

# HOLBROOK HAPPENINGS

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## ATTRACTING MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES TO RELOCATE TO THE MURRAY REGION FOR LIFESTYLE AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Two Information Sessions have been organised for community and prospective employers within Greater Hume, with all welcome: Tues 9 August at Henty Community Club @ 5.15pm to 7.00pm

**Tues 23 August at Holbrook Library @ 5.15pm to 7.00pm**

As part of a NSW Government pilot program to work with local communities to attract migrants and refugees to resettle in regional NSW, the Greater Hume community are invited to info sessions to learn more about this local project this month.

The focus for the three year pilot program is for people living in Western Sydney with the skills and aspirations to move to the region for employment and lifestyle opportunities. The overall aim is to provide migrants and refugees with the information and support they need to relocate to the region, and support Greater Hume communities to welcome newcomers and help them to thrive in the long-term.

Those that attend these consultation sessions will be updated on this pilot program by Murray GROW Taskforce members.

**Hear how your community can make a difference by being involved, as well as have any questions answered, and hear your feedback, to ensure that there is locally-led design and decision making occurring.**

Co-Chair of the Murray Taskforce, Andrew Kotzur of Walla Walla said “the NSW GROW program becomes a win-win for communities in terms of increasing diversity and clearly for businesses, it’s an opportunity for prospective employers. It’s no secret that there’s a shortage in the workforce, but it’s not without challenges, because housing is also very challenging at the moment. Individual communities can’t do this on their own, but working with Red Cross, Council, other support organisations together with the community and employers we are hoping to find solutions. I encourage any business or community member to attend one of these sessions, and hear about the potential benefits for the project within Greater Hume Council area” he added.

The NSW GROW Murray pilot program was formally launched in Walla Walla late June by the NSW Minister for Multiculturalism, the Hon Mark Coure.



To learn more about the NSW GROW pilot program <https://multicultural.nsw.gov.au/nsw-grow>

or contact Esiteli Nyirarukundo, the NSW GROW Murray Backbone Coordinator at [enyirarukundo@redcross.org.au](mailto:enyirarukundo@redcross.org.au)

*At the launch, Mayor Cr Tony Quinn, Deputy Mayor Cr Annette Schilg and Cr Ashley Lindner, with Esiteli Nyirarukundo, NSW GROW Murray Backbone Coordinator and Andrew Kotzur, Co-Chair NSW GROW Murray Taskforce.*

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## HOLBROOK 'HALFWAY DANCE'

The last weekend in June saw 130 square dancers descend on Holbrook for the third annual 'Halfway Dance'. The dancers travelled the distance between Vic, NSW, ACT and SA for a weekend packed full of dancing and events.

The square dancing, both mainstream and plus, started at 8pm on Friday 24-6 at the Town Hall. 10am Saturday morning saw the 'Halfway Olympics' once again greatly contested between NSW and Vic. NSW were the victors, taking home the Submarine trophy for the first time. After a lunch break the dancing shoes were back on for the afternoon session at 2pm.

The dancers enjoyed an early roast dinner and dessert at the RS club before once again hitting the dance floor for another three hours of dancing, followed by a light supper and entertainment.

Sunday morning 10am to 12pm was the last dance session for the weekend with a BBQ lunch before heading home for some whilst others took the afternoon to recover and travelled home Monday.

It was a great weekend of dancing and catching up with friends but also for Holbrook because 130 dancers stayed, ate and shopped.

Many have booked in for next year's dance when they checked out at their accommodation.

*Elizabeth the sole Holbrook square dancer.*



## PROBUS

Our July meeting had plenty happening!

Two gentlemen from the Henty Avondale Place Respite Care project plus some local members of the Local Health Advisory Committee and local council representative, Lea Parker attended to present the purpose and plan of the complex. Through major fund raising and Mercy Connect support, building of the complex is under way and hopes to be completed by mid- November. Emphasis was made that this centre will be open to anyone who has the need, not just for Henty residents.

Members requested another outing so on 16<sup>th</sup> August it is proposed we attend the morning show of Justin Standley, a multi-award winning Australian singer-songwriter at the Commercial Club Albury followed by lunch. These shows are very enjoyable. To keep costs down we will be travelling by private cars. Cathy Jones needs final numbers in the next week so if you haven't

already done so and wish to come please ring her on 0484 561 638. Neighbours and friends are most welcome to join us. At this stage we have enough cars but if you could help with transportation that would be appreciated.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> August at the RS Club at 11:00 am.

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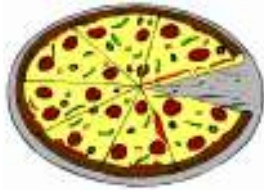




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Recently I did a forced tour of three hospitals starting in Holbrook, then Albury, and finally St Vincent's in Melbourne. During my time in all these facilities I was struck by one main thing all the staff had in common, they had "*compassion.*" I felt special as I was not neglected for a moment, and I was cared for in every detail and I was touched with the compassion that they lavished on me.

The word "*compassion*" is made up of two ancient words where, "*com*" means to be "*united with and or joined to people.*" The word "*passion,*" means. "*Being prepared to suffer with or for someone, even to the death.*" The example of Jesus' trial, flogging, carrying His cross to Calvary, and death, is referred to as the "*Passion of Christ,*" because He did it for us, not Himself.

Sometimes I hear people say, "I am passionate about the football or coffee," etc., and I must ponder, are they really prepared to suffer or die for such things? Compassion comes out of the need to meet other persons' needs, and compassion is the product of love. Jesus paraphrased the Ten Commandments when He said, "*Love the Lord God with all your heart and soul and your neighbour as yourself,*" living this great commandment requires us to have no compassion.

The thing about compassion is, that it can be given or withheld, and it can be received or rejected. I pray that everyone will receive and show compassion to all people. And do not forget to say thanks to those who show you compassion. The Anglican Op-Shop next to the Post Office has items of furniture that are often at very reasonable prices. We currently have a half price specials on ladies' jeans, pants, and shoes. Thank you for your support as all the profit stays in our community.

Our Sunday Service is at 9:30am, and you are welcome to join us for morning tea at 10:30am whether you come to the service or not.

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## WOOMARGAMA FUN DAY FUNDRAISER

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July, in our little town of Woomargama, one of our very own local families had their home destroyed by a fire. Nicko, Jess and Tex lost everything in their home that they held near and dear to them.

Immediately, they were surrounded by the support and kindness of people in and around Woomargama. People's generosity has been a credit to what our small community has to offer.

To assist Nicko, Jess and Tex with rebuilding their lives post this devastating fire, Woomargama locals have rallied together and are holding a fundraising event at the Woomargama Hotel on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2022. Proceeds from this day will go towards items and vouchers that the family require to get back on their feet.

**The day will commence at 12 noon and include loads of activities for young and young at heart, this will include:**

**Live Music from 12 noon into the evening**

**Jumping Castle**

**Face painting**

**Fairy Floss**

**Kids and Adult Team Games**

**Wooden Lawn Games**

**Sausage Sizzle**

**Raffles**

**Live Auction**

Members of our community and wider surrounding towns have been overwhelmingly generous which has allowed us to be able to run a large raffle on the day and to top it off we are hosting a live auction in the evening.

Raffle and Auction prizes will be advertised via Facebook when they are all confirmed, but we are sure that there will be something for

everyone and it will be a successful event in assisting our friends on their road to recovery.

Albury Return and Earn have generously set up bins at Woomargama Hotel and their Albury depot.

All items collected in these bins will receive 11c and proceeds going to Nicko, Jess and Tex. These bins will remain permanently at Woomargama Hotel and from September all funds will go into the Woomargama Community Support Fund.

We encourage everyone to come along and enjoy the day whilst contributing to a wonderful cause, showing how small communities rally together and support one another in times of need.



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Ever wondered why there is a life sized submarine in the middle of rural NSW? Take a stroll through the Holbrook Submarine Museum and find out how the HMAS Otway's final resting spot came to be in Holbrook.

Learn all about the brave young Submariner whose exploits during the First World War earned him the honour of having a town named after him. The Museum houses an amazing display of photos and submarine memorabilia including authentic submarine escape suits, a torpedo and even a genuine Jolly Roger flag. Watch the hologram show to learn how the submarine came to reside in Holbrook.



## HOLBROOK LANDCARE



**Refreshing the Upper Billabong Survey:** In the past couple of weeks, we have been out and about showing the consultants some values, issues and threats around our catchment as they work on the Waterway Management Plan, due out late October.

The Refreshing the Upper Billabong Community Survey has been out for a month, and we have had 18 responses. The consultants are taking that info to incorporate into the plan, as well as the Landcare knowledge and information from the landholders we met along the tour. It's not too late to return a survey or talk to us about it – the links are still live if you would like to participate. The next step is to compile the info to present back to the Advisory Group later in August.

**Prograze 2022/23:** Holbrook Landcare is working with both Murray & Riverina Local Land Services to deliver Prograze courses for 2022/23.

These are scheduled to commence in September and are now open for Expressions of Interest. If you would like to be included then please contact the HLN office. Further information will be available shortly, including cost to participate.

**Dates for the Diary, with further information to come:** Birds on Farm planting day - 14 August  
Connectivity Walk—11 September



*Above: Kylie was very pleased to finally see the famous “Sawyers Creek flume” – built in the early 90’s to address a very large headcut moving up the Sawyers Creek system.*

*Top: A stunning wetland in the Jerra Jerra Catchment*

## ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

**Pray:** Welcome back to Term 3

On Wednesday we commemorated NAIDOC. The theme of NAIDOC this year is Get Up, Stand Up, Show Up. Darren and Jordan accompanied us on a walk through the Ian Geddes Bushwalk where students had their faces painted and enjoyed their fruit break. Darren and Jordan spoke of the many features of the bushwalk and encouraged students to not only look around their surroundings but to listen.

On return to school Darren and Jordan led a Smoking Ceremony and Welcome to Country followed by a liturgy (prayer service).

**Live:** Students were challenged to live the theme of NAIDOC by taking a stand against bullying, to stand up for themselves and show pride in all that they do.

**Learn:**

Our rotational activities were again a hit! We made Johnny Cakes on the fire, built Traditional Shelters, participated in a Yarn Circle, listened to



Dreamtime Stories, played puzzles and had our names translated using Wiradjuri Language.

The students were thoroughly engaged, respectful and reverent throughout the whole day. Having not one but two Aboriginal School and Community Workers support our school in this space is an absolute gift.

Our students enjoyed their final AFL clinic thanks to a Term 2 grant from Sporting Schools Australia and were presented with a football each to practise the skills they learned throughout the workshops. Sporting Schools Australia grants allow our students to experience high quality workshops facilitated by trained coaches and also ensure we have the most up to date sporting equipment.

We have also received a grant for Term 3 which Miss Maroney utilised to add to our gymnastics equipment. The students will enjoy several weeks of gymnastics before taking to the dance

floor. We have engaged the services of an outside provider to provide dance lessons for students Kindergarten to Year 6!

And finally congratulations to our Relay Team who competed at the Dicoesan Athletics carnival in Albury. Alana, Connor, Annabelle and Jessica ran their hearts out!

May God's Blessings be with you always,  
*Melanie Dusterhoft Mavricks*



## NEW CULCAIRN CENTRE DIRECTOR

Margaret Ross is joining the team at Greater Hume's Culcairn Early Childhood Centre, as Centre Director. Manager Community Services, Lynnette O'Reilly said, "it is great to welcome Margaret who brings a wealth of experience and knowledge to the service.



She will be a valuable member of our Greater Hume Children Services team as we continue to provide ongoing education and care to our communities."

Margaret was born and raised in the Riverina, and has recently returned to live in the area again.

As a qualified Early Childhood Teacher, Margaret's working life has focussed on working with children, families and Educators, with further specialisation in children with disabilities. Most recently she has worked with Educators to support mental health promotion within early childhood settings. Margaret has interests in gardening, the bush and environment.

She is excited to be part of the Greater Hume Children's Services team, and looking forward to getting to know Culcairn Educators, children and families, and being part of this vibrant community.



## HOLBROOK PUBLIC SCHOOL

Term 3 is certainly in full swing for our school community. Many special events will be happening during the term. **Two important days are - Education Week Open Day at HPS will be held on Friday, 12 August and Book Week activities on Tuesday, 23 August.**

**Professional Learning:** The staff are engaging in professional learning for the remainder of the year on the new K - 2 English and mathematics syllabus, which will be implemented in 2023.

**Sport:** Holbrook Public School will run the Southern Riverina Athletics Carnival on Thursday, 2 August, at the Les O'Brien Athletics Precinct in Albury. Thanks to Miss Lavis and Miss Hemphill for a massive effort in preparing for and setting up the carnival. Good luck to all the students representing Holbrook Public School on the day.

**Multi-sport:** Well done to Chayse Ross, Liam Mohr, and Mr Earl, who represented Holbrook Public School at the Multi-sports Day in Albury last term. It sounded like a fantastic day with many different sports to try and learn.

**NAIDOC Week activities:** On the last day of Term 2, Holbrook Public School students participated in NAIDOC activities. The students learnt about various aspects of the Indigenous Wiradjuri people and produced work samples to share with other classes. In the afternoon, students participated in traditional Wiradjuri games. They faced new challenges and showed resilience when working as a team. The day was a huge success and enjoyed by all.

**Excursion to Charlie and the Chocolate Factory:** Kindergarten, Year 1 and Year 2 students and teachers travelled to Wagga Wagga on July 21 to watch the stage performance of Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. From all reports, everyone had a wonderful day!



**Boccia Competition:** On July 21, the school Boccia Knockout Team – Jett Coates, Blade Maher, Oliver Pendrick and Chayse Ross had a fantastic day competing in Wagga Wagga. The teamwork, comradery and willingness to help and encourage others was exceptional. The boys finished with two wins, two draws and one loss, meaning they finished second to Billabong High School on a countback after the final round. Holbrook finished in 4<sup>th</sup> position out of the twelve schools. The first three placings were attained by High Schools, meaning Holbrook was the highest placed Primary school in the Riverina area. What an outstanding achievement! Our students should be immensely proud of their efforts. Thank you to Mrs Jones and Mr Earl for organising and supporting the team.

**Kindergarten 2023 Transition:** The first two sessions coming up are: On Monday, 8 August some of our students will visit the Greater Hume Children Services to meet and interact with the children. On Wednesday, 10 August there will be an Open Day at HPS for parents and carers to have the opportunity to visit our wonderful school.

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**Cooking with Friends** is commencing this Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August. Join Tania and Leonie over 5 weeks to cook and share a nourishing meal with a small group of others. The program won't be a cooking

demonstration but a great way to bring people together to socialize and cook simple recipes and then share the meal together.

At the end of the sessions, we hope participants will have some new skills, have met some new people and have new recipes to try out at home. Each session will commence at 10.30am in the brand-new Holbrook Sporting Complex function room and kitchen. Plenty of parking close to the building, and the venue is fully accessible. Participants must be registered with My Aged Care and have a referral in place to our service. Places are limited so please let us know ASAP if you wish to participate.

**The Men's Group are meeting on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August for lunch at the Riverina Hotel.** Please let us know if you wish to attend so we can book a table or 2.

Also available to our service users in Holbrook a **daily hot meal delivery** with your choice of meal from our large menu, 1 course or 3 courses, its up to you! Don't forget **Take-away Tuesday** – Pie & Chips or Fish and Chips fresh from Holbrook Bakery available for delivery every Tuesday and **Sunday Pub Roast** – Freshly cooked Roast Pork or Beef and baked vegetables, delivered each Sunday ready for lunch. And of course along with all our deliveries a friendly smile and a chat to check all is well.

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## NETBALL

After having a well-earned bye weekend off, we had a challenging game back against Jindera. Unfortunately, we were short yet again in the seniors and had people playing multiple games and some juniors stepping up. A big thank you to everyone for showing great sportsmanship and teamwork in helping where needed.

The following week we welcomed Howlong at home. We are now at the pointy end of the season and need to get the wins on the board ready to tackle finals which will be here before we know it!

A reminder to please return your Cadbury Fundraiser money to me and if anyone is after another fundraiser box for the netball club I do have some more available.

Kelly Boers, HNC President

*Edwina Barr-Smith had an exciting day when she filled in for the Under 11's team after her Netta*



### Results:

**Under 11's – Holbrook 8 def by Osborne 9**

Awards: Bakery- Annabelle McCrohan

Urban Graze—Jasmine Purcell

*Holbrook 7 def Jindera 2*

Awards: Hello Maude—Larny (determination & great shooting)

Urban Graze—Alira (great effort in defence)

**Under 13's – Holbrook 29 def Osborne 14**

Awards: Hello Maude - Alana Scholz

Urban Graze - Jazz Lieschke

**Holbrook 26 def Jindera 8**

Awards: Holbrook Bakery- Mia Boers

Sportspower- Jess Frana

**Under 15's – Osborne 28 def Holbrook 26**

Awards: Bakery – Justine Naughton-Finlayson.

Body Shop.- Ava Wolter

*Jindera 43 def Holbrook 24*

Awards: Sportspower – Neve Scholz

Hello Maude – Molly Barr-Smith

**Under 17's – Holbrook 58 Def Osborne 38**

Awards: Urban Graze- Mackaylee King

Sportspower Albury -Mackenzie Smith

*Holbrook vs Jindera*

Awards: Mackaylee Kin & McKenzie Smith

**C Reserve – Osborne 72 def Holbrook 23**

Awards: BOC—Jess Todd

Riverina Hotel - Ruby Austin

*Holbrook vs Jindera 46-20*

Awards: BOC—Georgia Cluff,

Bonny Voucher - Ruby Austin

**C Grade – Osborne 59 def Holbrook 22**

Awards: Mug- Tessa Harbison (players' player)

Bakery- Shannon Cossor

*Jindera 59 def Holbrook 33*

Awards: Mug – Georgie Seaton

Riverina Hotel- Courtney Potocnik

**B Grade – Osborne 48 def Holbrook 34**

*Holbrook vs Jindera*

Awards: BOG - Aylee Jenkin, Chloe Stewart

**A Grade - Holbrook 35 def by Osborne 62**

Awards: Mug - Tayla Byrne

Sportspower Albury - Meg Greenhill

*Holbrook 28 def by Jindera 64*

Awards: Mug: Jacqui Coughlan

Bakery (pretty sure it was): Jess Roe



## GOLF

The Final Round of the Championships were played on 17/7/22.

A Grade Scratch and Handicap winner Gordon Webb.

B. Grade Scratch and Handicap winner Jade Rangī. C. Grade Scratch and Handicap winner Justin Mohr.

July Monthly Medal winner Brad Walsh.

The next two Sundays will see the Culcairn Annual and then the Culcairn Ambrose.

Sunday 28/8/22 will be the Perry Trophy.

We will catch up with the Dad's Army and the Veterans news next issue.



## LEST WE FORGET – THE FERGUSON BROTHERS

The outbreak of World War One called for able-bodied young men to fulfil their duty to King and country. With his mother's consent, George Ferguson, was the first of the Ferguson brothers to answer the call to arms, enlisting in March 1915, aged 19. His brothers Val, Norman and Tom were farming at Holbrook, but Val signed up also a few weeks later. George and Val joined the 24<sup>th</sup> Battalion destined for Gallipoli where Val was killed at Lone Pine. Norman and Tom enlisted in 1916 and were posted to the 37<sup>th</sup> Battalion. Another blow struck the family when Norman was killed at Passchendaele.

In January 1918, George wrote to A.I.F Headquarters requesting to be reposted to England with some kind of office work, stating he had lost his father, and three of his brothers had died – Jack of lockjaw, Val and Norman having been killed in action. He had faithfully served the Army for three years and had only left the battalion four times being sick or wounded. George also wrote saying to lose any more sons would be too much for his mother. He was turned away, told his request would be a "future reference."

April brought the devastating news of Tom being killed. Words, what could mere words tell of the grief and pain? Again, George now sought to be returned to Australia or at least retained on Home Service personnel. How long would the war last? Would his mother have no sons return to her? "I beg... to be returned to Australia," was his plea. He reasoned that he was now the sole support of his mother, sisters, sisters-in-law, their children, and his younger brother, Andy, who remained at home. This time his request was to be considered.

Finally, he was approved to be discharged, and was arranged to take the next available transport homebound. An overcrowded hall received George giving him a warm welcome home. He was home, and for the moment that's all that mattered.







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## COMMUNITY DIARY

### Aug 2022

- Fri 5 **Meals on Wheels Men's Group lunch @ Riverina Hotel**
- Tue 9 Bible study ("Surprise!" Genesis.18)  
11am @ Knox Uniting Church
- Wed 10 **Kindergarten 2023 Transition Open Day @ Holbrook Public School**
- Fri 12 Education Week Open Day @ Holb. Public  
**OMNI Group 10.30am @ RS Club**
- Sat 13 Woomargama Community Fundraiser  
from 12noon @ Woomargama Hotel
- Sun 14 **Cricket Club AGM 4pm @ RS Club**
- Mon 15 Meals on Wheels Cooking With Friends  
commences—10.30am @ Sporting  
Complex Function Building
- Sun 21 **Junior Football/Netball Presentations**  
Little Billabong CWA @ Marg Geddes'
- Tue 23 **Book Week activities @ Holbrook Public**  
GROW Information Session 5.15pm @  
Holbrook Library Complex
- Fri 26 **OMNI Group 10.30am @ RS Club**
- Sun 28 Closing date for Town Garage Sale  
registrations  
**Perry Trophy—Golf**
- Tue 30 Probus 11am @ RS Club

### Sept 2022

- Sat 4 **Lions Club Town Garage Sale**
- Fri 9 OMNI Group 10.30am @ RS Club

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Now is the time to register for  
The Holbrook Town Garage Sale

Forms are available from:  
Lady Gail's Bookshop & Curios  
Ph: 0467 852 409 bus. hours  
\$10 to register  
Closing date for registrations:  
28 August 2022

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Lynne LUBKE

Past and Present members and players from the Holbrook Tennis Club would like to pass on their condolences to Lynne's family. She was a dedicated life member of the Tennis Club who will be missed by everyone from the club.

### Warren MUSGRAVE

09/06/1947-23/5/2022

We would like to thank the many friends and community members who offered words of kindness and compassion, as well as beautiful flowers, cards and food after the passing of our loved husband and father. We cannot express how deeply they were appreciated.

Poppy, Emma-Jane, Brett, Kareena, Tess and Logan Musgrave.

### Holbrook Cricket Club Inc AGM

4.00pm Sunday 14 August 2022  
@ Holbrook RS Club

All players, junior parents & supporters  
welcome.

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## PLANT PICK PLATE



We are now over the halfway point through Winter and the days are obviously longer. My weeping ornamental apricot has burst into delicate pink blooms which is an indication Spring is not far away. Now is the perfect time to select your vegetable seeds and sow into punnets. Healthy seedlings with sufficient root growth will be ready to transplant into your garden bed in a few months time.

The successful germination of seeds requires a number of elements. Firstly, use a quality seed raising soil mix. Fill plastic punnets with the mix, firm down and water. Sprinkle the seed then cover with a thin layer of soil mix, spray with water and keep moist. Place the punnets in recycled clear plastic tubs with lids, lifting the lid after sprouting. Locate inside in a warm position, out of the sun or in a hot house. Ideally, the temperature should be around 15° for tender crops and 10° for the hardier ones. Next, allow sufficient oxygen and airflow around the punnets by raising them above the water drainage area. They must be moist not wet and the containers should have ventilation holes in the top.

If successful, and be aware that not all seeds will shoot, provide them with regular applications of a week solution of seaweed fertiliser to encourage strong roots and healthy, upright growth. As the days warm, introduce the seedlings to outside conditions returning then inside at night as temperatures can still be low. In a couple of months as temperatures rise, the seedlings will be ready to pot up or plant direct into the garden.

It is so rewarding to raise your own vegetables from seed, to watch them thrive in the garden and finally provide you with delicious produce.

**Passionate Gardener, June.**

### Are you looking for some FREE mulch or fertilizer for your garden?

Head on down to the Holbrook Sporting Complex and help yourself to the horse manure or bedding straw which is down there.

Take as much as you would like but please just leave the area tidy.



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