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### **THURSDAY APRIL 25, 2024**





Khancoban students present Towong mayor, Cr Andrew Whitehead, with an honour board of district heroes, onIoan for an Anzac exhibition at the Corryong Library.Story on page 2.

### **Community urged to speak up on phone services**

Independent Member for Indi, Helen Haines, is encouraging individuals and community groups to take part in a federal government review

examining the existing and future telecommunication needs of regional communities.

The Regional Telecommunications Review



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"This review is an opportunity for people across Indi to tell the federal government directly about the challenges they face

is held every three because of poor phone years to investigate and internet services," Dr equitable access to telecommunications services "Since becoming the

Member for Indi, I have worked tirelessly with local communities, councils and other organisations to improve phone and internet connectivity in key affected areas."

OLD STYLE BUSH FAMILY DANCE Dr Haines helped to secure a public consultation for the review in the electorate of Indi at the Benalla Town Hall on May 3.

"Regional communities are held back by unreliable NBN coverage, mobile phone blackspots and slow internet speeds during peak holiday periods," Dr Haines said.

"We should not have to settle for second-rate telecommunications. Reliable internet and mobile phone coverage are not 'nice to haves' our modern society relies on them to run businesses, work from home, study and access crucial healthcare services." Anyone impacted by poor services is encouraged to attend the public consultation on Friday 3 May at the Benalla Town Hall from 10:00am to 11:30am. Tickets can be reserved at https:// events.humanitix. com/vic-regionaltelecommunicationsindependent-reviewcommittee-benalla-publichearing.



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### School upgrades welcomed



Major works are planned for the Walwa primary school.

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supporting

Six public schools across the Indi electorate including one in the Towong Shire, will benefit from \$3.5 million awarded under the Commonwealth Schools Upgrade Fund.

The investment will fund vital infrastructure projects that promote safe, modern and inspiring learning environments for primary school students.

Federal Member for Indi, Helen Haines, informed local schools of the grant opportunity earlier this year and wrote

letters of support for some of their submissions. The second round of

the Schools Upgrade Fund

was open to all public schools for large-scale

capital works projects and

the Walwa Primary School

was successful in securing

to

hardcourt areas including

renewal works and to

upgarde the playground

"Our young people need safe and modern

including a shade sail.

replace

drainage

thrive, so it is fantastic to see this funding flow to schools which need it in Indi," Dr Haines said. "Upgrades to play-

grounds, sports grounds outdoor spaces and amenities fundamental such as toilets support student wellbeing and engaged learning experiences.

"This much-needed investment will be enthusiastically welcomed by students, parents and teachers alike," Dr Haines added.

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### College art inspires pride in heroes

learning environments to

Towong Shire libraries in Corryong and Tallangatta are showcasing a collection of local war heroes assembled by Year 6 students in the region, as part of an Anzac Day research project.

Using digitised service records from the National Archives of Australia, students created informative posters detailing the service history of individuals listed on their town's war memorials, transforming them into vivid representations of local heroes who fought for our freedom.

posters are on display at both the Elyne Mitchell Library in Corryong and the Tallangatta Integrated Centre

Community (library) until May 4th. Opening the Corryong exhibition on Tuesday, Towong mayor, Cr Whitehead, Andrew expressed his appreciation for the initiative.

"This collaborative effort between our libraries and local schools is a testament to our commitment to honour and remember the sacrifices made by our servicemen and women," he said "It's heartening to see

engage with our history in such a meaningful way.

"These posters educate and inspire our community which, in turn, gives us a greater sense of pride and unity in our community."

Cr Whitehead thanked the following schools their contribution for the initiative to Bethanga Primary Khancoban School, Primary School, Kiewa Valley Primary School, Tangambalanga Mitta Mitta Primary School. St. Michael's Primary Tallangatta, School Talgarno Primary School and Tallangatta Primary School.

80 Approximately

### **APRIL**

our younger generation

Saturday 27/4/24: Old Style Family Bush Dance at Corryong RSL Hall 7:00pm-10:30pm. Ticketing at www.eventbrite.com.au/e/old-stylefamily-bush-dance-tickets

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Friday 3/5/24: Open Day at Corryong's Study Hub, Country Universities Centre (6 Boundary Street, Corryong), 9.00am-3.30pm. Ph: 490 022 028

Monday 6/5/24: Probus meeting at Corryong Hotel Motel at 10am. Contact Jean 0417 124 822

Saturday 11/5/24:- Upper Murray Farmers' Market, Attree Park, 9am-**12 noon** 

Saturday 11/5/24:- A Night with Max Rooke (AFL player & coach) at the UM Events Centre, 6.00pm-11.30pm. Bookings www. eventbrite.com.au/e/max-rooke-guest-speaker-in-the-upper-murraytickets-870907627157

Wednesday 15/5/24:- Upper Murray Business & Tourism Expo at the UM Events Centre Corryong, 5.30pm-9.00pm. Register at tinyurl.com/ towongeventbrite

Tuesday 21/5/24:- Innovation Upper Murray: EDP Workshop - Tourism. Bookings essential through https://innovationuppermurray.org/getinvolved/

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### Spotlight goes on council services

Federal Member for Indi, Helen Haines, will be part of a committee investigating the financial sustainability and service delivery obligations of local governments over the coming months.

In March the House Representatives of Standing Committee on Regional Development, Infrastructure and Transport launched an inquiry to examine and report challenges on impacting local governments and their delivery of services to the community.

"Since being elected as the Independent Member for Indi, I have worked closely with the nine regional councils that cover the electorate," Dr Haines said.

"What I hear time and again from mayors, councillors and CEOs is that their local government budgets do not stretch far enough to cover the needs of their communities which rely on councils to

deliver essential services such as maintaining local roads so that their safe to drive on, putting in the critical infrastructure needed to build more homes and looking after the spaces that bring our

communities together. "Beyond meeting core infrastructures needs of communities, some councils also provide important community services such as childcare, aged care, disability and local health services. We must ensure councils can continue to fund these important community

amenities. "While we cannot preempt what the inquiry will learn from public submissions and hearings, I look forward to working with my parliamentary colleagues to find solutions to current challenges and make recommendations for the federal government to act upon."

The inquiry's terms of reference will include:-• An understanding of

the financial sustainability and funding of local government;

• The changing infrastructure and service delivery obligations of local government; Attracting and retaining a skilled

workforce in the local government sector; • Structural barriers to security for local government workers and

service delivery; and • The role of the federal government in addressing issues raised during the inquiry.

"As а regional Independent MP, I will be particularly interested in the committee examining the challenges faced by local governments in meeting the needs of communities in regional, rural, and remote areas,' Dr Haines said.

"Thriving, prosperous regional communities require consistent and effective delivery and management of services and critical infrastructure."

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# School stall pays off



#### The college stall stood out at the re-enactment.

The MFSR Bush provides Festival а funding opportunity for community groups and the Corryong College Parents Club was on a winner at the Riley's Ride reenactment this year.

"A huge thank you goes to the college families and friends who donated baked goods for the stall at the reenactment," said secretary, Emma Klippel.

"The stall looked incredible with new personalised and plain tablecloths which were generously donated by a community member who wished to remain anonymous. They made our stall look very professional and promoted our school well. 11am and raised more

Corryong "The Neighbourhood Centre generously allowed us the

use of their kitchen and storage facilities which was really appreciated.

"Thank you must also go to the Parents Club committee and students who co-ordinated the sale, packaged and labelled items and sold them on the day

"We sold out before

than \$2200, which goes

to show how much of an

impact baking a cake or two can do for our school. We are incredibly grateful to those who donated and helped in anyway.

'We must also express our gratitude to the Sacred Heart P&F, which offered us alternate years to host the stall and thanks go to the festival board which waived fees for our stall, thereby maximising our profits.



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### Audience was abuzz with questions

Self-described "native bee tragic", Karen Retra of Albury, recently gave a fascinating exposé on the lives and habits of the little native insect critters inhabiting the Australian bush and buzzing around

in our gardens. Straight off the back of the bush festival, the

evening was well attended and during and afterwards Karen's talk, many questions were asked which highlighted the curiosity of the audience. In response to one

question, Karen replied that there are more then 2000 native bee species in Australia that have so far been scientifically described and perhaps another 500 to a 1000 species not yet formally

described or even yet

discovered - ranging from a tiny bee about 2mm long to the large yellow and black carpenter bee which grows to about 24mm in length.

Karen also said during the evening that, unlike the European Honey Bee which is now under threat, only a very few Australian species are colonial and produce honey. Most are loners.

The pollinator seminar was hosted by the Corryong Wetlands group.

"Based on the success of this evening we hope to hold more interesting events like this in the future on various subjects," said co-ordinator, John Murphy.

"Thanks go to Karen and thank you Emergency Recovery Victoria which



Neighbourhood naturalist, Karen Retra, enthralled her audience with bee facts.

largely sponsored the seminar through the Corryong Community

Recovery Committee. "The evening was catered for by Corryong

Café Brew and many positive comments have been received ."

### Prime bulls are ready to deliver

Commercial producers chasing growth, eye muscle area and positive fats pushed prices to \$20,000 at the recent Reiland Angus autumn bull sale.

Interfaced with AuctionsPlus, the sale was hosted by the Lucas Killimicat family at Station, Tumut and drew 33 registered buyers.

A total of 66 bulls were sold under the hammer from the 73 offered to a top of \$20,000 and average of \$8333. Five bulls were sold immediately after the sale.

Repeat clients, Ian and Marcus Clarke of Ournie, secured the top price bull, Lot 36 Reiland Tudor T956, an August 2022 drop son of Stoney Point Kingpin K211, for \$20,000.

Weighing 832kg, Tudor had a moderate birthweight estimated breeding value (EBV) of +5.0, a 600-day weight of +149kg, eye muscle area (EMA) of +9.6sqcm, intramuscular fat (IMF) of +2.0 per cent, positive rib and rump fat, and positive

calving ease. Clarke Marcus

liked the stylish young sire's positive fats and exceptionally high growth for the family's 400 cow autumn and spring calving herd.

"We also look at the milk on the maternal side for retaining heifers," he added.

"He will be joined to the first calvers this autumn."

Reiland blood autumn drop steers weighing 396kg and aged 10 to 11 months in January on AuctionsPlus for \$1460. "We are looking

for bulls with growth, intramuscular fat, positive rib and rump fat and calving ease to go over heifers," Marcus said.

The second top price of \$18,000 was reached

clients Dick and Jenny Turnbull, Holbrook, purchasing Lot 5, Reiland Thorn T1261; Graham and Judy Houston, Houston Pastoral, Burrowye taking home Lot 22 Reiland Thousand T343; and Proudford Agriculture, Narrawa buying Lot 13 Reiland Target T914.

Mr and Mrs Turnbull

purchased a total of five

forecast wise and buyers got a good article," Mr Lucas said.

"We appreciate the loyal support and bidding. We have our sights firmly set on breeding bulls that will deliver profit."

Guest auctioneer Brian Leslie complimented Reiland on presenting a consistent line of quality bulls.

The top price bull, Reiland Tudor T956, with auctioneer Brian Leslie, Sam Lucas of Reiland

Angus and buyers Ian, Jessica and Marcus Clarke. Photo: Kim Woods.



#### **Opening Hours: Monday – Thursday 9am - 5pm**

Corryong Neighbourhood Centre

Wodonga Eye Care – Visits CNC every 2nd & 4th Monday – Book appointments via 02 6056 4000 Community Calendar – Don't miss upcoming events, visit http://uppermurraycommunitycalendar.org Sit & Sew - Bring along a gold coin donation and projects or materials you have. 2pm-4pm @CNC Youth Space - Come check out our reno's! 12-25-year-olds welcome. Open after school for students -18+ can use the space as they wish, just come ask CNC for the key! Located at 42 Hanson St Driving mentoring & lessons - Boost your driving hours with CNC mentor driving for just \$5/hr or book a weekly lesson with a gualified instructor for just \$65hr to get ready to pass your P's test with flying colours! Mad Hen Art - Wednesdays every week, 3:30pm to 5:30pm, 42 Hanson St - Open to ages 12-25 Garden Group - Bus trip to Avondale Gardens - Thursday, May 2nd, 9am. Contact CNC to book - \$20 cost Mother's Day markets - Want to make some extra money by selling your homemade products at our stall? Contact us before May 11th or come create along and create items at Wednesday Art! (Mad Hen art)

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The Clarke family sold three times with repeat



bulls. The couple were selecting bulls with positive or neutral rib and rump fat EBVs to boost female fertility in dry seasons.

Reiland Angus coprincipal, Mark Lucas, was pleased with the sale outcome and onboarding of six new clients from Victoria, local districts and Oueensland.

"We had some trepidation in the lead up with the season and there is no doubt a cloud over the beef industry still but we met the market

"Past buyers return here so it is telling us the article does the job," he said.

"An average of \$8333 and a top of \$20,000 is good for everybody considering the year.

"Producers will keep buying those good genetics which means when the market turns, they will have the right article to sell.

"There was a lot of competition online, particularly from Victoria." Duty agents were

Elders Wagga Wagga and Tumut/Adelong.

### Farmers have a say on mental health

For most, farming in Australia is a great way of life but at times it can also be physically and psychologically tough.

So, when things get overly stressful, who do farmers turn to for support?

Finding out what farmers want in terms of mental health support is the focus of a new University of South Australia study, with researchers looking to establish who farmers turn to once they've exhausted their personal coping systems through family and friends.

The rate of suicide among farmers is twice that of other employed people. However, farmers are half as likely to have visited a GP or mental health professional in the last 12 months, compared to non-farm rural workers.

UniSA researcher, Dr Donna Hughes-Barton, says it's vital to hear from farmers to understand how best to support their mental health.

"Farmers face multiple to accessing barriers mainstream physical and mental health care," Dr Hughes-Barton says.

"There are fewer faceto-face services in rural areas, which means it can be difficult for farmers to access mental health support. We also know from our previous research that distrust can be a problem when farmers feel



out their coping strategies

and support from friends

what support mechanisms

farmers would be prepared

to engage with once they

have reached this point."

National

"Our team is committed

and wellbeing for farmers

and their communities and

we are passionate about

developing and delivering

services based on what

farmers tell us they want

Led by Associate

Federation,

Centre

"We also want to know

and family.

that health professionals do not always understand life on the land.

"Farmers are very adept problem-solvers and while this a great quality to have in a practical sense, they tend to 'tough it out' when it comes to their mental health, rather than reaching out for support from others.

Professor Kate Gunn "Increasingly, health and the ifarmwell team bodies are trying to raise at UniSA, the study is supported by National farmers' awareness about mental health issues and Farmers the importance of asking the for Farmer Health, and for help when needed. Lifeline Australia. However, there is a gap in the research about what to promoting good health farmers respond to and

health and wellbeing support services. "This study aims to fill this gap. We want to know what farmers do

want to see from mental

and need," Professor Gunn when they're experiencing stress, and they've maxed said.

"Farmers' voices are at the centre of our work and that's why we're inviting farmers to have their say in how supports and services for them are developed and delivered in the future."

The anonymous survey takes 20 minutes to complete and all farmers, farm workers and members of farming families are invited to have their say. To complete the survey now, visit: https:// bit.ly/3PLC5nI.

**Mental Health Resources** Lifeline 13 11 14 Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

ifarmwell (a free online tool kit to help farmers cope with life's challenges) https://ifarmwell.com.au/

If you are thinking of getting out and exploring amazing this country start your journey at the upcoming Wodonga Camping 4WD Fish & Boat Show at the Albury Showground.

On offer is a huge range of caravans to suit the single traveller right up to the large family plus camper trailers as well, plus the innovative hybrid caravan-camper trailer.

There is a range of entertainment and a gate prize valued at \$3779 has been sponsored by Wangaratta Caravans & Marine - just fill out the entry form and place it in the barrel at their site.

The Fish & Boat Show runs from Friday May 3 to Sunday May 5.



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Work resumed on the Corryong CBD Streetscape project on Monday, 22 April.

**Corryong CBD Update** 

Currently, our focus is on decommissioning two underground fuel tanks, and we anticipate completing this by the week's end. Additionally, we're conducting soil testing around the remaining tanks to gauge contamination levels, which will inform any necessary soil removal.

Once the decommissioning is complete, we'll shift our attention to completing Stage 2 of the project, which is on track to begin next week.

#### How can I stay up to date?

Visit our website or sign up to our project newsletter to receive updates directly to your inbox.

Meet with our Project Manager each Wednesday from 2 pm - 3 pm at the Corryong Library.



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Preparations are also underway to commence work on the eastbound side of Hanson Street, from the Memorial Hall to the Man from Snowy River Arcade. Plans for this section, including increased parking bay depth, are currently under review by VicRoads for approval. As we gear up for demolition work on this side of the street in the coming weeks, we'll promptly notify affected businesses of the start date.



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### **Burnoffs can cause health concerns**

With fire restrictions having eased in most parts of the state including the Towong Shire and calm autumn conditions hundreds prevailing, of private, agricultural and planned burns are expected to take place in the coming weeks. While current

conditions are ideal for burning, weather patterns may cause smoke to linger over parts of the state overnight and through to early morning. Forest Fire

Management Victoria (FFMVic) Chief Fire Officer, Chris Hardman, said it was crucial fire agencies took advantage of favourable conditions when they presented. "Planned burning on

public land is one of the tools FFMVic uses to keep Victoria safer from bushfires," Mr Hardman said.

"While we burn to the conditions not the calendar, autumn generally gives our crews more opportunities to conduct planned burns

as the weather is more stable and fire behaviour is manageable and generally predictable.

"With the current favourable weather and forest conditions, we are dedicating all available deliver resources to planned burning.

"Reducing fine fuels such as grass, leaves, bark, shrubs and fallen branches means fires are less intense and slower to spread, making it more likely that firefighters can keep bushfires small and contained before they pose a risk to communities.

"Smoke can be a result of private resident or agricultural burns, chimney smoke or planned burns. We work closely with and use information from the Environment Protection Authority (EPA) and Bureau of Meteorology to keep the smoke impact from planned burns as low as practically possible and inform the community while delivering the program.

"Victorians can also



Autumn conditions are ideal for planned burns and private burnoffs.

sign up for planned burn notifications to prepare for any impact on their health or activities."

CFA Chief Officer, Jason Heffernan, is also Victorians to urging research and understand permit requirements before conducting private burn-offs.

Victoria's Chief Environmental Scientist, Professor Mark Patrick Taylor, said the EPA understands smoke from any source including planned burns and private burnoffs can cause health concerns.

"Be prepared by watching for FFMVic planned burn notifications and by checking the air quality for your area through the EPA's AirWatch air monitoring system," Professor Taylor said.

excellent smoke an detector. If you can smell smoke, take the necessary precautions to protect your health."

For the latest information about when and where planned burns are happening near you, visit https://plannedburns. ffm.vic.gov.au/

Detailed information about current air quality throughout Victoria can be found on the EPA's website.

If you see or smell smoke outside, you should reduce your exposure to smoke by staying indoors and closing your windows and doors - but only if it's safe to do so.

Tips for looking after your health when there is smoke can be found on EPA's 'Smoke and your health' webpage www.epa.vic.gov. "Your nose is also au/for-community/

environmentalinformation/air-quality/ smoke/smoke-your-health. Keep your burn off safe and legal:-

• Check fire restrictions in your area and always register your burn at www. firepermits.vic.gov.au or by calling 1800 668 511

• Check and monitor weather conditions particularly wind

· To avoid unnecessary calls to emergency services, notify your neighbours beforehand

• Leave a three-metre fire break, free from flammable materials around the burn

• Have sufficient equipment and water to stop the fire spreading

• Never leave a burnoff unattended - stay for its entire duration

• If your burn-off gets out of control, call '000' immediately.

Animal Registration

### Reminder

We wanted to remind you that dog and cat registrations were due on 10 April 2024.

Every dog or cat over the age of three months must be registered with Council and microchipped with registrations renewed annually.

If you've previously registered your pet with us, you would have received your renewal notice in the mail.

It's important to pay this as soon as possible.

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To receive your notice via email, please reach out to Council at 1300 365 222 or email info@towong.vic.gov.au. Be sure to include your name, address, and pet's name in your message.

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**TEE TO GREEN** 

#### Corryong Sunday's

Rod Bloom.

Coming up

Sunday

Sunday

April

May

# 73 nett. Dixie had a very

Holbrook Open Tournament Sunday Sunday

Adelong Open Tournament

11am for 11.30am (or play Welaregang anytime over the weekend) 5/5/24: Stableford - front 9 @ didn't reflect in the scores 11.30am for 12 noon (or

monthly

28/4/24:

medal was won by Shane

Bannon who returned a

fine 69 nett to win from

Chris McInness ahead of

Stable-ford - back 9 @

anytime over the weekend) Sunday 19/5/24: good day tee to green but 26/5/24:

**Upper Murray Sport (Cont.)** 

Stable-ford - front 9 @ 11am for 11.30am (or play anytime over the weekend) 26/5/24:

A field of seven players enjoyed perfect conditions for golf, unfortunately it

had an off day with the putter. Sunday Graziers Cup field is filling up fast with the club expecting to match last years field of 24 teams. Registration of teams by 10.30 sharp for a shotgun start at 11am. With The Bias

Competitions Wednesday 17/04Social Bowls: Winners were Doug Smedley & Terry McInnes.

Wednesday: Men's and Ladies Social Bowls start at 1pm, names in by 12:30pm.





#### weekend)

Sunday 12/5/24: Monthly Medal @ 11am for 11.30am (18 holes stroke) Sunday 19/5/24: Stable-ford - back 9 @ 11am for 11.30am (or play

play anytime over the

with the stroke format. Bill Bond qualified for the Monthly Medal playoff later in the season with a 72 nett, helped by his 27 putts. R/U was Tony Jarvis on a countback from Dixie Coutts, both on

with everyone struggling

Thursday: Ladies Social Bowls in recess.

Corryong Bowls Club phone number 02 6076 2907.



Club Corner:- The jackpot at The Club Corryong this Friday is \$2650. Last week's winner Gary Boardman was (\$10).

\*

The final tally from the Upper Murray for Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal was \$28,821.63. - \*

snippet:- We've has some glorious autumn weather and our visitors know it too. One lady described it as 'being hit in the bum with a unicorn'!

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### Upper Murray Sport (Cont.)

### Around the clubs cont..

**C** Grade:- My new catch phase 'Rollin' rollin' rollin' keep those subs a rollin'. High five, Cudgewa came home victorious with a confident win 41 to Bullioh 19.

As the new coach to C Grade, it was great for the team to get a confident win over reigning premiers Bullioh with no holding back. With several players not available the ever reliant and talented U15s Ruby-Jean Klippel, Quinn Galbraith and Ava Dakin stepped up and contributed greatly to a convincing win.

The first quarter was very close and with only one goal in front and need for some adjustment, implement the rolling subs. Brie Jones and Gemma McNamara formidable combination in goals, who would have known it was their first game together.

Welcome newcomer Lexi Galbraith in centre who teamed up with sister Quinn in mid-court to provide drive, direction, and controlled passes into goals. On a very hot day these girls ran the court and was great to use rolling subs to hydrate and coach.

Our defence worked hard all game and again with rolling subs able to change combination. Chloe Kennedy had a ripper of a day, playing in GK, GD, WD and GS as a coach enjoying the versatility of Chloe and her can-do attitude. Chloe Land was tasked with four intercepts a quarter and pressure on the goals can't wait to practice this at training and bring to game day. Rolling subs saw young combination of Ava and Ruby-Jean in defence in the second quarter, again their ability to read play, intercept and send the ball forward to attack is what wins game.

Shannen Collins was straight on to court after coaching D Grade and was hungry and so strong in WD, the pressure Shann applied and the drive down court is a credit to all her hard work and showing in her game day.

By half time we had nine goal lead and by third quarter 17 goal lead and full time convincing and confident win by 22 goals. Credit to the girls with rolling subs activation and implementation. Training is a must for C Grade if you want to play on game day and I look forward to all players turning up. I'm very thankful and grateful for U15s stepping up in D, C & B grades.



As well as unfurling the 2023 premiership flag at its first home game on Saturday, Cudgewa unveiled its new electronic scoreboard with club legend, former coach and player and Life Member, Ben Byatt, doing the honours. Pictured (from left):- Greg Hillier (President),

### Mal Jarvis (Life Member), Ben Byatt and his son Mark.

together and playing as one - including a couple of mother daughter-duos out there.

Unfortunately we didn't come away with the win but there's good points to work on. Here's to a fun season.

Awards: Genna Towers, Jess Glabbatz and Collette Carkeek.

U15s:- Keep those subs a rollin'! The team proved adaptable and disciplined and executed rolling subs beautifully.

Cudgewa came home victorious with a very convincing win 44 to Bullioh 3.

We welcome new team members Tilly Paton and Billie Galbraith, Tash Tregilgas has done a wonderful job coaching and preparing both these little pocket rockets to step up into a higher grade. Tilly and Billie blended wonderfully into their new team and provide many options in attack, feeding the goalies and strong in

mid court defence. Our defence across court was brilliant and I lost count of awarded turn overs for opposition held ball. All girls where tight on their players and we capitalised on the hard

work with goals score. Marlie McLean and Paton worked Lola beautifully in the goals with accurate shooting, working the ball around the ring with mid court feeders Quinn, Charlotte, Billy and Tilly. Our midcourt players Charlotte Klippel, Belle McVean and Taylor Turnbull provided a stable flow down the court, with Belle getting more hands-on ball and resulting in turn overs. Quinn Galbraith, best in finals last year, came in stronger than ever with her ability to read play and direct strong play down the court to feed straight into the goals. Quinn's running, netball ability and continuous smile is a delight to watch. My away girls Ruby-Jean Klippel and Ava

Dakin, who can't always make training, bring a fabulous defence, their skill in reading play and intercepting in coming balls, strong rebounds and providing options down court is a credit to both these girls and strongly contributes to our winning

team. On such a hot day the rolling subs were great to utilise, using communication and the high five on interchange, give the players a rest and as coach an opportunity to direct, coach and implement game play for the team. The girls got more court time and knew exactly what their role was.

Awards: Marlie McLean, Quinn Galbraith and Belle McVean. *Coach Jen* 

Ulls:- What a game to start the season off! There was strength and determination in every

position on the court. With our strong team ethic following through from last year, these girls sure showed Bullioh they

are not here to mess about. Lani's goals were on point with beautiful movement in the ring. Pippa and her strong court presence was hard to hold

back. Defence from Indi and Olivia was outstanding and with the added WD of Ruby and Trixie working together well in the defence end, with our new team members working hard and played a great first game!

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Awards: Brie Jones, Gemma McNamara and Quinn Galbraith.

**D** Grade:- A new team came together this year with a few returning players. It was great to see all the girls coming

Brianna and Amelia made some great space in the centre court and used some great patience and footwork to get some great intercepts. Overall, an amazing game to watch with the girls taking on any advice and gave everything, the girls should be very happy with their first game back Awards: Canteen (sponsor, Melderg P/l) Indi Stephens, Top of Town Takeaway - Olivia Nagy, Players' Player -Grill'd voucher was a draw - Brianna Klippel/ Pippa Faithfull - with the girls both wanting to give

it to the other!

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### Upper Murray Sport

## **Around the Clubs**



Corryong's Jake Burge has his kick smothered by his Tumbarumba opponent. Photo: Deb Harrap

Netball/Football Results continued from page 12: **B** Grade Cudgewa ..... 4 Tumbarumba ..... 4 Corryong ..... 0 Bullioh.....0 C Grade Cudgewa ..... Corryong ..... 4 Tumbarumba ..... 0 Bullioh.....0 D Grade Corryong ..... 4 Bullioh..... 4 Cudgewa ..... 0 Tumbarumba .....0 15 & Under Cudgewa ..... Tumbarumba ..... 4 Corryong ..... 0 Bullioh.....0 11 & Under Bullioh..... 4 Corryong ..... 4 Cudgewa ..... 0 Tumbarumba ..... 0 Netball A Grade Cudgewa 39 d Bullioh 27 Corryong 51 Tumbarumba 42 **B** Grade Cudgewa 53 d Bullioh 33 Tumbarumba 39 d Corryong 38 C Grade Cudgewa 41 d Bullioh 19 Corryong 25 Tumbarumba 12 **D** Grade

Bullioh 18 d Cudgewa 15 Corryong 26 d

Tumbarumba 16 15 & Under

Cudgewa 44 d Bullioh 3 Tumbarumba 44 d break with a very simple message and game plan to just chip it around and play our game style and could see the fruits of out labour paying off in the remaining two quarters.

We were very happy to get the four points after a hard game. We had a lot of new faces but the standoust were Grady and Cam. Cam fought all day in the middle and gave us a lot drive and was a class above. Grady after half time had a massive job to stop Ash Murray from troubling the scorer.

U14s:- What better way to start the season than with a 100 point win! Right from the first bounce, the boys were switched on and didn't let up. Heath Mulligan was doubtful to play earlier in the week but overcame another foot injury to produce one of his best games ever. He was unstoppable up forward, kicking 11 goals.

Jackson McInnes played very well in his debut match. He competed well in the ruck and was rarely beaten. Moose Bloom and Mac Brindley were on fire in the centre. They both worked hard and racked up plenty of kicks and also chipped in with a couple of goals. Beau Mulligan and

difference. Best on ground was clearly Harry McVean in the ruck. Other best were McKinley Klippel, Mitch McGrath, Connor Ray and Pip Faithful. Netball

A Grade:- It was a scorching first game back! The girls kept their cool and worked hard to come away with the first win of the season.

Mal and Kerstin proved to be a tough combo in defence, with lots of communication and movement. Our quiet achiever, Charlotte, was the star of the show in WD all day, reading the play well to get hands on every ball, shutting down her WA. Taylor, Jo and Bella were strong, helping to achieve our defensive turnovers. Both Sophie and Rachel worked really well together in the goals. particularly with Bullioh's strong defense. Lots of patience from goalers and feeders, feeding the ball beautifully into the ring.

Awards:- Charlotte Star, Sophie Greenhill, Rachel Ciccone.

**B** Grade:- Despite the heat, the girls were on fire all day, getting their first win for the season! With Courtney and Sarah keeping the pressure on Bullioh's shooters in defence, they showed they will be a force to be reckoned with this season! Our midcourt girls just ran all day, utilising our rolling subs to keep the ball flowing nicely down the court when attacking. Bella and Jasmine proved to be equally as defensive to achieve some game winning turn overs. Pip and Ellie work so beautifully in the goals and of course are an unstoppable combo, with some great movement and perfect feeding into them. Amazing first game by all! Courtney Awards: Simpson, Ellie Ross and Amber Connley.

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#### Corryong 14 **This week Cudgewa** v Tumbarumba **Bullioh** v Corryong



#### Blues News Football

**Seniors:-** The first game of the year was a nailbiter down to the last siren.

Bullioh came out and jumped us in the first half but we came out after the dangerous up forward, kicking three and two, respectively. Well done boys!

Jack Turnbull were also

**U9s:-** The team got off to a great start with everyone enjoying their game of football. It was a great win with a team full of contributors. Best players Jack Porter, Ollie Paton and Miller Galbraith. A special shout out to Tyler Cleven who rucked well in his first time in that position.

**U12s:-** A great win to the team first up. They played hard with our teamwork and willingness to play for our mates clearly being the

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### Word find

Can you find all of the words listed? The leftover letters will spell out a message.

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- **3** True or false: the great horned owl does not have horns?
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- 5 What is the name of the husky in Paw Patrol?

- What Australian soap did Margot Robbie (pictured) star in from 2008–2011?
- 7 Which popstar was born on December 13, 1989?
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line. In the absence of former coach Drew Cameron, the Blues unveiled a handy replacement in former Wodonga and Kiewa-Sandy Creek spearhead, Guv who

five-goal haul. Bullioh also had a the Blues. Co-coach



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# Upper Murray Sport 👔 **Bullioh bridges the gap**

Cudgewa's perceived cloak of invincibility took a hit in the opening match of the season when Bullioh pushed the defending premiers to the final siren. falling short by five points of causing an upset.

The Dogs held a slim lead at half time and still led the Blues by a solitary point at the last break.

In a dour final term, Cudgewa edged ahead with three goals to the Dogs' two to get over the

Telford, announced himself with a

sharpshooter in Tom McGibbony, who stepped up with six majors and almost stole the show from Davne



Corryong's Fletcher Weavan gets a good hold on his Tumbarumba opponent.

Carey, said his side was underdone for the seasonopener but was able to find another gear when required.

"It was a hard fought win and to be honest, we probably stole the match off them in the end."

Star recruit, Cameron McNeill, was a standout for the Blues and former North Albury defender, Nigsch, kept Gradv Bullioh ace, Ash Murray, goalless.

Former Wodonga player, Joel Heiner, kept the Dogs in the fray for four quarters along with stalwart Jacob Curran but the Blues iced the game with some smart possessions at the death.

Corryong showed it has a way to go to break its duck after going winless last year when Tumbarumba stormed home with a ten goal to two second half for a 46-point victory.

Dan Hitchens led the way for the Roos with seven goals, aided by silver service further afield from Rhys Preston, Fynn Debono and Joe Holt. The Roos' poor

accuracy in front of the sticks kept the Demons in the contest but they struggled to make an impression following the main break.

Evergreen Evan Nicholas was prominent with three goals and Nathan Lattanzio, Jacob Robson and Holbrook recruit Oscar Southwell were solid contributors.

Results Football

Cudgewa v Bullioh Seniors

Cudgewa 3.4, 6.4, 10.7, 13.7 (85) d Bullioh 2.2, 7.7, 10.8, 12.8 (80)

Goals: Cudgewa - Guy Telford 5, Adam Prior 3, Dayne Carey 2, Ben Hall 2, Luke Bloom 1; Bullioh - Thomas McGibbony 6, Harrison Cowie 1, Nash Macauley 1, Josh Walters 1, Joel Heiner 1.

Best: Cudgewa Cameron McNeill, Grady Nigsch, Josh Bartel, Daryl Webb, Guy Telford, Jack Gilbee Bullioh - Joel

Heiner, Jacob Curran, Marcus Roberts, Lindsey McDonald, Joseph Bolton, Harrison Cowie. Tumbarumba

Corryong Seniors Tumbarumba 1.3.

4.11, 10.14, 14.15 (99) d Corryong 2.1, 5.1, 5.9, 7.11 (53) Goals: Tumbarumba -

Dan Hitchens 7, Dale Lane 2, Tim Wall 1, Connor Smith 1, Hunter Clayton 1, James Crozier 1, Luke Schultz 1; Corryong -Evan Nicholas 3, Matthew Merlin 2, Patrick Riley 1, Jake Burge 1.

Best: Tumbarumba Rhys Preston, Fynn Debono, Joe Holt, James Munday, Daniel Hitchens, Connor Smith; Corryong - Nathan Lattanzio, Jacob Robson, Oscar Southwell, Jarrod Woodall, Patrick Riley, Evan Nicholas Reserves

Bullioh 12.10 (82) d Cudgewa 2.6 (18) 27.11 Tumbarumba (173) d Corryong 0.2 (2) Under 14s

Cudgewa 19.10 (124) d



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Bullioh 3.3 (21)







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