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Garfield Primary School
Principal



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Bunyip Op Shop Supports Local Community Organisations.

By Roman Kulkewycz

In excess of \$40,000 in Grants was handed out to local community organisations between Nar Nar Goon and Longwarry by the Bunyip Community Op Shop last month. All seven primary schools in this area were amongst the recipients that received Grants.

President of the Op Shop, Mr. Tony Arrigo said that profits generated by sales during the past financial year enabled the Shop to financially help local community organisations. "We are pleased by the great support given to us by our locals who donate bric a brac and clothing to our shop. This year we have set aside funds in conjunction with Bunyip IGA Supermarket to support needy families by introducing grocery vouchers to provide those special little extras for the Christmas table. These vouchers will be organised through the local school principals," he said.



Principal of St. Columba's Catholic Primary School in Bunyip, **Andrew Greco** (L) with students **Spencer McCauley, McKenzie Ryan, Tora Osbourne, Jed Herra** with a letter of appreciation for **Tony Arrigo**, President of the Bunyip Community Op Shop.

Year 6 Garfield Primary School **Captain, Indi Taylor** presenting a Certificate of Appreciation to Bunyip Op Shop Secretary, **Roman Kulkewycz** with school Principal **Danny Forster** looking on.



Picnic Garden Update

By Roman Kulkewycz

The Bunyip & District Community Market’s project of providing a beautiful, relaxing and pleasant environmental setting for a Picnic Garden is progressing well.

Located at the Bunyip Recreation Reserve adjacent to the Fire Brigade Running Track, the Picnic Garden Project was given a significant boost when a \$10,000 grant was received from Arrotex Pharmaceuticals via the Bunyip Pharmacy after winning one of eight prizes for the most popular pharmacy in Australia through votes by customers. Local traders and businesses have also made contributions.

Native trees and shrubs have been planted and 2 aluminium table settings installed, one of which is wheelchair friendly.

Last week a donation from **Bunyip Rural Supplies** of wooden posts enabled Bollards to be put around the perimeter.

There is a sheltered twin BBQ area nearby as well as toilets and it is well away from traffic.

As the warmer weather approaches it is sure to become a great place for family gatherings and picnics.

Bunyip & District Community Market’s hard working President, Tony Arrigo with one of the wooden poles to be installed as a bollard. Manny Portelli also assisted Tony with the installation of the bollards.



Bunyip Rainfall Totals



| | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | Totals |
|------|------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|--------|
| 2020 | 92.6 | 138.15 | 35.75 | 145.5 | 100.5 | 46.0 | 43.5 | 122.0 | 58.5 | 98.0 | 60.0 | 44.0 | 984.5 |
| 2021 | 67.0 | 37.0 | 35.75 | 61.0 | 54.0 | 76.0 | 93.0 | 44.0 | 100.0 | 113.0 | 93.0 | 22.0 | 833 |
| 2022 | 37.0 | 6.0 | 49.0 | 76.0 | 42.0 | 96.0 | 52.0 | 146.0 | 49 | 169 | 102 | 74 | 898 |
| 2023 | 30.0 | 29.5 | 66.0 | 77.0 | 75.0 | 75.0 | 31.0 | 55.0 | | | | | |

Cannibal Creek Catchment Landcare Group - Lovers Lane Project

Last week saw the remainder of this years plants in the ground at the Melbourne Water site in Lovers Lane, Garfield. Since May there has been a second Community Planting Day in August, as well as separate planting days with St Peter's School from Cranbourne/Clyde North, Melbourne Stars cricketers and staff, and four separate Landcare planting days. Pakenham Secondary College are coming out next month to erect some more tree guards on plants.

This has been a great effort by the members of the community, plus members of Cannibal Creek, Bessie/Ararat, Bunyip, Westernport Swamp, Intrepid, Toomuc Valley and Labertouche Landcare groups working together to plant nearly 10,000 trees, shrubs and grasses this year. The number of volunteers at the recent Community planting day in August had 104 people signed in, which was a significant increase from the 85 who attended in May. The support for the project is very encouraging and hopefully everyone will return for the next Community planting day in May 2024. This will also be an opportunity for people to see how the plants have grown. Without the general public's support this project would not have been such a success.

Cannibal Creek Landcare Group is also thankful for the support of the management of Wagstaff's Abattoirs for making their car park space available for the overflow of cars, Holcim Quarry for their great work in fixing the gateway entrance with gravel and levelling of the track. The support of these local businesses was greatly appreciated.

The Lovers Lane site will become a haven for the Southern Brown bandicoot and for the large array of woodland birds that are already making this area their home. Our group has obtained funding to monitor the site for bandicoots and to erect shelters for their protection. We are confidently awaiting the outcome of another grant to fund plants for the Community planting day next year.

The revegetation project would not have been possible without the grants from Melbourne Water for plants, tree guards and weed control. We encourage local farmers with dams, streams etc on their properties that may be suitable for revegetation to contact Melbourne Water for advice and possible funding. Their contact person is Bridgette Sullivan, email bridigette@wpcln.org.au.

The Community Opportunity Shops at Garfield and Bunyip were helpful indeed with funding for our second Community Day catering and toilet hire. We are extremely grateful for this as good coffee and food makes the days complete. The smell of onions and sausages cooking at the 2 barbecues in May and August run by the Rotary Club of Garfield/Bunyip encouraged the planters along with their work. We are grateful for their commitment to the community and for helping us out. The Sikh Community at Officer also provided the vegetarian food for our lunch at the August planting. The Cardinia Shire environmental team were on hand at both Community planting days to help guide people and help with the planting. The site in Lovers Lane is part of the Cardinia Shire's Bio link Plan, which is worth checking out on their website.

More information on the Lovers Lane revegetation project is available on the Cannibal Creek Landcare Group Facebook page. People can be kept informed of future planting days by sending an email to CannibalCreekLandcare@gmail.com and you will be added to the mailing list.

Cannibal Creek Landcare Group warmly welcomes new members.



Multiple Awards—Nutrien Harcourts

Ray Cullen

Ray Cullen, our local Sales Manager at Nutrien Harcourts Bunyip recently won 3 sales awards at the Harcourts Victoria Real Estate Event.

No 1 Rural Consultant

Titanium Sales Status (highest award)

No 7 Consultant Gross Revenue

For the April-June quarter 2023—what a great effort.



Ray arrived in Australia in 1972 and lived for a short while in Elwood with his wife. They then purchased a property in Lang Lang. This is where Ray learnt something about real estate, having subdivided their property into 20 residential lots and moved to a farm at Cora Lynn.

This was the beginning of his 34 years being a potato farmer and then asparagus farming. During this time he also worked for Smiths Snackfoods in Tynong as Agricultural National Supply Manager for close to 30 years.

I asked Ray, “How did you get into Real Estate”? He replied, “I just fell into it “. But often was involved helping his potato clients secure new holdings in various locations. Ray has been Sales Manager since 2013, first with Ruralco Property and then the Nutrien Harcourts franchise owned and operated by another local, Anthony Delaney.

I thank Ray for his time and congratulate him on his achievements, another Bunyip business servicing our local area. Ray continues to reside in Cora Lyn.



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May Pole, Bunyip

"May Pole, Bunyip State School in approximately 1910. The old school burnt down in May 1929. In this photo, there are only two names, but no idea where in photo they are, Grace Gibb & Gladys Smethurst."



Photos and others like this can be found on our Facebook page, you can find us by searching for Bunyip Historical Society or by following the link <https://www.facebook.com/groups/461696958351276>

The historical meets every second month on the third Thursday, next meeting is October 19th

Bunyip Historical Society, Inc

Including Tonimbuk, Iona, Garfield & Garfield North

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WHY ARE PHARMACISTS THROUGHOUT AUSTRALIA UPSET?

By Bunyip Pharmacist - Dinesh Solanki



Dinesh Solanki, our much respected Bunyip Pharmacist expresses concern at the change in government policy re medicine dispensing.

You may have heard the Federal Govt is bringing in 60 -day dispensing (60DD) from Sept 2023 as a way of reducing the cost-of-living pressures on the community. Sounds like a good policy; right? Pay one price and get 2 months' supply but scratch the surface and you find a very different story.

I'll try to explain why this is a poorly thought-out policy.

Currently there are a huge number of medications unavailable or in short supply caused by supply chain issue and other manufacturing issues overseas. The pharmacist may have say 6 packets for a drug on the dispensary shelf and be able to supply currently 6 different patients. With 60DD only the first 3 patients get supplied and any further script for that same item the next patient has, then has to leave town looking to get the script filled or come back the next day and if that medication is in short supply; misses out altogether!! How is this a good thing for a patient? We could have dispensed it for 6 different patients.

You go to see your doctor who diagnoses you with high blood pressure and prescribes you 2 months supply and gets you back for a review in 2 weeks time. He then decides that the medications he had prescribed aren't doing the trick and decides to change your pills. You now have a half a packet of unused medication PLUS a full packet unopened box. You take that full packet back to the pharmacy and say you may be able to re-use this medication for someone else. Regulations dictate that any returned medication partly used or unopened; once dispensed and once left the premises will need to be disposed off via the RUM (Return of Unused Medications) bin to be incinerated via proper channels.

Pharmacy cannot reuse any medications returned. The above situation where a doctor changes the medications because it's not working, or the patient may have had an adverse reaction occurs on a very regular basis if not multiple times daily. Imagine this happening in 6000 plus community pharmacies throughout Australia. We in our pharmacy in Bunyip fill a RUM bin every 7 to 10 days NOW (no 60DD Yet) Imagine the waste of your taxpayer money when 60DD comes in. This is almost criminal, and you should be very upset with millions of dollars of full packets PBS subsidised medications incinerated. I hate waste and I am sure you do too. 11million kg of unwanted medications are collected by RUM bins annually now (no 60DD Yet). The govt of the day are not seeing this!!

In the next several years there are some very effective life-saving Cancer treatments coming on to the market. What will the government say? There is a huge cost blowout to the PBS, and we cannot list these drugs on the PBS – No wonder!!

Pharmacists are custodians of the PBS, and we want a viable PBS and viable enough so that when new effective medications come to market the government be able to PBS list them. This is another reason why 60DD which sounds like a good policy is not that great when long -term your children and grandchildren may just not enjoy benefits that you enjoy with a viable PBS now.

If I am not mistaken, pharmacists may be one of the few or if not the only allied health professional that you can consult about your health needs without an appointment. Please tell me which other university graduated health professional you can have a consultation with; without an appointment and for free!!

The fact that the pharmacist is available and spends that time with you comes at a cost to our profession. Dispensing fees earned in the dispensary cross-subsidises these activities and makes it all possible. And if you think we sell a product after the consult – well on many occasions, it is only reassurance and advice, and no sale happens. Each time a consult like this happens potentially is saving a trip to the doctor's office. Mr Government we pharmacist are saving you millions of dollars in Medicare costs!!

Activities that dispensing fees cross-subsidises like free blood pressure check, document witnessing and access to a pharmacist may have to be paid for by consumers. How is this a good thing for a community who is now receiving these services at no cost?

And if you are one of many who reach your Safety Net thresholds and receive free medications for the balance of calendar year and value this; well, I hate to say this, but most will not reach their safety net thresholds because of double dispensing. The current system already reduces your cost-of-living pressures by ensuring you reach your free medication status. The government is a bit mute on this. They know you won't want to hear that!!

Australia's population is ageing. With ageing comes cognitive decline and we are now going to be giving 2 packets of medications to patients who may already be struggling with multiple numbers of drugs at home. It is outright dangerous to provide double packets of the SAME item as overdosing and medication misadventure are real risks. You only have to ask family members with elderly parents. 60DD is dangerous and potentially puts lives at risk where an elderly confused patient can take the prescribed amount from both packets. This policy, which is trying to save money, may end up costing the government more with more hospitalisations to already strained hospitals. More wastage of our tax dollars.

The government thanked pharmacies and their staff for putting themselves in harms way during Covid and keeping their doors open. Now the same government is now reducing pharmacy income by almost half leading to cuts in staff hours and pharmacy opening hours or worse; pharmacies having to lay off staff. A nice way of thanking those people who remained open during the darkest hours of Covid when just about everyone else was closed.

Your local community pharmacy picks up the cost of this policy, receiving the same funding from the Government for twice the amount of work.

This may seem small, but it fundamentally changes how pharmacies operate.

Do you want to do something about this? Please contact all of these senators in our electorate saying you do not support 60-day dispensing. These senators can still make a difference.

Raffaele Ciccone: (03) 9894 2098

Jana Stewart: (03) 9232 8120

Jess Walsh: (03) 9232 8860

Linda White: (03) 9639 2798

BUNYIP- GARFIELD PROBUS CLUB

The Club is saddened with the loss of our dear Member Nettie Bron. We send our Deepest Sympathy to her Husband Bert and his Family. Nettie enjoyed being around people and had a delightful smile with a cheeky grin often surprising us with her sense of humour. Nice memories of a lovely lady who is now at rest.

Once a year we hold a Fundraising Luncheon for a Local Charity. **Olivia's Place** which is based at Drouin and offers support during pregnancy and parenting in the first year of a child's life was our choice this year. After having lunch, the Operations Manager Pheba Daniel spoke about their organisation and what services they provide.

It was started in 2012 and is committed to supporting families through the highs and lows of pregnancy as well as early parenting in the first year of a child's life. They mostly support families all across Gippsland from the Baw Baw Shire to Bass Coast, Latrobe Valley, East/South Gippsland helping families experiencing hardship including financial and psychological stress as they navigate their way through a pregnancy as well getting support after the baby is born until it turns one. They have an op- shop that is called Little **Livvy's Place** where you can buy all kinds of baby goods such as cots, prams, car seats and baby clothes that have mostly all have been donated. Inquiries are most welcomed and they can be contacted on 03 5622 1022 for anyone who needs support during these times.

Our President at the end of the afternoon presented Olivia's Place Manager Pheba with a cheque for \$1,579 that was raised by our Members on the day. Pheba thanked all the Club for the Donation which will help them to continue the work supporting parents and young babies. A big thank you to all that helped in any way on the day.

Peter Ronalds talked about volunteering in Uganda and Zimbabwe. Many of the World's Poorest people are Farmers and the aim is to improve their livelihoods in a practical way. Sadly, poor crop yields and crop failure due to weather conditions can lead to lots of malnutrition or starvation. Gradually over the year's trees have been used for building as well as in stoves for cooking and now a lot have disappeared. A group started to go to parts of Africa and set up Agroforestry training to assist farmers planting trees that will not only protect their crops but provide timber for housing also fuel for their stoves, fodder, edible fruit and seeds so they can make flour. Another great thing too it is great for the environment. The focus continues to train farmers about long term sustainable improvements in the area of farming so they can help break the poverty cycle.

Helen



TALKIN' ...FISHIN' SIZE, SHAPE, COLOUR

Whether you're using a lure, fly or soft plastics the 3 factors of size shape and colour are defined by the manufacturer, as always choice is left up to you. The action that you put into the retrieve is entirely in your hands, rod included. Whether it's a straight wind in motion or an erratic travel path, putting in the occasional flick of the rod tip for good measure, it's all clearly to entice the fish into making a strike at your artificial bait. Baits hereon included in the information means anything your quarry attacks, eats, bites or is just annoyed enough by to get hooked up. This includes flies, soft plastics, bib lures, Metals, and bladed spinners.

Size: is determined by the size and variety of species you're targeting.
by the type of bait your fish is chasing.

Shape: Is selected

Colour: Usually the environmental colours are adopted by the bait varieties as a disguise, use this as a guide to your colour choices. Although saying that, some of the most outrageous colours can prompt a bite just for being so different, that annoyance thing!

You can minimise harm to the fish by choosing a size or shape of lure that your fish will bite and therefore lip hook rather than swallow it and become gut hooked, a released fish that's unwanted and unharmed, is the preferred result. Changing treble hooks for singles and closing the hooks barbs with a pair of pliers is also better alternative.

Use the 'Goldilocks' rule: Not too big, not too small, just right!

Change up or down the sizing according to the situation and size of the fish on the day.



ridiculous!
mouth size, not all fish have a gob like a Murray Cod.

But, Let's not go
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| 9.30 AM | GUESTS ARRIVE |
| 10.00 AM | WELCOME ATTENDEES |
| 10.05 AM – 11.00 AM | JADE KILLORAN - HEALTHY FARMING SYSTEMS "MULTISPECIES FORAGES & THEIR ABILITY TO IMPROVE SOIL" |
| 11.00 AM – 11.45 AM | DR MARY COLE - AGPATH "THE SOIL HEALTH & THE IMPACT OF SYNTHETIC CHEMICALS" |
| 11.45 AM – 12.45 PM | LUNCH & NETWORKING |
| 12.45 PM – 1.30 PM | DR MARY COLE - AGPATH "HOW A FARMER GOES ABOUT IMPROVING THE SOILS HEALTH WITHOUT SYNTHETIC CHEMICALS" |



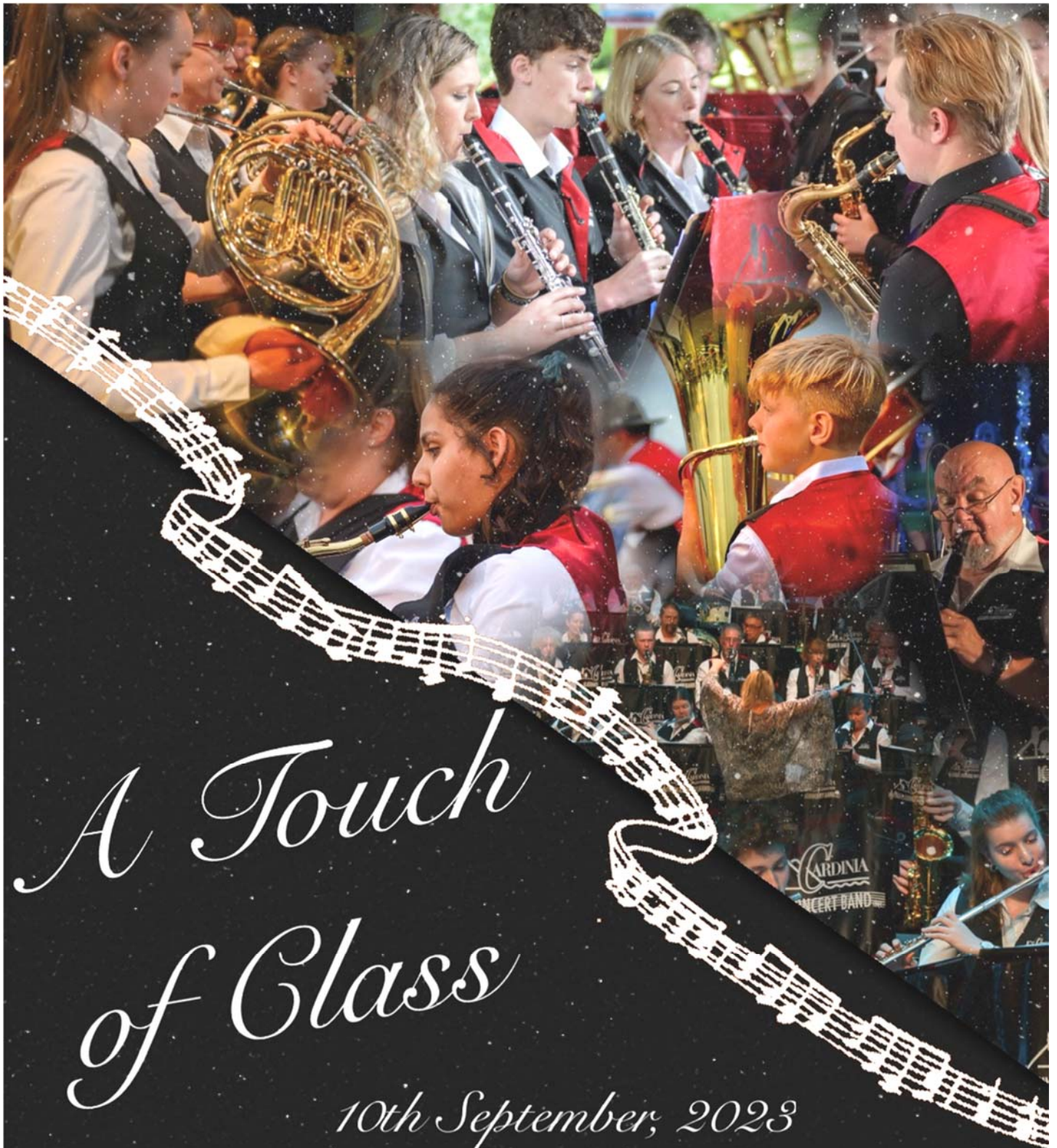
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2:00 PM



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Scan here or visit the Cardinia Cultural Centre website to book your tickets!

Bunyip Firefighters Participate In Stair Climb

By Roman Kulkewycz

Last Saturday, 2nd of September, Firefighters, including members of the Bunyip Fire Brigade and Emergency services personnel from across Australia and the globe descended upon Melbourne to ascend the gruelling 28 Floors of the Crown Metropol raising vital funds for Cancer Research and Crisis Support.

Bunyip Brigade is currently 7th OVERALL for donations raised this year, and they are looking to go even higher! It's an incredible effort from the team so far and if you can spare a few \$, you can donate to the team link down below, or select an individual member. <https://www.firefighterclimb.org.au/station/cfa/bunyip/>



Competing and times this year was:

LT Steve Ponton (Not pictured) - 11.05 (on air)

LT Cameron Draper - 6.51 (on air)

LT Steve Munday (Not pictured) - 6.07 (on air)

FF Mitch Fraser - 7.35 (on air)

FF Cameron Ward – 8.57

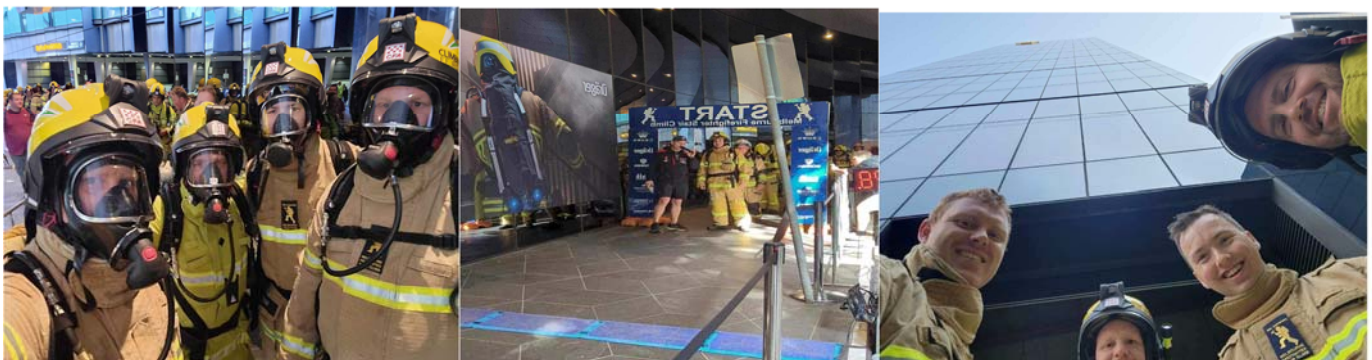
FF Craig Dinnigan – 5.42

Our climbers battled 28 floors in up to 25kg of turnout gear and breathing apparatus as a symbol of the burden of significant health and well-being issues faced by our first responders and their families on a daily basis, some also were breathing "on air" through a self contained breathing apparatus adding an extra level of difficulty to their climb.

Let's get behind our Bunyip Brigade members for participating in this incredible event. We need your help to raise \$700,000 to support our beneficiaries, Lifeline, Peter MacCallum Cancer Foundation and 000 Foundation.

Currently 7th overall in the Station Leader Boards with \$4,046 raised - lets get the total raised as high as we can!!

Incredible effort from all our members, which each of giving 100%. The climb has now raised \$622,560 for charity, which is an all time record for the event. Bunyip Brigade has totalled \$5,201, which is also our highest total in the climb's history.



Fire Awareness Information Session Monday 16th October



St Thomas Aquinas College in Tynong is pleased to invite the local community to a **Fire Awareness Information Session Monday 16th October.**

A children's information session will begin at 4pm hosted by Tynong CFA.

The adult session will begin at 4.30pm.

We would like to thank the Tynong CFA, SES, Bunyip Police, Cardinia Council and our guest speakers Tony Fitzgerald, and Katie Turnbull.

This is a free community event.

For further information please contact Tina Forte, Facilities and Infrastructure Manager, St Thomas Aquinas College on 56 29 2500 or email events@stac.vic.edu.au

Book your tickets below.

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/community-fire-awareness-information-session-tickets-700617404517?aff=oddttdcreator>

Bunyip Grounds Committee of Management AGM

Bunyip Grounds Committee of Management will be holding its Annual General Meeting on September 7th September at 7:30pm at the Bunyip Netball/Tennis clubrooms.

All current positions will be vacated, and new positions will be available for nomination prior to the 7th September or at the AGM on the 7th September 2023 7:30pm.

Please be advised that the positions are for a 3-year term which will mean people elected will be responsible for that role until September 2026 so if you wish to nominate, please understand it is a 3-year term.

The positions that will be available will be as follows.

1. ***President***
2. ***Vice President***
3. ***Secretary***
4. ***Treasurer***
5. ***Public Officers***

We need a minimum of 3 on the committee and a maximum of 9 so if you are interested in joining or nominating for any of the above mentioned positions please email your interest to Alan Wright at bunyipreserve@gmail.com before Tuesday 6th September



St James Nar Nar Goon

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For **The Community** **Bunyip** **By** **The Community**
Community Market

Last Sunday Each Month.....8am - 1pm

Sunday 24th September 2023

Tony
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Roman
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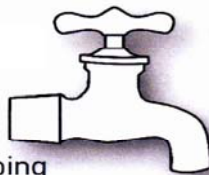
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Bunyip Netball Club

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Bunyip Patch Workers Club

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Bunyip-Garfield Probus Club

Secretary – 5625 4350 (Meets at 10 am 1st Tuesday
each month at Garfield Community Hall)

Bunyip Pony Club

Wendy Smith 0407 552 295

(every second Sunday Pound Road reserve)

Lillico Pony Club

Sam Daly 0425 743 175

(every fourth Sunday Pound Road Reserve)

Rotary Club of Bunyip-Garfield

Graeme Squires – 0417 105 598 (Dinner meeting
each Wednesday at 6:30 pm)

Bunyip Slimmers Club

Maree McRae – 0468 411 144 (Meets every Friday
9.30am at Bunyip Uniting Church)

Bunyip & District Soccer Club

Martin Jeric - 0418 104 242

Sorella Callisthenics Club

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St Vincent De Paul Society

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Bunyip Tennis Club

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Bunyip Butterfly Dance

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