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ROAD HAZARD

Mayor says reintroducing 'Fixing Country Roads' program will do just that!

Towong Shire mayor, Cr Andrew Whitehead, doubts that the \$4 million allocated to road maintenance and upgrades this year will be sufficient given the amount of rain that has fallen in the district.

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COVID CONTAINED

A Covid-19 outbreak was declared for Corryong Health last Thursday with multiple staff and residents testing positive to the virus but as of yesterday it had been restricted to the Mittamatta A section of the service's residential care facility.

Corryong Health CEO,

Dominic Sandilands, said that all families and next-of-kin of residents had been notified of the outbreak, with regular medical monitoring and updates being provided about those who are Covid-19 positive.

"Those who have contracted the virus are

in a stable condition," he said.

"Corryong Health has been hosting daily outbreak management team meetings with Ovens Murray Public Health Unit, clinical staff, Executive and Department of Health representatives.

"We have also implemented several strategies to contain the virus including ensuring that all staff and clients are up to date with vaccinations. All staff have had three vaccinations and many have had four.

"We are also ensuring that anti-viral medication is readily available for residents who are positive.

"All staff across the organisation are currently required to wear Tier 3 personal protective equipment (PPE) which includes N95 masks, goggles/face shield and gowns. Additional supplies of PPE have also been sourced to augment our supplies.

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Prepare property for fire season

With the fire season quickly approaching, Towong Shire Council is encouraging local communities to take steps to be prepared.

The fire danger period can range from any time in November until May, depending on the level of risk predicted for the season.

Properties can be prepared for the season by taking simple steps such as cutting back long grasses to reduce fuel load.

Towong mayor, Cr Andrew Whitehead, said that the rain over the last few months has meant that grasses are longer than they have been for some time.

"Everyone needs to be aware of their responsibilities to maintain their properties, particularly those in areas where grass fires can



quickly take hold," he said.

"Although we've had a wet spring, as the weather starts to warm up, the risk of bushfire will increase.

"Keeping your grass level below 10cm will assist in reducing the risk to you and your neighbours.

"We want to make

sure our communities are safe so our Municipal Fire Prevention Officers (MFPO) will be commencing inspections on vacant land over

November and December.

"If we receive a complaint about excessive vegetation or grass on vacant or unmaintained land, they will inspect the property and if required, issue a Notice to Comply or a Fire Prevention Notice.

"If you receive a notice, please ensure that the required works are carried out by the completion date and then maintain your properties for the duration of the Fire Danger Period."

Further information about the fire danger period can be found at cfa.vic.gov.au/warnings-restrictions/fire-danger-period-restrictions.

For further information about preparing your property go to cfa.vic.gov.au/plan-prepare or get in contact with your local CFA.

Outbreak should be fully contained within days

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"Given the impact the outbreak has had on employees, additional staff have been sourced through departmental agencies to support our acute and residential aged care rosters," Mr Sandilands added.

"In addition, additional Hepa-filter air purifiers have been sourced and deployed throughout the organisation to reduce risk of spread.

"Where possible staff have also been working in zones to prevent any potential transmission.

"Our doctors have been providing additional support to Covid-19 positive residents as well."

Jody Bellette, Operational Director Ovens Murray Public Health Unit, has lauded the efforts of Corryong Health staff in limiting the spread of Covid-19 to other departments of the

health service, particularly given its integrated nature and small size.

"Staff have commenced returning back to work having now become asymptomatic and it is hoped that the outbreak will be fully contained within the coming days," Mr Sandilands said.

"I am incredibly proud of how our staff have responded to the outbreak and so grateful to the rapid response of our partner health services at Albury Wodonga Health, Ovens Murray Public Health Unit, Department of Health and Aspen Medical for their support throughout this event."

As a community reminder, a public vaccination clinic will be available to Upper Murray residents aged 16 years and over on Tuesday 22nd November from 10:30am to 2:00pm at the Upper Murray Events Centre, Strzelecki Way Corryong.

Road funds must be restored

Towong Shire Council mayor, Cr Andrew Whitehead, is advocating for the Victorian government to reinstate a rural roads improvement program to help councils deal with the costs of road maintenance.

Roads in good condition are needed in rural areas for transport of produce, tourism and for people just to go about their daily lives.

Long periods of wet weather are contributing to deterioration in the condition of local roads which is being seen across the region.

With around 1200kms of roads to maintain, Cr Whitehead said there were significant costs in dealing with the local road network given the rainfall the region has experienced.

"Maintaining our roads as well as providing all the other services and infrastructure for our communities is always a big challenge with the very small budget we have," he said.

"Just last week council staff and contractors were called to clear a landslide

on Upper Murray Road caused by storms and with more wet weather expected we know this won't be a one off.

"This financial year we have around \$4 million allocated to road maintenance and upgrades.

"Will it be enough? Probably not but we know we just have to do the best we can with what we've got."

The Victorian government's Fixing Country Roads program carried out in 2018-19 and 2019-20 helped deliver more than 220 local roads projects for councils across the state.

"There is currently no state-funded rural roads improvement program available," Cr Whitehead said.

"In our view, the state needs to reinstate the Fixing Country Roads Program to the tune of \$200 million over four years.

"Every rural resident should be lobbying their local candidates for a commitment to reinstating this funding."



THE GRAPEVINE
Reminder:- All Saints Anglican Flower Show tomorrow Friday October 28th. The flower and quilt displays open at 2pm. Entry to the hall is \$10 including a Devonshire Tea while entry into the quilt and craft display is free.

Uniting Church update:- There will not be a service in Corryong on Sunday November 6th as there is a regional gathering at Mt Beauty that day. If you wish to attend that event, contact Linda or Catherine (leave at 8am for a 10am start).

Club Corner:- The Joker Poker jackpot at The Club Corryong this Friday is \$2400. Last week's winner was Neal Bennetts (\$25).

Bingo:- There were three winners of the jackpot last week - Loris, Laurice and Barb - and Maryann won the fruit raffle. Bingo is on every Wednesday at The Club Corryong - 1pm for 'eyes down' at 1.30pm.

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Leaders tackle local challenges

Mental health support, youth engagement, the housing shortage and bridging the country-city divide are some of the challenges a group of regional leaders are tackling.

Last week, 21 current and emerging leaders from across the North East and NSW Riverina - including a Jingellic based agricultural consultant with the United Nations - came together in Yarrawonga to further develop their leadership skills and build a network that is committed to action and outcomes.

They were selected to attend the leadership development program as part of the Leading Australian Resilient Communities (LARC) program, delivered by the Australian Rural Leadership Foundation (ARLF) and the Regional Australia Institute (RAI).

The program is funded by the Australian government's Building Resilient Regional Leaders (Pilot) Initiative grant on the back of recent challenges faced by regions including drought, bushfires, the pandemic and floods.

It aims to support these regional communities in meeting challenges and



collectively drive the positive changes they want to see.

The group will receive coaching and support for practical, community-led projects they decide to pursue. They'll also have access to national thinkers on identified critical issues.

The participants selected are current and emerging leaders from diverse backgrounds and experience including emergency management, manufacturing, agriculture, agribusiness, education, local government and environmental services.

Ross de Clifford, Managing Director of R & R Agriculture of Jingellic, is passionate about agriculture and developing leadership at a grassroots level.

He was a sports team manager and assistant coach while attending Massey University in New Zealand.

After graduating, Ross started his own agricultural and livestock consultancy and has worked for the United Nations on several large projects in the Asian region.

He led a team of 15 Ministry of Agriculture staff based in Fiji to

engage with more than 400 dairy farmers in an industry development initiative and has run a dairy excellence project in Myanmar that included working with government and private sectors.

He is also a consultant and technical adviser for sheep and beef production systems in Samoa.

Ross is married to veterinarian Renee who is from Samoa and the couple found their way to Jingellic after Renee

started work at the Walwa Vet Clinic following the 2019-20 bushfires.

Despite travelling often with his employment, Ross and Renee have become involved with their local community and both are on the Jingellic Hub management committee.

"The most import thing that I have learnt in my leadership roles is strong and clear communication, the ability to learn and adapt and the need to lead by example," Ross said.

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Energy systems secure power supply

The loss of power in the Upper Murray region during and after the 2019-2020 bushfires placed an additional strain on communities and emergency services and identified that a safer and more secure supply was imperative.

The Upper Murray Place Based Power Plan - Energy Resilience and Reliability Project addresses this issue by supplying and installing a combination of solar, battery and generator systems on critical sites.

Indigo Power has partnered with Upper Murray Incorporated (UMI) on the project and ultimately, the systems will be installed on 23 sites across the region.

Ten of these energy systems have been installed and now provide renewable energy on various sites including Thowgla Hall, Tintaldra Public Hall, Corryong Memorial Hall, WAWBank Corryong, Ambulance Victoria and the Upper Murray Community Garage.

This incorporates or upgrades the existing solar photovoltaic technology (PV) with battery storage to keep the lights on in a power outage with some being equipped with a back-up generator for more power, if needed.

The next tranche of energy nodes is still to come and will include the Corryong Pharmacy as well as other sites in Nariel Valley, Towong, Colac-Colac and Corryong.

Two community-scale batteries are being installed at Corryong Health and Corryong Recreation Reserve and the existing battery storage system at Walwa Bush Nursing Centre will also be expanded.

These energy systems include 60kW solar PV and between 208 kWh and 303kWh battery systems and are expected to be installed in December 2022.

To reduce peak demand pressure on the electricity grid, standard electric element hot water systems are also being replaced with energy efficient heat pump hot water systems. These hot water services assist to stabilise the grid at the household level by reducing peak night-time power demand.

The supply and installation of these heat pumps, to replace traditional electric hot water units, are eligible for additional grant funding plus state and federal rebates under the program.

Up to 20 complementary hot water heat pump units are being installed for Upper Murray residents who lost their primary home during the fires. Up to another 80 heat pump units are being installed across the region with heavily subsidised rebates.

Under the project 44 of the hot water heat pump systems have already been installed.

The project is funded by the Victorian and Federal governments and will be completed by 30 May, 2023.

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Poll shows gap is closing



New polling of the electorate of Benambra indicates a tightening race between independent candidate Jacqui Hawkins and the Liberal incumbent, Bill Tilley.

The polling data, collected by market and social research outfit Redbridge, demonstrates Ms Hawkins' community focus and hundreds-strong volunteer support base is resonating with local voters, as the state counts down to the Victorian election on November 26.

Ms Hawkins said she was buoyed by the data, which not only showed strong support for her campaign on a two-party preferred basis but also identified that the community would be voting with its mind on healthcare.

"This poll says two things to me - one, that people have confidence in the power of an independent to achieve for community," Ms Hawkins said, "and two, that health is the primary priority in our electorate."



"It's a message I've also heard loudly and clearly in my time travelling around the electorate and I know that local people want to see immediate action and investment in a new single-site hospital for Albury Wodonga."

Ms Hawkins said the data also demonstrated that approval ratings for the Liberals were extremely low, indicating that it would likely remain in Opposition.

"We need to ask ourselves will having a representative sitting on the Opposition bench for another four years yield more favourable results than the past four years, when it comes to a new Albury Wodonga hospital?" Ms Hawkins queried.

"We can't risk another four years of inaction. The need for a new hospital was urgent in 2018, it's critical today and it continues to grow more dire with every passing day, as our population increases."

"Our health is far too important for us to vote for more of the same at this year's state election," she said.



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Obituary:- Sydney Keith Jephcott

Creative talent also left a skiing legacy

Keith was born in Corryong on 16th February, 1958 to Edwin and Lois Jephcott and twin to Graeme. Older brother Hume was born in February 1957 and twins Myrtle and Max were born in October 1959 making it five children under the age of three! Faith arrived in 1968.

Keith and Faith recently sat down to reminisce about their lives and Faith documented his memories.

Keith recalled growing up on the family farm at Welaregang.

Times were tough then and he recalled having one set of school clothes, another for church, one for home, one set of PJs and they were often Hume's hand-me-downs until he started to grow.

Keith remembered the times he got in trouble during those years. He knew to get away from the house before his father found a twitchy stick to exact punishment. On those occasions he remembered Dad calling out "You'll have to come home sometime!". If you came home too late you also missed out on dinner. It was always best to come home and face the music earlier on that basis.

One story Keith recalled was while we were still living on the farm. Many times our parents would be away working on the farm and the kids had to keep themselves out of trouble. He told me one story of them taking me for a ride on the back of a pushbike. I apparently fell off and hit my head. They thought I was dead. Fearing they would get in trouble I was thrown under the house. That hit might explain a few things now!

The family moved to live in Corryong in 1971. Keith remembered the lack of privacy during those years with all four brothers sharing a room in two-bunk beds. His

appreciation for music began at that time (to drown out the house noise perhaps?). I have fond memories of hearing The Eagles, Simon & Garfunkel and Cat Stevens playing loudly.

Keith at 13 was now in High School. He had grown into a tall, athletically built, handsome young man. He began to find his own identity.

While great at all sports he loved skiing. A teacher, Bob Cranage, saw something in Keith's natural ability and encouraged him to join the ski team. I remember one of Keith's virtues was that if you're going to do something do it right. I have memories of him training, going out roller skiing around the Upper Murray. He would be gone for hours. He was easily recognisable in his lycra – a fashionista well before his time! I remember him building his own workout equipment with a focus on cross country skiing.

I also recall walking to school with Keith and having to run to keep up. He slowed down for no-one! I still find myself taking longer strides to avoid pavement cracks like he instructed me (obviously to help keep up but I thought it was a great game at the time). As a little girl one of my favourite Little Golden Books was 'The Wait For Me Kitten'. I think because I was always asking Keith to "Wait for me!"

I also remember the time Keith took me to a ski competition with him – just the two of us. I was still in primary school. We left in the dark and travelled up the then unsealed Alpine Way for his race. I remember being left to play with other children in the snow while we waited for his return hours later. My reward for his win was sharing his warm Ribena (the one



and only time I tried that pleasure), a hollowed-out fresh bread roll filled with a whole banana (hmmm) and unlimited amounts of scroggin (a chocolate/nut/cranberry/lolly mix). Spending one-one-time with my childhood hero were some of the happiest periods of my childhood.

During his high school years Keith also discovered his natural gift for art. He could draw, paint with oils and watercolours, sculpt with clay and was an amazing photographer. He was always very modest about his creative abilities. Those who have been fortunate to either receive or view one of his creative works will understand how talented he was.

Keith moved to Melbourne to pursue study and there he met and married Ros Raynor in 1983. Together they had two sons, Caleb and Lucas. He became a stay-at-home Dad while Ros worked at her medical practice. Keith recalled many good times playing with his boys outdoors in Arthurs Creek.

Keith represented Australia at the World Cross Country Ski Championships in Austria in 1985 and was a founding member of the Australian Ski Federation's National

ski coaches. Keith was a legend of the snowsport industry and was recently acknowledged by the APSI Trainers Co-ordination for his life-time contribution to Nordic ski instructing.

While living at Arthurs Creek he joined the local Landcare and CFA. In 2009 Keith actively fought in the Black Saturday bushfires. This experience was very harrowing and changed Keith forever. He hauntingly recalled being deployed to find people who had perished and to report their location. Many had died from asphyxiation.

I remember him contacting me during the Black Summer bushfires of 2019/20 to warn me to evacuate as he feared for safety in the same way.

This trauma took a great toll on him mentally and physically and ultimately resulted in his marriage breakdown. Keith, like many other CFA members involved in this fire incident, was offered counselling services. These helped

him immensely to recover.

Keith was now a landscape gardener working closely with a local garden nursery.

This chain of events eventually led Keith to meeting Christine Harkin. Keith found the peace he was searching for. He fell headlong in love – not only with Christine but also with her two children, Mackenzie and Annabelle. I have never seen Keith so happy. He had fond memories of them travelling, learning life skills and raising miniature donkeys together as a family. (Two are currently enjoying life on our family farm.)

In 2012 David and I built our family home. I asked Keith to build our rockwork pillars. They were a labour of love for a number of reasons.

Firstly, they will always be a lasting legacy to me of my brother's love but possibly more importantly, it was a labour of love because he was away from Christine to do so. I remember taking

him cups of coffee and chatting while he worked. I actually had to stop taking him refreshments during the day as it only encouraged him to take a break and call Christine!

Keith and Christine married in February 2013. I was very honoured he asked me to be his witness for this special occasion. It was a day filled with much love and laughter. They brought their 'forever home' in Pantom Hill and shared much happiness within its walls – sharing their hospitality with many. Keith created a sanctuary there – he cherished this family unit who did so much for each other.

Christine, thank you for loving my brother so completely. I love you like a sister and am honoured to call you my friend.

Keith was my hero. May we cherish his memory always and his legacy live on in each of us.

Now I find myself still looking up to Keith.....

~ Faith Damm.



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Annual General Meeting

Friday November 11th, 2022
10am at CFA Rooms
Followed by lunch at Legends on Hansen
Payment to CNC



Federal Football Netball Club Annual General Meeting

Friday October 28, 2022 - 7pm
Corryong Events Centre

ALL SUPPORTERS ARE WELCOME & ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND TO SUPPORT THE CLUB FOR SEASON 2023

• Executive & general committee positions available by due process
Contact Lou/Tameeka (federalfnc@yahoo.com.au) for further information.

MEETINGS

Corryong Ladies Golf Club

Annual General Meeting

Monday October 31, 2022 - 1.30pm
Corryong Sporting Complex
Your attendance is requested

18TH BIRTHDAY



DYLAN WHEELER
October 28th, 2022
Happy 18th Birthday mate!
Have a great day.
Love Dad, Brodie, Sal, Jack, Shei and Marlie.

DEATHS

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David Mitchell (left) won the Open Challenge event.

Gathering celebrates high country heritage

It had been three years since the Mountain Cattlemen's Association of Victoria (MCAV) held its annual Get Together and what a return the event made.

More than 3000 people recently gathered at Merrijig with the muddy ground apparently no deterrent.

Part of the celebration was a focus on the 40th anniversary of the *Man From Snowy River* movie, with Tom Burlinson - aka 'The Man' himself - spending the weekend

hanging out with fans, signing autographs and taking a trip down memory lane.

Tom was joined by number of the original crack riders who also participated in the film including local stunt man and horse trainer Gerald Egan, movie producer Geoff Burrows and master horseman Charlie Lovick.

In officially opening the event, president of the MCAV, Bruce McCormack - also a Merrijig local who starred in the *Snowy River* movies - called on those present to support practical management of the High Country at the coming Victorian election.

"Support better High Country land management by voting for those candidates who will do something to improve the situation we now find ourselves in," he urged.

"Over the years governments have announced ever increasing areas of National Parks but there was no on-going funding to manage those parks.

"They gave in to the Greens and reduced burning programs and now we find ourselves with a High Country choked with feral weeds, feral deer and

native scrub that needs burning.

"This situation and build up - and what a build up there will be after this winter and spring - means that when the next bushfire comes, and come it will, it will burn hotter, brighter and out of control," he warned.

On the arena there was a host of new events for the horse riders as the cattlemen made a focus for 2022 on encouraging younger riders.

There were junior packhorse races, gymkhana novelties, obstacle courses, walking races, cattle work and much more.

The overall winner of the Driza-Bone Junior Challenge was Billy Phegan, with recently married couple Chloe Trompf and David Mitchell taking out the Ladies and the Open.

"It was a great weekend for the whole family," Mr McCormack said.

"The weather conditions were against us in the lead-up with mud axle-deep and rain forecast, but in the end the sun came out and it was a fantastic weekend."

The next MCAV Get Together will be held in Gippsland.

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Exams (5)
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An apparition (7)
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Nocturnal and wise bird (3)
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Ghost's scare (3)
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Dark figure cast on ground (6)
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Barbie's friend (3)
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Tennis court separator (3)
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Eaten (3)
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Type of fuel (3)
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Meadow (7)
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Moon (5)
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Crown (5)
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Magic drink (6)
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Grave (4)
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A ghost (5)
- 6

Hairdressers (5)
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Head covering (3)
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Spider's home (3)
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Santa's helper (3)
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Candy (6)
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Extremely bad (5)
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Encourage (3,2)
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WORDSTEP

DRESS

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CLOWN

Crown, Clown
Dress, Cross, Crows

SPOOKY CACKLES

Q: How can you tell if a vampire has a cold?

A: Because of the coffin!

Q: Which one of your pets should you scare on Halloween?

A: Scare-de-cat!

Q: What is a ghost's favourite dessert?

A: Boo-berry pie with ice scream!

WHICH WITCH IS WHICH?

1.

The Sanderson sisters appear in which Disney film series?

2.

Ariana Grande will play Glinda the Good Witch in which upcoming movie musical?

3.

In which US city were the witch trials in from 1692-1693?

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ANSWERS: 1. Hocus Focus 2. Wicked 3. Salem 4. Traffic safety cone 5. Polyjuice potion 6. Italy 7. Roald Dahl 8. The Worst Witch 9. Turkish Delight 10. A cauldron

WORDFIND

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SOLUTION

Have a bootiful Halloween

ODD ONE OUT

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SOLUTION

C - Nose is upside-down

RIDDLE

A zombie, a mummy, and a ghost bought a house. It has all of the usual rooms except for one. What room won't you find?

ANSWERS: A living room

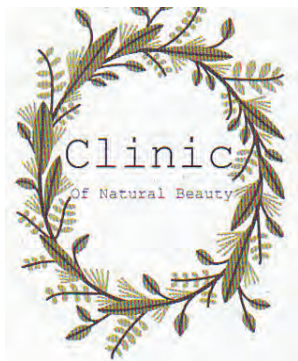
EIGHT AROUND

Can you work out what the missing letter is that spells an 8-letter word? It could read either clockwise or anti-clockwise.

ANSWERS: U (PUMPKINS)

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(High St., Wodonga)	

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Spring/Summer Hours
10am-4pm daily

Oct 28: am & pm R Waters,
Oct 29: am C Clark, pm S Ross

Oct 30: J Whitehead, pm
M Jarvis

Oct 31: am & pm S Briskey

Nov 1: am & pm S Briskey

Nov 2: am & pm L Tomalin

Nov 3: am D Yule, pm - help wanted

OP SHOP

Oct 28: am Hazra, pm Tully;

Oct 29: am Rochelle Sandilands & Rebecca Creswell;

Oct 31: am Di Brennan, pm Hazra;

Nov 1: Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday;

Nov 2: am Corryong College students, pm Chris Harrison & Jane Spilsbury;

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MEALS ON WHEELS

RED CROSS

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Corryong prepares for title defence

The Hills Zone 2022-23 Pennant Draw has been released with the first round scheduled for November 6th (see draw below).

There is no bye this season as Khancoban has re-entered the fold, making it an eight-team competition.

The season has been spread out from November until March, with breaks in between, to allow clubs to run home events.

Start times have also changed which means some early travel but this was done to avoid the hot weather when it arrives. Players should also note that there some rule changes have been implemented.

R1 6/11/22 @ Adelong
7.30: Adelong v Tumba
8.00: Batlow v Walwa
8.30: W/gang v Corryong
9.00: Holbrook v K/coban



Reigning pennant champion Corryong opens the season against Welaregang.



With The Bias



Last week there were 16 players at Wednesday social bowls and the winners were Norm Sheather and Peter Griffiths.

On Thursday there were only eight players but we had a good pairs competition, the winning combination being Catherine Ross and Cheryl E Smedley.

On Sunday the Mixed Pairs Championship was started, with a very good entry of 13 pairs.

Results
Rd 1:- T Fair/M Spurgeon def N Barlee/M Gleeson, C & D Smedley def J Towers/D McKimmie, S & C Ross def M Humphrey/M Jarvis, K McKimmie/J Spurgeon def Peter Mongan/W Hill,

C & C Smedley def N & I Clarke.

Rd2:- Noel Blake/Lesley Evans def Leif Kamba/ Chris Harrison, Cheryl & Doug def Tracey & Matthew, Stewart & Catherine def Ken & Janet, Peter Towers/Pat Sheather def Colin & Cheryl.

The semis and final will be played this Sunday, starting at 10.30am and the finals of the Men's Championship Pairs will be played on Saturday. Please check the time for that one.

Pennant news:- Weekend Pennant is having no luck with getting the comp underway. After the first round being cancelled, on Saturday our team went to Kiewa but it was washed out after six

ends.

On Tuesday, Corowa Civic were our Midweek Pennant visitors and with a pretty strong team defeated us by eight shots, although we did get points for two rink wins. We go to Beechworth this week.

Coming events:-
• Ladies meeting at 9am on Thursday 3rd November / Committee meeting at 7.30pm on Wednesday 9th / Ladies Club Pairs on Thursday November 10th / Men's Championship Singles on Sunday 20th November.

~ The Hammer

UM Tennis Draw
Week 4 - 29/10/22
Corryong v Cudgewa
Cud Nth v Khancoban
Biggara Bye

High Country Darts

Results R2 25/10/22

Koetong d Biggara 5-2,
Courthouse d Bottom Pub 4-3, BBB d Bottoms Up 5-2, Cudgewa d Possum Pointers 6-1, Bye - Walwa.

Ladder	P	%
Cudgy Chukas...	8	250.0
Courthouse.....	8	133.3
Koetong.....	4	133.3
Walwa.....	4	133.3
Biggara.....	4	100.0
BBB.....	4	100.0
P/Pointers.....	4	55.6
Bottoms Up.....	4	40.0
Bottom Pub.....	0	75.0

General Bye - 1/11/22

Draw: R3 8/11/22
P/Pointers v Bottoms Up
Bottom Pub v BBB
Walwa v Koetong
C/house v Cudgy Chukas
Bye - Biggara

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