HOLBROOK HAPPENINGS

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MUSICAL BINGO TO HELP END MELANOMA

Join your local march and inspire others to help end Melanoma. The Rotary Club of Holbrook will stage a fundraising Musical Bingo night on Friday 3 May and billet melanoma survivor Jay Allen and his support team of walkers and organisers for three nights on Jay's Longest March from Adelaide to Sydney.

Jay Allen was just 32 when diagnosed with melanoma. He was a husband, dad, son and mate to many but overnight he went from being a truckdriver to cancer patient. That was 10 years ago and today as a member of the Melanoma Institute of Australia, Jay will embark on his epic trek, 2000 kms in 50 days from Adelaide to Sydney with the target of raising \$250,000 for Melanoma research. As of February 12, a sum of \$79,133 has been raised.

Jay and his support team will be in the Holbrook area walking from Albury to Kyeamba from May 1- 3. Rotary spokesman Jen Parer said, "people who would like to join the walkers or be a driver for part of the way will have

to register online www.melanomamarch.org.au. The four support vehicles have been donated by Toyota and anybody who would like to be a vehicle driver is very welcome," she added.

Longest March organizer Tony Locke is related to the Holbrook Lockes, his father is cousin to Richard, Murray and Tony. During his visit to Holbrook last week, Tony said, "Jay's a good mate of mine and training partner. I worked at the Melanoma Research Institute setting up IT systems and now I want to raise awareness and funds for the disease that sadly claims the life of one Australian every five hours."

Hayley is also one of the main organizers and travels with the crew of volunteers. She is passionate about the cause after losing her mother to the disease. During their time in Holbrook in May, Jay, Tony and Hayley are happy to talk to young people about the Sun Smart message.

Holbrook Rotarians will keep the community informed about the coming event, bookings and location for the Musical Bingo fundraiser.



Holbrook Rotarians, Milt Golenberg, Jenny Parer and Jenny Kane with Jay Allen and Tony Locke.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

World Day of Prayer is a world-wide movement dating back to the 19th Century, led by Christian women of many traditions who combine to observe a common day of prayer each year. More than 170 countries participate, bringing together people of many races, cultures and traditions to worship in a shared cause.

Each year, the special theme is focused on a different country, this year being Slovenia. A tiny country which would fit three times into Tasmania, with a population of two million, Slovenia was formed in 1991 after declaring independence from Yugoslavia. Our prayers this year will place particular emphasis on the women of Slovenia, and their struggle to care for their families in a country still trying to achieve peace and prosperity.

A warm welcome is extended to all who would like to join in the prayer service, to be held at Knox Uniting Church on Friday 1st March, at 10 a.m. And sharing in morning tea afterwards.

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SUNDAY RAFFLE

Tickets on sale 12.30pm. Drawn 1.00pm

COMBINED CLUBS' TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday 23rd February 6.30pm for a 7.00pm start \$10 adult, \$5 under 18, \$25 family

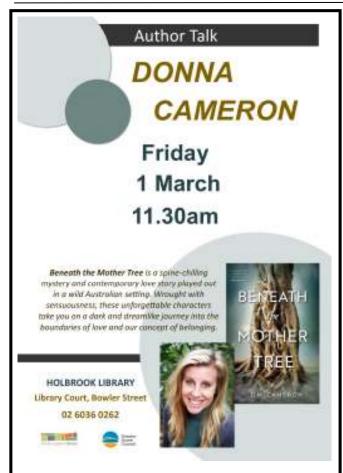
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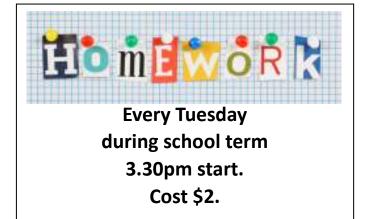


Beneath the Mother Tree is listed as one of the top Australian fiction reads for 2018 by the South Australian weekend magazine.

Originally an actress, debut novelist, D.M. Cameron, is an AWGIE nominated radio dramatist, winning award playwright and celebrated short film writer. She is currently at work on a second novel and taking notes for a third.



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STORY TIME for babies, toddlers and preschoolers

The 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month during school terms Next story time:

11am on Thursday 28 February 2019

And then:

14 March

28 March

11 April

HOLBROOK LANDCARE

In spite of the threat of wet weather there was a good turnout for the Farm Dams Field Day at Wymah last week

To round off the Sustainable Farms' 2019 Summer Series, run in conjunction with Holbrook Landcare and Murray LLS, there will be two more field days in this area.

Friday 22 February (5.00pm—8.30pm)—Creek and Stream Zone Management Field Day at "Woomargama Station". Clare Cannon of "Woomargama Station" and Fox and Lillie will, be there to talk about marketing sustainability and ag



social licence. Otherspeakers include Susanne Watkins (freshwater ecologist, Murray LLS), Luke Pearce (Fisheries Officer, DPI), and senior ecologist Mason Crane from Sustainable Farms and there will be a chance to see some instream work done for fish habitat. Thursday 28 February 2019 (5:00pm – 8:30pm) — "Getting the most out of your farm dam: for stock health, water quality and retention, and biodiversity". This evening event is being held at "Beelawong", 851 Glenellen Road, Gerogery. We will be looking at fenced dams and how to encourage biodiversity, improve water quality, and enrich stock health. There are some great cod in one of them!

Speakers include Sue & Chris Cain of "Beelawong", Susanne Watkins (freshwater ecologist, Murray LLS), Eve Hall (Veterinarian, Murray LLS), Dave Hunter (frog specialist, Office of Environment and Heritage) and senior ecologist Mason Crane from Sustainable Farms.

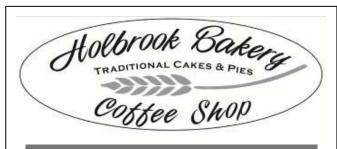
Come to either of these family friendly evenings to learn and chat, and stay for a free BBQ dinner. Registration for these Sustainable Farms Field Days is through Eventbrite, so follow the links through the Holbrook Landcare facebook page to RSVP.

INTERNET SAFETY - HINTS TO HELP PROTECT YOU AND YOUR EQUIPMENT

Use common sense. An email seems dodgy? Don't open the attachment. Someone is standing too close to you when you're on public Wi-Fi while sitting in a café? Shield your screen or if you don't feel safe, just walk away. And always be careful where you store your passwords or who you share them with.

Use technology. If you receive an email asking for personal information, you're probably not the only one. Search for the email subject line or sender online and see what experiences others are reporting. Similarly, if you are considering shopping on a site that you haven't used before, try searching for the name of the company and include words such as "scam" or "complaints'.

Use Norton protection. As your chosen online security service, we're here to help. If you've already installed Norton Security on your laptop and phone, why not try Norton Secure VPN? VPNs can help against another sort of threat – cybercriminals who can hack into Wi-Fi connection and steal your personal information sent and received from your device, like social network profiles or credit card details. VPN is short for Virtual Private Network and works by giving you online privacy and anonymity by creating a private network to help keep your online activity private and more secure, even when you're using a public internet connection.



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PROBUS

Our first meeting for 2019 was held at the RS Club on 29th January. Numbers were a little down probably due to this extremely hot weather we've been having. Let's hope for a reprieve soon!

President Stewart welcomed everyone. He has suggested perhaps an excursion to Lockhart in April school holidays to view the Silo Art and fabulous metal sculptures. Lunch at the RSL Club and then back. Sounds great!

Members were informed of some events planned for **Senior's Week** on Wednesday 20th February and an author talk from Donna Cameron on 1st March. Both at the Library Complex.

After morning tea Cathryn & Margaret Cottrell told us of their fabulous cruise last November on the Majestic Princess which took them on a 13 day trip around New Zealand. A packed itinerary included many highlights, some of which were Milford Sound, Akoroa, Napier, Taurang, the Bay of Islands and Auckland. In Wellington Cathryn & Margaret attended the Remembrance Day ceremony.

The ladies had nothing but praise for their holiday. On board the ship there was endless entertainment, shows, movies, dance lesson, a casino and the food was delicious. They had such a good time they have already booked their next one!

At our next meeting nominations will be called for for all executive positions for our March AGM.

<u>Next meeting</u>: Tuesday 27th February 10:00am at the Holbrook RS Club. <u>New members are welcome</u>.

ANGLICAN NEWS

Our Op-shop sale is continuing so come in and grab a bargain. The Op-shop now has a Facebook page as well, so search for the Holbrook Op-shop and see some of the things that have come up for sale.

On Sunday 10 March we will be holding our annual Harvest Festival Thanksgiving Service and auction.

James & Skye's Farewell Dinner will be held in the Church Hall on Wednesday 20 March at 6pm. It will be a bring-and-share dinner. Please contact Tammy Williams on 0488 453 244 to RSVP and indicate what you can bring.

HOLBROOK AND CULCAIRN CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

We meet for lunch on the first Monday of the month. Make new friends and be supported through and after the effects of this life altering disease. Ring Gabriella 6036 2295

HISTORY QUIZ

Previous Quiz. In 1990 Holbrook Shire Council was blasted for "interfering" with a proposed hoteliers' transfer to Niagra Park, New South Wales. Which Hotel was it? **Answer:** Dora Dora Hotel

Quiz: An Historical Holbrook building was offered for sale in March 1997. The business had a turnover of about \$500,000, with 11 twin bedrooms and 4 single bedrooms. What was the business?



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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

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.

WOOLPACK INN MUSEUM

Heritage Roofing Workshop

On Friday 8th February a Heritage Roofing Workshop was held by the museum. The Workshop was staged as part of the" Heritage Near Me Grant" received from the Office of Environment and Heritage NSW. The workshop benefited those responsible for the management of heritage buildings, enabling them to develop an understanding of maintenance works suitable for their building/s, as well as tradespeople wanting to expand their knowledge in good practice repairs to traditional roofing.

The sixteen participants were from a diverse range of backgrounds travelling from Adelaide, Sydney, Canberra, Melbourne and Adelong to attend. Some local tradesmen and heritage building owners also attended.

The morning session gave participants an insight into traditional roofing methods and materials whilst the afternoon involved hands on learning of traditional fabrication of galvanised flashings and gutters using solid riveting and soldering.

The presenter for the day was Greg Owen, a specialist building conservation contractor, licensed plumber and maintenance engineer and Managing Director of Period Building Conservation from Stanley in Victoria.

Presidents Report to AGM

Welcome Ladies and Gentlemen to the Annual General meeting of the Woolpack

Museum for the year ended 31st December 2018.

This year has been mainly taken up with working on the Heritage Near Me funded project. This has seen the start of stage one, being the appointment of an architect, Noel Thomson, to draw up the plans and documents to enable quotes to be obtained for the necessary repairs to the roof. As part of the grant we held a Heritage Roofing Workshop last Friday which was attended by sixteen participants who came from Holbrook, Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney and Adelaide. The workshop was conducted by Greg Owen from Period Building Conservation PIL.

We will be calling for tenders for the first part of the repairs, being the most urgent repairs, within the next few weeks. I would like to thank Wendy Swan, our long-suffering secretary, for not only preparing the grant Application but also running the project. Without Wendy this would never have come to fruition.

All old buildings need constant attention to their upkeep. This includes minor repairs and major restorations. Also, our exhibits need attention, so they do not deteriorate. As our building gets older our maintenance is going to become costlier. This committee and future committees are going to have to come up with innovative ways to fund this ongoing maintenance if we want our museum to continue.

During the year we had a number of bus tours come through the museum and I would like to thank all the ladies who helped with the morning teas and lunches which we provided. The ladies from the Craft shop helped with the catering and I thank them for their work and cooperation.

Unfortunately, two of our loyal members have decided to move to Wagga Wagga. They are of course Roy and Laurel Willis. Roy was our maintenance man and Laurel our Treasurer. They are going to be sorely missed and I thank them for their long period of service to the museum.

I would like to thank all the members who volunteer to man the museum on Wednesdays and Thursdays when Bert and Dianne have their break. We need more people to share the load. So if you know of anyone who would be willing to spend a couple of hours on a Wednesday or Thursday manning the museum please let us know.

John Lynch has looked after a number of requests for information regarding family members and event, and I thank him for his efforts. He also looks after the museum on numerous occasions when we cannot get volunteers or Bert is away. Thanks for your efforts John.

I thank the committee for the support you have given me over the last year and all the work you have done in maintain the exhibits and the cleaning of the museum.



HOLBROOK SHOW SOCIETY

Cattle on show at Holbrook: A great deal of interest is being shown by cattle exhibitors for the reintroduction of led cattle classes at the Holbrook Show. With the local show falling just before Sydney Royal, some exhibitors are looking at using this as a "hit-out" for their stock.

The large open-sided sheep pavilion will be used for the cattle this year, with sufficient space under the one roof for both bedding stalls and a parade ring. Modifications to this pavilion for this purpose have been made possible through funding received via a GHSC Community Development Grant.

Pavilion Schedules: Due to the large amount of interest received, the Holbrook Show Pavilion Schedules have been very popular and we have just completed a second print run. If you haven't yet seen a copy, they are also available online, but we are endeavouring to make sure that copies are distributed at a range of businesses around Holbrook.

All of the schedules (Horse, Cattle and Pavilion) are now available via the Greater Hume Council website, with links from the Holbrook Show facebook page, or by contacting the Show Society directly.

Helpers Wanted: An event such as the local agricultural show is only able to run smoothly with the support and assistance of a large team of volunteer helpers.

Many of the tasks do not require any experience, and age (young or old) need not be a barrier. One area where we always need a few extra people is in the pavilion on Saturday 23 March, where we will require some offsiders for the stewards during the receival of entries and the judging of pavilion exhibits.

This is also an fantastic way of picking up some hints and tips from the experts. If you are interested, or know of someone who may be, then please let us know. You can send us a message through facebook, or phone Rita (0427 832 803) and we can put your name down.





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TENNIS A hot, near perfect day for the round of tennis last weekend which saw the Holbrook club record 2 wins for the day. Sect 2 Gold travelled to Culcairn to have an entertaining match before winning 74 to 59 games with the Holbrook ladies being the difference on the day not losing a set. This keeps the team at the top end of the ladder and virtually seals a finals spot in 3 weeks time. Sect 2 Green hosted Bungowannah with the result going down to the last sets before the Brookers won 75 to 68 games. Holbrook's men were 10 games up and Bungo ladies were 6 games in front leaving it to the last set of Dugald and Didee Mckay to clinch the result with a 6/2 win. The Greens are in the box seat for a finals tilt but still need to win over the next 2 weeks to confirm their spot. Sect 3 White had the bye, Sect 3 Blue travelled to Jindera to take on the Giants and nearly pulled off bit of an upset before going down 77 to 65 games. The Jindera side just got in front into mixed sets winning the last 2 sets on court to get the points. Sect 4 played at Henty and went down 72 to 51 games with the younger players having a good game but just a bit outclassed – keep practising. This Saturday evening we have the Trivia night at the RS Club. Come along for an entertaining evening with Billy Barber Heriot running off the questions and followed by the auction which always proves to be full of laughs, please be ready at 7.30 to get underway.

The finals of the tennis start on March with 1.00 pm start. Wednesday evening practise is still popular from about 5.30pm for everyone to come along for a hit.

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

A great swimming carnival held last week - congratulations to all students for their participation. A very excited CARROLL HOUSE was the winning house after many years of trying. Congratulations to champions Oscar Preston, Neve Scholz, Lachie Parker, Gwendoline Durdin-Paul and Archie King. Eleven students will now represent St. Patrick's at the Albury Deanery Swimming Carnival on 20th February.

Infant students enjoyed a great water filled activity day whilst students aged 8+ were at the swimming carnival. Counting with water, limbo with water, throwing with water, unders and overs with water, water ice blocks etc. A great day of

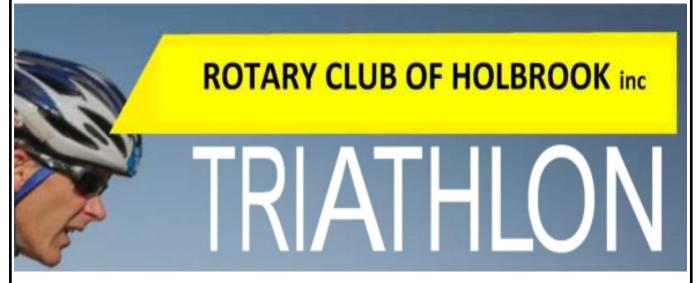
learning in hot weather. All students are now participating in a water safety program Holbrook pool.

All students discussed safe internet practices online 21st February welcome to join us.

on Safer Internet Day (5th February). They looked at appropriate behaviours necessary in today's learning environment. The school Mass and leadership badge presentations was rescheduled to Thursday 9.30am. Everyone is



Kindergarten 2019



Holbrook Rotary Club Triathlon 2019 - Sunday March 3rd 2019

SPRINT TRIATHLON Distance: Run 1.20km //Bike 16km // Swim 220m // Run 3.5km

Electronic Pre-registration /// Teams \$45 - Individuals \$35

ENTICER TRIATHLON (14 & under): Distance: Run: 750m // Bike: 8km // Swim: 200m // Run: 2km Electronic Pre-registration /// Teams \$30 - Individuals \$15 Starts 9am

MINI TRIATHLON Distance: Bike: 2km // Swim: 66m (2 laps) // Run: 800m Starts 8.30am

Entry forms available at: https://www.holbrooktriathlon.com.au/registration.html

Email holbrooktriathlon@gmail.com for assistance or information. For those competing in more than one event please complete a separate form for each event. Age is age on the day of event .

Registration on day incurs an additional \$10 late fee

HOLBROOK PUBLIC SCHOOL

It's been a hectic couple of weeks at Holbrook Public School! On Monday, 5 February, 21 very eager Kindergarten students arrived for their first day at "big school". They were greeted by Miss Hemphill and their equally enthusiastic Year 6 buddies, who were keen to take them under their wings and show them the wonderful opportunities and resources our school has on offer.

During Week 2, we held Class Meetings which were a wonderful opportunity to meet parents, hand out term newsletters, outline expectations and answer parent questions.

On Monday, 11 February, students 8 years of age and older participated in our swimming carnival at the Lavington Swim Centre. It was a fantastic day and it was not only exciting to see so many students participating in as many races as they could, but so many parents there to support their children. We had several students qualify for the Southern Riverina Swimming Carnival which will be held on Friday, 22 February and we wish them the very best of luck at this next level. Congratulations, however, go to all students who participated in Monday's carnival.

This year, our civic-minded SRC are participating in "Return and Earn" and have started collecting plastic bottles, aluminium cans, cardboard cartons and glass bottles (that have the 10¢ refund collection logo on them). You are welcome to collect them and send them in from home to help us raise funds for our school and our chosen charity. There are a few conditions for the containers we are able to return. For more information and to help make it a smooth process for the SRC, please visit our website.

On Monday afternoon, all staff participated in extensive CPR, asthma and anaphylaxis training. This annual training is essential for us to be able to recognise various medical conditions and provide the appropriate care for our students.

On Monday 11 February, Jim Henry, Wil Jenkyn and Izak Schirmer participated in the Albury PSSA cricket trials. They represented the school well and displayed excellent sportsmanship. They were unlucky to not be selected for the next level, but enjoyed the experience. A fantastic effort, boys.

On Wednesday 13 February, а verv excited Indi Paton participated in the Riverina pre-selection tennis trials at the Thurgoona **Tennis** Centre. Indi played six matches and won all six convincingly. She was selected in the team to attend the Riverina trials Griffith on Thursday 28 February.

Congratulations, Indi. We wish you all the best in Griffith.

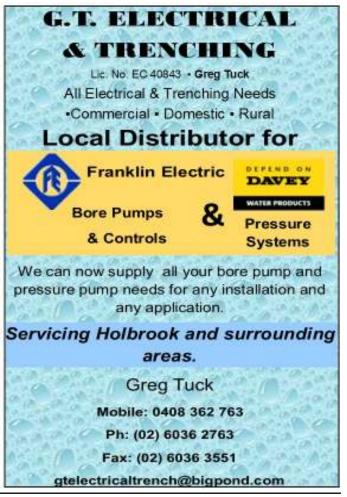




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This year Hicks Beef entered two teams of Australian Beef Composites cattle in the competition and both of these groups of animals placed in the top 10 overall from a total of 95 teams. One team was placed 3rd and the other 8th, which reaffirmed that they were on track with their aim of breeding animals with more hybrid vigour and able to able to produce more kilograms of beef/hectare.





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MEN'S GOLF

7 February Dad's Army Nine hole event:

Winner - Vic Derbridge, R/up- Mick Smith. Naga goes to our 91 year old Ron Trescowthick. NTP 16th Alan Buchanan, 10th Mick Smith.

14 February Dad's Army Nine hole event:

Winner - Mark Lowry, R/up - Tony Castles.

Veterans 18 hole event: Winner - Tony Castles, R/up- Mark Lowry, Naga - Lawrie Ryan. NTP 5th Doug Smith, 9th Tony Castles, 10th Mick Smith, 16th Tony Castles.

The Holbrook Veterans Golf Club held it's yearly AGM on14 February. The minutes of the last meeting were read and passed. The Treasurer's report was handed down and the President's report tabled. Nominations for office bearers for the next twelve months was held. Rick Murphy was again nominated for President, Doug Smith was nominated for the position of Vice President. Ian Wettenhall was nominated for Secretary, and Vic Derbridge as Assistant Secretary. Jimmy Corrigan nominated for Treasurer.

All of those nominated accepted their positions. All of the rest that attended have gone in as committee members.

We have a **golf professional** coming down to our club on Saturday 2nd March. He can be here from 9-00 am and stay as long as needed.

He will run clinics for beginners, Lady golfers, Juniors and all male hackers like myself.

Private lessons of 5 people at \$50-00, or a clinic of 10 people @ \$20-00.

If you are interested please ring Phil Spokes on 0439 301 535. We need to know numbers.

We have secured the Manager of Game Development, Rules and Handicapping, Andrew Robb from Golf NSW to come down to our club to talk about the new rules that have just come in. Andrew will be arriving around 4-00pm on Tuesday 5th March, and we will start with a walk out onto the course and then around 5-30pm we will move into the upstairs of the Club for a ninety minute power point presentation.

The Billabong Classic will be played again this year which is on a 4bbb format. It will kick off on 26th May at Rand, then on to Holbrook for the second game on the 23rd June, followed up with the last game at Culcairn on 14th July.



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WOMEN'S BOWLS

Social Bowls: Winners - 6th February - Judy Smith, Marion Kathleen, Anne Byron & Cathy Jones. 13th February - Ailsa Murdoch, Anne Byron & Cathy Jones.

Consistency Final: Pam Kaletta defeated Pam Seymour. Congratulations to you both.

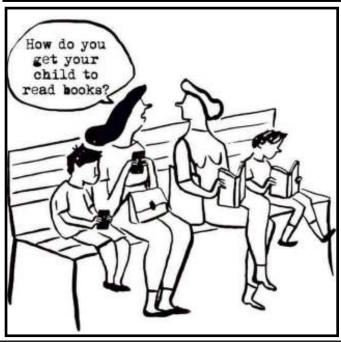
Pam Kaletta & Pam Seymour were selected to play in the Ruth Reiher match at Culcairn on 12th February. Riverina District defeated Central Riverina 127 - 109.

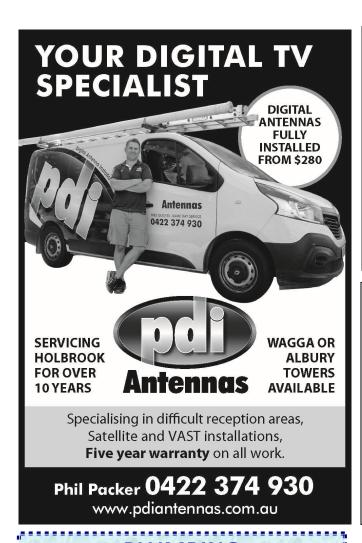
Unfortunately Ann Aird, Pam Kaletta & Jo Merkel were defeated by Commercial Club, after an extra end was played, in the semi final of the **Riverina District Triples** held at Holbrook last week.

The Barbara Leddin Challenge commences on 28th February. Holbrook are at home to Commercial (Blue) Good bowling ladies!

Next Meeting 20th February after bowls. New bowlers are always welcome to join us.









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COMMUNITY DIARY

February 2019

Wed 20 Seniors Week Activity in Holb Library 11.30 am

Women's Bowls meeting

Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669

Greater Hume Council's meeting Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm

Thu 21 Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St

Sat 23 Combined Clubs Auction / Trivia Night 7.00pm @

Holbrook RS Club

Holbrook Markets By The Sub

Sun 24 Miniature train runs 10am to 4pm

Mon 25 Crafty Hands 10.30am @ 7 Fleet St

Show Society meeting 7.30pm @ "Top Pub"

Tues 26 Probus Club of Holbrook 10am

Wed 27 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669

Holb Sheep & Wool Fair meeting 6.30pm -RS Club

Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm

Thur 28 Story Time 11am @ Holbrook Library

Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St

March 2019

Fri 1 World Day of Prayer - 10am @ Knox Church

LilyLu Creation Craft 2.00pm @ 134 Albury St

Visiting Author 11.30am at Holbrook Library

Swim Club Age Championships

Lankeys Creek Hall Happy Hour 6.30pm

Sat 2 Cod Fishing Competition @ Walwa

Visiting Golf Professional @ Holbrook Golf Club

Sun 3 Holbrook Triathlon

Cod Fishing Competition @ Walwa

Sun3 Free Open Day Landfill (open 9am to 5pm)

Mon 4 LilyLu Creation Craft 10.30am @ 134 Albury St

Holbrook Sporting Complex meeting 7.30pm

Cancer Support group 1pm ph 6036 2295

Wed 6 Holb Art Group 5.30pm contact 0488 062 669

Twilight Social Bowls 6.00pm

Thu 7 Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St

Fri 8 Swim Club Presentations

Sun 10 Holbrook Golf Club Opening Day

Anglican Church Harvest Festival Thankgiving

Service & Auction

Miniature train runs 10am to 4pm

Holbrook Tennis Club, Adult Riding Club and Cricket Club Annual Trivia/Auction Night

This Saturday night!

23rd February @ 7.00pm, RS Club

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

Great auction items and prizes Great night All welcome

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Don and Vahine Francis MEMORIAL SERVICE Saturday 9th March (afternoon) time to be confirmed at the Anglican Church





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Please email application with detailed resume, together with full details of employment history and experience, to: frank@johnstons.com.au

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- Assist educators in caring, supervising, educating and implementing the daily program.
- Completing assessments

Essential Criteria for Trainee:

- Willing to study whilst working
- Able to work shifts between 6.45am and 5.45pm
- Good time management skills
- Good communication skills
- Able to work as a team
- Passion for working with young children

Our ideal candidate for our Traineeship Program is an individual who demonstrates passion and enthusiasm for a hands on career with children aged 0 to 5 years. We are looking for driven, creative and bubbly candidates. School leavers are encouraged to apply (must be over 18). You are never too old for a career change.

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Please call the centre on 02 6036 2344 for more information.

If you are motivated, enthusiastic, proactive and with a genuine passion for working with children and are interested in this position please email your resume to:

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Web ID: LPZ3258

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16 Brush Box Street, Lake Hume Village

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Enjoy resort style living in this well maintained Heritage Cottage, now available for permanent living, holidays or as an investment rental. Set in manicured gardens, with Lake Hume at the door step and only a short drive to all the attractions of Albury Wodonga. 3 bedrooms, open kitchen lounge & dining. Both front and back entertaining areas and a single carport adjoins the home.



28 Swift Street, Holbrook

\$180,000

EASY CARE HOME

Web ID: LPZ23248

This property is in a perfect position, close to the CBD, sporting facilities, golf and bowls. Still providing a quiet lifestyle this 2 bedroom brick veneer home has a new kitchen and laundry area, solar panels, natural gas and an outdoor area set in an easy care garden. A secure garage off street parking and access to the back yard from side lane. Inspections by appointment.



150A Albury Street, Holbrook

\$42,000

WELL LOCATED VACANT LAND

Web ID: LPZ2899

Vacant Block (1012m2), Well located in Holbrook's Main Street - Central to all amenities including schools, children's centre, sporting facilities, parks, & shops. All services available from street.

Drive by to view, please call to arrange an inspection to walk over the property.



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