

HOLBROOK HAPPENINGS

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2022 LIMOUSIN NATIONAL SHOW & SALE COMES TO TOWN



Last week the Holbrook Sporting Complex was a hive of activity with Holbrook hosting the National Show for Limousin cattle. It is believed that this is the first time that the event has been held outside of a regional centre and was a wonderful opportunity to showcase both the town and the potential for the facilities.

Stud cattle exhibitors from Western Australia, South Australia, Victoria and NSW spent the week preparing and showing their animals, with a large number of spectators attending the show on Thursday, and even more watching the livestream of the event. The program concluded on Friday with an auction, held inside the enclosed livestock pavilion.

It is hoped that after seeing what is available in Holbrook, other cattle breed groups may be encouraged to follow suit. Being able to host such an event was made possible through several funding sources, which enabled an upgrade of the livestock precinct on the grounds, together with assistance from Greater Hume Council and an enormous number of volunteer hours to overhaul the old rodeo area and turn it into a show arena.



(Above) Cattle being prepared for showing in the new cattle stalls.

(Top photo) Judging in the new outdoor ring.

Community Invitation

Residents of Holbrook and District Community are invited to the opening of the:

Holbrook Sporting Complex Access and Inclusion Project

Time: 9.30 am
Date: Friday, 13 May 2022
Venue: Holbrook Sporting Complex
Young Street, Holbrook

Proudly funded by Australian Government, NSW Government, Holbrook Sporting Complex Committee, Holbrook Football and Netball Club, AFL NSW and Riverina Water.

Light refreshments will be served following official opening.

RSVP: Kerrie Wise, 02 6036 0186 or
kwise@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au
by Monday 9 May 2022



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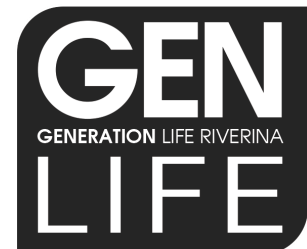
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A CONVERSATION WITH AUTHORS

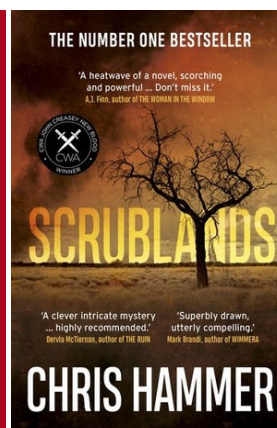
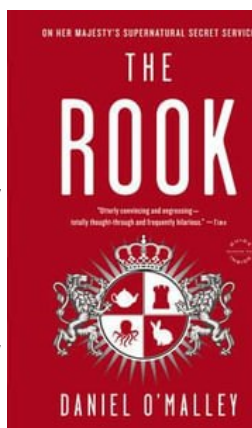
Last Saturday Ali and Dom spent the afternoon in Tumbarumba listening to three best-selling authors in conversation at the Tumbarumba Art Gallery. Sulari Gentill, Chris Hammer and Daniel O'Malley conversed together about their writing life. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed listening and being a part of the conversation. All three authors were interesting and entertaining.

Chris Hammer shot to success with his debut fiction novel *Scrublands* which many of our borrowers have read.

Daniel O'Malley was less known to the group but all are now keen to read his books in the hope that they match his flamboyant personality. His novel *The Rook* can be reserved from the library.

Sulari Gentill, who lives in Batlow, won our hearts. A beautiful, intelligent and engaging person.

She is best known for her Roland Sinclair series. Her tenth book in this series has just been released. Library members can borrow the books in this series both by reservation and on Borrowbox. Just like Sulari, the main character Roly is sure to win a few hearts.



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LIBRARY OUTREACH WITH HOSTEL

Residents of the Holbrook Hostel enjoyed making sock bunnies through an outreach activity with the Holbrook Library, due to Covid restrictions and being unable to attend work shops at the library at the moment. The residents were thrilled to be a part of a community activity. During Covid the residents have missed being able to go out in the community whether it is to take part in community events or workshops at the library. We are thankful to be included in this project. If you have some spare time and would like to volunteer at our facility please call Sandra or Robyn on 6036 2817 during work hours.



WOOLPACK INN MUSEUM TOUR

The Holbrook Lions Club invites anyone who is new to town, or interested in our local history, to a tour of the Woolpack Inn Museum on 28th May at 2.30pm. This "Meet and Greet" tour and afternoon tea is sponsored by Holbrook Lions Club. Bookings are essential. RSVP by 23rd May, to Gail on 0467 852 409 or in person at 79 Albury St, or 85 Albury St.



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HOLBROOK LANDCARE

Carbon Training Workshop: We were very lucky to have Prof Richard Eckard in town last week to deliver 1½ days of training on Carbon in Agriculture and the use of the GAF tools to benchmark farm emissions. First step on the road to net zero is knowing where you are. The group was a mix of regional landcare/farming system group and Murray LLS staff and HLN members. Building Landcare's knowledge and skills for our members and communities.

Farm Succession workshops: Dr Mike Stevens, Director and Senior Consultant of Meridian Agriculture was the presenter of the Farm Succession Planning workshops held at Tumberumba and Culcairn a couple of weeks ago. Both sessions attracted many farming families, along with leading bank representatives from the Rural Financial Counselling Services.

Dr Stevens said that "Dividing the farm, so that everyone gets what they need, is becoming increasingly challenging". "Even when families have planned well and invested off-farm or in shares to provide for non-farming members of the family, these assets haven't increased in value as much as the farm."

The Farm Succession workshops addressed the issues involved in a succession plan and take participants through the steps to develop a plan. Today, farming families want to ensure a fairer division of assets. Older generations also want to hand over the farming business while they have the time – and money – to enjoy their retirement.

These workshops were run by Holbrook Landcare Network, in conjunction with the Farm Business Resilience Program (FBRP), funded by the Australian Government's Future Drought Fund and the NSW DPI and Local Land Services

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Term 2 commences Tues 3rd May 2022

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GRIMWOOD'S

Grimwood's Craft Shop and Tea Room is back for its annual **Mothers' Day Morning Tea** on **Saturday 7th May from 10.30am.**

Come south of the Germanton Bridge to 83 Albury Street (next to the Woolpack Inn Museum) for freshly made scones, jam & cream with a pot of tea or coffee. Bring your Mum, Grandma, Nanna or Nona for a lovely morning tea with family and friends.

We will also be having a Cake Stall and a Plant stall. Mothers Day flower bouquets will also be available for sale.

Forgotten something for Mum? Have a look at our vast range of hand made crafts inside - you may find something for Mum or even that new baby! Our shop is very full with many new and varied items for sale.

Hope to see you there this Saturday.

Any enquiries, please call 0427 000 484.

PROBUS

Numbers were a little better this month. Hopefully they will keep building up. A reminder to any members who haven't yet renewed, dues need to be paid at the May meeting please.

Our guest speaker was Lindy Philpot who gave us a fascinating account of her career and time with the SES. Thank you Lindy.

On Tuesday 17th May a trip to Albury Commercial Club has been proposed for the Don Costa show. Don Costa is well known Country & Western singer & song writer. Cost is \$30 per head, which covers bus costs and entry to the show. This will be collected on the day. After the show we will have lunch at own expense. The bus will leave at 9:30am from the RS Club and return in time for the school run.

We do need more numbers so if you have any friends/neighbours who would like to come, all will be welcome! As seats have to be booked names will need to be in to Cathy Jones by Friday 6th May Phone Cathy on 0484 561 638 to book your spot if you haven't already done so. Looking forward to a great day out!

Next meeting Tuesday 31st May at 11:00am at the RS Club.

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WOOLPACK INN MUSEUM

We recently had the privilege of hosting visits over 3 days from the 6 year one classes from the Wodonga Primary School. In total 134 students accompanied by teachers and assistants visited us as part of their "Then and Now" study. After visiting the Museum for a couple of hours the children headed to the Ten Mile Creek Gardens to have their lunch before returning home. The children were very enthusiastic and would like to make this an annual event.

Recently we received a generous donation of herbicide from Elders Holbrook. As you can imagine it is a huge job to keep the grounds of the Museum in order and this donation will certainly help. We would like to thank Elders for their generosity.

Earlier this month two of our Committee members travelled to the Albury Museum to be trained in the use of the equipment that will be used to digitise part of our collection. This training will be very useful when our turn comes to have our items digitised.

New volunteers at the Museum are always welcome. Call in and see our Caretaker Bert or phone our Secretary on 0488 062 669.

MEN'S SHED

Hi from the Men's Shed. A big thank you to our supporters. We had a very successful fundraiser cake stall and wood raffle last Thursday. Mrs Jean King was the winner of the raffle. Also thanks to the ladies that made and donated the cake and slices. Everything was sold so we didn't have anything to take home.

The money raised will go to the fit out of the shed. It will help pay for the insulation and lining the inside walls, which is a job which has to be done before Greg Tuck can complete the electrical work.

I will be away for about 6 to 8 weeks from the 11th May so all correspondence for the Men's Shed should be sent to Ray Hamilton or Dale Turner.

Rod Peters

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PLANT PICK PLATE Mothers' Day is Sunday 8th May and for those who have not seen the advertising or received a gentle hint by a mother, don't forget flowers. As my children live away, there are usually no visits, flowers or chocolates. As we all know flowers are synonymous with this tribute day, so looking out into my garden, which is predominately a productive garden, I search for blooms to place in a vase.

Years ago I bought a potted white chrysanthemum specifically for this purpose and later planted it in a garden bed. Each Mothers' Day since, it has provided me with multiple clusters of yellow flowers. I'm not a purest so any colour will do. Last year I fell in love with a potted Sasanqua Camellia which now has masses of petite soft pink, delicate blooms which I view from inside. But for my table I need to do a garden walk seeking floral cuttings.

The tall Canna Lillies are nearing the end of their flowering season and look a little sad but the nasturtiums are still producing vibrant colours as are the ground covering yellow and gold Calendula. The ruby Dianthus are peeping through the mass of tiny seaside daisies and the brilliant coloured star Gazinia flowers are both better left to bloom outside. I then focus on the contrast of colours created by the pure white Rose and the long purple spikes of the Russian Sage. Add some lush green foliage and there is your bouquet. The potted candy pink Begonia brought inside for a few days will be equally appealing.

Discovering that I have more flowers that first thought allows me to fill a vase for each room on my Mothers' Day, but nothing compares with receiving a cheery phone call from each of my children. **Passionate Gardener, June.**

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New Staff: It is with great excitement that we introduce two new members of staff to our community. We openly welcome these members of staff, both with invaluable experience and expertise. How lucky we are at HPS!!



Hello to the Holbrook community. My name is **Louise Purss-Semple** and I am starting this term as the new Principal of Holbrook Public School.

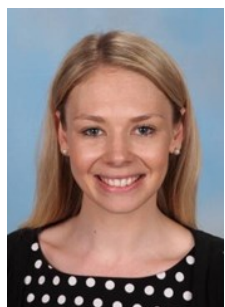
This is my first appointment as Principal, and I am looking forward to the challenge ahead

and building relationships with the staff, students, and the community.

I have worked for the NSW Department of Education my whole teaching career and I loved my time working in the classroom and have also worked in roles as Assistant Principal, Instructional Leader, and Relieving Principal. I grew up in Albury and have been involved in the Riverina throughout my teaching career and through sport. My family and I (husband and 3 children) are very active and heavily involved in lots of different sports and committees.

I am very excited to begin working collaboratively with staff, students, and the community to provide high-quality learning opportunities for the students at Holbrook PS.

My name is **Amelia White**, and I have had the



privilege of joining the amazing team at Holbrook Public School. I live in Albury and enjoy the daily drive to Holbrook. We are so blessed to be surrounded by such beautiful countryside. I have two daughters, Ava, six and Charlotte, two and a half. They certainly keep me on my toes! My husband Tim is also a teacher at Lockhart Central School.

At the end of last year, I was permanently appointed as Assistant Principal, Curriculum and Instruction. Literacy and numeracy skills are the keys to success across all curricula in our schools. To ensure all children and young people have a strong foundation in literacy and numeracy, deep content knowledge and confidence in their ability to learn, adapt and be responsible citizens, the department is introducing over 1,300 Assistant Principal, Curriculum and Instruction roles over

the next three years. The role is dedicated to lifting literacy and numeracy achievement by driving whole school improvement.

We are so impressed by the outstanding commitment to continuous professional growth by all teachers at Holbrook Public School. They are dedicated and open to learning through reflection on their practice. We have also thoroughly enjoyed meeting the beautiful students at our school and am so grateful for how they have welcomed us. We look forward to learning more about their areas of strength and how we can work alongside them and their teachers to assist them in reaching their full potential.

LITTLE BILLABONG CWA NEWS

Celebrating the 100 years of the CWA of NSW, our window display is on at Grandma's Closet, and also at the Op Shop across the street! Please have a look at both.

In one window at Grandma's closet, we have the **Holbrook Branch Baby Health Clinic** scales and sign- on loan from the Woolpack Inn Museum, an 85 year dress made by Mrs Lil Newton, a foundation member of the Cookardinia branch in 1937. There is also a tablecloth which was donated to that branch by Mrs Eleanor Hulme at their first meeting and, some wonderful sewing, knitting, crocheting, a fantastic fruit cake –which have all been made by today's members. On a table there are many books and papers to read about the history of the CWA of NSW and our two branches. Please sign the book while there. The display will be there until just before Mothers' Day!

Many thanks to Christine and Margaret at Grandma's Closet for the loan of their windows, to the Anglican Op Shop, and thank you to all who have loaned us items for the displays. It is very much appreciated by both Holbrook and the Little Billabong branches.

On 26 April we catered Spry's on-farm cattle sale. Our men, Barry, Ian, Colin and young Alex were wonderful BBQ cooks, and with Tammy, Bernadine & Elaine, we served about 200 yummy steak sandwiches. Thank you members.

A report on our stall on 30 April will appear in the next Holbrook Happenings. Thank you to all who donated goods. There will be a small report on the 100th State Conference - which began on 2nd May, and finishes on Thursday 5th.

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

It hasn't taken long to get back into the swing of things for Term 2! It was lovely to see several of our students don their school uniforms on ANZAC Day to represent our school at the Holbrook ANZAC commemorations. Jessica and Alana, our school captains, read a prayer and laid a wreath. They were all fantastic ambassadors for our school.



Our first day back we had the pleasure of welcoming Richard Landels, Advancement Director of Caritas Australia. Richard and a colleague departed Sydney on route for Melbourne on

23 April to take on the challenge of cycling over 900kms in 9 days. Their goal is to raise \$50000 to assist those less fortunate than us. Richard spoke to the children about the history of Caritas, and its mission to end poverty in many countries around the world. This gave some more context to the children on why we raise money each Lenten season for project Compassion.

On Thursday we were joined by Kim and Dale Turner from the RSL Holbrook Branch for our school ANZAC Day address. Kim and Dale were generous with their time staying back to answer questions from our senior students. The students (and teachers) were very curious about all things submarine, particularly the living conditions. Did you know there are no showers on submarines? Dale showed us photos of the crew swimming in the ocean from atop a submarine and Kim spoke about the difficulties in communication with submariners when they are deployed.

KINDERGARTEN CONVERSATIONS: Do you have a child due to start Kindergarten in 2023? Join an Early Childhood Trained Educator to discuss what to expect from Kindergarten, school readiness and the transition to school program. Where: St. Patrick's School, 145 Albury Street, When: Friday 6th May 9.30am, What: Enjoy morning tea whilst discussing Kindergarten with like-minded people.

Please RSVP 6036 2288 other times available on request

May God's Blessing be with you all

Melanie Dusterhoft Mavrick, Principal



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FROM THE ANGLICAN CHURCH

With Daylight Savings, the School Holidays, Easter, and Anzac Day now behind us, we move into a different season with Winter approaching. I find the warmer weather keeps us on the go and our days are full and busy, so I look forward to the shorter and more restful days of the cooler seasons.

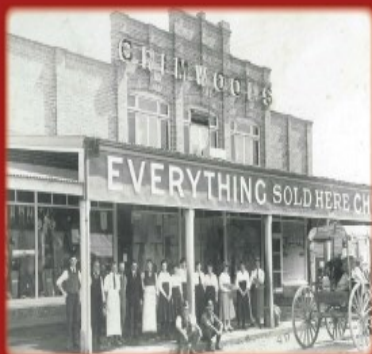
I once had a very busy and long summer and I exhausted myself, but I did not know why I kept making mistakes and was unproductive even though I worked harder? I discussed this problem with my Bishop, and he replied with these words of wisdom saying: *“God made us to be human BEINGS, not human DOINGS, therefore stop DOING and take time to BE.”*

I still remember these words as they have helped me to stop doing and to be still and be refreshed. Sometimes we must get out of the driver’s seat of life and let God have a turn at driving our life. Nature is a great teacher when we take in the difference between Summer and Winter as even the earth needs a rest. We enjoy wonderful summer fruits and the crops etc., however without winter the soil and plants would get weary and not produce as well.

When I was in Kenya at the end of their Summer, I helped pick Oranges which were green. I asked why we were picking green oranges, why not wait for them to turn Orange? They replied that the oranges are ripe and that they do not turn orange because on the Equator the days and nights are 12 hours long in summer and winter. Oranges need differing lengths of days to turn orange! The green oranges were delicious.

The Anglican Op-shop continues to be a blessing to our community and church. We receive many compliments from travellers about the Op-shop being spacious and clean, and having a vast variety of goods. Thank you for the positive remarks as work hard to be a positive and welcoming place. We are no longer accepting Barbeques.

Remember to take time out to be still and refresh yourself and let God have a go, it is OK to be still and just be, a Being. Best wishes from the Anglican Parish of Holbrook c/o Reverend Stephen Davis, 0429 845 525.



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NETBALL

Friday 6th May we are holding the HFNC Debutant ball. A huge thank you to Kristie Preston for all the time and effort you have invested in this. It's going to be such a special night for our beautiful debutants.

Results from 23 April (vs Howlong):

Under 11's All the girls played a really good game against a very tough team. The girls showed great sportsmanship and improved each quarter. Thanks to Edwina Barr- Smith and Arabella Pincott for filling in. **Awards:** Alira Coman - Body shop; Alexis Feltrin - Newsagency

Under 13's Howlong 11 vs Holbrook 22

3 from 3 and the girls are flying. Great game across the whole court and the girls are making the coach's job look very easy. **Awards:** Mia Boers - Sunshine and Gunpowder; Georgie Cardile - Holbrook Newsagency

Under 15's Howlong 36 vs Holbrook 20

Round 3 at Howlong was a tough game. They were a very strong little team and made our girls work hard. With playing in the heat it didn't do our girls any favours but one thing is certain that no one gave up. **Awards:** Pitzen Award— Molly Barr Smith; Urban Graze Award – Olivia Toll

Under 17's – Howlong 44 vs Holbrook 50

It was a hot day at Howlong, we had 9 players this week with two 15's girls sitting on the bench. **Awards:** Millie Hearn – Hello Maude; Molly Barr Smith – Sportspower

C Reserve – C Res went down against Howlong this week. A big shoutout to the coach Hope Mackinlay for her first game of the year - playing like she never left the court. **Awards:** Mug - Katie Ridley; Holbrook Bakery - Georgia Fay

C Grade Howlong 59 def Holbrook 24

Howlong was a tough challenge for C grade on Saturday. The effort all over the court were always there and the girls continue to have amazing attitudes despite the score. **Awards:** Mug—Georgie Seaton; Fuel Voucher—Shan Wishart

B Grade Round 3 was a nail bitter, the girls managed to hold the first half of the game with a few goals in it and then unfortunately let them slip away in the second half. **Awards:** Riverina Hotel -Gabrielle Robinson; Best on ground mug - Lara Pardey

A Grade- Howlong 52 def Holbrook 25

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These classes are run by MPH.N.

LADY GAIL'S TALES

The School Holiday—Easter Trading has been great.

It was great to have our traveler—customers—regulars, that we have not seen for 2 years over Covid, back on the road. Excited to see loved ones for the first time since lockdown. Pleased to see the faces behind counters that they remember and pleased to be recognized by those faces.

Lots of big smiles, laughter and fun after so long. The comments about our clean fresh country town and air. No floods, no bushfires. Just beautiful autumn.

Their comments of how lucky we are. Yes we are lucky we live in a great part of Australia. Yes we all have our ups and downs, downs and ups. Travelers appreciate the small countriness that is Holbrook. It refreshes them, fills them with a sense of wholesomeness and sends them safely on their way again. Well done Holbrook.



CRICKET

The Holbrook Cricket Club held its wind up & presentation day at the RS Club with the highlight being the celebration of the U13's Gold team premiership success. Congratulations to coach Rob Matthewson & all his players for their successful season. The Gold team members were Ryder McKillop, Cooper, Will & Fergus Glass, Ollie & Georgie Cardile, Liam & Izaak Matthewson, Charlie Mackinlay, George McCrohon & Jye Livermore.



Awards: U13's Gold Batting - Cooper Glass, Bowling - Isaac Matthewson, Fielding - Ollie Cardile, Most Improved - Georgie Cardile, Coaches - Ryder McKillop **U13's Green** Batting- Harry Greenhill, Bowling - Klay Liddell, Fielding - Isaac Bennetts, Most Improved - Eli Toll, Coaches- Jack Pitzen **U17's** Batting - Will Jenkyn, Bowling - Hamish Livermore, Fielding - Izak Schirmer, Most Improved - Tom Cox, Coaches- Ned Harrison **B Grade** Batting (Bert Haynes) - Seamus McKillop, Bowling (Peter Wornes) - Jayden Hucker, Fielding (Barry Wishart) - AJ Bender, Captains- Will Jenkyn **A Grade** Batting (Ian Taskis) - Lewis Bowen, Bowling (Ted Wornes) - Ben Parker, Fielding (Barry Wishart) - Charlie Harbison, Captains -Jett Liddell & Hamilton Black

Senior Cricketer of The Year (Heriot Family Shield) - Lewis Bowen. Lewis was Co-Captain of the A Grade team & led from the front with both bat & ball for his team.

Junior Cricketer of The Year (Harold Muller Shield) - Will Jenkyn. Will enjoyed a very successful season at both U16's & senior level.

President's Trophy - Rob Matthewson & Rose Bennetts. Rob & Rose have both made significant contributions to the cricket club over many years, & very much so this season.

GOLF

21 April Dad's Army 9 hole event: Winner Rick Tindall, 2nd Phil Spokes, 3rd Wolfgang Kaletta.

Veterans 18 hole event: Winner Alan Atherton, 2nd Wolfgang Kaletta. NTP's 9th Ben Parker, 10th James Ross, 14th Tony Castles, 16th Jet Liddell. Non -Vets winner Ben Parker.

28 April Dad's Army 9 hole event: Winner Wolfgang Kaletta, 2nd Lawrie Ryan, 3rd Tony Castles. **Veterans 18 hole event:** Winner Rick Tindall, 2nd James Ross. NTP's 5th Mick Smith, 10th James Ross, 16th Rick Tindall.

23 April Saturday Spray Winner Gordon Webb, 2nd Phil Spokes. No NTP's.

Monday 25th April 2x2 cross country: Winners Jade & Craig Rangi, 2nd Greg Gibbs & Phil Spokes.



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May 2022

- Fri 6 MOW Men’s Group outing to Hume Weir
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- Sat 7 Grimwood’s Craft Shop— Morning Tera & Mothers’ Day Stall
- Sun 8 **Mothers’ Day**
- Mon 9 Tai Chi commences 9.30am @ Library Complex
- Tue 10 **Bible study (“Babble” Genesis.11) 11am @ Knox Uniting Church**
Yoga @ Library Complex
- Wed 11 **Holbrook Central RFS AGM—7.30pm**
- Fri 13 Opening of new Function Building @ Sporting Complex 9.30am
OMNI 10.30am @ RS Club
- Sat 14 Polocrosse Carnival
- Sun 15 **Polocrosse Carnival**
Anglican Church Service—Holb 9.30am
Anglican Service—Woomargama 11am
- Tue 17 Yoga @ Library Complex
- Wed 18 **Holb. Sheep & Wool Fair—Schools’ Day**
- Thu 19 Holb. Sheep & Wool Fair—Open Competition Day
- Fri 20 **Holb. Sheep & Wool Fair—Group Final Young Judges Comp (morning only)**
Holb Working Dog Club Dog Trials @ HEC
- Sat 21 **Holb Working Dog Club Dog Trials @ HEC**
- Sun 22 Holbrook Working Dog Auction @ HEC
Anglican Church Service—Holb 9.30am
- Tue 24 Yoga @ Library Complex
- Fri 27 **OMNI 10.30am @ RS Club**
- Tues 31 Probus 11am @ RS Club
Yoga @ Library Complex

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7.30pm Wednesday 11 May
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Greater Hume Council has a number of superseded entrance and town signs. Community organisations or local residents can make an offer to purchase a sign from the superseded list. Go to <https://www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au/Newsroom/Current-News>, or call into any Council Office to view the list.





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*Successful applicants will be required to undertake a National Police Record Check. Full Covid -19 vaccination, including booster, Influenza vaccination, driver's license and use of own vehicle are also essential.

Salary and conditions are in accordance with the Social, Community, Home Care & Disability Services Industry Award 2010 (SCHADS Modern Award) and experience, commencing at \$29.12 per hour, plus applicable loading and allowances. Position Description and Criteria are available to interested applicants via email to:

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HOLBROOK MINIATURE RAILWAY THEFT

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Because of Covid, and the social distancing required, it has been very hard on members not able to run the trains for the enjoyment of all who come to ride it. Now, this has happened which is very disappointing.

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