the loss of members of family members. As a practical mark of respect we have decided to donate $3,000 to the Albury Wodonga Cancer Hospital. They really do a remarkable job.
As the weather is becoming cooler we have also decided to donate $1000 to the St Stephens Blanket Appeal. The money will help those less fortunate than ourselves.
In order to raise money, we catered for the Saputo Suppliers Meeting and were preparing to sell sausages at the combined primary schools cross country run at Willow Park.
Finally, a big thank-you to all the considerate members of our community who dropped off their old batteries at Britto’s. We nearly have a full pallet, which will be sold and the money put to good use.

Police Chat

Some children are future, they grow so quick and have so many opportunities ahead of them.
They are ours on loan only until they are able to look after themselves and as parents and carers, it’s our job to educate them and keep them safe until that time comes.
Over the years, legal requirements for restraining ourselves and our children in motor vehicles has changed.
In 1970, Victoria introduced legislation requiring all occupants of a car to wear a seat belt. This was made tricky for many parents as the baby capsule wasn’t developed until 1984. Parents would hold a baby in their arms or put them in a bassinet on the back seat or floor.
Fortunately today, there are many child restraints, seats and boosters available and most modern cars have anchor bolts or ISOFIX already installed. An ISOFIX is an alternative to the seat belt for some child restraints.
So, here is what you need to know about restraining babies, toddlers, and children.

CFA News

At age 11, Brandon Wallace, Abby Dann and McGregor Gladman first started in the junior CFA. Now five years on, these junior members will now be following in their family’s footsteps as they join their parents in the senior brigade.
The brigade has a close relationship with its junior brigade, encouraging members to transition and continue into a senior membership. By doing this, the brigade is able to retain its junior members and use their knowledge and experience to add to the success of the Kiewa Brigade.
“We have watched them grow and gain skills over the past five years and they will now be part of our senior team. Well done and welcome to our senior membership,” said Kiewa CFA Captain Aaron Wallace.
All three members have completed their basic fire fighter training and are now ready to turn out to incidents and help protect our community.
Congratulations to all three new members and to the succession of Kiewa Fire Brigade.

KVPS News

Science Day at Tallangatta

The students were able to access the science labs at the secondary college as the year 10 students were on a week-long work experience period. This allowed science teachers, Mr K. and Mrs Sutherland time to introduce the primary students to a day of exciting science experiments. Dressed in lab coats and tasks in front of them, the students revelled in their experiments. This was a terrific experience for all involved.

By Maggie Jefferman

Title: Rocketman
Starring: Taron Egerton
Recommended for: Teens/adults
Rating: M
Stars: ★★★★
Genre: Musical
If you liked: Bohemian Rhapsody, Mamma Mia.
Rocketman tells the story of Elton John, his extraordinary life and his timeless music.
The film begins with Elton in a rehabilitation facility reliving the events that brought him there. The audience is taken back to Elton’s childhood and the loveless home in which he was raised. You are taken for a ride through the highs and lows of his rise to fame. The loves of his life are not glossed over and although he wore flamboyant outfits, his lifestyle was not always so glamorous.
Taron Egerton, who plays the lead role, is outstanding in this movie and proves that not only is he a brilliant actor but an exceptional singer as he sings all the songs himself. Jamie Bell puts in a solid performance as Bernie Taupin, Elton’s lyricist and enduring friend. As in most good films, there is a villain and

In Cinemas May 24
'For those at the top of the food chain, there can be no mercy. There is but one rule; hunt or be hunted.'

And so it goes for the Kiewa Sandy Creek Hawks so far in season 2019. Gone are the long days of summer where the senior playing day was never any doubt that this season would bring home the cup at Sandy Creek. Come this season it is down to who is the best. The Hawks have a big red target on their backs – and other clubs are taking aim. There was never any doubt that this season would be hard but not many would have predicted that, eight rounds into the season, the hawks would have a tenacious grasp on fifth position. Four wins, three losses and a draw sees the reigning premiers mid-pack, and scrambling frantically to find a spark that would ignite yet another premiership tilt. The coaching staff at Kiewa would no doubt have gone through the checklist; have we got the talent on the playing list? Check. Have we got a mix of inside and outside players? Check. Is the fitness of the group at an acceptable level? Check. Are we blooding youth? Check. Where then does the problem lie? Perhaps the perennial success of the playing group over the last decade is to blame! Many of the squad would have grown accustomed to winning. When the pressure has been on, this team has won the big moment more often than not. Now, when the chips are down, there is a vulnerability to this group – and that circling pack of contenders can smell blood in the water.

Martin Luther King once said that ‘the true measure of a man is not where he stands in moments of comfort and convenience, but where he stands at times of challenge and adversity.’ Despite a shock loss to Chiltern on the weekend there were signs of promise. Captain, Guy Telford (who has battled manfully all season) flew the flag for his younger troops. Seeing him patrolling the forward line and ensuring the likes of Ryan Bartel and Alex McDonald were never manhandled by the heavier bodies of the opposition spoke volumes of his leadership. The quiet tenacity of veteran Jason Bartel, multiple times Best and Fairest winner, ensured that no easy kicks came in his domain while his cousin Scott showed the rebounding form that has terrorised opponents in September for a decade. The signs of life are there for the embattled Hawks; look for the floodgates to open soon.

On Friday 17th May, 34 students from grades 3-6 at Kiewa Valley Primary School travelled to Corryong to compete in the District Cross Country Run. The enthusiastic qualifiers were very excited and eager to take on other students from Corryong, Bandiana, Baranduda and Tallangatta. With perfect weather (sunny and around 21 degrees) the day started with the 9-10 boys event and ended with the 12 year old girls 2km race day as far as places went. The next level of cross country was the Division Cross Country Run at Willow Park on Friday 31st May were:

9-10 boys:
- 1st – Keeley O
- 2nd – Jack C
- 3rd – Henry M

9-10 girls:
- 1st – Keely O
- 2nd – Beau S
- 3rd – Jacqueline K

11 boys:
- 1st – Keeley O
- 2nd – Henry M
- 3rd – Grace M

11 girls:
- 1st – Keely O
- 2nd – Claire H
- 3rd – Jacqueline K

12 boys:
- 1st – Keeley O
- 2nd – Henry M
- 3rd – Grace M

12 girls:
- 1st – Keely O
- 2nd – Claire H
- 3rd – Jacqueline K

The first 15 placegetters in each race will now progress to the regional level in Winton Sandy Creek netball courts to play against other teams. The weather was very successful and shows promise. Captain, Guy Telford (who has battled manfully all season) flew the flag for his younger troops. Seeing him patrolling the forward line and ensuring the likes of Ryan Bartel and Alex McDonald were never manhandled by the heavier bodies of the opposition spoke volumes of his leadership. The quiet tenacity of veteran Jason Bartel, multiple times Best and Fairest winner, ensured that no easy kicks came in his domain while his cousin Scott showed the rebounding form that has terrorised opponents in September for a decade. The signs of life are there for the embattled Hawks; look for the floodgates to open soon.

The Kiewa Sandy Creek netball courts are now open with the official opening held on the mother’s day round against Barnawartha. Mayor of Indigo Shire, Bernard Gaffney said a few words before cutting the ribbon and deeming the courts open. Hundreds of parents and players turned out to support the opening. Congratulations to the Kiewa netballers who made it into the Interleague teams.

The next few rounds brings some tough competition as the season nears the half way mark. Good luck to all the teams.

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Go Hawks!