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## Twilight highlight

The popular Upper Murray Farmers' Markets in Corryong have resumed and the second in the series of 10 events will be held tomorrow evening in the Attree Centre from 4pm to 7pm.

From humble beginnings the seasonal market has grown into a successful regional event over the past 11 years.

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**Pictured:** Shelley Neale will have her range of spice blends and barbecue rubs, which pay homage to localities within the Snowy Valleys and Upper Murray areas, for sale at the market.



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## Health services need help

Federal Member for Indi, Helen Haines, has called on the Prime Minister to ensure the regional health system is ready for the next phase of the Covid-19 pandemic by increasing funding and staff.

"As the vaccination rate increases across the country and lockdown restrictions ease, health services in the regions are preparing for something many of them have never dealt with before," Dr

Haines said.

"Significant work is already under way across Indi, with health services working through outbreak scenarios, putting processes in place, working out contingencies and understanding what resources are available and what is needed.

"While I have enormous confidence in the work of our local health services and that they have extremely competent staff, I am concerned that they

are fatigued.

"We need to know about targeted longer term plans for our rural health services," Dr Haines said.

"I don't want to hear from the federal government that this isn't their problem. It was appalling when the Deputy Prime Minister, Barnaby Joyce, brushed off questions about the regional response to Covid-19 by saying 'We don't own a hospital'," Dr Haines added.

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# Health services came to the fore

During the 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires the health facilities in Corryong and Walwa provided vital care for their communities and they are still dealing with the aftermath of the disaster.

Community leaders detailed the effects of the bushfires to a senate inquiry last week and warned that the region

is no less prepared for a similar event this fire season.

The CEO of Corryong Health, Dominic Sandilands, told the inquiry that there was growing concern in the community that more work had not been done on fire preparedness.

"There is widespread frustration that the emergency management planning hasn't taken into

account the improvements and changes that should have happened straight after the fires.

He said it appeared that state government changes to the management plan took the emphasis off councils and placed it onto a group of community representatives.

Towong Shire mayor, Cr David Wortmann, said that council was acutely aware of the requirements on it during a disaster.

"If we have another fire season like 2019-20

we are certainly more aware of what would be required but there are still concerns about the level of resources and systems and structure to support the delivery of council requirements."

Sandi Grieve, Walwa Bush Nursing Centre CEO, told the inquiry that when she contacted the Incident Control Centre 24 hours after the initial fire came through the district, she was told that help would not be forthcoming for people who had

ignored the order to leave.

She was able to crank up the generator at the centre when power and communications were cut and residents who had been unable to evacuate gravitated to its relative safety.

"I think future disaster planning needs to take into account that, particularly in these remote areas, obeying an order to evacuate is not just as simple as packing up and leaving," she said.

## Council's draft Municipal Health and Wellbeing Plan 2021-2025



In partnership with the Towong Alliance members, Council has developed a draft Municipal Health and Wellbeing Plan.

The plan is designed to drive improved population health and wellbeing outcomes. It will be part of a wider prevention system that includes embedded health and wellbeing objectives undertaken throughout the municipality.

The plan is available to view on our website at [towong.vic.gov.au](http://towong.vic.gov.au), or you can request a copy by contacting our Customer Service Team on 1300 365 222 or [info@towong.vic.gov.au](mailto:info@towong.vic.gov.au).

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Submissions close 5pm Sunday 24 October.

All submissions will be formally considered and the plan will be put forward for adoption at the October Council Meeting.

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## Check out new faces at market

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Over time there have been a number of regular stall holders but the range of produce and goods has expanded to cater for many tastes and is a reflection of our changing lifestyle over the years.

As with any successful group, new faces and ideas are necessary for sustained growth and success and there are a number of new faces on the Farmers' Market committee.

The executive comprises Shelley Neale (founder of The Khancoban Kitchen), Matt Gledhill (Mountainbee Honey) and market stalwarts Tom and Thea Newton (inaugural stall holders).

Over the past decade the marketeers have contributed to many community projects such as improvements to the playground equipment at

the Attree Centre and has also donated to many other local charities.

"We also offer local community groups the opportunity to run the market barbecue as a fundraiser for their organisation," Shelley said.

"Tomorrow's barbie will be managed by the 1st Corryong Scout Group.

"We will also have representatives from local emergency services at the market to talk about their operations and to answer any questions the public may have.

"There will be activities for the kids including face painting plus the usual stall holders and some new ones," Shelley added.

### Stall holders:-

- The Khancoban Kitchen
- Mountainbee Honey
- Corryong Country Candles

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### Market Dates:-

2021: November 13; December 11  
2022: January 8; February 12; March 12; April 6; April 16; May 7.

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# Fire and floods take their toll

A Thowgla couple whose land has been flooded 15 times since the 2019-20 Black Summer bushfires are reaching the end of their tether, as authorities search for a way to help them.

Joe and Margaret Elias have spent more than \$80,000 of their own money in cleanup and recovery works over the past 18 months including preventing damage to the Thowgla Road and neighbouring properties.

However, it appears that currently they are ineligible for any government support or recompense for their efforts.

Their experiences prompted Member for Benambra, Bill Tilley, to put their case before the Victorian Parliament on Tuesday.

"I want to remind this House of the 2019/20 bushfires as I continue to hear stories of people falling through the cracks, perhaps even forgotten," Mr Tilley told the Legislative Assembly.

"Up and around

Corryong there are concerns around mental health, fire preparedness, building approvals and closing in on two years after the event – the recovery itself.

"I highlight the plight of Joe and Margaret Elias from the Thowgla Valley as but one example.

"The Crown Land behind their farm was scorched back in January 2020, the heat of the fire leaving little or no chance of plants and trees regenerating.

"Now with nothing to hold it together, the silt and debris from that Crown Land is washed down in torrents through the Gingalaira Gully Creek after any significant rain event.

"On the first weekend of September Mr Elias's rain gauge topped out at 95mm and the farm was inundated again. It was the 15th time that this has happened since the fires.

"The Eliases have put in their own silt traps to mitigate the damage. They say, left unchecked the silt, debris and water

would destroy about one kilometre of the Thowgla Road and flood their neighbours.

"While the silt traps reduce the damage, they also need to be pulled out and replaced after each event," Mr Tilley explained.

"Mr Elias buys the silt traps, uses his own excavator to clean the creek and property and hires a dump truck contractor to put it into his paddock.

"He says factoring in his time it costs about \$5500 each time which is more than \$80,000 so far.

"He says Department of Environment, Land, Water & Planning (DELWP), North East Catchment Management Authority and Bushfire Recovery Victoria representatives are sympathetic but 'need a box to tick' to get him help.

"I know this collective



**Landholders face increased flooding since the Black Summer bushfires.**

re-visited Joe and Margaret last week and thank the Minister for Emergency Services in the other place for her support in this matter.

"We must continue to find ways to help and use the money allocated to the recovery wisely, productively and purposefully.

"The Upper Murray and other bushfire victims can't be forgotten."

Mr Elias said the fires destroyed the landscape behind his property and

when there were heavy rain episodes there was nothing to stop the water from cascading through his property.

"If we don't do something when it rains heavily the Thowgla Road would be cut which would cost the government money to repair," he said.

"It would also flood some of our neighbours' properties.

"It has been very costly for us and at the moment we just feel like giving up."

## Regional areas should be unshackled from the city

The time has come to guarantee a positive way forward for regional Victorian communities that have been crippled by 18 months of uncertainty and lockdown, according to Leader of The Nationals and Shadow Minister for Regional Victoria, Peter Walsh.

"As of last Friday, vaccination rates in regional Victoria already far exceeded those in Melbourne, with 55.64 per cent of the community now fully vaccinated compared to 47.2 per cent in metropolitan Melbourne," he said.

In Towong Shire 83.5 per cent of residents have had their first dose and 53.6 per cent are fully vaccinated.

Mr Walsh is calling for a guarantee that regional Victoria's future won't be tied to Melbourne.

"Daniel Andrews

promised the way out of this was tied to vaccination rates but now he's walking that back as cases skyrocket in the city.

"Either Labor's roadmap is tied to vaccination rates or it's tied to low case numbers - Daniel Andrews can't have it both ways.

"We can't keep living like this. Victorians need certainty. We deserve hope and a guarantee that we'll get our lives back when vaccination rates reach the thresholds set out in the National Plan - even if that is before metropolitan Melbourne.

Regional hospitality in LGAs that aren't in lockdown should immediately be able to safely re-open in line with density limits of one person per four square metres, as has been implemented successfully in the past," Mr Walsh added.

"While still a long way from full capacity, it would allow venues that are licenced to seat hundreds of patrons to welcome a viable number of diners. It'll also get more local people back to work."

Mr Walsh also said that according to current projections, regional Victorians will be held back from further easing of restrictions for weeks due to lower vaccination rates in metropolitan Melbourne.

"Common sense changes, like rolling out rapid testing, will make a world of difference to regional Victorians crippled from 18 months of lockdown," he said.

"Regional Victorians shouldn't have to suffer more pain, just treading water waiting for the inner city to catch up weeks after we've exceeded our benchmarks."

## Council's draft Financial Plan 2021-2031



**Now on public exhibition  
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**Council has developed a draft Financial Plan and wants your feedback.**

The plan describes how resources will be invested within the municipality to support the delivery of our *Council Plan 2021-2025* and *Community Vision 2031*.

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# Nominate local heroes for award

Do you know someone who is working hard to support your local community? Is there someone you know who is making a difference to the lives of people around them? Is there someone who inspires you?

Now is the time to recognise them.

Towong Shire Council, in partnership with local community groups, has advised that nominations are now open for the 2022 Australia Day Community Awards.

Awards will be given for Citizen of the Year and Young Citizen of the Year at ceremonies held on January 26, 2022 in Corryong, Bellbridge, Eskdale, Walwa and



Who will join 2021 co-winners, Fay Whitehead and Carol Allen, on Corryong's list of Citizens of the Year?

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Nomination forms are available online at towong.vic.gov.au/australia-day or call into the Corryong or Tallangatta Council

Offices for a hard copy.

Don't forget to put your nomination in as soon as possible as submissions close at 5pm on Sunday October 31, 2021.

# Plan outlines future investment

Towong Shire Council has developed a draft Financial Plan 2021-2031 which is now on public exhibition for community feedback.

The plan describes how resources will be invested within the municipality to support the delivery of the Council Plan 2021-2025 and Community Vision 2031 and has been developed in accordance with the requirements of the Local Government Act 2020.

Towong mayor, Cr David Wortmann, encouraged all residents to share their views on the draft plan. "The plan is an important financial document for council," he said.

"My fellow councillors and I invite you to take a look at the draft plan and provide your feedback. All input will be considered before the plan is finalised and formally adopted."

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# Festival goers will need a jab

Organisers of the popular food and music showcase TumbaFest have announced that next year's event will proceed under a 'no vax, no entry' policy.

The TumbaFest committee has confirmed its intention to protect "the health and safety of the Tumbarumba community" by refusing entry to unvaccinated patrons.

TumbaFest committee president, Andrew Rae, said that providing a safe environment for all in attendance was of the "utmost importance".

"We have taken the decision to include the no vaccination no entry policy in consideration of fans, performers, suppliers, volunteers, businesses, market stall

holders, our committee and community," Mr Rae said.

The decision to adopt a 'no vax, no entry' policy has divided followers of the TumbaFest Facebook page, with some describing it as a form of discrimination.

However, there was also support for the committee's move, with

concerns about the health care available.

"Do people realise that if an outbreak occurs in places like Tumbarumba there are inadequate facilities to cope," Mr Rae explained. It's not being divisive, it's being sensible and caring about our community should the worst happens," one supporter said.



Tumbafest organisers are lining up their ducks for the next event.

## Australia Day Community Awards 2021

**Nominations are now open for the 2022 Australia Day Community Awards**

Award ceremonies are hosted by a local community group and will take place in Corryong, Bellbridge, Mitta Valley, Walwa and Tallangatta on 26 January 2022.

### Award Categories

**Citizen of the Year**

**Young Citizen of the Year**

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## Council spend boosted by disaster dollars

The Snowy Valleys Council (SVC) had an increase of nearly \$14M in additional income in its 2020-21 budget including \$2M for commercial works income and \$9.4M in disaster recovery funding.

The 2020-2021 Financial Statements will be presented at SVC's Extraordinary Meeting today, detailing a year of increased income and expenditure as council delivered an unprecedented capital works program and grant funded disaster recovery works.

The Financial Statements show \$76.7M in income including grants and other contributions, and \$69.9M in expenses resulting in a surplus of \$6.8M.

When excluding funding received for capital grants, council recorded a deficit of \$4.9M.

"The deficit, after excluding capital grant funding, demonstrates council continues to secure and utilise grant and external funding for use on capital renewal projects, instead of self-funding this activity," said SVC CEO, Matthew Hyde.

"The aim of council's

Financial Sustainability Plan and current discussions with the community about service delivery is to continue to implement a solid financial management framework to reduce the deficit and Council's reliance on external funding, while ensuring our infrastructure remains in good condition and the appropriate services are delivered to the community," he said.

"There is still work to do, however the improvement of \$576,000 against our original budgeted deficit signals the organisation's commitment to achieving efficiencies."

Council's original budget was adopted in July 2020 forecasting the known operational expenses, works and income for the 2020-2021 financial year, with Mayor James Hayes stating in the Operational Plan "We will continue to identify and assess new opportunities and challenges presented by this unique environment - bushfire recovery and pandemic. This may result in changes having to be made to published goals and impacts to our budget position."

Through the Quarterly Budget Review Process,

council reviewed and adjusted the original budget in order to manage the variations as a result of the significant external funding channelled into the Snowy Valleys during the course of 2020-2021 as a result of federal and state economic stimulus.

"During 2020-2021 nearly \$14M in additional income was accounted for as part of the review process, including \$2M for commercial works and \$9.4M in disaster recovery funding," Mr Hyde said.

"This resulted in an increase of \$11M in expenditure as council worked to deliver the projects associated with that income including clearing more than 350km of bushfire impacted roads, in addition to business-as-usual operations.

"The increase from the adopted budget position to the actual budget results is not a reflection of poor budgeting or overspend - it reflects council's agility to respond to changing circumstances and maximise opportunities in acquiring significant funding for works and services needed for the Snowy Valleys community that was immediately delivered."

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# Corryong happenings



Judy Jeffcott and Kira and Tracey Deehan were among a group of volunteers at a working bee at the Playle's Hill precinct on Sunday, as part of the redevelopment of the site.



The transformation of the RSL Hall carpark has been completed using local businesses wherever possible including Hillier Contracting and Harry's Concreting.



## UM Sport (Cont.)

### Sport support helps kids play

More vouchers to help pay for sporting equipment, uniforms and memberships are on offer for young Victorians to lap up more activity this summer as lockdown restrictions are expected to ease.

Minister for Community Sport, Ros Spence, has announced applications for the third round of the \$21 million Get Active Kids Voucher Program are now open.

For the first time kids under four will be eligible, providing an opportunity to enrol toddlers in a range of activities including life-saving 'learn to swim' classes.

"Community sport should be a part of every child's life regardless of their circumstances and this will help make it more affordable and accessible," Minister Spence said.

"By removing financial barriers, even more kids can join their friends at local pools and playing the sports they love."

Recipients in previous rounds are also eligible meaning young Victorians can continue playing sports like basketball throughout the year or switch seasonal sports from football to cricket.

With almost 23,000 vouchers snapped up the program has helped 31 per

cent of voucher recipients join a local sports club for the first time.

"Importantly, 43 per cent of voucher recipients to date have indicated they would not have been able to participate in their chosen sport or activity without this financial support provided by the Victorian government," the Minister said.

To be eligible, kids need to be aged 0-18, a Victorian resident, named on a valid Commonwealth

Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card and named on a valid Medicare Card at the time of application.

Eligible expenditure dates (for membership, uniform and equipment costs) in round three are from 1 January, 2021 - 30 November, 2021.

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## Have your say on the future of sport and recreation in Towong Shire



Cudgewa Tennis Courts

### Council is developing a Sport and Recreation Strategy and wants your feedback.

The strategy will guide Council's decision making on the development and maintenance of sport, recreation and physical activity infrastructure and initiatives over the next 10 years.

We want to hear from our community to understand what sport and recreation activities are important, and how our facilities could be improved.

#### Have your say

- **Complete an online survey:** [surveymonkey.com/r/Towongsport](https://surveymonkey.com/r/Towongsport)
- **Pick up a hard copy survey:** drop into the Corryong or Tallangatta Council Offices and Libraries
- **Attend a pop-up session:** Visit Corryong IGA on Friday 15 October from 11am - 1pm or Tallangatta IGA on Saturday 16 October from 10am - 12pm

Survey closes 5pm Sunday 24 October.



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



Are you thinking of nominating as a candidate in the upcoming Local Government elections?

## Online Candidate Information Session

- Saturday 16 October – 9:00am to 12:00noon

Presented by LGNSW facilitator, Maire Sheehan

Learn more about the role, purpose, responsibilities and expectations of being a councillor, and the electoral process of local government by attending this free online information session.

RSVP: [www.svc.nsw.gov.au/elections](http://www.svc.nsw.gov.au/elections)



P: 1300 ASK SVC | E: [info@svc.nsw.gov.au](mailto:info@svc.nsw.gov.au)

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## Hard and Green Waste Collection

Don't forget the Hard and Green Waste Collections in October. A small number of appointment times are still available.

View the program at  
towong.vic.gov.au.

Call Council on 1300 365 222 to book an appointment.

## CHIROPRACTOR IN CORRYONG

**Dr Rowan Daniel**

**Visiting weekly  
on Fridays  
9.30am-5.30pm**

**Next appointments:  
October 15th, 2021**

81B Hanson St., Corryong  
Ph: 6056 2185

## Ken Bailey Mechanical Repairs

46 Donaldson St  
Corryong  
Ph: 6076 1119

**Do you have  
a drinking  
problem?  
Alcoholics**

Anonymous can help.

Corryong Serenity Group meets every Tuesday 7.30-9.00pm at All Saints Anglican Church Hall (behind church), 145 Hanson Street, Corryong. For details call Paul 0498 155 522 or Ivor 0439 360 060

## CORRYONG TAXI SERVICE

Servicing  
Corryong  
& District  
**0418 697 807**

## MEETINGS

**The Man  
from Snowy  
River Tourist  
Association  
Annual General  
Meeting**

Thursday October 14,  
2021

Corryong Council  
Meeting Room - 2pm  
Contact the Secretary  
(PO Box 168, Corryong  
3707) or uppermurray  
tourism3707@gmail.  
com for a nomination  
form.

*RSVP essential for  
Covid regulations.*

**Thowgla Hall  
Annual General  
Meeting  
Monday October 18,  
2021**

6:30pm - 7:30pm  
At the Thowgla Hall  
*All welcome to attend*  
• Agenda items and  
RSVP to thowglahall@  
gmail.com

## MEETINGS

**Corryong  
Community Youth  
Club Hall  
Annual General  
Meeting**

Wednesday October  
20, 2021

Youth Club Hall -  
5.30pm  
*All welcome*

**Towong Turf  
Club Inc.  
Annual General  
Meeting**

Sunday 24 October  
24, 2021

Towong Racecourse  
at 1pm

(Meeting preceded by a  
working bee commencing  
at 9.30am followed by a  
BBQ lunch)  
*All welcome*

**Corryong Ladies  
Golf Club  
Annual General  
Meeting  
Monday October 25,  
2021**

Corryong Sporting  
Complex - 1pm  
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## CONTRACTING

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### Expressions of Interest Corryong Business

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All reasonable offers considered.

Enquiries: Ruby (02) 6076 1343 or Megan Nankervis 0422 810 378.

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Previous housekeeping experience desirable but not essential. Training will be provided. Approximately 10-20 hours per week.

The successful applicants need to be fit and healthy with a 'can-do' attitude.

Phone 02 6076 1520 or email resumé to info@colaccolaccaravanpark.com.au.

## POSITIONS VACANT

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**Kitchen hand, permanent part-time:** Experience in some cooking eg parmas, chips, deep fryer and entrees. Approx 25-30 hours per week. Must be reliable and available most weekends.

**Kitchen hand, casual:** Experience preferred but must be willing to learn also. Approx 10-15 hours per week. Suit school leaver or second job, must be reliable and available some weekends.

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**Housekeeping, casual:** Experience preferred but not essential. Willing to learn with a can do attitude and must be reliable ready for a busy summer period and beyond. Approx 5-20 hours per week.

Please call to discuss with Wendy or email resume.

**Bottom's Up @ the Bottom Pub**



**Corryong Hotel Motel**

02 6076 1004

Email: [info@corryonghotelmotel.com.au](mailto:info@corryonghotelmotel.com.au)

Website: [corryonghotelmotel.com.au](http://corryonghotelmotel.com.au)

## TENDERS

towongshire

### Request for Tender

We are seeking tenders from suitably qualified contractors for the supply and install of a public weighbridge facility at the corner of Donaldson Street and the Stock Route in Corryong, as part of the redevelopment of the Corryong Saleyards.

Submissions close  
5pm Sunday 24 October.

**Visit towong.vic.gov.au**

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Khancoban 02 6932 2840

Tumbarumba 02 6932 2840

Emergency 000

Ambulance: Emergency 000

Hospitals: Corryong 02 6076 3200

Walwa 02 6037 1220

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Emergency 000

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### Towong Shire:

Corryong 02 6076 2160

Tallangatta 02 6071 5100

Snowy Valleys Council: 02 6948 9100

Taxi (Corryong): 0418 697 807



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Beeeecause they can't remember the words

## SPRING WORD FIND

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

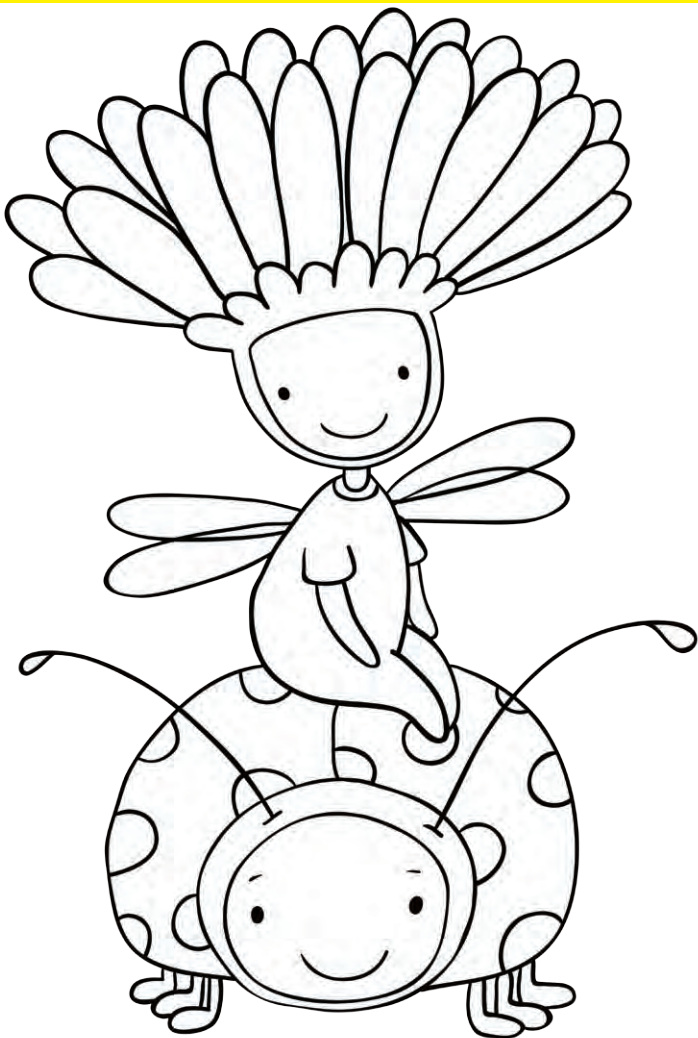
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N	E	T	A	R	E	N	E	G	E	R
S	T	H	G	I	L	N	U	S	T	W

- BIRTH
- GARDEN
- SCENT
- BLOOM
- HARVEST
- SEASON
- EQUINOX
- LAMB
- SUNLIGHT
- DEW
- RAINS
- WARMTH
- FLOWER
- REGENERATE
- FRESH
- RIPEN

Secret message: Here comes the sun and I say it's all right

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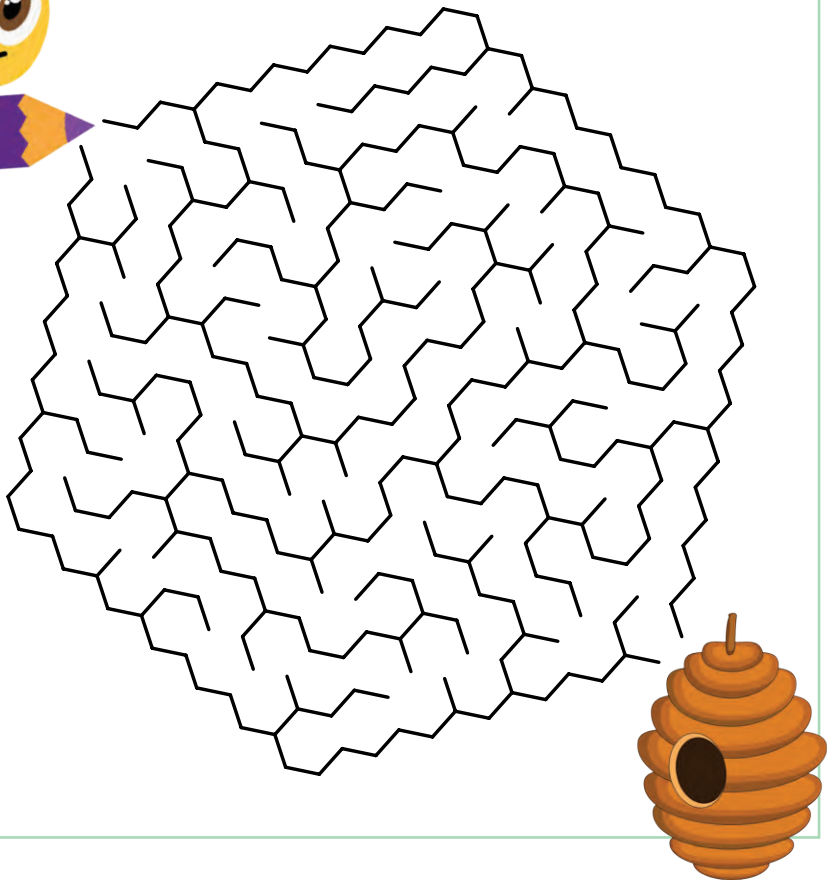
## COLOUR ME



## MAZE



Help Buzz find his way back to his beehive.



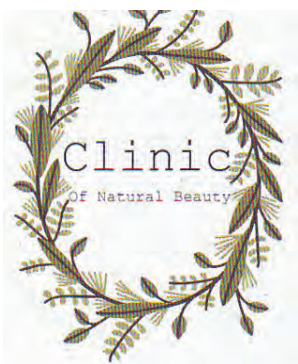
## BEE-PEDIA

- Bees can see all colours except red
- The average bee hive can house up to 60,000 bees.
- Honey bees fly at a speed of up to 28km per hour
- None of Australia's native bees are tree honey bees
- Each bee has 170 odourant receptors
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- Worker bees may visit up to 100 flowers before returning to the hive.
- Bees have five eyes



# Services & Business Directory

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### TIMETABLE

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#### Departs:

Corryong Newsagency (6076 1381).....7.30am  
 Cudgewa .....7.45am  
 Tintaldra .....8.00am  
 Walwa Store (6037 1291) .....8.20am  
 Jingellic Store (6037 1320).....8.45am  
 Mount Alfred .....9.00am  
 Granya .....9.30am

#### Arrives:

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

#### Departs:

Wodonga Post Office..... 1.30pm  
 Snow White Depot ..... 2.00pm  
 (6021 4368)

#### Arrives:

Granya ..... 2.50pm  
 Mount Alfred ..... 3.25pm  
 Jingellic ..... 3.35pm  
 Walwa ..... 3.45pm  
 Tintaldra ..... 4.00pm  
 Towong ..... 4.10pm  
 Corryong Newsagency..... 4.30pm

- Pickup/drop off service available to railway stations, airport and hospitals.

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For information about advertising in the Business Directory please email:  
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## FARM REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE

Joe Elias T/A

### Joey's Repairs

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- Trucks and Machinery
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- Auto Electrical
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## MEDICAL SERVICES

**WALWA MEDICAL CLINIC**

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- ❖ Dr Ian Partridge ❖ Dr Stephanie Partridge
- ❖ Dr Susan Lumsdaine
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**CLOSED SATURDAY MORNINGS**  
Service by appointment only

## The Grapevine

Found:- Set of house keys in the carpark of The Club Corryong. Owner can collect same from the Courier office upon identification.

A reminder that the Upper Murray Farmers Market tomorrow at the Attree Centre is a twilight event from 4pm to 7pm.

Items for this column can be emailed to editorial@corryongcourier.com.au.

Email community notices to  
editorial@corryongcourier.com.au

# WHAT, WHEN & WHO

## MUSEUM ROSTER

Oct 8: am & pm R Waters  
Oct 9: am C Clark, pm L Mervin  
Oct 10: am & pm G Brown  
Oct 11: am help wanted, pm G Wood  
Oct 12: am Choc Thompson, pm S Briskey  
Oct 13: am L Wild, pm help wanted  
Oct 14: am & pm S Briskey

## MEALS ON WHEELS

**CNC**  
Oct 11: Marion Ippoliti & helper;  
Oct 12: Tom & Thea Newton;  
Oct 13: G & S Nankervis  
Oct 14: Diane Davis & Lauris Tomlin;  
Oct 15: Faye & Des Martin.

## OP SHOP

Oct 8: am Rochelle Sandilands & Rebecca Creswell, pm Tully  
Oct 9: Hazra;  
Oct 11: am Di Brennan, pm Hazra;  
Oct 12: am Hazra, pm Maree Irving & Jeanette McInnes;  
Oct 13: am Hazra & Olga, pm Chris Harrison & Jane Spilsbury;  
Oct 14: am Lisa Greenhill, pm Tracey Paul & Barbara Woodhouse.

## CORRYONG HEALTH



Covid-19  
Vaccination Hub  
Contact Robin  
0439 810 588

Urgent Care Centre (UCC):- Present to the UCC / Be assessed by highly trained nurse / If required a doctor will be contacted via My Emergency Doctor  
Other Services:-  
Emergencies - 000  
Corryong Medical Clinic - 02 6076 3290  
Corryong Health Reception - 02 6076 3200  
Nurse on Call - 1300 606 024 (anytime)  
GP Helpline - 1800 022 222 (anytime)  
Pathology - Mon. to Frid. 8am to 12pm.

## TOWONG SHIRE & PUBLIC LIBRARY

76 Hanson St., Corryong  
Council customer service and library staff are available Monday to Friday 9am to 4.30pm.  
Council office and library are closed on weekends and public holidays.  
Telephone:  
Shire: 6076 2160;  
Library: 6076 1639

## COMMUNITY CAR

A service for those without transport to access appointments in Alb-Wodonga. Ph: 6076 3200.

## UPPER HUME HEALTH SERVICE

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drugs support - drug withdrawal nurses and counsellors from Wodonga will visit on an outreach basis as required. Ph: 1800 657 573.

## WASTE MANAGEMENT

### Corryong Tip

Thursday: 4pm - 6pm  
Sunday: 12 noon - 4pm  
Public holidays - Closed  
Waste Collection Days:  
Tuesday: Towong, Tintaldra, Walwa, Jingellic, Lucyvale, Colac Colac  
Thursday: Cudgewa Valley, Cudgewa, Nariel, Thougla, Biggara, Bunroy  
Friday: Corryong Township, Khancoban.

For more information visit [www.towong.vic.gov.au](http://www.towong.vic.gov.au) or phone 02 6071 5100 or 1300 365 222 (local call cost).

## LOCAL POLICE

For all emergencies call  
**Triple Zero - 000**  
For non-urgent matters call the Police Assistance Line (24/7) 131 444  
Corryong 02 6076 1666

## CENTRELINK

Retirement: 132 300; Disability/Sickness & Carers: 13 2717; Multilingual Service: 13 1202; Customer Relations: 1800 050 004; Appointments: 13 10 21. Carelink: 1800 052 222.

## BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT

National Breastfeeding helpline 1800 686 268. Local volunteer counsellor - Lisa Vallett 0459 707 085. Info at [www.breastfeeding.asn.au](http://www.breastfeeding.asn.au).

## CORRYONG FOODSHARE

Open Wednesday and Thursday 9am-1pm  
Call in and pick up what you need or call Carol on 0427 762 051 for home delivery.  
Water & household items - call Douglas on 0427 014 935.

## CATHOLIC PARISH

Mass Times:- 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month  
• Christ the King, Walwa - Saturday Vigil at 4pm  
• Sacred Heart, Corryong - Sunday at 8:30am

## BAPTIST CHURCH

89 Hanson Street

### Enquiries:

Pastor Graeme Van Brummelen - (02) 60761 468 / 0488 269 393  
Service time: 10am  
Kids church: 10.30am  
Youth Group: during school term Friday nights at 7pm  
'Mainly Music': a program for babies to preschool children and their carers - Wednesdays 10.30am  
Ring Kirsty for details 0411 524 442

## ANGLICAN PARISH

Eucharist at All Saints Corryong 9:30am - every Sunday  
Eucharist at Biggara 2pm - 1st Sunday  
Eucharist at Holy Trinity Cudgewa 11:30am - 3rd Sunday  
Enquiries: Priest-in-charge Rev Maryann Leonard on 02 6076 1057 or 0439 066 553.

## PENTECOSTAL

Ambassadors of Jesus  
59 Donaldson Street  
Sunday: 10.30am Worship & The Word followed by Fellowship Lunch. 7.30pm  
Wednesday: 7.45pm: Alternate Fellowship - Ladies, Prayer, Men's, Family.  
Enquiries: Pastors Douglas & Carol Allen 6076 2050 / 51. Fax 6076 2052. E-mail: [aoj@corryong.net](mailto:aoj@corryong.net).  
Catch The Fire Ministries & Rise Up Australia Prayer Meeting: 7.45 pm Sunday: First of the month at Council Chambers, Corryong  
Enquiries: B Cadle 6948 4468

## UNITING CHURCH

Services are held at 9.30am each Sunday, except 5th Sundays, which are at Walwa 11am.  
Cnr Donaldson & Wheeler St., Corryong  
Regional Minister: Rev. Andrew Delbridge 0410 663 194  
Church Council: Linda Nankervis 6077 9212  
Pastoral Enquiries: Sandy Hill 6076 8273, Catherine Ross 6076 1363, Linda Nankervis 6077 9212  
Hall Hire: Pamela Menere 0408 767 327

## SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Services will resume when restrictions allow.

## LOCAL JUSTICES OF PEACE

Carol Allen - NSW & Vic. (6076 2051); Merv Ward (6076 1369); Phil Coulston (6071 2746); Tom Newton - Vic (0438 382 140); Terry Forrest (0499 579 502).



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## AUCTIONEERS, LIVESTOCK

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**Jeff Brindley**

Mobile: 0428 762 554

AH: 02 6077 5275

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**Cameron Hilton 0419 578 309**

**Property: Mike Weller 0410 663 041**

Talk to us **TODAY** about your Livestock & Property requirements



# Upper Murray Sport



## Pennant golfers need a shot

The Murray District Golf Association (MDGA) has advised its member clubs - including those in the Hills Zone - that under the current NSW lockdown restrictions (for general area, low risk LGAs) there is nothing stopping clubs allowing non-vaccinated people to play in groups of four.

However, that will potentially all change this Monday (October 11) when the whole of NSW is expected to fall under the same Public Health Order for 70 per cent and 80 per cent vaccination rates.

As a consequence, the MDGA has made the decision that for its own pennant competition and the Hills Zone pennant competitions, players are to be fully vaccinated if they want to play in groups of four. Non-vaccinated players will be restricted



**Resuming pennant golf competition on the border could prove problematical**

to playing in groups of two.

Golfers are advised to check with NSW Health once the new Public Health Orders are advised.

In Victoria, competition golf is still banned at least until November 5 when the state government is expected to make an announcement on the resumption of community sport.

It should be noted that restrictions will apply to non-vaccinated golfers when the government's roadmap target is reached. **Welaregang**

A larger than normal

field of players enjoyed another perfect spring day at Welaregang on Sunday with eleven players competing and some social golfers as well.

Amy Paton returned to the winners list with 21 points, however the highlight of the ladies competition was a birdie two (worth five points) on the third by Dixie Coutts!

In the men's competition, Ernst Weyhausen won on a countback from Lance Noonan with 32 points. Best outward score was Ken Lebner with 15 points and Dave McKimmie was

best on the back nine, also with 15.

Rob Cox defeated Bill Bond in a scrappy match-play round while Ernst Weyhausen accounted for Dave McKimmie in their match.

Controversy later erupted at the daily presentations with a member being suspended for three months for using an unauthorised colour scheme while carrying out maintenance on the course - in what was probably a knee (or shoulder) jerk reaction by a committee member after carrying a weighted golf bag around

for six weeks!

The suspension was later suspended by club president, Bill Bond.

This Sunday is the final of the Monthly Medal between Rob Cox, Dave McKimmie, Ernst Weyhausen and Lance Noonan and also the quarter finals of the McGrath Cup matchplay competition.

A decision on the club's tournament day will be made next week.

Visitors are most welcome to join members on Sundays for a 12 noon hit off (names in by 11.30am).

## Grants can be a game changer

Country football and netball clubs will have access to more financial support to help them meet the challenges of the pandemic and provide better facilities for when play resumes.

Minister for Community Sport, Ros Spence, has announced the next round of the Country

Football and Netball Program with grants of up to \$200,000 available to deliver projects such as redeveloping and building new ovals and netball courts, installing sports lighting and building new and redeveloped pavilions.

"This round will again focus on supporting communities that have

been affected by a natural disaster and those that are experiencing socio-economic disadvantage, strong population growth or other economic challenges," Minister Spence said. The program is a partnership with Netball Victoria, the AFL and AFL Victoria and was established in 2005 to

help netball and football clubs across the state to meet growing demand and welcome even more members.

Applications for the this round of the program close on December 1, 2021. For more information or to apply online, visit [sport.vic.gov.au/grants-and-funding](http://sport.vic.gov.au/grants-and-funding).

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