

# HOLBROOK HAPPENINGS

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**GREATER HUME COUNCIL'S  
AUSTRALIA DAY  
CEREMONY - WALLA  
WALLA  
8.00am - 11.00am  
Saturday 26 January 2019**



Come along and hear the Australia Day Ambassador for Greater Hume, Ukrainian-born, Victor Kovalenko OAM. With the political landscape in the Ukraine not offering Victor the opportunities and resources he needed, he made the difficult decision to leave his family in the Ukraine and come to Australia in

1997 to coach the Australian 470 sailors. Many deemed his mission in Australia - mission impossible – with just 3 years to prepare a competitive men's and women's 470 team for the home Games of 2000. However, Kovalenko proved his pundits wrong, with his women's team of Jenny Armstrong and Belinda Stowell winning Australia's first ever Olympic sailing medal (a gold) in female classes, only an hour before his men's team of Tom King and Mark Turnbull also took gold in the men's 470 event. The Aussies dubbed him the 'medal maker' following this success. Now an Australian citizen, his family joined him from the Ukraine and a long and successful coaching career in his adopted country has followed.

Join in the celebration of a nation as we salute this great country and its people. 8am: Free community breakfast; 9am: Greater Hume Council Australia Day Ceremony followed by morning tea. Bring a chair. (Venue: Car park behind Swimming Pool, adjacent to Walla Walla Sportsground)



**Australia Day**  
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## **Holbrook Lions Club**

### **AUSTRALIA DAY Service**

**8.00am Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

**at the Ten Mile Creek Gardens**

### **Guest Speaker**

**Holbrook Citizen of the Year Award  
Sporting Complex Sporting Awards  
followed by Sausage Sizzle Breakfast**

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## Holbrook Library Complex PROVIDE FIRST AID

When: Wednesday 30th Jan 2019

Time: 5.30pm

Where: Holbrook Library

Cost: Full course \$170

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### Homework Club

Commences 5th February 2019.

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## story time

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STORIES



11am on Thursday 14 February



The Library Complex has facilitated tutoring for school students over the years with much success.

We have already received numerous requests for tutoring for 2019 and as a result are looking for more tutors. Call the Library on **6036 3262** if you have the skills and are interested in after school tutoring for a few hours per week.

Tutoring will commence in Term One on Tuesday 12th February 2019.

We will contact all families who have made enquiries **before this date** to finalise available days/times/tutors.

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## HOLBROOK LANDCARE

A couple of events have been planned for next month. The first of these is a **Farm Dam Field Day on Friday 8 February**, which is being run in conjunction with Sustainable Farms. Due to popular demand we will be having a look at some innovative farm dam designs on Vince Ryan's property, "Wirrianda", at Wymah.

**Holbrook Landcare's Soil Moisture Probe & Weather Station Workshop on Tuesday 12 February 2019** at the Holbrook RS Club, 6.00-7.30pm (*This workshop is for current Holbrook Landcare members only*). This is an introduction to the data provided by HLN's soil moisture probes and weather stations. Come and see how this localised information can be used to improve on farm decision making.

Later in the month there will be an opportunity to see what is being achieved by way of in-stream work to correct erosion damage and help to restore the populations of Southern Pygmy Perch. This **Creek and Stream Zone Management Field Day at Woomargama Station on Friday 22 February** will again be held in conjunction with Sustainable Farms.

If you are interested in attending either of the Field Days or the evening Workshop, please contact the HLN office on 6036 3181.

### Landcaring around Holbrook for 30 Years:

2019 will see Holbrook Landcare reach yet another milestone as we begin preparations for a celebration of 30 years of achievements in the local district. Later in the year we will be having a proper evening celebration, but in the meantime we are checking through our files and finding some very interesting photos, such as this one taken in 2001.

Do you recognize any of these children? If so, we would love to hear from you so that we can put names to faces.



**Planning for planting trees:** The hot dry months of summer are a great time to begin planning tree planting projects because excellent results can be achieved when ripping is done with a dry profile.

## TAI CHI FOR ARTHRITIS

"Tai Chi for Arthritis" will be re-commencing on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February, 9.30am at the Holbrook CTC. The "Tai Chi for Arthritis" programme is a slow and gentle exercise developed by Dr Paul Lam, and based on "Sun Style Tai Chi" as part of his Tai Chi for Health series. The programme is suitable for anybody to participate in not just those with arthritis and can also be done whilst seated. The programme has a series of 12 basic movements learnt in a stepwise manner. Each week you will learn the fundamentals and principals behind Tai Chi for Arthritis, 1 or 2 new movements as well as review previous movements.

Anyone is welcome to come along and see if Tai Chi is for you. Sessions cost \$3.00 and run for around 45 minutes. For more information or to register your interest for the 10 week programme, please call Sue on 0427 362 075.



### Happy New Year...?

Are you making some New Year's Resolutions this year? Do you want to make some positive, permanent changes in your life?

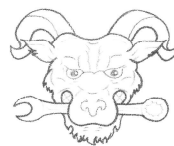
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## HOLBROOK SHOW SOCIETY

With only a little over 2 months until Show Day comes around on the new date of **Sunday 24 March 2019**, the organising group are back in action following the Christmas break.

**Our next meeting, on Thursday 7 February from 7.30pm, and will again be held in the J.D. Room at the "Top Pub".** It was a lovely cool and quiet venue which was certainly appreciated with the current run of hot weather.

How are your vegetables coping with the weather? This new date for the Holbrook Show is a fantastic opportunity to show off some of your garden produce, with some new sections created to suit the season.

This year we have also added a section for Home Brew.

Keep an eye out for the Holbrook Show Schedule to find out what you can enter. This may even give you the chance to throw out a challenge to your mates or neighbours for some bragging rights.

The schedule is almost ready for printing and we will make sure that there are copies distributed around the town as well as available online.

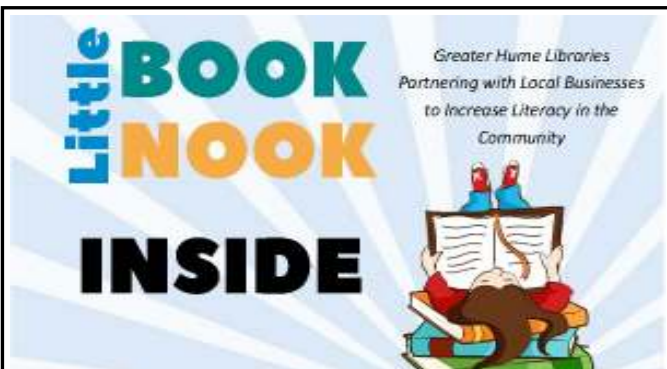
Our Ringmaster, Sue, has finalised the Horse Schedule and this is now available for those horse enthusiasts who like to sort out their calendars well in advance.



## ANGLICAN NEWS

Come and join us for church every Sunday at 9:30am. We have also recently installed reverse-cycle air conditioners in the hall to make it a much more pleasant and useful space for functions.

There will quite likely be an Op-Shop sale happening soon, so keep an eye out for posters and come in to grab a bargain.



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.



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## TARYN FINISHES IN TOUR TOP 10

Local cyclist, Taryn Heather, has started the year off in style by finishing the international Tour Down Under in 8<sup>th</sup> place.

While most of us were endeavouring to hide indoors between January 10 & 13, Taryn was cycling around Adelaide.

Her next challenge will be the Cadel Evans Great Ocean Road Race on January 27.



## How to stay healthy in the heat

**Drink plenty of water** \*Drink plenty of water even if you do not feel thirsty \*If your doctor normally limits your fluids, check how much to drink during hot weather. \*Avoid alcoholic, hot or sugary drinks including tea and coffee (they can make dehydration worse). \*If you go outside, carry a bottle of water with you. \* Stock your fridge with cold water and ice. Keep cool

**Keep your body cool** \*Drink cold drinks and eat smaller cold meals such as salads and fruit. \*Wear light coloured, loose fitting clothes made from natural fibres like cotton. \*Stay out of the sun. \* If you must go outside, apply sunscreen, wear a hat. \*Plan your day around the heat – avoid being outdoors between 11am and 5pm. \*Put wet towels or cool packs on your arms or neck or put your feet in cool water. \*Take cool showers or baths.

**Minimise physical activity, do all household chores early in the morning when it is coolest.**

**Keep your house cool** \*Cool your house by closing windows, shutting curtains and blinds, opening windows at night if you can to let in cool air. \* Use air-conditioning if you have it (make sure it's set to cool). \*If you don't have air-conditioning, spend time in a cool place like a library, shopping centre or cinema. \*Know which room in your house is the coolest (this will often be on the ground floor on the south side). \*If there is no power or you can't get to an air-conditioned space, spend time in the coolest part of your house. \* Use your stove and oven as little as possible.

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# 50 YEAR REUNION HOLBROOK CENTRAL SCHOOL



**January 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

Calling all former students, partners and family of Holbrook Central School Classes 1959 to 1969 (4<sup>th</sup> form).

Highly successful and memorable reunions were held in 1989 (20 years) and 2009 (40 years).

A few of us have started preparing for a 50 year celebration  
25, 26, 27<sup>th</sup> January 2019.

Informal gatherings Friday evening and celebrations at the School Saturday, with a dinner that evening.

**Please spread the word with anyone you can.**

**To register your interest or enquire please contact any of the following:**

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## COUNCIL NEWS

Newly elected councillor, Cr Lea Parker, took the affirmation of office following the by-election held in November. A presentation was made about the trial on-demand public transport service for Burrumbuttock, Jindera and Walla Walla (into Albury) starting in February 2019.

Subject to a commitment by service or sporting organisations, a Hard Waste Free Collection Day will take place on Sunday, 3 March. All transfer stations and landfills will be open and will provide free access. The initiative will be co-ordinated by Rotary Club of Holbrook and local football clubs.

In February, Council will exhibit its new Fixed Development Consent Levy Contributions Plan. The levy applies to all developments unless it is an excluded development (which is listed within the plan).

Council endorsed a submission prepared in response to the Department of Primary Industries Important Agricultural Lands Draft Map for the Riverina Murray area. The submission can be viewed on Council's website under the News tab.

In response to diminishing volunteers, Council will vary the hours of operation of the Greater Hume Visitor Information Centre / Submarine Museum at Holbrook, on a three month trial starting January. The centre will open Tuesday to Sunday and public holiday Mondays.

Visitors, residents, the local economy and the environment will benefit with the installation of an NRMA Charging Station for electric vehicles in the Gallipoli Victoria Rest area, in Albury Street, Holbrook. The charging station will provide universal access for the most popular electric vehicles and will be powered by renewable energy. It is expected that the station will be operational early in 2019.

Culcairn is one of only five towns in NSW to be selected as a challenger for the 2019 Healthy Towns Challenge to improve community health, with initiatives funded by a \$15,000 grant. The challenge will run from February to August with the winning town to receive a further \$5,000.

Council appointed Haley Constructions to build new skateparks in Culcairn and Jindera.

Council has received funding of \$180,000 to undertake feasibility studies for works identified in the floodplain risk management plans prepared for Culcairn, Henty and Holbrook.

A report was submitted on over expenditure on Coppabella, Cummings and Alma Park Roads due to prevailing poor soil conditions.

Council set sale prices for the new residential estate recently completed in Walla Walla. Marketing of the allotments sized from 940 square metres (priced from \$56,500) will commence soon. Council is confident that strong sales enquiry will follow.

In response to the closure of child care services provided by Albury Wodonga Community College, Council staff have been very busy responding to a critical community need.

Council continues to negotiate with the Australian Government regarding Greater Hume Children Services undertaking a long day care model in Henty and Walla Walla, if a satisfactory funding model can be worked out. At present, it is envisaged that the model could operate for

a period of two years with the aim that the Henty Preschool expand facilities and transition into long day care. In relation to child care services for Walla Walla, Council will continue to support the childhood hub building project with Council committing to the ongoing provision of long day care subject to funding and community need.

Council has agreed to offer incumbent, Steven Pinnuck, a new two year General Manager's Contract of Employment (effective 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2021).

Next Council meeting will be held on 20 February at Holbrook. Meeting agendas and minutes are available for viewing at any time on Council's website or in person at any Greater Hume Customer Service Centre.

*Cr Doug Meyer, OAM Acting Mayor*

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## COMMUNITY GRANTS SUPPORTING MENTAL HEALTH IN DROUGHT AREAS NOW AVAILABLE

Murrumbidgee Primary Health Network (MPHN) has launched the Murrumbidgee Community Grants for activities to support communities living with the impacts of drought with a focus on mental health and wellbeing.

The grants have been made possible with funding from the Australian Government's 'Empowering Communities' initiative allowing local communities to tailor mental health responses to their own needs.

The Murrumbidgee Community Grants have been developed in consultation with a recently formed Empowering Communities Steering Committee, and keeping the application process simple and easy has been key.

"We know the impacts of drought extend beyond farmers and their families in rural communities and our committee members made it clear grants should be easy to apply for. So we have developed a simple application form and are committed to making quick decisions once submitted," MPHNS CEO Ms Neal said.

"There will be three levels of funding available which could be used to support wellbeing and mental health in our communities. It could be as simple as a community barbecue to connect people, a regular activity like exercise or yoga classes, or community education or workshops around managing stress or anxiety.

"Businesses might also consider upskilling their workforce on topics like mental health first aid, or look to implement some form evidence-based training to help identify warning signs around mental health and suicide.

"Small rural communities are always very resourceful and innovative when it comes to supporting each other and we are really looking forward to seeing what community-led activities are developed to access these grants.

Empowering Communities Steering Committee member and volunteer community mental health advocate from Stockinbingal, John Harper said the heart of grants is about supporting a whole of community approach to mental health and suicide prevention.

"These grants encourage and empower local rural communities to look for proactive approaches to mental health support suicide prevention," Mr Harper said.

"It really is part of a holistic strategy for addressing mental health in our local communities who are feeling the impacts of drought and I would expect activities receiving grants will help build and strengthen relationships within communities as well.

"I congratulate MPHNS for working hard to get these grants off the ground quickly and committing to a simple application process. I definitely encourage all community groups, councils and businesses to develop a suitable activity and apply for funding," he said.

If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health emergency call the Mental Health Line 1800 011 511, Lifeline 13 11 14 or call 000. Or to access the Head to Health website visit [www.headtohealth.gov.au](http://www.headtohealth.gov.au).

For more information about the Murrumbidgee Community Grants visit [www.mphn.org.au](http://www.mphn.org.au).

## MLHD WELCOMES ENROLLED NURSE SCHOLARSHIPS

Murrumbidgee Local Health District (MLHD) has welcomed the NSW Government's announcement of more than 250 scholarships to study nursing and start a career with NSW Health.

Executive Director Nursing & Midwifery Karen Cairney said the Enrolled Nurse Scholarships are aimed at school leavers wanting to start nursing careers or people seeking an exciting career change.

"The NSW Government Enrolled Nurse Scholarships are a great opportunity for anyone in the local community, young or old, considering a career in nursing," Ms Cairney said.

"If you're looking for a rewarding job where you can give back to your local community, don't hesitate – apply for a nursing scholarship. Nursing is an exciting career with so much opportunity."

Health Minister Brad Hazzard said more than \$1.5 million will be spent by the NSW Government on the 2019 Enrolled Nurse Scholarship program, with applications open from today.

"This is a fantastic opportunity for anyone interested in pursuing a rewarding career as a nurse at one of our public health facilities or hospitals," Mr Hazzard said.

"Not only does the scholarship include course fees for a Diploma of Nursing but there is a guaranteed job offer at the end of it.

"Enrolled Nurses are a valued part of the health care team, caring for people when they are feeling most vulnerable, across a variety of clinical settings including acute medical and surgical units, operating theatres and mental health."

In 2018/19, the NSW Government is boosting frontline clinicians across the state, with an additional 950 nurses and midwives. This includes investing an extra \$8.1 million for 80 new specialised nursing midwifery and support positions.

The scholarships for the Diploma of Nursing are available at 24 campuses, seven in metropolitan Sydney and 17 across each and every regional and rural Local Health District in NSW.

To be eligible you must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident living in NSW.

## HISTORY QUIZ

**Previous Quiz. Who am I?** I was a Sergeant in the Army in World War II. First enlisting in the Light horse Brigade. My wife is still alive and a prominent citizen of Holbrook. I was a long time secretary of the Holbrook Race Club. My grandfather and father were horse dealers; my grandfather was the top horse dealer in Australia, selling remounts to India and the Boer War and won the 1898 Grand National Steeplechase with 'Floater.' I was also in Wallgrove when a stampede occurred. **Answer:** Kevin Beazley, the grandson of Bill Beazley, and husband of Ruth Dinsdale

**Quiz:** Apart from Freedom of Entry and events involving the Submarine, the Navy has also been involved in several official handovers, the first was in 1973 and the second in 1992. What are they?



## HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AT THE LIBRARY

Over the past couple of weeks we have run two fun holiday activities.

### CIRCUIT BUGS

A team of 12 kids participated in this activity which proved to be quite challenging. The children were given the task of creating an electrical circuit with a battery, copper wires and two small light globes. The kids were fantastic. They all successfully made their circuits, then used the lights as eyes. Using a peg and pipe cleaners, they created interesting, colourful and very clever bugs.



### WATER PISTOL PAINTING

The bug activity may have been challenging, but we were soon to find out that it was a breeze compared to the logistics of getting ready for the water pistol painting.

On a very hot and windy last Thursday morning, 15 children arrived in their oldest clothes ready to fire paint on to paper hanging from the trees outside the library.

Once again, they did a fantastic job.

As soon as the paint was dry, the children came back into the cool library where they cut out silhouette shapes to stick on their artwork.

Afterwards, everyone helped clean up. It took some time to get all the paint out of the pistols. The method used was to keep filling them and having a water pistol fight outside.

Because it was so hot, the shell pool that was used for the water supply for filling pistols was also used by a couple of children to cool off in.

The help from parents was much appreciated. Also thank you to one of our library borrowers, who came to the library to simply borrow some books and ended up offering to help with clean up too!



## Community Development Grants ROUND 2 for 2018/2019 now open



The Community Development Grant Program is aimed at enhancing the range, availability and quality of community facilities throughout the Greater Hume Council area.

The program aims to enhance the range, availability and quality of community facilities, including a particular focus on access and inclusion for all.

**Round 2 grant funding opens 21 January and applications will be received until 5pm 28 February 2019.**

Guidelines, application and acquittal forms are available on Council's website [greaterhume.nsw.gov.au](http://greaterhume.nsw.gov.au)

Total Round 2 funding of \$22,000 is available for community and sporting organisations projects.

Maximum \$4,000 grant funding available per project with a minimum 50% commitment in cash/kind provided by the sporting or community organisation.

**Enquiries** please contact Lynette O'Reilly, Manager Community Services P 02 6036 0100 or email [loreilly@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au](mailto:loreilly@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au).



### **HOLBROOK ROTARY ADVENTURE DRIVE DAY SUNDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2019**

After a very successful 2018 Adventure Drive Day Holbrook Rotary are hosting another 4WD Adventure Tagalong Drive day to be held on 17<sup>th</sup> March. The day starts with registration at Woomargama village at the front of the Post Office 8.00am to 8.20am. Same as last year we will head off into the Woomargama forest but on different tracks. Hopefully we should be able to avoid the notorious Ferndale bushranger. Smoko will be at

the famous Dora Dora Pub, the same keg is still probably hooked up if anyone wants to try one.

We then head into Victoria and along the Shelley Road. Lunch being held at the beautiful Avondale Gardens. Railway trestle bridges will be on the tourist bucket list and there are some gold diggings to check out. This year's dinner destination is the Granya Hotel on Lake Hume. The day will be rounded off with a trip on the Wymah Ferry as you make your own way home after dinner.

Question and answer sheets will be checked and a chance to win some great prizes. All proceeds from the day going to Prostate Cancer Research. This year's drive is easy to medium 4WD. You will need clearance and high range 4WD. This should see us negotiate most obstacles.

The day is a great chance to get out and explore some great tracks and scenery right at our front door but with the added security of a leader and back up vehicle. So fill up the tank and come for a great adventure. Bookings are appreciated.

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## MEN'S GOLF

The Hollyrocks Sponsored Hills Pennant Team started the year with a 3/2 win in the first pennant round against Tumbarumba. Played in very hot conditions the local team endured with a hard fought nineteenth hole win to the number one.

The local team travel to Tumbarumba this coming Sunday to play Batlow and are hoping for a similar result or better.

The Dad's Army boys have been feeling the heat this last couple of weeks with only nine starters for the 18 holes  
*Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> January:*

Winner 9 hole Vets - Mark Winnett, R/up Ian Wettenhall.

Winner 18 hole Veterans - Ian Wettenhall, R/up Mark Lowry.

NTP 10<sup>th</sup> - Doug Smith, 14<sup>th</sup> Tony Castles, 16<sup>th</sup> Tony Castles.

*Dad's Army 17<sup>th</sup> January:*

Winner - Mick Smith, R/up Jim Maskus, NTP 5<sup>th</sup> Mick Smith.

With the temperature sitting on 45°C the four players that took to the course really need a reality check or a pat on the back for their bravery.



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## COMMUNITY DIARY

### January 2019

- Wed 23 Holbrook Sheep & Wool Fair meeting 6.30pm  
@ RS Club
- Fri 25 Holbrook Central School 50-year Reunion
- Sat 26 Australia Day  
Holbrook Central School 50-year Reunion  
Holbrook Markets by the Sub (cancelled)
- Sun 27 Holbrook Central School 50-year Reunion
- Mon 28 Australia Day Public Holiday
- Wed 30 Public School return Yr 1-6  
Billabong High School Yr 7, 11 & 12 return  
First Aid course 5.30pm Holbrook Library

### February 2019

- Sun 3 GHSC Hard Waste Free Collection Day  
Registrations close for Twilight Social Bowls
- Mon 4 Public School Kinder commences  
Tai Chi for Arthritis recommences 9.30am @  
Library Complex
- Wed 6 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Thu 7 Show Society meeting 7.30pm @ "Top Pub"
- Mon 11 Woolpack Inn Museum AGM 7.30pm
- Tue 12 Billabong High School P&C meeting 7.00pm
- Wed 13 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Thur 14 Story Time 11am Holbrook Library
- Wed 20 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Greater Hume Council's meeting  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Sat 23 Combined Clubs Auction / Trivia Night 7.00pm @  
Holbrook RS Club
- Wed 27 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Thur 28 Story Time 11am Holbrook Library

### March 2019

- Fri 1 Swim Club Age Championships
- Sun 3 Holbrook Triathlon
- Mon 4 Holbrook Sporting Complex meeting 7.30pm
- Wed 6 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Fri 8 Swim Club Presentations
- Wed 13 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669  
Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm
- Sun 17 Holbrook Rotary's Adventure Drive Day
- Wed 20 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669
- Wed 27 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669
- Thur 14 Story Time 11am Holbrook Library
- Sat 23 Holbrook Show Judging of Pavilion entries  
Holbrook Markets By The Sub  
NSW State Election
- Sun 24 Holbrook Annual Show
- Thur 28 Story Time 11am Holbrook Library
- Sat 30 Australian Stockhorse Show @ Equine Centre
- Sun 31 Australian Stockhorse Show @ Equine Centre

### April 2019

- Thur 11 Story Time 11am Holbrook Library

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Holbrook Cricket Club 150 year celebrations



Has been postponed to  
October 2019

### WOOLPACK INN MUSEUM HOLBROOK Inc NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2019  
At 83 Albury St, Holbrook  
Commencing at 7.30pm  
Enquiries/Apologies to Bert Ray on 02 6036 2131  
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Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> February @ 7.00pm  
RS Club

\$10 per adult, \$5 for under 16s  
& \$25 Family

Great auction items and prizes  
Great night All welcome

The Holbrook Markets which were to be held  
on 26/1/2019 have been cancelled due to the  
hot weather. Next market day 23rd February.

### Twilight Social Bowls Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> February and 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> March

Teams of 4 - time to commence 6.00pm  
\$5/player/night includes sausage in bread

Teams (including contact name and phone  
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