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Arson squad detectives are investigating a fire at Cudgewa North last week.

Story on page 4.



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Communities to pace recovery

The Deputy Coordinator of the National Bushfire Recovery Agency, Major General Andrew Hocking, was in Corryong on Monday with member for Indi, Dr Helen Haines, to meet local government, business and community representatives to learn firsthand about unmet areas of need in the Upper Murray.

Gen. Hocking said it had been difficult to get a feel for how communities were faring in the recovery process and what was still needed because of the pandemic lockdown and border closures.

“It has been too hard to read feelings and emotions in Zoom meetings,” he said.

“We’ve lost a sense of the soul of what’s needed.”

He also said part of his agency’s role was to assist with bushfire recovery grants which had to be a community-led process.

“This is about completing specific projects for individual towns and communities rather than a one size fits all approach,” he added.

Important feedback from his visit was that because of the tough year people had endured and the restrictions they faced



Major General Andrew Hocking and Dr Helen Haines (middle) with members of the local recovery committees.

in getting together as part of the recovery process, it had not been possible to meet some of the grants deadlines.

“Some of these deadlines will be extended,” he said.

“We will go at the community’s pace in trying to meet their needs.

“I’m hopeful that as we listen and adjust, there won’t be people that miss out.”

Gen. Hocking and Dr Haines also visited the Bright community on Tuesday when the latter welcomed the broad new power for the Governor-General to declare a national emergency in

response to bushfires. However, she urged the Commonwealth government to pick up the pace on the Bushfire Royal Commission’s recommendations before another disaster occurred.

Dr Haines voted in support of the National Emergency Declaration Bill 2020 last Wednesday, allowing declaration of a national emergencies of national significance.

“On 3 January 2020, in the height of the fires, I wrote to the Prime Minister urging him to declare a national emergency so that we could properly respond to the catastrophe unfolding,

with telecommunications infrastructure, aerial firefighting, electricity grids and military assistance,” she said.

“Almost a year later, the government finally understands that it can’t take the back seat in disasters – that in fact leadership by the Commonwealth is essential when we are facing threats like this.”

In her speech to Parliament, Dr Haines said she was alarmed that the Bill barely began to implement the recommendations of the Bushfire Royal Commission.

“It’s concerning

to me not just that the government has waited until the last possible moment to debate this important legislation but that we’re going into the next season in essentially the same position as we went into the last one.

“We have no sovereign aerial firefighting fleet, no single app for sending out disaster notifications, no national register of fire and emergency services personnel and equipment and no inter-operable communications for emergency services across jurisdictions.

“These were all recommendations of the royal commission.



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Upper Murray Community Recovery

Weekly Recovery Update - 17 December 2020

Free property numbering

Free property numbering is now available for all rural properties in the Upper Murray. The small reflective signs, with a number and green band, will make it easier for emergency services to find rural properties at night and in poor visibility. You will need to provide your name, address and property number, which may be different from your address. Signs need to be placed somewhere visible from the road. Numbers are available to properties outside Corryong, Cudgewa central and Walwa central. If you would like to order a sign for your property, call the Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub on 1800 518 222.

Christmas and New Year break

Community Recovery Committees are taking a well-earned break with meetings to resume in late January. The Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub closes on December 23 until January 4. For Council related emergencies please call 1300 365 222 and follow the prompts to access the after-hours service 24/7.



Open and honest feedback

The National Bushfire Recovery Agency met with the chairs of local Community Recovery Committees and the Upper Murray Recovery team earlier this week, one year after the Upper Murray bushfires. Major General Andrew Hocking, Deputy Coordinator, Engagement and Operations at NBRA was accompanied by Member for Indi, Helen Haines and Bushfire Recovery Victoria Executive Director of Recovery, Engagement and Operations, Megan Stiffler. Towong Shire Mayor David Wortmann also attended and took the opportunity to thank the CRCs for their efforts this year.

Major General Hocking said community-led recovery was not as quick as a 'top down' approach, but he was "absolutely certain" it was the right thing for the country. "At times it's hard work on top of what has been a hard year. None of that is lost on me, but while it may be slower in the short term, it is far better in the long run" he said. Community representatives and Council staff openly shared their experiences to date, particularly regarding difficulties with the grants process and their short time frames.

Major General Hocking said the day had given the NBRA a very grass roots sense of what could be improved and committed to working with the State Government to secure support for writing grant applications.

Pictured above: Mayor David Wortmann, Faith Damm (Biggara), Megan Stiffler, (BRV), Major General Andrew Hocking, Helen Haines MP, David Braniff (Thowgla), Cathy Ross (Corryong), Tania Costello (Tintaldra) and Janice Newnham (Walwa).

Fencing wire pickup

If you have fencing wire that

needs collecting from your fire impacted property, there will be one last opportunity for free pickup in February 2021. Wire needs to be free from non-metal waste, and the collection site needs to be accessible by truck. To register contact the Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub on 1800 518 222.

Community Grants open

Applications for Round 2 of Council's Community Recovery Grants are open, closing Friday 12 February 2021. Find application forms and program guidelines go to www.towong.vic.gov.au. Grants up to \$5000 are jointly funded by the State and Federal Governments.

Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub

Call: 1800 518 222

Email: recovery@towong.vic.gov.au

Visit: Cnr Donaldson Street and Towong Road, Corryong

Bushfire Recovery Victoria

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Playles Hill Project – Plans and feedback forms available in CNC office
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CNC SOCIAL ENTERPRISES CHRISTMAS CLOSURES:

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Fire inquiry continues

Police are still investigating a suspicious fire that gutted the interior of a family home in Cudgewa North around 8.45pm last Thursday.

Fire crews from Corryong, Walwa, Nariel Valley, Cudgewa and Tintalra attended the fire but the home was ablaze when they arrived and the farmhouse was destroyed. Although the exterior walls remained standing, the interior of the home was gutted.

It took firefighters an



The house fire is being treated as suspicious.

hour to bring the blaze under control.

Corryong police and Wodonga detectives attended the scene and a police media spokesman said the fire was considered suspicious.

Family Violence

detective, Sergeant Brendan Roche, said a married couple had fled the home with two 11-year-old children

The cause of the fire is yet to be determined but a forensic chemist from the arson and explosive squad

as well as detectives from Wodonga attended the incident. Detectives visited the site again yesterday and investigations are continuing.

Anyone with information can call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

Pump will prove to be a quick fix

The Corryong CFA Group took possession of a new pump last week which will enable fire crews to fill their tankers in double quick time. The pump was donated by Gorman-Rupp Pumps which provides hydro innovations and solutions across a wide range of applications.

Photo: Corryong CFA Group Secretary, Greg Nankervis (left), with Gorman-Rupp representatives Graeme Spence and Kevin Jamie and Group Officer, Kevin Whitehead.



Have Your Say on Community Engagement

We're reviewing the way we seek your feedback on what matters to you. Have your say on how and when you would like to be involved in Council decision making by taking part in our short survey.

Your participation is highly valued and will inform the development of our Community Engagement Policy.

The survey will take ten minutes. Complete it:

- **Online:** at towong.vic.gov.au
- **In person:** printed surveys are available to collect at a Customer Service Office, Library or the Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub
- **Call:** 1300 365 222 to complete over the phone, or have a copy sent to you

Randomised telephone surveys will also be taking place throughout December 2020 and January 2021.

A single ember can spread bushfires as far as 30km.

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Hall upgrade will tell a story

The streetscape around the Corryong & District Memorial Hall and adjacent gardens are set for an upgrade after receiving \$25,000 under Bushfire Recovery Victoria (BRV) funding for community facilities.

The area is an important meeting place for the community and the grant will fund information panels, artwork and photos describing the bushfires in the region and how the community has come together afterwards.

Hall committee secretary, Ilma Clarke, said she is excited to be able to develop the streetscape after the work that has been done to improve the building itself including a new roof and verandah, acoustic ceiling and a sound system as part of a \$240,000 redevelopment project.

"We've been doing bits and pieces for the last eight years," she said "and this is one of the final works to really complete the project."

The works will also include seating for viewing, lighting of the panels, the extension of a platform viewing area and the development of a grassed area.

Built by the community



The centrepiece of the hall balcony was put into place last week.

in 1958 and opening in 1959, the hall provides a large, low cost venue with attached catering facility and concert hall with stage. The hall caters for a wide range of community events including sport, exhibitions, conventions and community meetings.

The historic hall was built with red bricks that were all made locally and more than four miles of hard wood timber that was

milled locally and donated to the community.

Victorian Minister for Police and Emergency Services, Lisa Neville, said the project "would help tell the story of what the community went through and how they recovered for generations to come."

Member for Northern Victoria Region, Jaclyn Symes, added that "The hall committee has worked hard over the last few years

to improve the building and this streetscape work is a real testament to their community pride."

In addition to the hall upgrade, an interactive service directory for Towong and Alpine Shires is one step closer, with APMHA HealthCare receiving \$90,000 for the project.

The directory will assist people seeking support services in

the region, where the combined impacts of the 2019-20 bushfires and coronavirus has had a significant impact on the community.

CEO Renee Hayden called the funding a "godsend" and said the directory has been identified as a top priority by recovery and wellbeing groups. Without it, we wouldn't be able to move to a website," she said.

Time to repay the hay favour

Upper Murray farmers have been staunch supporters of the Burrumbuttock Hay Runners over the last couple of years which has helped their drought affected counterparts in Queensland but this year's effort was thwarted by the Black Summer bushfires.

However, farmers in Victoria's south-west rallied to the cause and more than 80 trucks arrived in the Upper Murray in early February bringing much needed fodder for stock that had survived the bushfires.



More than 80 trucks brought hay to the district earlier this year.

"After the huge amount of hay which came into our community earlier this year after the devastating bushfires it is now time to repay our fellow farmers

up north," said local hay run co-ordinator, Belinda Attree.

"After the bumper season we've had I'm hoping to organise

another trip with the Burrumbuttock Hay Runners in January."

Anyone wanting to donate a bale or two is urged to contact Belinda via email billattree@hotmail.com or phone 0429 771 228.

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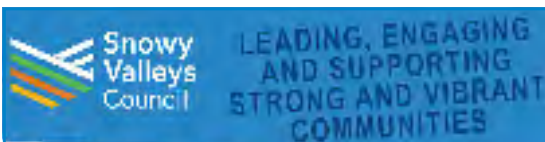
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PUBLIC NOTICES

Season's Greetings Corryong Courier

We wish all our readers, contributors and advertisers a very Merry Christmas and prosperous New Year. The last edition of the Courier for the year will be December 24, 2020. The first edition for 2021 will be on January 14. The office will re-open on Monday January 11.



CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR OPERATING HOURS

All SVC Offices and Libraries will close at 4.30pm on Friday 18 December, 2020 and re-open at 8.30am on Monday 4 January, 2021.

Kerbside bin pickups will continue as normal schedule and all Waste and Recycling Centres will be closed on public holidays.

All Council pools will be closed on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day.

We wish you all a safe and Happy Festive Season and New Year.

CORRYONG ROAD CLOSURES

Corryong Traders Group advises that a road closure application has been made to VicRoads to close Hanson St., Corryong for the Upper Murray Christmas Markets **TOMORROW** Friday, 18th December 2020.

Hanson Street will be closed between the Donaldson Street roundabout and Kiell Street and at the Jardine Street roundabout (both sides) from 2.30pm to 11.00pm.

Community members are asked not to park in Hanson Street between Donaldson Street and Kiell Street after 2pm to allow for easier set up of the markets.

GARAGE SALE Saturday December 19

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We would like to take this opportunity to thank our valued customers for the continued support this year.

We wish you all the very best for the upcoming festive season and look forward to doing business with you in 2021.

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Private funeral service.

THANKS

LAND - We would like to sincerely thank everyone who has given Ken and our family so much support and kindness through his illness and passing.

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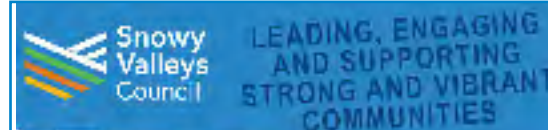
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For further information about this position, please contact the Human Resources Team at hrcorp@svc.nsw.gov.au

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We are looking for a local candidate to take on the following role in bushfire affected communities in the North East:

- **Community Engagement Facilitator – VPS 6**

For the full position description and to apply please go to:

<https://careers.vic.gov.au/> For more information about BRV go to brv.vic.gov.au

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- Ability to work under pressure in a team environment

For an application kit and selection criteria, please contact Melinda via email at mshort@walwabnc.com.au or at the Walwa Bush Nursing Centre, 16-18 Main St, Walwa, Vic, 3709 or by phone (02) 6037 1220. Applications close Tuesday 5th January, 2021.



Students at Corryong College explore their new learning space.

Kids use their 'nüdels'

Students at Corryong College and Corryong Kindergarten experienced a Nüdel Kart extravaganza last week when Towong Shire Council brought Playground Ideas to the Upper Murray.

Nüdel Kart is a mobile play and learning space that explodes into more than 200 different research backed loose parts that

children can explore and experiment with in endless ways. Communities that were affected by the Black Summer bushfires are now in a stage of regrowth and rebuilding and so are their children.

Kids can be amazingly resilient but they can't be forgotten as part of the rebuilding phase, so earlier in the year, non-

profit Playground Ideas, working with their major funder, Moose Toys, donated six Nüdel Karts to children in bushfire affected communities.

For children living with toxic stress and daily anxiety about their future, Nüdel Kart creates an oasis of low stress and stimulating play as soon as possible after trauma.

Council checks on connection

Towong Shire Council is reviewing the way it engages community members in decision making.

"We are seeking community feedback on our current engagement practises to understand how and when you would like to be involved in issues that affect you," said Towong mayor, Cr David Wortmann.

"Your responses will help to inform the development of our Community Engagement Policy to ensure that our approach truly reflects community engagement needs and interests.

"The election of a new council provides a great opportunity for us to check in with community members to see how our

engagement practices could be improved.

"My fellow councillors and I are really interested to see how and when community members would like to be involved in decision making."

The survey will launch today and will take 10-15 minutes. You can take part in a number of ways:

- Online at towong.vic.gov.au;

- In person - printed surveys are available to collect at council offices or library or the Upper Murray Community Recovery Hub;

- Call 1300 365 222 to complete a survey over the phone or to have a copy sent to you.

In other news, council offices, libraries, depots and the Upper Murray

Recovery Hub will close from 5pm on Wednesday 23 December, 2020 for the Christmas / New Year break and re-open on Monday 4 January, 2021.

The existing kerbside waste and recycling collection services will continue during this time (including public holidays). The Corryong and Tallangatta Resource Recovery Centres will continue with normal operating hours.

The Corryong and Tallangatta swimming pools, as well as the Corryong Visitor Information Centre, will remain open throughout this period, except on Christmas Day.

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Upper Murray Sport (Cont.)

Fire money helps clubs get back on their feet

The cancellation of the Upper Murray Football Netball League (UMFNL) 2020 season, has provided an unexpected windfall.

The league was scheduled to receive 10 per cent of proceeds from the 'Footy for Fires' charity weekend in March for the benefit of those clubs that assisted the organisers of the event at Cudgewa ie. Corryong, Federal, Tumarumba and the host club. It was revealed at the league's annual general meeting last week that given the level of government and

other support for bushfire recovery in the region and the effects of the coronavirus pandemic on the 2020 season, it was decided to make the balance of \$47,000 available for distribution to the above clubs or to the UMFNL for distribution as it sees fit.

The funding is being administered through the Upper Murray Innovation Foundation (UMIF) and it was emphasised that it cannot be provided for operational costs including, in the case of the UMFNL, payments for

players or coaches.

It was a case of 'steady as she goes' at the league meeting with incumbent president,

Gordon Nicholas, being re-elected for his 31st consecutive term in the position.

Following the rejection of a league working party proposal for a merger of clubs and move to the Tallangatta league, which was only supported by the Federal club, it was expected that the league would continue with five football teams competing at senior level. Border-Walwa has gone into

recess for 2021.

The clubs were also working on having two junior grades, possibly under 11s and under 14s, however in a surprise move Cudgewa and Bullioh mooted that the reserves competition be re-established and Tumarumba supported the proposal. These were the only clubs that fielded reserves teams in 2019 before it was decided to discontinue the second-level competition for the 2020 season.

Corryong indicated it had doubts about getting

enough players for a reserves side while the Swans flatly rejected the notion. There was also discussion about the Demons and Feds having a combined side at junior level. The 2021 season draw will remain the same as 2020 with the first round being played on April 17th.

In other league news, Nadia Edwards has been appointed as the league's Operations Manager, following the decision of AFL North East Border to hand the administrative role back to the league.

Social golf set to take off

The popular Tuesday night 3-person ambrose competition is scheduled for a shortened season, starting on January 12.

Teams must be nominated by December 24th - call Mark Collins on 0418 602 623.

The club also thanks those members who cleaned up the greens at the working bee last Saturday.

Upcoming events

The Corryong mid-week mixed summer competition is played Mondays and Wednesdays (9 holes) 8.30am for 9am start (note new time). All welcome. The novice golf competition starts at 8.30am on Saturday morning.

The starting time for the men's golf competition on Saturday is 10am. If wet, play will transfer to the Sunday at 10am.

Croquet takes a break

A group of 10 people have been learning to play croquet over the past two weeks and are encouraging others to take up the sport.

The group will take a break over Christmas and will resume on 8th January at the Corryong Bowls Club.

Just turn up to try a sport with a difference and have some fun.



Players wind down

Local badmintonists (yes, it's a real word!) recently celebrated the end of the season with a get-together at the Corryong courts in the Memorial Hall.

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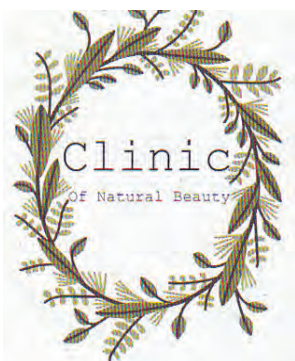
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Local junior basketballers had the benefit of being tutored by former Australian basketballer, Jason Smith, on the weekend.

The two-time Olympian conducted clinics with players from Corryong Basketball's junior divisions.

Players from the Aussie Hoops and Division 3 programs took full advantage of Jason's expertise as they engaged in skill sessions and on court coaching during their matches on Saturday.

Jason also worked with a small group of Division 2B and 2A players on the Sunday as he put their skills to the test in a couple of entertaining sessions. "Basketball Corryong is very appreciative of the time Jason and his team gave up to work with our young players and we look forward to continuing to build on this relationship in the future," said the association's Warren Sinclair.



Jason Smith and his daughter Kenya with some of Corryong's budding basketballers.

Bowlers gear up for business competition

Following the easing of pandemic restrictions, the business bowls competition will be

starting on January 14th and will run for eight weeks, with two shortened games being played each Thursday. Starting time will be 7pm.

All participating teams must register with Greg Wilson on 0418 645 412.

In other news of the week the Ladies Singles Championship was completed with Pat Sheather taking the honours.

In the semi-finals Pat defeated Joan Jarvis and Melissa Humphrey defeated Cheryl C Smedley. Both these matches were good contests of high standard.

The final between Pat and Melissa was also a very good match, with some great bowling. It was tight for much of the game but eventually veteran Pat skipped away from Melissa to become the champion.

The social bowls for the day was won by Cheryl E Smedley and Ilma Clarke.

The men played their

Club Fours during the week, with 16 players and there was only one team with three wins – Noel Blake, Linton McKenzie, David McKimmie and Tom Jarvis.

The Men's Singles Championship will commence today at 6pm.

The pennant team played at Wodonga on Saturday and won 65-54.

The Mens Triples Tournament is coming up on January 10th and the club is hoping for good entries from other clubs. This event is sponsored by O'Connells Refrigeration.

There will be a ladies meeting at 9am on January 7th to discuss catering for the tournament. Next committee meeting will be at 7.30pm on January 13th.

The Ladies Club Triples is scheduled for January 14th.

Thursday rosters:- Jan 7th - J Thompson, J Spurgeon and M Whitsed.

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~ The Hammer



Wily veteran Pat Sheather has won the club's ladies singles championship.

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