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Police are investigating a crash that claimed the life of a child in the Lucyvale valley last Saturday.

A car crashed into the rear of a flatbed truck at the intersection of Lucyvale and Coulstons Roads at around 9.30am.

The hired truck was being driven by Albury-Wodonga business owner, David West, who was travelling to Lucyvale to

pick up a piece of farm machinery.

He was being followed by a 4WD vehicle driven by his father, Bob West, who had his grandson in the front passenger seat. When the truck braked suddenly in an attempt to make the turn onto Coulstons Road the vehicle following behind crashed into the rear of the truck.

The 10-year-old boy in the 4WD died at the

scene. The two drivers and a male passenger in the truck were not injured. The Lucyvale Road was closed to general traffic for most of Saturday.

Major Collision Unit detectives are investigating the incident in order to prepare a report for the coroner. Anyone with information about the crash should contact Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000.

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# Corryong outbreak contained      Firefighters tune up

There are still six local positive Covid cases from three different households listed following a spate of cases last week.

The total number of cases for the Towong Shire now stands at seven following a positive test for a person in Tallangatta.

In response to the public health needs of the

community during the current surge in cases, Albury Wodonga Health (AWH) has entered an arrangement with Ramsay Health Care to establish a Covid ward in the east wing of the Border Cancer Hospital.

The 10-bed ward will be run by AWH and is located on the top floor of

the hospital.

Border Cancer Hospital CEO, Sheryl Keir, assured the community that the safety and wellbeing of patients and health care workers at hospital remained the number one priority.

"This ward has been physically isolated from the remainder of the

hospital by airlocks and there will be no mixing of staff between the two areas," she said.

The agreement to use the hospital for this purpose follows a detailed assessment by engineering consultants of the heating, ventilation and air-conditioning systems throughout the facility.



Local firefighters got 'hands-on' at the training day.



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Local CFA units honed their skills in preparation for the upcoming fire season at a training day at Corryong on Sunday.

The district crews were required to test their equipment and competency under simulated fire ground conditions and a variety of scenarios as another dangerous fire season looms.

CFA Chief Officer, Jason Heffernan, has reminded Victorians that even an average fire season in this state can still be a bad one.

"Conditions through the last fire season were similar to what we're expecting this year and during those months we saw significant grass fires in the north and west of the state," he said.

"Once again, we've had plenty of winter rainfall and now as the grass and bush rapidly dry out, the warmer weather, increased yield and potential fuel will mean the fire potential is heightened.

"Any additional rainfall we do experience in spring will produce more growth, which could very easily

result in an even higher fuel load throughout the summer season if not properly managed."

Fire restrictions have already been declared in parts of North West Victoria, marking the official start of the 2021/22 fire season in Victoria.

Further Fire Danger Periods will be introduced across Victoria in the coming months in accordance with local conditions.

"While CFA and our partner agencies Fire Rescue Victoria and Forest Fire Management Victoria are doing everything we can to prepare for the bushfire season, we look to the community to use common sense and take responsibility for preventing fires," CO Heffernan added.

D18 Assistant Chief Fire Officer, Gavin Wright, said there is still an opportunity to clean up properties if that work hasn't already been done.

"If people are using fire to clean up around their properties, they should register these at the Fire Permits Website [firepermits.vic.gov.au](https://firepermits.vic.gov.au), or

by calling ESTA on 1800 668 511," he said.

"Out-of-control burn-offs and unregistered burn-offs have already caused unnecessary callouts to brigades.

"You should also check and monitor weather conditions and not burn off in windy conditions or if high winds are forecast – not only on the day of your burn but for the days afterwards.

"More information about burn-off restrictions specific to your area can be found by consulting your local council."

ACFO Wright said once the Fire Danger Period (FDP) comes into effect, CFA has a zero-tolerance approach to any fires caused by negligent behaviour.

"Expect any escaped or uncontrolled fire you start to be investigated by CFA and Victoria Police," he said.

Once a Fire Danger Period has been declared fires cannot be lit in the open air without a written permit - further information is available online at [firepermits.vic.gov.au](https://firepermits.vic.gov.au).

## Bus service comes under scrutiny

Investigations are continuing into an incident last week when a pre-school aged girl spent several hours alone on a Corryong school bus.

Transport Safety Australia suspended the accreditation of Corryong-based company

McNamara Buses and the Department of Transport has issued a 'show cause' notice as to why its operating agreement should not be terminated.

The child had been picked up in the morning but the driver, who was filling in on the route,

failed to notice that she did not make the transfer to another bus and returned to the depot.

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## Visitors welcomed back after fires

The Burrowa-Pine Mountain National Park will start to re-open tomorrow, almost two years on from being devastated during the 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires.

The bushfires burned 95 per cent of the park, destroyed almost all of the visitor facilities and left major safety issues in their wake, including unstable slopes and hazardous trees.

Located in the scenic Upper Murray, the National Park protects two picturesque mountains with very different micro-climates and vegetation and is home to a wide variety of native species. Popular with local people, the park received more than 10,000 visitors a year prior to closure.

"We are really pleased to re-open parts of the park to the public following the devastating impact of the bushfires as we know how special this place is for local people," said Ranger Team Leader, Scott Thomson.

"Alongside rebuilt visitor facilities we're also seeing life return to the park with many of the trees and plants the park is renowned for re-emerging including Black Cypress Pine, Phantom Wattle and Pine Mountain Grevillea."

Ahead of Melbourne

Cup Day, the road to the popular Cudgewa Bluff Falls will re-open, giving visitors the chance to see the waterfall strongly flowing thanks to winter and spring rains. Foot access below and around the falls will still be restricted until new steps can be installed.

Most of the vehicle tracks in the park will also be open and accessible from tomorrow, except for the Pine Mountain Track, where road reconstruction works are about to begin.

The re-opening will be

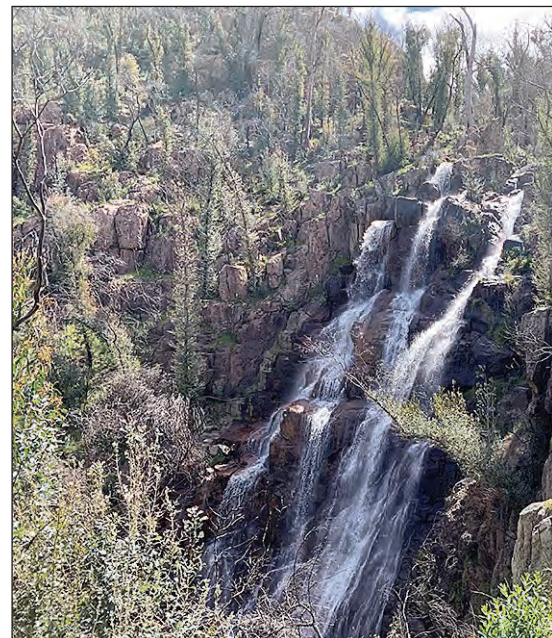
staged to ensure visitors can safely access more of the park as reconstruction work progresses. At this stage, the main visitor areas at Bluff Creek, Blue Gum camp and Hinces Creek will remain closed while burnt bollards, picnic tables and toilets are replaced ahead of the Christmas holidays.

Walking tracks remain closed for the time being while hazardous trees are made safe and destroyed infrastructure is replaced but some of the most popular walks including

Bluff Creek Nature Trail, the Lookouts Walking Track and Pine Mountain Trail are expected to re-open by Christmas.

While Parks Victoria has carried out extensive safety works to treat hazardous trees and other risks, visitors heading to Burrowa-Pine Mountain must remain vigilant, obey signage and stay out of closed areas.

For up to date information on closures and change of conditions refer to the website at [www.parks.vic.gov.au](http://www.parks.vic.gov.au).



The difference between the Bluff Falls post-fires (left) and today is stark.

## Plan comes up zero for regions

The Member for Indi, Helen Haines, has accused the Morrison government of having no economic plan for regional Australia following the announcement of its climate target plan on Monday.

"Regional Australians have every right to feel completely let down by the Coalition government," Dr Haines said.

"The economic opportunities for regional Australia from the growth of zero carbon industries are simply enormous.

"The government promised a detailed plan to capture that opportunity but the Prime Minister gave us no such plan in his

announcement.

"He seemingly announced nothing at all for the regions - zero new policies, zero new investments and zero new opportunities for regional Australia.

"They have had eight years in power to figure this out," Dr Haines said.

"Australia is lagging at the back of the pack when it comes to climate action and now we are not even at the starting line when it comes to investing in the renewable economy of the future.

"Farmers in Germany own 10 per cent of all renewable energy generation. The first loads of green steel have already

rolled off production lines in factories in Sweden.

"This could be happening here too.

"However, these opportunities are sailing right by us because the government seems incapable of offering up a detailed economic plan for the regions," Dr Haines said.

"There is no plan to make sure regional Australians see the benefits of the renewable energy boom.

"There is no plan to help the timber mills in my electorate transition off gas to renewables.

"There is no plan to guarantee the energy security of bushfire-prone

towns with community batteries.

"The National Party has struck a secret deal with the Liberals over this issue and yet they have apparently nothing to say for the regional communities they claim to represent.

"I expected so much more from the government today and like many people across regional Australia I have been left underwhelmed and disappointed.

"As the member for Indi, I will keep fighting for regional Australia to benefit from action on climate change, even if the government will not," Dr Haines said.

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## Hikers meet the challenge



Julie Hickox with her three daughters (from left) Naomi, Rebekah and Kirsty.

The daughters of Julie Hickox are ensuring that the memory of their late mother and her stoic battle with a disease that eventually claimed her life, will not be dimmed.

Julie passed away in 2018 at the age of 54 from Machado-Joseph Disease and her daughters Kirsty, Rebekah and Naomi continue to raise awareness of MJD and people with disabilities through The Ten Summits Challenge Memorial Hike.

The disease worsens over time and is characterised by slowly progressive clumsiness in the arms and legs, a staggering lurching gait that can be mistaken for drunkenness, a lack of muscle control and difficulty with

speech and swallowing. Sufferers progress to being wheelchair bound, unable to do the simple activities of daily living and eventually needing full time care.

"My family lived the challenges of what it is like to progress through the stages of MJD and the impact having a disability has on the way you live," Rebekah said.

"We want to keep raising awareness in Mum's memory as well as raise funds for the MJD Foundation for research into a cure.

"MJD is a hereditary condition and my younger sister and myself have had genetic testing and both have the gene."

The Ten Summits Challenge (TSC) is a hike

up the ten highest summits of Australia over four days. The combined height of all ten peaks is 21,788 metres.

Hikers won't actually ascend that height but will cover about 67kms in total. On the biggest day they will summit four of the peaks.

"If you are in need of an adventure holiday after lockdown why not be a part of the Ten Summits Challenge for 2022?" Rebekah said. We need to meet the minimum number of 10 hikers, so if you like the outdoors, hiking and want to see an amazing part of Australia let us know." Whether you're interested in participating or want more information visit [www.tensummitschallenge.com](http://www.tensummitschallenge.com).

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or scan the QR code provided to start the survey.

*Paper based surveys are available at the Corryong Hub.*

*Survey closes 21 November 2021*

This consultation is being run by  
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Community Recovery Committee's with  
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# Public spaces will be cleaned up next

Snowy Valleys Council (SVC) has welcomed the announcement of just over \$8 million in government bushfire recovery funding to continue bushfire clean up works.

The NSW government has committed more than \$33 million to assist local councils with the continued clean up as communities rebuild following the devastating 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires.

The council will receive \$7,484,023 for green waste recovery and \$600,000 for fencing recycling.

Council CEO, Matthew Hyde, said the \$7.4 million will allow council to implement clean-up and removal of green waste in public areas such as Paddy's River Falls, the Hume and Hovell Track, Reedy Creek and Weemala lookout and walking track in Batlow,

"We have been liaising closely with community groups who are understandably keen to see these impacted public spaces and walking tracks receive much needed clean



**New funding will allow for the cleanup of Paddy's River Falls.**

up and repatriation," Mr Hyde said.

"Council has already removed and chipped more than 8,000 loads of fire impacted debris and timber from road corridors across the Snowy Valleys

and this funding will now allow us to continue the green waste clean-up process in highly valued community public spaces."

The government's FenceCycle Program helps the bushfire recovery process by removing burnt fencing waste from private land and enabling land to be returned to productive uses. In the Snowy Valleys it is estimated that 2,500kms of fencing was impacted by the fires

including 852kms of boundary fencing.

"The \$600,000 from the FenceCycle program will be used to continue the collection and recycling of the metal components of burnt rural fencing materials that we successfully piloted in Jingellic and Tooma," said Mr Hyde.

"This is an important environmental issue that aims to deal with fencing debris through recycling and reuse rather than

harmful and illegal burial or landfilling."

The government funding programs were designed to address ongoing waste and recycling challenges faced by fire-impacted councils and other public land managers and extend support to account for major interruptions from subsequent flood impacts and Covid delays.

Council clean-up works are slated to get underway later this year.

## Draft Domestic Animal Management Plan 2021-2025



**Now on public exhibition for community feedback**

**We have developed a draft Domestic Animal Management Plan 2021-2025 which is now on public exhibition for community feedback.**

The plan outlines our approach to managing dogs and cats across the Shire. Our role includes promoting responsible pet ownership and enforcing relevant legislation, while balancing the needs of pet owners with safety and amenity for the whole community.

The plan is available to view on our website at [towong.vic.gov.au](http://towong.vic.gov.au) or contact our Customer Service Team on 1300 365 222 or [info@towong.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@towong.vic.gov.au).

### How to make a submission

Submissions must be received in writing addressed to the Chief Executive Officer by emailing [info@towong.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@towong.vic.gov.au) or mailing to PO Box 55, Tallangatta VIC 3700.

Submissions close 5pm Friday 19 November 2021.

All submissions will be formally considered by Council and the plan will be presented for adoption at the November Council Meeting.

For more information visit  
[towong.vic.gov.au](http://towong.vic.gov.au)

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## Grants will boost local growth

The Liberal and Nationals government is providing a further \$150,000 in funding for small-scale upgrades and new equipment for community groups in North East Victoria.

Expressions of interest are now open for Round 7 of the Stronger Communities Program, giving local governing bodies and community groups an opportunity to nominate projects for grants of up to \$20,000.

Nationals Senate Leader and Senator for Victoria, Bridget McKenzie, said more

funding for the electorate of Indi would deliver the infrastructure and equipment communities need to be successful and grow.

"This latest funding injection will support up to 20 projects across our communities, supporting jobs and delivering an economic boost to drive our recovery on the other side of the Covid-19 pandemic," Senator McKenzie said.

"This type of investment brings people together by strengthening social connections, building community

participation and delivering a brighter and more vibrant future for communities.

"I strongly encourage interested organisations to contact my office regarding projects important to them and our community. Grants from \$2,500 up to \$20,000 are available to cover up to 100 per cent of eligible project costs or up to 50 per cent of eligible project costs for local governing bodies."

More information is available at [business.gov.au/scp](http://business.gov.au/scp).

## Corryong Neighbourhood Centre

**Garden Getabout** – Cancelled due to covid-19 restrictions.  
Looking forward to the Getabout being bigger & better in 2022.

**Chemical Safety Course** – For farmers/farming family members – 8am-4pm on Thursday 2nd of December - \$50 @ Corryong Memorial Hall – Call Tim on 0490 936 590 to book.

**Basic Computer Skills Course** – For farmers/farming family members – 4.30pm on Wednesday 27th of Nov OR 9am Thursday 18th Nov - \$50 - @ Recovery Hub - Book with CNC

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# Creating safer networks boosts bushfire safety

The Victorian government is reducing the risk of bushfires and fostering energy resilience in regional communities with nation-leading powerline and microgrid initiatives.

Minister for Energy, Environment and Climate Change Lily D'Ambrosio has announced that residents of an additional 13 local government areas with high bushfire risk can now apply to have their private powerlines located underground through the Private Overhead Electric Line scheme.

Eligible locations now include the Towong, Alpine, Baw Baw, Benalla, East Gippsland, Indigo, Mansfield, Murrindindi, Strathbogie, Wangaratta, Wellington, Wodonga and Yarra Ranges LGAs.

Replacing private overhead powerlines is well advanced across Victoria. To date, 736 kilometres of overhead powerlines have been replaced in high-risk bushfire areas through the government's \$5 million scheme.

"Community safety is our top priority which is why we are continuing to invest in new technologies to help keep Victorians safe and connected to resilient, secure and increasingly green energy



Replacing overhead powerlines can improve fire safety.

infrastructure," Ms D'Ambrosio said.

"We're putting people first by ramping up the Private Overhead Electric Line scheme to underground private powerlines, and encouraging all eligible Victorians to apply for this nation-leading project."

"We're building energy resilience and safety as we face the impact of climate change and see hotter summers with longer bushfire seasons."

The scheme is open for any partially or fully bare-wire private powerlines,

or any insulated private powerlines subject to a current urgent or significant defect notice.

Consultation was also launched on the Community Microgrids and Sustainable Energy Program with communities in three East Gippsland towns invited to have their say on how energy-resilient microgrids could operate in their region.

Following the 2019-20 bushfires around Corryong, Mallacoota and Omeo for more than a month from the state's grid.

Network resilience

projects incorporating solar, battery, hot water heat pumps and/or smart energy management devices help communities stay safe during bushfire emergencies if powerlines are affected.

Communities and affected stakeholders in and around bushfire affected areas can submit expressions of interest for subsidised energy systems in their homes, businesses, and essential service sites.

More information can be found at [engage.vic.gov.au/community-microgrids](http://engage.vic.gov.au/community-microgrids).

## Cemetery recovery work continues

After being burnt in the 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires the Cudgewa Cemetery is getting a facelift.

"The Cemetery Trust is very grateful to Border Trust which has donated two sheltered seats. The generous donation will be enjoyed by many visitors who come to the cemetery to visit their loved ones.

Trust members Linton Vogel, Colin Low and Faye Land recently met Michael Salter and Glenys Atkins from Border Trust and Tony Irwin, Cudgewa Area Recovery Officer (who arranged for the funding), to inspect the seating.



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# KIDS' SPOOKTACULAR PUZZLES



## KNOCK! KNOCK!

Who's there?  
**Ivana?**  
Ivana who?  
**Ivana suck your blood!**

### CREATURE WORD FIND

Can you find all of the mythical creatures listed below?  
The leftover letters will spell out a spooky message.

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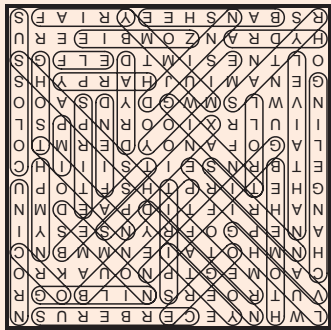
SPRITE

TITAN


TROLL

UNICORN

ANSWERS:



Secret message: We make most of our own monsters



## GHOULISH JOKES

**Q:** What is a ghost's favourite meal?  
**A:** Spook-ghetti

**Q:** What kind of monster is the best dancer?  
**A:** The boogiemon

**Q:** How do monsters like their eggs?  
**A:** Terror-fried

## CORGI COLOUR



## TRICK OR TREAT


Can you help Vlad find his way home?  
How many lollies can you collect along the way?

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## BUBBLE CAULDRON

How many words of three or more letters can you make from these five letters? Plurals are allowed, and each letter can only be used once. There is at least one five-letter word.

GOALS: 5 words: **Good**, 7 words: **Very good**, 9 words: **Excellent**



ANSWERS: clown, col, con, cow, cowl, low, owl, own, won



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Mount Alfred.....	9.00am
Granya.....	9.30am

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Snow White Depot.....	10.15am
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Wodonga Post Office.....	10.30am
(High St., Wodonga)	

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Snow White Depot.....	2.00pm
(6021 4368)	

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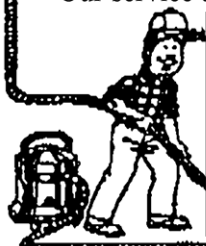
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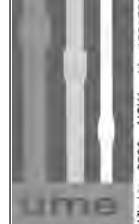
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# Upper Murray Sport



## New green takes shape

The work on the new synthetic rink at the Corryong Bowls Club is progressing well and is expected to be ready for play in November.

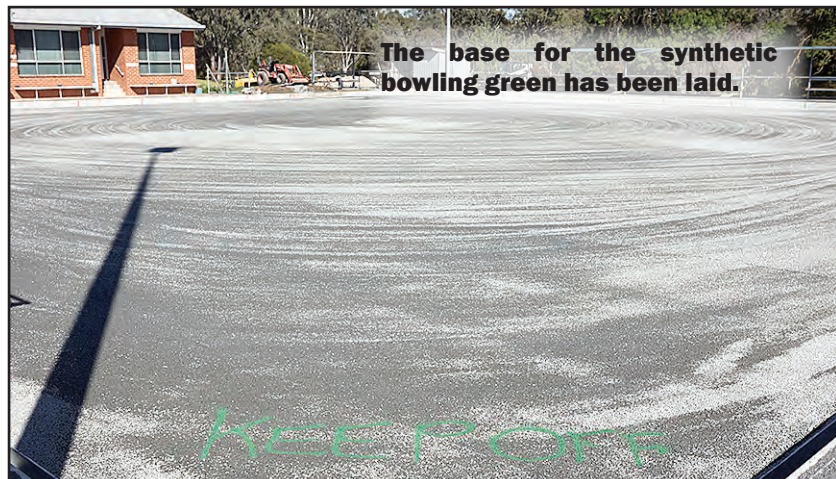
The pennant start dates has been put back a week - the weekend team will be going to Tawonga on November 13th and the midweek team is away to Mulwala on Tuesday 16th. This game may be played at Wodonga.

Note: All pennant

players must be double vaccinated under Public Health Directions.

There are still some subs due and with pennant approaching it's important players are financial. It's also important to get some practice in, so we expect to see you rolling!

The next meeting is due to be on Wednesday November 10th (but may be brought forward to the 3rd).



The base for the synthetic bowling green has been laid.

## ANZ TENNIS HOT SHOTS

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### FRIDAY NIGHT COMMUNITY PLAY

Friday 29 October  
5pm - 7pm  
Corryong Tennis Club

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The day will include a free introduction to Hot Shots training session for parents and volunteers in learning the fundamentals of Hot Shots.



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Hot Shots training

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Prizes

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## Court makeover commences

Following the receipt of a Victorian government Local Economic Recovery Grant by the Corryong Tennis Club, work has begun on the refurbishment of four derelict courts.

The upgraded facility will become a central tennis hub which will be home to the Upper Murray Tennis Association, allowing it to hold more Saturday competitions as well as the finals series.

The upgrade will also enable an expanded junior competition to be conducted on a Saturday morning, giving local youth the opportunity to engage in a social activity and include family involvement at a sports club level.



Work has begun on an upgrade of the Corryong tennis courts.

## Tee to Green



### Welaregang

Ken Lebner continued his good form on Sunday, albeit too late to win any of the major trophies, with a narrow victory in the last 18 hole competition of the season. Ken's 38 points was enough to get him over the line in front

of Lance Noonan with 37. These two were well clear of the field with the next best being Tony Jarvis (best out 9) and Rob Cox (best in 9) on 32 points.

Lance Noonan needed to play well against Tony Jarvis in the final of the McGrath Cup matchplay

which he did, avenging last year's loss on the 20th hole with a 3/2 win.

This Sunday players will enjoy the well manicured course at the earlier time of 9am, with the first round of the keenly contested 9 @ 9 competition. Visitors

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The Welaregang Tournament is still scheduled for December 5th, pending Covid restrictions.

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