



PINKING UP HOLBROOK

Pink Up Holbrook is up and running, with the first event on the Pink Calendar was on Saturday 12th October with the Miniature Train running. Thank you to the Miniature Train committee for donating all of the takings from the day and the drivers for donating



their time.

The next event was the Holbrook Newsagency Pink Cupcake Day held on 14th October. They out did themselves. There was every shade of pink available. Thank you to Phil, Sue and all their staff for the amazing effort and to everyone who purchased a cupcake, they were delicious. Thank you to everyone



who stopped and grabbed a cupcake. \$670 was raised. Well done Holbrook.

18th October, saw the Pink Up Dinner & Auction held at The Ten Mile. A great night was had by just over 80 people. The auction raised \$7,500.00 for the McGrath Foundation Breastcare nurses. Thank you to all the generous businesses for their kind donations and all the winning bidders.

Holbrook Public School are also getting right behind the pink theme with "Paint the School Pink", on 23rd October. Students are invited to wear pink to school for a gold coin donation. Holbrook Bakery have kindly

donated 150 pink cupcakes, they will be for sale on the day for \$2.00 each.

The next event on the calendar is the Pink Up the Club to be held on 25th October. There will be prizes and raffles on the night.

27th October the Riverina Hotel is holding the Pink 100's Club. This is planned to be a great day to take the family out, sit back and relax with live entertainment by Damien Knolls and a jumping castle for the kids. Tickets are \$100 for two adults, this includes a drink and food package. The ticket also puts you in the draw for the major raffle of 1st prize, \$2000, 2nd is \$1000 and 3rd is \$500. Tickets can be purchased from the Hotel. The best dressed window trophy will also be announced on this day.

28th October, Pink Up Brunch at J&B's Gourmet Café. Tickets are \$40 per person, this includes, brunch and tea/coffee. Tickets are limited so please get in quickly, there will be a raffle drawn and lucky door prizes on the day. Tickets can be purchased from J&B's Gourmet Café.

To end the month, 30th October the RS Club along with the Holbrook Bowls Club will be hosting a Pink Twilight Barefoot Bowls Night, teams of four, \$10 per head this includes a free sausage sizzle. Starts at 6pm. Another great event to get some friends together and enjoy a game of bowls.

SPORTS PERSON OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The Holbrook Sporting Complex Board is calling for nominations for the Holbrook Sports Person of the Year awards.

The categories this year are; Junior Sports Person (under 18 at 31.11.19), Senior Sports Person and Team of the Year.

So if you, or someone you know, has excelled at local, regional, state or national level between 1.12.18 to 31.11.19 in your chosen field, nominate for this prestigious award.

This year the winners will be nominated for the GHSC Sporting Awards to be announced on Australia Day 2020. This wonderful award has been running for nearly 40 years and has had many talented sporting stars take home the prize. Could you be next?

Nominations, including name, age and a summary of the sporting achievements, can be emailed to sportscomplexspoty@gmail.com.

Closing date: Saturday 30 November 2019.

For further information please contact Russell Parker on 0402 292 723

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Friday 1 November 2019

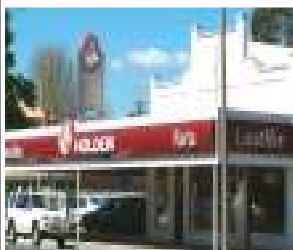
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PINK UP HOLBROOK FUNDRAISER

**Twilight Barefoot Bowls
Wednesday Oct 30th @ 6.00pm
Teams of 4 or individual entries
\$10 per head.
Dress in Pink
Sausage Sizzle Included**

END OF MONTH RAFFLE

Additional Prizes
All proceeds donated to the
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FRIDAY NIGHT– RAFFLE & MEMBER DRAWS

Tickets on sale from 6.30pm Drawn at 7.30pm
MEMBERS' DRAW—1st Draw 8.15pm
2nd Draw 8.45pm

SUNDAY LUNCH - RAFFLE & MEMBER DRAW

Tickets on sale from 12.30pm Drawn at 1.00pm
20 Prizes to be Won
MEMBER DRAW - 2pm (1 only)

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Sunday 27th October @ 2.00pm

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Book Review

The Last Pulse by Anson Cameron

This is a book about desperation and rebellion, which is a bit of a hot topic at the moment. Imagine that your farm has dried up, you've lost your livelihood and your dignity, family tragedy has struck and the state government is celebrating it's success while you and your neighbours slowly lose everything.

Some people just snap and this is what happens in this darkly hilarious yarn. Merv Rossiter embarks on a mission to take revenge on the water thieves upstream which leads him and his daughter Em on this madcap journey back down the now flooding river to their hometown. Hotly pursued by the police and the press, they are welcomed as heroes by the locals but Merv's fate will remain in the hands of the politicians he has insulted and lawmakers he is dodging.

Written in 2014, The Last Pulse could have been written for today.



Save the Date!

Need to get some legal information on wills, power of attorney, enduring guardian appointments? Do you know that you are never too young to have your will prepared? Join us for afternoon tea with Kim Todd on Wednesday the 27th November at 2-3pm. Kim will touch on these topics and will answer any questions that you've been mulling over.

Another school holidays done and dusted at the Holbrook Library! We are so lucky to have access to the great number of holiday programs available through Riverina Regional Library and love getting feedback on the programs. Coral Reef was really successful and there was so much creativity and inventiveness from the children who took part. Pictured are some of the children and their fabulous coral sculptures.



Story Time resumes on Thursday 24th October at 11am. Come along for some stories, singing and fun.

Homework Club will also start after the holidays on Tuesday 22nd October at 3.30pm. Please bring along your homework and \$2 for afternoon tea! Year 3 children and older.



HOLBROOK LANDCARE

30 Year Celebration on Friday 1 November: To mark this significant milestone of coming together as a group to share knowledge and experience and to achieve positive outcomes for the environment, agricultural production systems and social resilience in our local region, Holbrook Landcare will be holding a free forum, followed by an informal dinner.

The forum will be held in the Holbrook Anglican Hall between 2pm and 5pm on Friday 1 November and will showcase some of the fantastic achievements our members have been involved in, hear about why Landcare has been so enthusiastically embraced by our community and explore the role Landcare might play in the sustainability of our region into the future. Speakers during the afternoon include **Tom Bull** (2018 Weekly Times Coles Farmer of the Year), **Stephanie Cameron** (Landcare NSW) and several of our local landcare members.

The afternoon forum is free to attend, although we do require numbers for catering and seating purposes.

To finish off the day, an informal Celebration Dinner is being held at The Ten Mile, from 6.30pm. This will be a chance for our members, partners and friends to gather together to share reflections and celebrate our collective achievements, and hear some really positive messages from **Ginny Stevens** from Active Farmers about keeping healthy people and communities in regional Australia.

Dinner is \$60.00 per person, prepaid to Holbrook Landcare, with RSVP by Monday 28 October.

Everyone is welcome to come along to one, or both, of these events. Call in to the Holbrook Landcare office, next to the Bakery, email office@holbrooklandcare.org.au give us a call on 6036 3181.

NSW Landcare & Local Land Services Conference: This week Kylie Durant & Paula Sheehan have headed west, to Broken Hill, for the Landcare Conference. This will be a full program of tours, guest speakers and discussion, with an excellent opportunity to connect with people from all over NSW.

SAVE THE DATE: 21st November Implementing Farm Dam rehab—benefits for water quality and quantity at Tabletop—stay tuned!

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PLANT PICK PLATE

I have relocated my herbs in readiness for new landscaping, which hopefully will be in the near future. I found the perfect spot in my front garden. The flat and curly leaf Parsley, Sage, Chives, Mint and Dill, the Marjoram, Thyme, Coriander and Rosemary are thriving. Hence, this success raises the question “what to do with all these fresh aromatic herbs?” Incorporating them into my daily diet is the logical choice.



Since the Roman and ancient Chinese times herbs have been used as ointments and digested as health tonics. Dill and Fennel are said to cure insomnia and indigestion while Rosemary oil rubbed on the temples will relieve a headache. And Parsley is a SUPERFOOD! Who would have thought that the green sprig sitting forlorn on the edge of a plate is a superfood? It contains 3 times more vitamin A, B and C than an orange, is rich in fatty acids to aid digestion, iron and other vital minerals. With this discovery and my desire to eat healthy, the humble parsley will take pride of place featuring on almost every meal I prepare, much to the horror of those I cook for.

Most of my other herbs can be used in Herbal Teas, a tonic also of ancient origins and now in modern culture is enjoying a resurgence in popularity. Try infusing one teaspoon of crushed fresh leaves or half teaspoon of dried leaves in one cup of hot water for 3 – 5 minutes. Add lemon juice or honey for added flavour and sweetening but never milk or sugar. A fresh ginger infusion is excellent for nausea and an energy boost. Dill and chamomile have a calming and relaxing effect and the mint teas are refreshing especially when served chilled. So is this good bye to my beloved morning coffee? No chance.

Passionate Gardener, June

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CALLING FOR NOMINATIONS OF GREATER HUME'S TOP CITIZENS FOR 2020 AUSTRALIA DAY

Greater Hume Shire has many unsung heroes who generously dedicate their time and energy to our communities, now is the time to say **thank you** by submitting a nomination for an Australia Day Award. Mayor, Cr Heather Wilton said, "This is a wonderful way for communities to show their appreciation of the tireless work of our many volunteers right across Greater Hume."

2019 Citizen of the Year, John Seidel said, "I certainly felt very privileged to receive the award and appreciate that the Greater Hume Council has seen fit to highlight the valuable work of volunteers in the local community."

Closing date for nominations from residents of Greater Hume Council for its Australia Day 2020 Awards is Wednesday 11 December 2019.

Awards will be announced at the official Australia Day celebration to be held on Sunday 26 January 2020 at Jubilee Park, Olympic Highway, Culcairn.

Residents are encouraged to nominate local people/ events for each of the following categories:

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Community Event of the Year
- Sports Person/Team of the Year
- Sports Volunteer of the Year

Applications should be forwarded to the General Manager, Greater Hume Council, PO Box 99, Holbrook NSW 2644. Nomination forms for all award categories are available from Council's Customer Service Centres at Culcairn, Henty, Holbrook, Jindera and Walla Walla or at www.greaterhume.nsw.gov.au.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Kerrie Wise, Tourism and Promotions Officer, Greater Hume Council on 02 6036 0186 or kwise@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au.

You are very welcome to come along!



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MEAL ON WHEELS NEWS

After 9 years with Holbrook Meals on Wheels Service we recently said goodbye to Yvonne, one of our dedicated client support workers. We wish Yvonne a very happy retirement and thank her for her years of dedication and hard work, as well as her commitment to our clients' welfare and outcomes.

Our Men's Group are off to visit the Uiver Restoration Project this Wednesday at Albury airport, then on to the Springdale Heights Tavern for a meal.

Gentle Exercise continues each Tuesday and Thursday until mid-December, when we will break for the holidays. Everyone is welcome to come along. Just a short questionnaire needed before commencement.

Coming up our Annual General Meeting is on Wednesday 30th October at the Library meeting room. Why not come along and join us? (Don't worry you won't be given a job, unless you want one, we have nominations for positions). Guest Speaker is Pam Mulholland who will talk to us about My Aged Care and entry to the programme.

You are invited to come along and everyone is more than welcome to attend. The meeting will be followed by morning tea. If you are planning on coming along please RSVP to 6036 3677 (just for catering numbers).

PROBUS

Numbers are still a little down but improving slightly. We are still in need of new members or more of our existing members returning to our meetings. Transport can be arranged for anyone who needs it. Phone 0427 371 751 for assistance.

Two of our long standing members, Ian Scobie and Bob Winnett have recently passed away. They will be sadly missed. Deepest sympathy to Robin, Jill and their families.

Leonie Hibberson from the Holbrook Library told us about a Taste of Technology Course which was held at the library on Wednesday 16th October as part of the Get Online Week. Many devices were set up for 'hands on' experiences and Leonie was helping members decide on a device best suited to them.

Holly Clarke, Nurse Manager at Holbrook (Murrumbidgee Health Service) gave us the very good news about the hospital reopening and our two local doctors now have visiting and admitting rights!! The Hume Medical Centre, Greater Hume Council and our hospital have been working hard to achieve this much longed for result.

The meeting closed at 11:45am and many members then enjoyed lunch and a good 'natter'!

Next meeting: Tuesday 29th October 10:00am at the RS Club. All welcome!

ANGLICAN NEWS

October is a huge month for the Anglican Church as we embark on our two major fund raisers for the year - the Open Gardens and the Flower Show.

The **Open Gardens** were another huge success this year, thanks largely to the efforts of the generous people who agree to open their gates to visitors. We are extremely grateful to all those who did this earlier this month, and while the final figures are yet to be tallied, we are delighted with another great event. The Open Gardens are not only a chance to gather together but are a real opportunity to see God's work in action - and what better way than in the stunning gardens in the district.

Yet another chance to see God's creations comes this Friday (October 25) when we hold our **Annual Flower Show**. Nature has been kind to the district compared to many other areas, and we are hopeful we will see a lovely display of flowers and plants as part of the Flower Show. As usual, there will be a scrumptious lunch available for visitors.

Services continue each week at the Holbrook Anglican Church at 9.30am and we love to see regular church goers as well as visitors. Everyone is truly welcome, and to stay for morning tea after the service.

HISTORY QUIZ

Previous Quiz: According to the Holbrook Courier, 23 March 1988, Holbrook has a Sister City, or rather a Sister Village. Where is it?

Answer: According to Mr. J. Walton, of Wagga, the 'Sister Village' was in Suffolk. He said the Royal Naval School used to be based in Greenwich, and was moved to Suffolk in 1933.

New Quiz: "Father Wilf Plunkett celebrated 50 years of priesthood." The Wagga Daily Advertiser [24 October 2005] has a photo of him, with the first couple he married. They were a very well-known Holbrook couple. Who were they?

LANKEYS CREEK HALL NEWS:

FROM LITTLE THINGS BIG THINGS GROW

The Lankeys Creek Hall Committee have been the recipient of grant money through Council for hall improvements and due to the success of our Happy Hours we decided to build an outdoor eating area.

We are lucky to have Trevor Bagley as a local resident, so 'Bags the Builder' has been hard at work doing an excellent job of constructing this great asset.

With new outdoor lighting we have the perfect venue for our summer evening gatherings and as you can see there is always a good crowd there to catch up with neighbours for a chat and the latest news.



We have also purchased a new wood heater and made improvements to the men's toilet.

It is quite a few years since we started our first Friday of the month Happy Hour and it is always surprising, even on the coldest, wettest nights how many folk make the effort to come out. It has been a great success in connecting the community.

Thanks to 'Bags' and all the volunteers who have done their bit to help with the Happy Hours and all the new work.



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WOOLPACK INN MUSEUM

Roof Restoration: Work is finally underway on the restoration of the roof of our local historical building the Woolpack Inn Museum. The work is being project managed by Wagga Wagga heritage architect Noel Thomson, and carried out by builder Russell Heyme from Albury. The works are expected to be finalised by early November.

The museum's committee successfully secured a grant from the Office of Environment "Heritage Near Me" which has enabled this project to proceed.

When complete the two storey section of the building will be

waterproofed but additional funds will be needed to finish the remaining parts of the building.

Market Stall at the Sub Markets: Members of the museum's committee will be holding a stall at the next Sub Markets on Saturday 26 October. We will have cakes, plants, garden produce and bric-a-brac for sale so come and visit us and make a purchase to support your local Museum. Remember that the Woolpack Inn Museum is YOUR museum run totally by local volunteers.

Volunteers: Speaking of volunteers we are always in need of help so if you have some time to spare we would love to hear from you. Further details can be obtained from our Caretaker Bert on 6036 2131 or by visiting the museum. Why not ask us about volunteering at our market stall?



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HOLBROOK EQUINE CENTRE

Over the weekend of 12-13 October the Holbrook Equine Centre (HEC) was a busy place with the Holbrook Pony Club running a Star Challenge Day on the Sunday and the Rural Fire Service using the venue for their annual NSW RFS Division 13 Cadet Championships.

This is the third year that the RFS Cadets have visited Holbrook for their competition, and reports are that the event is proving to be very popular. The Cadets come from throughout the Southern Border region and work in teams over the two days to complete a range of challenges. Points are allocated for each of the allocated tasks, with the weekend closing with the presentation of awards.



With the arrival of the warmer weather, the venue will also be used for a variety of parties and gatherings, in addition to the usual horse events. During January Berragoon Stockhorses hold their annual sale on the grounds, with a large number of horse enthusiasts travelling considerable distances for the opportunity to attend.

HOLBROOK PUBLIC SCHOOL

The students have returned to school all ready and keen to learn after a wonderful spring break. It is very pleasing to see students in summer uniforms and wearing their hats.

The whole school performance - 'The Olympics come to Holbrook' was an amazing success where all the students showcased their creative arts performance skills.

Special thanks to Mrs Wedgewood and Miss Lavis for coordinating the brilliant show.

Congratulations to the teachers, students, SLSOs and parents who supported the team to produce a quality production.



We were very lucky to have Wiradjuri man, Mark Sadler visit our school to help us celebrate NAIDOC week. The students explored this year's theme 'Voice, Treaty, Truth - Let's work together'. Mark gave presentations to all classes on the Wiradjuri culture and language, art and indigenous games. The students and teachers had an exciting day which was enjoyed by all. We look forward to working further with Mark to deepen our knowledge of Wiradjuri culture in our local area.



Special thanks to our P&C and some generous donations from parents who have purchased 31 djembe drums for our music room. The djembe drum is a rope-tuned skin-covered goblet drum played with bare hands. These drums will be used for music, wellbeing, leadership, bullying and personal development lessons. The teachers and students are very keen to begin lessons.

Upcoming events: Paint the School Pink Day on Wednesday, 23 October, Responsible Pet Education K-2 on Thursday, 24 October, St Paul's Anglican Flower Show K-2, Friday 25 October.

BILLABONG HIGH SCHOOL

Mr Wawszkowicz has met with HMFD organisers and had positive conversations about what might be done in the future. This will be discussed more at the next P&C meeting (Week 3).

Please be aware that if students miss learning time due to attending Henty Field Days, sporting representation, personal or any other absence, teachers are only too happy to help them get back on track. Students simply need to ask teachers what they missed out on so that they can catch up. This is particularly important if a student feels that they are behind or do not understand something in any subject.

Melbourne Show: Out of the six steers we had at the show, four were placed in the top six of their classes, in the Hoof or Live section of the Show. This is a credit to the students who spent hours of preparation into their steers and to the studs; Huon Charolais of Jindera, Thologolong Murray Grey and Black Diamond Speckle Parks.

Our students all paraded in the Young Paraders section. All should be proud of their efforts in becoming young cattle handlers with seven students parading for the first time. In particular, Tyron Heritage and Tayissa Schollick came 1st in their parading classes and participated in the championship rounds for their age group. Thomas Wiffen was placed 5th, Cameron Howard and Aaron Heritage both achieving 6th place.

In the holidays, the results of the Hook section came out and we were delighted to receive 3rd place in the Heavy Export section with a Huon Charolais steer. This made Billabong High School place 5th best school exhibitors in the show overall in the Beef Carcase Competition.

Special mention should be made of Mr Alex McMaster and Mrs Barbara Dengate for their help with supervision and food preparation for our show team.

Dates for Diary:

Thursday 24 October - Work Connected - TAFE

28th October - 1st November Yr 11 Excursion

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

Students have returned to school for Term 4 and are very excited to showcase their talents at their bi-annual school production. This year "Treasure Island" will be performed on Thursday 31st October and final practice is underway and costumes are being produced.

Primary students enjoyed polishing up their cricket skills at a clinic and round robin games day in Culcairn last week. This is always a terrific event organised by Culcairn Public School and Robbie Mackinlay.



Neve taking part in cricket at Culcairn

Advance notice that Holbrook Handmade Markets event will be held in our School Hall on Saturday 30th November between 10.00am and 2.00pm. This will showcase local artisans and producers of the Riverina Region. A date for the diary.

Eight community transition students are thoroughly enjoying attending this activity each Friday. This will continue each Friday concluding on Friday, 15th November.

Any child commencing kindergarten in 2020 at any school is able to attend this free programme between 9.00am and 3.10pm. Just contact St. Patrick's School for more information.

Holbrook Rotary's Art Show was a terrific venue to showcase the talents of students with their artwork being displayed in the Supper Room. Each class visited the Art Show and gained an appreciation of art by viewing the wonderful works displayed by artists from near and far in the Hall.

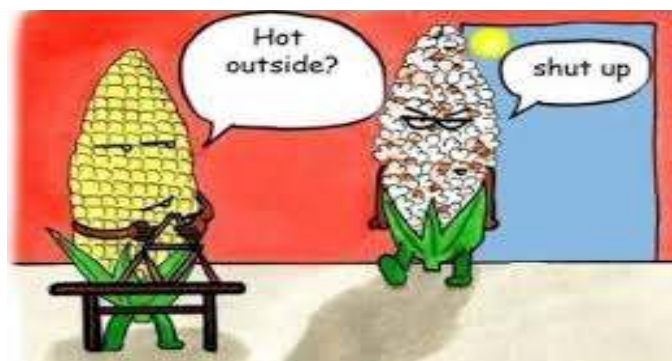
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HOLBROOK CRICKET CLUB IS 150 NOT OUT

The 150th anniversary of the Holbrook Cricket Club will be celebrated at the Holbrook RS Club this coming Saturday 26th October.

There are few cricket clubs in regional Australia that are as old as Holbrook and still active. Australia has changed so much in the last 150 years and through it all, Holbrook has continued to play cricket.

Teams had to travel relatively long distances for their time, during daylight hours by horse, buggy or coach, and had to stay overnight at a local watering hole, although the whole affair had become a little safer after bushranger Daniel Morgan had met his demise in 1863.

Cricket matches were played between villages and stations on an ad-hoc invitational/challenge and reciprocal basis.

The advent of the railways through the region after 1879 enabled teams to get about more easily and new cricket clubs were established and matches played further afield.

Other clubs that Holbrook has had a close association with include Mangoplah and The Rock (both established in 1880), Uranquinty (1893), Yerong Creek (1894), Culcairn (1895), Benambra (1896), Mountain Creek, Henty and Lockhart (1897), Woomargama (1898), Lankeys Creek and Mullengandra (1899), Morven and Gerogery.

An organised competition was underway in the 1890's with the establishment of more clubs and Germanton occasionally had two teams. The inaugural Culcairn Country Cricket Competition (including Culcairn, Henty, Cookardina and Gerogery) was won by Germanton in 1903-04.

GOLF

10 October Veterans: Winner M.Smith, R/up A. Buchanan. NTP M. Lowry 10th and T. Castles 14th.

Dad's Army: Winner V. Derbridge, R/up M.Smith NAGA D.Smith

17 October Dad's Army: Winner V. Derbridge, R/up J. Maskus. NAGA A. Buchanan. NTP M. Lowry 3rd and T. Castles 5th.

Congratulations to Mark Winnett who claimed the 36 Hole Net Title at the NSW Sandgreen Championships held at Baraba on 12th & 13th October.

Four of our members will be taking on the **Longest Day of Golf** in December to raise money for the Cancer Council. They will attempt to play 72 Holes of golf in one day.

If you would like to support the guys, sponsorship details can be found on our Facebook page (facebook.com/Holbrook-RS-Golf-Club)

This competition was replaced in 1913-14 by a railway "Line" competition that included Yerong Creek, The Rock and Uranquinty but excluded Germanton and Cookardina.

The town was renamed Holbrook in 1915 while cricket was in recess for the duration of the First World War. After the war the Holbrook and District Cricket Association was established in 1921 and Holbrook has been the only continuously affiliated club ever since.

Holbrook has been blessed with its fair share of fine cricketers over the years including Bill Whitting, principal of Holbrook Public School in 1926. Dr Doug Emery, former Sydney University first grader and fine batsman, led the team successfully for 10 years from 1957 before moving to Tamworth. Grazier and all-rounder John Cornish led the Holbrook club to four consecutive premierships in the late 1970's as well as a football premiership in the Farrer League in 1970. Wicket-keeper/batsman Gordon Kendall who played for Country against Metropolitan in 1949-50 after Ron Ring from Little Billabong had done the same in 1946-47.

Tom Jones jnr and Clem Hicks both played for Country South in 1955-56 and opening batsman Hicks played for Riverina-Southern Districts against the touring England team at Wagga Wagga in 1959 when, at the age of 38, he faced the fiery Fred Trueman.

A number of other Holbrook players have played for Riverina: Kevin Cottrell and Bill Nixon (1949-50), Tom Kendall (1950-51), all-rounder Ted Wornes (1965-66) and leg-spinner Nigel Ross (3 years) captained Riverina at Country Week in Sydney in 1949-50.

More recently, all-rounder Stephen Taylor won the Ryder Medal for the best player in Melbourne District Cricket in 2015-16.

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RS CLUB MEN'S BOWLS

On Sunday 13th October, the RS Club hosted ninety-six bowlers representing the Albury and District (men), the Riverina District (ladies) and the Ovens and Murray for their annual challenge. In a close result the men went down by one shot. The ladies were competitive in



the morning but struggled after lunch. Plaudits to the Otway Bistro for feeding so many people in a limited time and for the RS Club staff's service. Their contribution to the success of the event cannot be overstated. Thanks also to Rowan (greenkeeper) for providing good greens under difficult circumstances (the greens were under water at 5.00pm Friday).

Twilight Bowls is on again commencing Wednesday 6th (6.00pm start) November for four weeks involving teams of four. The cost of \$20/team/week includes a sausage sizzle at completion of play. Names into the RS Club by 3rd November please. The **2019-20 A + D Pennant** draw has been released. Holbrook has entered teams in Divisions 4 and 6. Competition commences 18th January with finals to be played on 29th March.

Odewahn Shield has commenced with Holbrook losing the first round but successful in round two. Holbrook travels to Henty for round three on Saturday 19th.

TENNIS

The new tennis season is underway in the Hume Country Tennis Association with 5 teams going around each weekend. The season started on Saturday 12 October with 3 Holbrook teams competing against 3 teams from Jindera.

In **Sect 2 the Holbrook Gold** team recorded a good win against Jindera 89 to 31 games. Unfortunately for the Jindera team they had a lady injured early on in the day and couldn't play. Indi Paton filled in for the visitors so as both teams had 6 sets during the ladies and mixed. Thanks Indi for filling in at short notice. Jarrod Hibberson was back on deck for the Brookers and had a good day on court winning 3 sets as number 1. **Sect 2 Green** travelled to Howlong and scored a good win 7/77 games to 9/69 games. The Holbrook men were 18 games up and the ladies 16 down which set it up for a tight finish. Leigh Goldsworthy and Alice Bunyan won 6/1 and Aussie Todd with Liz Matheson winning 6/3 set up the win. The club welcomes a couple of new players here in Jarra Dickison, Kim Beer and Liz Matheson and hopefully the good form continues.

Sect 3A Blue played Jindera Gums and in a tight battle throughout the match the Brookers team got up by 2 9/72 games to Jindera's 7/70 games. Going into the last sets Holbrook was 10 games up but the visitors came home with a wet sale winning 3 of the 4 mixed to

just miss out on the chocolates.

The newly formed **Sect 6B** side played at Brocklesby and scored a good win 4/33 games to 2/18 games. The teams here consist of 4 players only and play 3 sets apiece to get the younger players keen and ready for the longer matches in the higher grades. Well done players Lachie Parker, Oscar & Archie King and Olivia Trevathen.

Sect 3B White played Jindera Giants and were beaten 11/77 to 5/53 games. Jindera's ladies had a good day out winning 4 of the 6 sets to set up the win. Good to see Julianne Williams back on court for the Brookers here.

This coming weekend's matches include:

Sect 2 Green at home to Gerogery West, Gold at home to Culcairn, Sect 3A Blue away to Bungo Foxes, Sect 3B at home to Gerogery West and Sect 6B travel to Pleasant Hills.

Players are reminded that Annual Subs can now be paid. Family \$130, senior \$60 and Junior/student \$25. These can be sent in with ball fees with name and amount with them enclosed.

There will be a family BBQ before the Christmas break – date to be fixed.

Don't forget the Wednesday evening hit-up from about 5.30pm. No cost - bring a friend – play 1 set or 4, enjoy a relaxing afternoon later.

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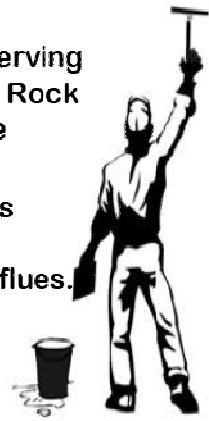
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- Wed 23 Art Group 5.30pm - Uniting Church Hall
Greater Hume Council meeting - Culcairn
Swim Club meeting 7pm @ RS Club
- Thu 24 **Knitting Group 10.30am - 134 Albury St**
Story Time 11am @ Holbrook Library
- Fri 25 **Anglican Flower Show - Holb Shire Hall**
LilyLu Creation Craft 2.00pm
- Sat 26 **Holbrook Cricket Club 150 Year Celebration**
7pm @ Holbrook RS Club
Holb Markets by the Sub 8.30am-2pm
- Sun 27 **'Pink 100 Club' @ Riverina Hotel**
Miniature train runs 10am to 4pm
Holbrook RS Club AGM 2.00pm
- Mon 28 LilyLu Creation Craft 10.30am
'Pink Up Brunch' @ J&B's Gourmet Café
Holbrook Show Society meeting & dinner
@ RS Club
- Tues 29 **Probus Club of Holbrook 10am**
- Wed 30 Meals on Wheels AGM 10.30am @ Library
Complex
Art Grp 5.30pm @ Uniting Church Hall
- Thu 31 Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St

November 2019

- Fri 1 **Holbrook Landcare Celebration Forum**
(FREE) 2-5pm @ Anglican Hall
Lankeys Creek Hall Happy Hour 6.30pm
Holbrook Landcare's 30yr Celebration
Dinner 6.30pm @ The Ten Mile
- Sat 2 Live Music @ Lankeys Creek (tickets
required)
- Sun 3 **Holbrook Football Club AGM 3pm @ RS Club**
- Mon 4 Crafty Hands 10.30am @ 7 Fleet St
- Wed 6 **Art Grp 5.30pm @ Uniting Church Hall**
Community Radio 2GHR AGM 7pm @ RS
Club
Twilight Bowls commences 6pm
- Thu 7 Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St
- Fri 8 **LilyLu Creation Craft 2.00pm**
Swim Club Season Launch 5.30pm @
Holbrook Pool
- Sun 10 **Miniature train runs 10am to 4pm**
Little Billabong CWA meeting 2pm @ Kate
Locke's
- Mon 11 **LilyLu Creation Craft 10.30am**
Remembrance Day
- Wed 13 **Art Group 5.30pm - Uniting Church Hall**
- Thu 14 Knitting Group 10.30am @ 134 Albury St
Story Time 11am @ Holbrook Library
- Sat 16 Men's Breakfast 8.00am @ Anglican Hall
- Sun 17 **Miniature train runs 10am to 4pm**
Induction of new Anglican Minister 2pm
- Mon 18 **Crafty Hands 10.30am @ 7 Fleet St**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Freeburn family would like to extend our thanks to all our family and friends for the support we have received following Roy's passing. The messages, telephone calls, offers of assistance and meals were of great comfort to us during a difficult time. We are also very thankful to the wonderful outreach palliative care nurses, and the staff at the Forest Centre in Wagga Wagga, who provided such lovely care of Roy, and support to our family during his last few months.

Lyn, Jade, Tara and family

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*The future of Australian Agriculture
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* **Stephanie Cameron** (Landcare NSW) -
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* Local reflections of what Landcare has
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Holbrook Landcare Celebration Dinner
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