



## MEET LIAM

He is 7 years of age and suffers from Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (DMD).

DMD is a genetic disorder that causes progressive muscle degeneration. It is caused by a missing protein—the one needed to keep muscles working and usually affects boys. Symptoms start as early as 3—first affecting hips, pelvic area, thighs and shoulders and later skeletal muscles in arms, legs and trunk. By early teens, the heart and respiratory muscles are also affected. Many are wheelchair bound by 11 or 12.

Liam lives with his mum, dad and two younger siblings in Thurgoona and is currently in Year 1 at Thurgoona Public School. There are tough times ahead for Liam and his family. Liam is the grandson of Michael & Wendy Mohr. To support Liam they will need to make their home wheelchair friendly and purchase a vehicle which can transport a wheelchair.

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If you are an owner, rate-paying lessee, or occupier of rateable land which is not your primary place of residence, you or your nominee may be entitled to nominate for the Non Residential Roll. Applications for the Non Residential Roll are now open and close at **6pm on Monday, 15 October**. Applications for the Non Residential Roll can be downloaded from Council's website [www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au](http://www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au) or in person at the Holbrook Office.

Applications to nominate as a candidate for the by-election open on **Monday, 15 October and close at 12 noon on Wednesday, 24 October 2018**.

Mayor Cr Wilton said "If you are passionate about what happens in your local community becoming a councillor is an exciting opportunity to make a difference and to represent the interests of residents."

"Given the time of the year the period to nominate for the roll by electors and to consider nominating for Council is short so residents need to act promptly", Cr Wilton added.

Further information on nominating as a candidate can be obtained from [www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au](http://www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au) or [www.elections.nsw.gov.au](http://www.elections.nsw.gov.au).



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Some of you (with little children), may have noticed a basket of Library books at a few businesses in town. This is an incentive by Greater Hume Council Libraries to promote literacy and our libraries in the shire. While we hope you enjoy these books on the premises they remain property of the library but we would love you to come and join up to enjoy our great selection of books at home.



## Crocodile Encounters

What a huge crowd we had at the library for croc encounters on Wednesday 10th Oct. It was a great turnout so thanks to all who came.

Mark from the central coast brought along 6 creatures to show and talk about with the audience. A crocodile (small-ish), a bluetongue lizard and a bearded dragon, a tortoise and two pythons, one big and the other still pretty big!!

We learned many new facts about these animals and the best thing was, because they were hand reared Mark let some of the children take some of the animals around for the other children to get a closer look.

Obviously this didn't include the croc or snakes! However Mark showed the crocodile around and two volunteers came to the front to handle the snakes and at the end the children were allowed to line up and have a python draped around their neck!

None of the library staff took up that opportunity.

*Pictured is brave Hiku holding the very large python.*



## HOLBROOK LANDCARE

**Biodiversity Conservation Trust tenders for conservation** opened this week.

The NSW Government invested in a Trust Fund for native vegetation protection on private land as part of the reforms in 2017. This funding is available for landholders to long term (in-perpetuity or long term 15+ agreements) protect and manage native vegetation on their properties for conservation in return for an annual "stewardship" payment. The eligibility criteria will be available on the Holbrook Landcare website when the EOI opens – likely to be a minimum ha and there will likely be priority areas and vegetation types. Sites that are already fenced or under current agreement with Landcare or the MLLS may still be eligible as long as you are agreeing to longer term agreement on them. This is different to other programs in that funding is a "stewardship" payment given annually to the landholder for the length of the agreement, which may be forever. This is a chance for areas of native vegetation to earn an annual income for your farm and diversify your farm business. On submission of an EOI (which will be open for three weeks from Oct 22<sup>nd</sup>), the conservation sites are assessed by the BCT staff (Dec/Jan 2019) and a conservation value established. A tender involves the landholder putting in a bid as to what the annual management of the site is worth to them. **Holbrook Landcare Board:** With the AGM for Holbrook Landcare coming up next month, nominations are open for interested people to become involved in the Board. Please contact the office if you would like to complete a nomination form. Further information is in the advertisement in this issue of Holbrook Happenings.

## CARABOST CAR BOOT SALE

The Carabost car boot sale was great fun and for our first effort we did very well. The event was supported by stall holders selling all sorts of things as well as produce and we had people come from all over to browse. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves and we've had some good feedback. Thanks Carol Patrick secretary of Carabost Hall Committee.



**ANGLICAN NEWS** Our Open Gardens was an outstanding success two weekends ago. We would like to express our very great thanks to all the people who opened their gardens up for it. Also to the Quilt Show hosts and all others who contributed or participated in order to make it such a successful weekend for the whole town. This coming Friday is our Flower Show. It's open from 11:30am – 3.00pm in the Shire Hall. Lunch is available for \$20 or contact Ken Hulme to order a delivered meal for \$15. For more info pick up a Flower Show information booklet (schedule) from the Church or Op-shop or other shops around town.

## HOLBROOK SPORTING COMPLEX BOARD

At the Complex AGM, held last week, Stephen Parker was re-elected as President, with Russell Ross as Vice-President and Marylou Hodges taking on the position of Secretary/Treasurer. Resignations were received from Liz Papworth, Tony Emerson and Ian Wettenhall and the many years of service these people have given to the Sporting Complex was acknowledged. Member clubs are reminded that they need to be represented at least 2 meetings each year in order to have voting rights at the Sporting Complex meetings. **Next meeting - 7.30pm Monday 3 December at the RS Club.**

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## CARE URGED DURING THUNDERSTORM ASTHMA SEASON

People prone to respiratory conditions are being urged to take extra care as the start of thunderstorm season approaches. Murrumbidgee Local Health District Director Public Health Unit Tracey Oakman has urged asthma sufferers and people with breathing problems to take extra precautions during the next four weeks.

"Even if you don't have asthma, you should take extra care because airborne pollens are at their highest levels at this time of year," Mrs Oakman said. "Where possible avoid being outside during thunderstorms over the next four weeks. Parents should be vigilant to keep their children inside during storms, with the doors and windows closed."

In Melbourne in 2016, about 3,600 more people than usual presented to hospital and nine died from asthma attacks after a severe thunderstorm.

"Thunderstorms cause pollen grains to explode and release fine particles which can be inhaled deeply into the lungs, causing even more people to wheeze and sneeze. Anyone with diagnosed asthma should carry their asthma medication with them at all times during this high risk period."

The Public Health Unit will be monitoring thunderstorm activity and pollen count levels and issuing alerts at these high risk times. "If you have asthma, make sure you have an asthma action plan and are proactively managing your symptoms. "It's also important for people to know Asthma first aid, so they can help family and friends when they need it."

**The four steps to remember are:**

- **sit the person upright;**
- **give four separate puffs from their reliever puffer;**
- **wait four minutes and if there's no improvement, give four more puffs; and**
- **if there's still no improvement, dial 000.**

Breathing difficulties can be life threatening. In the event of an asthma emergency dial triple zero (000) immediately.

Charles Sturt University (CSU) has set up a SMS alert system when the pollen counts are high and thunderstorms are predicted. To register go to: <https://science.csu.edu.au/asthma>



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## ART & GARDENS BIG WEEKEND

A local was heard to say over the weekend of 13/14 October "Holbrook was buzzing". Between 350 and 400 people visited the town for the Art & Gardens weekend. Friday night saw the opening of the Rotary Art Show with a wonderful display of paintings and art in various media. Ten Mile Creek Gardens were a hive of activity on Saturday with the Markets, The Miniature Train running, a jumping castle and face painting.

Across the road the Art Show was open in the Shire Hall and right next door in the Anglican Hall a Quilt Showcase of no less than 90 quilts, many from the local Holbrook area. Margo's Mobile Coffee van was kept very busy and a Devonshire tea served on old fashioned crockery added that extra touch.

There were 6 gardens open: Prue Paton at Oxton, Gail & Ian Davis at Old Thomond, Jane & Stephen Bunyan at Innisfail, Leanne & Stuart Hulme at Binginwarri, Anne & John Cox at Beecher's Brook and Sally Williams and Ross Morton at Mt Annan.

Visitors came from Albury, Wagga, Corowa and Corryong and everywhere in between. Basket lunch, BBQ and wood fired pizzas were available in some gardens and visitors also enjoyed the offerings of our local eateries.

An added touch to fit with the event name Art & Gardens was to find some of our local artists setting up their easels or sketchbooks to record the flowers, foliage and vistas before them. All in all a wonderful weekend.



*Above: Russell Ross, David Morton & Nick Lodge catch up at the Art Show Opening. Below: Art Group ladies - Kate Locke, Heather Kovac, Wendy Swan & Joe Gammage at the Art Show Opening.*



*Above: Liz Keogh & Gail Davis at the Quilt Show. Below: Sally Williams & her mother at Mt Annan.*



## MEN'S SHED UPDATE

I will start off with some good news this issue. We were one of the lucky recipients of a Federal Government grant, although we only received less than half of what we applied for, we will still make good use of the money.

Several of our members went to Wagga Wagga Men's Shed last month, for the opening of Men's Shed Week. Wagga Shed was also "Shed of the Year". They have a huge area and membership, they have wood and metal workshops, bee keeping and a huge veggie garden. They brew their own beer and ginger beer, and they also have a large library and computer room. We are all suffering from shed envy.

Our own shed is moving along quite well with money from the grant and money we have raised we will be getting a large shipping container as a storage area and also we will make one end of it a welding and metal workshop. We have also welcomed a couple of new members to our shed, and had a few enquiries from prospective members.

The markets in Ten Mile Park were a good day for us as we were the only one selling sausage sandwiches, so we cornered that market. The money is already spent from the day on two new cordless drills, so we would like to thank all of our loyal customers.

As always I will finish with an invitation to any men that might like to join us. We are open on Wednesdays and Thursdays from about 0830 till about 1300 or 1 pm.

## HOLBROOK PUBLIC SCHOOL

A huge welcome back to Term 4, which promises to be very busy. Our calendar is full of many activities and events that provide all at Holbrook Public with a very fulfilling last term.

What a success our **Whole School Performance** was! Every child performed for large and appreciative audiences. The behind the curtain scenes were extremely busy, with many hurried costume changes happening, and props being removed and added. The Academy Award winning performances by Year 6, showed poise, comedic timing, dedication and sheer pleasure and enjoyment in being part of the production. A huge amount of preparation was required, and each and every student and teacher in the school contributed their expertise and labour. Thank you! Ideas are already being bandied around for next year!



On Wednesday 17 October, our school played host to author, **Ian Trevaskis** of Tallangatta. He spoke about how he went about writing books and how budding authors could apply the same techniques. The whole school enjoyed the experience. Thank you to Ali Cowie for organising this event for us, and for being very flexible regarding wet weather.

**Super 8's** took place at Culcairn Public School on Friday 19 October. Forty-five children attended the day, and as always performed extremely well and showed excellent sportsmanship.

The **Rotary Art Show** allowed all children at Holbrook Public to contribute an art piece for exhibition. This is another area where each child was given the opportunity to show their skills and artistic side. We all really appreciate the time and effort our parents and

helpers put into serving meals. Thank you so much. All staff participated in **Planning Days** in the first week of term to hone skills, share information and expertise and work collegially. It was an extremely beneficial exercise, in that sharing of ideas allows teachers to understand what we do well and what directions we need to pursue in order to continue to grow, academically, socially and emotionally.

Our two sporting stars, Sam de Steiger and Angus Wright, attended the **Riverina Cricket Trials**. They both performed brilliantly, and Sam was chosen to represent Riverina later in the term. Well done boys, we're really proud of you.

In the next fortnight, there is much to look forward to. Mr Fisher, Miss Lavis and Mrs Wedgwood will be attending **Curiosity and Powerful Learning** training. This is a two-year professional learning program, providing the school with structures to celebrate what teachers do well, and to create a journey for schools to move forward.

Also happening in the following weeks is the **Kindergarten Orientation Treasure Hunt** on October 23, the **Proud and Deadly Awards**, where we celebrate the success and recognise the excellence and achievement of six of our Aboriginal students on October 25, and on October 26, we look forward to celebrating **Grandparents Day** with an assembly and barbecue. Keep some time free on October 28 for a **Working Bee**, from 8:00 to 11:30. Such a lot happening!

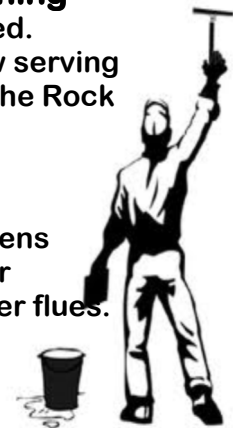
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## ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

**Socktober:** Year 6 Mission Leader Hannah, together with school leaders, are arranging a fund fundraising activity with a focus on the Catholic Mission theme of "Healing a Nation through Education". Funds raised through our activities will go to support education in the nation of Myanmar. Whilst having fun, we also invite our students to wonder about the importance of education as a path to dignity, opportunity and peace for the people of Myanmar.

**Milo T20 Cricket:** On Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October four teams participated in the Milo T20 Cricket carnival in Culcairn. Playing modified rules designed to focus on participation and inclusion for all, the day was a fun, interactive way for all students to enjoy cricket. Our thanks to the teachers and parents who came to support us.

**Rotary Art Show:** Throughout the week all students took the opportunity to visit the Holbrook Rotary Art Show. Students displayed works of art that they have worked on during the year, and we enjoyed seeing the works of the many talented artists who displayed their amazing work. A special thank you to our Stage 3 students Hannah and Libby, along with Hope Mackinlay and past student Hiraiina who waitressed at the Art Show opening night, flying the flag for St Pats proudly.

**Creative Catchment Kids:** On Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October Paula Sheehan from Holbrook Landcare and Stacey Bell and Owen Dunlop from Wirraminna visited our school to talk about how to take care of our land and natural environment. Excitingly, our Stage 3 students will venture to two local farms to find out how the farmers are working to help Landcare in their work to protect the environment. Our students will use these visits as fact-finding missions to work on a body of writing and photographs to be collated into a book, this exciting project will run all through Term 4 and we look forward to sharing the results with our school and community.

**Sporting Success:** A terrific effort by stage 3 student Scarlet Galvin at MacKillop Athletics late last term saw her finish 1<sup>st</sup> in high jump. Scarlet also made the Finals in 100m & 200m, finishing 8<sup>th</sup> in both events. Scarlet will now compete at the NSW PSSA athletics on 1<sup>st</sup> November in this event. She is also part of our PP5 relay team with Cruz, Oscar and Eli. We wish them all the best in Sydney.



## BILLABONG HIGH SCHOOL

**Japanese Excursion:** Last term on 27<sup>th</sup> September the Japanese 9/10 Elective class went to the Zen X restaurant in Albury to experience Japanese cuisine and practice our language (and chopstick) skills.

We used our skills that we learnt over the term to order a variety of Japanese meals. The meals were tateno oishii: karee katsu, sushi, ramen, miso soup and other things. Using our skills in an authentic situation was enlightening and tanoshii!

**Motorbike Course:** On 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> September, the senior Primary Industries class with Mrs Toogood attended the Wagga TAFE Primary Industries Centre to complete the practical components

of 2 units of study: Operate Quad bikes and Operate 2 wheel motor bikes. Several enjoyable hours were spent riding where students learnt many new skills on handling bikes safely and confidently. They also learnt basic maintenance and care of motorbikes.



## HISTORY QUIZ

**Previous Who am I?** I died in Henty in 1935, my son had an Albury menswear shop, and was the first president of the Albury and District Football League. He founded the Albury Rovers (Holbrook played a prominent part in the League).

Ron Nolan won the Best & Fairest Medal [the Stavely Medal] in 1936, playing for Cookardina, Jim Kendall won the Carlton Brewery Medal in 1938, playing for Holbrook, runner-up in the medal count in 1939.

The war cut the season short in 1940. After the war in 1947 Charlie Craig, the Cookardina captain won the Carlton Brewery Medal, with Eric Heather and Brian Brennan close behind. Brian Brennan won the medal in 1948 and in 1949, he tied with Des Donkin in 1950. Another local mentioned in the Holbrook team in 1950, was Ron Trescowthick.

In 1951 Holbrook defeated Culcairn in the Grand Final, 12.19 [91] to 9.8 [62] Ron Bunyan and Brian Brennan were equal second in the medal count. In 1952 Ron Bunyan, of Cookardina, won the Baz Medal.

Who was the founder of the Albury & District Football League? **Answer:** Jane Tonge Vivian died at Henty in 1935, her son was Alexander Dundas Vivian.

**Who am I?** I died in Culcairn in February 1966, served three years in the Navy, was Deputy Culcairn Shire President and donated the Best & Fairest Medal in the Farrer League.



## LIBRARY AUTHOR VISIT

On Wednesday morning Holbrook Library hosted author Ian Trevaskis, who hails from Tallangatta. Usually the local schools walk to the library for such visits but due to rain forecast we took Ian to the schools.

Ian has written a number of children's books including Hopscotch (pictured), and a new book, 'Edge of the World' which is a story about grief and darkness and the power of art and colour to bring light back into a person's life. It is a lovely story.

Ian was warmly received by St Patrick's and Holbrook Public Schools. I hope the students enjoyed the visit and are now more inspired in their reading and writing.



## Are You Aware of the AIDER Program?

Aider stands for "Assistance for Infirm, Disabled and Elderly Residents". It is a **one-off free service** provided by NSW Rural Fire Service volunteers to assist in the reduction of bush fire hazards for aged and disabled members of the community.

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## LOCAL POLOCROSSE CHAMPIONS

Thirteen members of local Albury-Holbrook Polocrosse Club were selected to play at the recent National Championships in Perth WA.

*Subjuniors U12:* Jim Henry and Charlie Ireland, *Juniors U16:* Kasey Henry and Will Ireland, *Intermediates U21:* Hugh Anderson, *Senior Teams:* Jim Grills, Lucy Grills, Matt Davison, Abbott Grills, Lauren Sibley, Islay Young, Katie Wills.

*Masters Men:* Charlie Grills.

NSW had great success winning 7 of 12 divisions and all the locals were involved in finals for their divisions. They brought home a swag of team and individual player prizes some of which included Jim Grills, Best Number 1 player, Hugh Anderson Best Horse & Rider, Islay Young Best Number 3 and Abbott Grills with the mare "Berragoon Percussion" winning Overall Champion Horse for the third successive Nationals. Emma Piltz of Jugiong Club was selected to the NSW Junior Girls Team and came home with a Best Number 2 award.

The convoy of horse trucks and caravans across the Nullarbor and back had other travellers stopping and asking questions and was a mini boom for the towns and WA Quarantine.

Along the way we looked for whales off the cliffs, rode the horses on the beach at Ceduna and all wondered .... 'What possessed that bloke to walk and tow his cart across the Nullarbor'? ... he's probably still out there somewhere.

The weather in Perth was.....changeable ...with what seemed like semi-cyclonic winds for several nights and everything from fog, sun, rain and wind during the days. A great contingent of support crew also made the trek; friends and family either flew or drove to cheer on teams which all added to a great atmosphere at the week-long Championships.

Horses and travellers are now home safely and enjoying a well-earned break until next season. Starting in March and escalating quickly in April with the 2019 World Cup in Warwick QLD. Held every 4 years the Australian World Cup team of 8 players has just been announced and includes three!! of our local club members: Lucy Grills, Jim Grills and Abbott Grills.



*NSW players assembling for the Grand Parade*

*Albury-Holbrook Members at Shirt Presentation Dinner.*



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## MEAL ON WHEELS NEWS

Jenna and I attended the NSW Meals on Wheels State Conference in Sydney last Wednesday and Thursday. Along with Karen from Albury MOW, Vicki & Pam from The Rock MOW and Judy from Wentworth Balranald MOW, we drove to the venue at Penrith Panthers. We heard from very informative speakers and presenters and have come home with lots of new ideas and innovations. Watch out over the next few months as we implement some of these great ideas into programmes and communities! After 9 years with Holbrook Meals on Wheels Service we say goodbye this week to Lyn, our coordinator and one of our gentle exercise leaders. We thank Lyn for her years of dedication and hard work, as well as her commitment to our client's welfare and outcomes. Why not come along next week to our **Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October** at the Library meeting room? (Don't worry you won't be given a job, unless you want one. We have nominations for positions). Guest Speaker is Tammy Cabban from The Seniors Rights Service. Tammy is an advocate and education officer with the service and will give us some information on rights and seeking assistance. You are invited to come along and everyone is more than welcome to attend. The meeting will be followed by morning tea. If you are planning on coming along please RSVP to 6036 3677 (just for catering numbers).

## TENNIS

A blustery day for the tennis players plus a bit of rain through the area last Saturday saw 3 close matches for the Holbrook tennis club which resulted in 3 wins on the day.

Sect 4 opened their account by defeating the Jindera Jaguars at the Holbrook courts to the tune of 85 to 40 games. Holbrook's Indi Paton and Layne Parker were dominant on the day not losing any sets and Tom Parker and Riley King improving during the match and will benefit from the outing. Well done kids. Sect 3 White hosted Jindera Giants and a close result which came down to the last sets. Both the men's and ladies' sets were evenly matched and with only 1 Holbrook player over 17 years of age playing, the team won 3 of the last 4 sets to clinch the point. Ben Parker won all his matches to be the stand out. Sect 2 Gold also hosted a Jindera team and in another tight contest were victorious 76 to 68 games. Holbrook ladies were the difference being 25 games up in their 6 sets. Megan Smith won all her sets on the day and with Jindera winning 3 of the last 4 sets there may have been a few nervous moments but the Brookers prevailed. Sect 2 Green travelled to Henty and in a high scoring result saw the Henty team win the match in the last sets 77 to 72 games. The sect 3 Blue were set to travel to Howlong but couldn't muster enough numbers and were forced to over a forfeit.

Annual Subs are now due, please give these to team captain with name and amount paid.

The weekly Wednesday evening hit up is proving popular, everyone is welcome to have social hit or a few sets and refreshments after.

This weekend's matches include Sect 2 Green away to Walla Nth Walla, Sect 2 Gold away to Table Top, Sect 3 White away to Table Top, Sect 3 Blue at home to Gerogery and sect 4 away to Henty White.

## WOMEN'S BOWLS

A very successful tournament was held in September with 24 teams entered from around the district. Winner - R. Gay (Kiewa), Runner-Up - H. Richards (Lavington) Congratulations to Ann Aird, Pam Kaletta & Jo Merkel on reaching the second round of the State Triples at Taren Point. Well done ladies!

Congratulations to Poppy Musgrave, Ann Aird, Pam Kaletta & Jo Merkel on winning the Riverina District Shield. Well done ladies!

**Club Fours:** Winners - Poppy Musgrave, Pauline Cheney, Anne Byron & Pam Seymour. Runners - Up - Marj Winnett, Ailsa Murdoch, Cathy Jones & Jo Merkel. Pam Kaletta & Pam Seymour will be playing in the Friendly Games at Hay this week. Good bowling ladies!

**Social Bowls:** Winners - 26<sup>th</sup> September - Marlene Thurling & Jo Merkel. 3<sup>rd</sup> October - Ann Byron, Jenny Parer & Graham Merkel. Tournaments at Commercial Club, Kiewa & North Albury have been attended by members.

## HOLBROOK RS CLUB MEN'S BOWLS

Firstly, a reminder for those who would like to participate in Twilight Bowls commencing Wednesday 31 October, entries close Sunday 28 October.

Two rounds of Odewhan Shield have been completed with a comprehensive loss to a strong Henty side followed by a good win over The Rock. Club competition continues with the second round of Consistency (winners P Stead, I Meiklejohn and T Liddell) and handicap singles (winners P Stead, T Liddell, C Wallace and I Meiklejohn) being completed.

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### October 2018

- Wed 24 Men's Shed 8am-12 noon  
**Holb Art Group 5.30pm Ph: 0488 062 669**
- Thu 25 Storytime Library 11am  
**Women's Health Clinic @ Hospital**  
Knitting Group @ LilyLu Creations 10.30am  
**Men's Shed 8am-12 noon**  
Rotary Club Meeting 6.30pm RS Club
- Fri 26 **Anglican Flower Show @ Shire Hall**
- Sat 27 Liam Mohr Charity Golf Day
- Sun 28 **Miniature Train runs 10am - 4pm**  
Holbrook RS Club AGM - 2.00pm
- Mon 29 **Crafty Hands 10.30am-12.30pm@7 Fleet St**
- Tue 30 Homework Club 3.30pm  
**Probus Club of Holbrook Meeting 10am**  
Billabong High School P&C 7.00pm
- Wed 31 **Meals on Wheels AGM 10.30am @ Holbrook Library Complex**  
Men's Shed 8am-12 noon  
**Holb Art Group 5.30pm Ph: 0488 062 669**  
Twilight Social Bowls commences 6.00pm

### November 2018

- Thu 1 **Music Fun @ Harry Jarvis Wing**  
Knitting Group @ LilyLu Creations 10.30am  
**Men's Shed 8am-12 noon**  
Free Computer Training 2.30pm @ Library Complex  
**Rotary Club Meeting 6.30pm RS Club**
- Fri 2 Lankeys Creek Happy Hour 6.30pm  
**Lily Lu Creations 2pm**
- Sun 4 Holbrook RS Club Car Boot Sale  
**Holbrook Football Club AGM 3.00pm @ Sporting Complex**
- Mon 5 Lily Lu Creations 10.30am  
**Little Billabong CWA 1.30pm @ Tammy Williams' house**
- Tue 6 Melbourne Cup Day  
**Homework Club 3.30pm**
- Wed 7 Men's Shed 8am-12 noon  
**Holb Art Group 5.30pm Ph: 0488 062 669**  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Thu 8 **Storytime Library 11am**  
Knitting Group @ LilyLu Creations 10.30am  
**Men's Shed 8am-12 noon**  
Rotary Club Meeting 6.30pm RS Club

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### STEWART, Alfred William

19/06/1933 ~ 20/10/2018

Passed away peacefully at the Harry Jarvis Wing aged 85.

Loving husband of Colleen (dec'd).  
Father to Joy, Leonie, Joe, Louise  
and their families.

*Always in our Hearts*

*See Border Mail for funeral details*

### Holbrook Football Club

#### AGM

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November - Starting at 3pm

At the Holbrook Sporting Complex

All welcome

### Holbrook Netball Club AGM

to be held on

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm  
at the Sporting Complex.

ALL WELCOME! We need as many people in attendance to ensure the continued running of our Club in 2019 and beyond.



### Holbrook Landcare Network Annual General Meeting

8.00am Thursday, 15<sup>th</sup> November 2018

at the Holbrook Landcare Office,  
128 Albury St, Holbrook

Chairman's Report; Financial Report;  
Appointment of Directors

We welcome all members attendance and input,  
and are actively seeking new nominations to the  
Board.

If you can't attend the meeting but would like  
another Holbrook Landcare member to represent  
you by proxy, please contact the office for a Proxy  
Form.

### Twilight Social Bowls

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October, 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> November 2018

Teams of 4 - time to commence 6.00pm

\$5/player/night includes sausage in bread

Teams (including contact name and phone number) to  
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## HOLBROOK NETBALL CLUB

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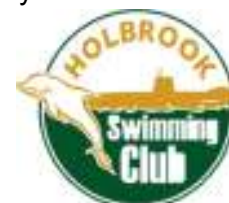
**Squad Training:**

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Commencing 3.45pm Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Nov

**Pointscore:**

Commencing 5.30pm Friday 16<sup>th</sup> Nov

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Enquiries:

Club Secretary Margot Pitzen 0407 658 401  
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