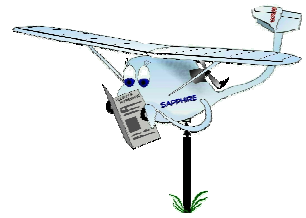


# HOLBROOK HAPPENINGS

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## WORK ETHIC AND GREAT CUSTOMER SERVICE

Pride of Workmanship Awards were announced by Rick Bull at Holbrook's Australia Day ceremony held at the Ten Mile Creek Gardens on January 26.

Recipients included Dani Lidell at The Ten Mile, Petra Koomen from Holbrook Paddock Eggs and Matthew Cottrell at Holbrook Engineering.

This bi-annual event run by the Rotary Club of Holbrook encourages employees to develop a strong work ethic; customer service, leadership and team building skills; dependability and job efficiencies.

Ten Mile's Sarah King said Dani was willing to take on challenging projects, was self-motivated, gave great customer service, and was good at conflict resolution

and handling difficult situations. Petra Koomen was represented by Holbrook Paddock Eggs owners Prue and Sam Pincott and their children. Although away on Australia Day, Petra had attended and addressed a Rotary dinner meeting at an earlier date. Sam commended Petra on her strong sense of responsibility towards the well-being of animals on the farm. She had quickly progressed to a full-time farm hand.

Rick caught up with Matthew Cottrell at Holbrook Engineering. Logan Lauritzen said Matthew's warm and cheerful attitude with clients, his willingness to take on challenging projects, attention to detail and dependability was exemplary.

Rick said the Pride of Workmanship Awards gave employers the opportunity to encourage their young workers to develop the many skills required for good customer service, as well as reward those experienced employees who led by example.



*Rick Bull, Dani Lidell and Sarah King*

## GREATER HUME SHIRE - AUSTRALIA DAY

Australia Day 2020 in Greater Hume was held at the Culcairn Recreation Ground, Culcairn, it was a fabulous ceremony, with over 500 people attending. Some of the highlights were the inspiring addresses given by our Australia Day Ambassador, Bob Turner, captains of Billabong High School, April Kennedy and Elisha Muller, Justin Clancy, Member for Albury and Cr Heather Wilton, Mayor, Greater Hume Council. The Australian flag was jointly raised by Lincoln Wright, Culcairn Public School Captain and Vincent Cheng, Saint Joseph's Primary School Captain and Jacob Wilksch performed during the ceremony.

Elizabeth Papworth, Holbrook and Edith Ventura, Henty were given a warm welcome as new Australian's during a citizenship ceremony conducted by Mayor, Councillor Heather Wilton.

Congratulations to all the award nominees and winners who were recognised for their hard work on behalf of the Greater Hume community, and the winners were:

- Citizen of the Year – *Bruce Diffey, Henty*
- Young Citizen of the Year – *Maddison Doughty, Jindera*
- Sports Person/Team of the Year – *Lucy Grills, Holbrook*
- Community Event of the Year – joint winners *Walbundrie Cricket Club Pink Stumps and Walla Walla 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebrations*

**School Citizenship Awards:** Billabong High School George Leov, St Paul's Lutheran College Laura Kotzur, Holbrook Public School Jim Henry, St Patrick's Primary School Oscar Preston



*Liz Papworth & Edith Ventura with Mayor Heather Wilton*

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Next deadline 9am  
**Friday 21 February 2020**

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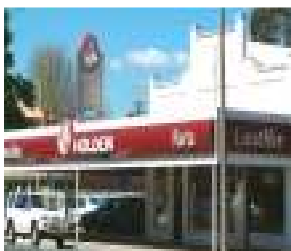
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**FRIDAY 14 FEBRUARY**

**2.30PM-4.30PM**

Free Event

What better way to celebrate than watching a romantic movie whilst eating ice creams

Movie: Paris can wait



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## Tutoring at the library

We have tutoring available for primary school aged children in all subjects. We can also provide tutoring for high school students in Maths, Standard English, PDHPE, History & general studies. Please phone us for all enquiries.

## Story Time



During Seniors' Week, the Holbrook Story Time children invite seniors to our Story Time session on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> February (note new date), starting at 11am at the **Holbrook Library**.



### Free one on one training sessions

for your individual technology needs including smartphone, iPad, laptops & computers. Available now at the Holbrook Library, in partnership with Be Connected - Building Digital Skills. Learn what you need at your own pace.


Bookings essential 02 6036 3262

## First Aid at Holbrook Library

5.30pm Wednesday

25<sup>th</sup> March 2020

Bookings essential



## Seniors' Week

HOLBROOK LIBRARY COMPLEX  
WILL BE HOSTING A FREE AFTERNOON OF ENTERTAINMENT  
FOLLOWED BY REFRESHMENTS

**Thursday 20 February**

**2.30pm**



## HOLBROOK SHOW'S DOG HIGH JUMP WELL SUPPORTED

Thanks to some excellent support from Riverina Water, the Dog High Jump event at the Holbrook Show is going to be able to offer some very attractive prize money.

There will be 3 different classes, based on the height of the competing dog, with the **prizemoney for each class being \$200 for the winner and \$50 for the runner-up.**

The competition is a test of the dog's agility so should be a lot of fun to watch. If you happen to have a dog with some handy high jump potential, or if you know someone who may have such a dog, then why not bring it along to the Holbrook Show on Sunday 22 March.

The Holbrook Footy Club will again be running the Bar so this could be a great way to finish off the weekend with friends, enjoying a quiet social drink while listening to live music and cheering on the dogs.

The competition will commence during the afternoon (keep an eye on the Holbrook Show Society's facebook page for approximate times), after the horse events have concluded in the main arena.

Further information will be available in the official show schedule.

Thanks to Riverina Water for enabling the Holbrook Show Society to make the Dog High Jump a special event at the show.

For enquiries please contact the Secretary, Rita Bowler on 0427 832 803 or email holbrookshow@mail.com

## Slow Down...Kids About

**40km/h school zones help protect children on their way to and from schools at the times and places where they are often in high numbers.**

Most 40km/h school zones operate between 8.00am and 9.30am and from 2.30pm until 4.00pm.

The 40km/h school zone speed limit must be observed even if school children cannot be seen.

A 40km/h school zone operates on all notified school days including staff development days (student-free days). While some schools may operate on different term dates, school zone speed limits must be followed during NSW Government determined school terms.



## PLANT PICK PLATE

When experimenting with growing new or unusual vegetable varieties the result can be surprising and enlightening but not necessarily a gourmet delight. A visit to our son's small Melbourne backyard produce garden opened my eyes to the unusual.

He had constructed a trellis along the entire fence growing varieties of Snap Peas, Purple Beans, Tommy Toe Tomatoes and Tromboncino. A member of the zucchini family the Tromboncino is a long veggie with a bulb at the bottom, much like a trombone shape. It is bland in flavour with no seeds however the fascinating lime green fruit stretches down from the trellis.



*Tromboncino  
squash*

The Lemon Grass was happily multiplying in a pot so a few stalks I brought home to add to my herbs. The long, slender but sharp leaves are a great substitute for lemon. Asian inspired recipes use Lemon Grass in soups, stirfrys and the herbal tea infusion is delicious. Inspired by my visit I will be looking for the unusual plant varieties for future seasons. I dabbled this season by planting a purple and white variegated skin Eggplant "Listada di Gandia". Although the plant is growing well, the season is late and no fruit yet. I consider eggplant bland in flavour as the Tromboncino but likewise the beautifully coloured fruit is eye catching in the garden and worth growing just for that. Eggplants are great vegetable fillers for cooking but need the addition of garlic, chilli or tomato, even char grilled on the BBQ will provide extra flavour. Speaking of the late season, my Mortgage Tomatoes are now fruiting on the high tops of the plants after the lower flowers shrivelled and fell off earlier. I am not only surprised but also delighted at soon being able to harvest a crop of these large juicy tomatoes.

**Passionate Gardener, June.**

## HISTORY QUIZ

**Previous Quiz:** Former Australian Test fast bowler, Jeff Thompson, was a special guest of honour at the Holbrook Cricket Association, when?  
**Answer:** 24 March 2006 at Henty

**Who am I?** I put in a record breaking performance to win the European Olympic Distance Championships in Munich in July 1989. A former Holbrook resident, I also won the World Amateur titles at Hawaii in 1985.



## MEN'S SHED

We have had a couple of quiet weeks at the men's shed, but things are picking up again now as the weather has cooled down a bit. At the moment we are in the process of building a walkway for the Race Club for the Fashions on the Field ladies to strut their stuff. On Friday 7<sup>th</sup> Feb we catered for the clearing sale at "Roachdale". We would like to thank Betty Prentice for making the banana cake and Pat Peters for the fruit cake and scones.

We still have a number of Red Gum slabs for sale they vary in size but the average size is about 1.7mtrs long x 1.3mtrs wide x about 60 mm thick. Prices range from \$250 to \$150, depending on quality and size. They are rough sawn.

We are still looking for new members. No skills are required but if you have some they will be welcome. We are open Wednesday and Thursday each week between 08.00 and 12.30. Smoko at 10.00 till whenever we feel like starting again.

## HOLBROOK EQUINE CENTRE

The facilities at the Holbrook Equine Centre continue to be a popular choice for birthday celebrations and the occasional wedding, as well as the usual calendar of horse sports. Enquiries are already being received for social functions in 2021.

The receipt of a GHSC Community Grant has enabled the purchase of additional function equipment, such as tables and market umbrellas. These have been well utilized during Polocrosse Carnival and other events throughout the year.

Over the summer months Berragoon Stockhorses held their annual sale at the grounds, with a large number of visitors travelling to Holbrook for the event.

Coming up during the autumn is the Commander Holbrook Cup Race Meeting (Saturday 18 April), closely followed by the Holbrook Campdraft (Friday 24—Sunday 26 April).

**Community Radio Station 2GHR 96.7FM  
02 6036 3248**

**Holbrook Community Website [www.holbrook.nsw.au](http://www.holbrook.nsw.au)**



## Holbrook Returned Servicemen's Club – Members raise \$1300 for Central Fire Brigade

*Club President Carla Bender (Far Left) and Secretary Manager Chris Bale (Far Right) presenting cheque of \$1300 to volunteers of local Central Fire Brigade.*

The Central Brigade provided crews for 19 days of the Green Valley and Dunn's Road fires, with volunteers rotating through 24 hours a day. Over 1500 hours of volunteer hours were provided in this time. Trucks and Volunteers from the Brigade have also assisted in the devastating South Coast fires.

A big Thank You from the Club to all these Volunteers, and Thank You to our members for their fundraising contributions.



## HOLBROOK LANDCARE

### Working together with the Community Garden:

Holbrook Landcare recently secured funding through the Community Underwriting Small Grants Program for the Community Garden. This funding has enabled the purchase of a couple of new compost bins, barrows and related equipment and will greatly assist with the recycling of their waste material.



*Community Garden volunteers, Nola Rogers, Jenny Wines & Kym Hulme show off their new equipment to Holbrook Landcare's Phoebe Gulliver & Rita Bowler.*

### Acid Soils Workshop: 1-3pm Thursday 13 February at the Holbrook RS Club

This workshop with Helen Burns & Jason Condon from NSW DPI, together with local farmer Ashley Paech, builds on knowledge of soil management acidification and will further explore local issues relating to subsoil acidity and acid stratification in our soils.

### Adaptive Farming Systems Forum: 9am - 1:30pm Thursday 27 February

This thought provoking forum provides a great opportunity for farmers to reflect on their management strategies in their production system.

Topics covered include meeting production goals, adapting to a changing climate, dealing with severe weather events and maintaining the health of their soils and natural assets.

HLN members free, non-members \$20pp. Morning tea and lunch provided.

RSVP by Monday 24 February to the HLN office. For more information please contact Phoebe Gulliver at HLN on 02 6036 3181 or [phoebegulliver@holbrooklandcare.org.au](mailto:phoebegulliver@holbrooklandcare.org.au)

## ANGLICAN NEWS

The Anglican Op Shop is unable to accept furniture for the time being. We ask you to be patient during this time. There will be **no pickups or deliveries of furniture.**

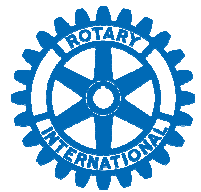
There is a **half price sale** across everything in the op shop so drop in and save some money. This applies to the main shop only, opposite the traffic lights.

It is coming up to the time when we celebrate our annual **Harvest Festival**. It will be on **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> March** with Church starting at 9.30am. This is where we give thanks to God for the produce of the land and the hands that prepare and harvest it. People are encouraged to bring in produce from their garden or their kitchen. After the church service, we then auction the goods off at ridiculous prices to help support the Church. We would love to see anyone there whether regular church goers or not.

The Church services are now back to normal. We will have a traditional communion service on the first Sunday, Prayer Praise and Proclamation on the second and third Sundays and "**Café Church**" on the fourth Sunday. This innovative way of meeting is held in the Church hall and is an informal gathering, sitting around tables and worshipping in a casual style. This is an opportunity for anyone to come and find out what being a Christian is all about without having to sit in the Church building. Why don't you come along?

We have a further Church service at the **Woomargama Church** every second Sunday of the month at 11am. There is an **informal** communion service on **every Wednesday at 10am** with morning tea and discussion afterwards.

## HOLBROOK ROTARY'S 2020 INTERNATIONAL PEACE CELEBRATIONS



Holbrook has been an International Peace Community since 2012. Each year, on Rotary International's birthday we celebrate community, peace and tolerance.

This year our Guest Speaker will be Rupinder Kaur, Chairperson of the Albury – Wodonga Ethnic Communities Council.

Rupinder studied at Leadership Victoria, and is very active in assisting migrant families to settle in to life on the border, share culture and encourage community engagement.

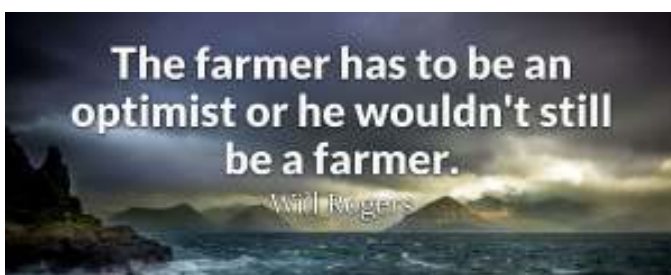
### 26<sup>th</sup> February – at the RS Club Holbrook.

Join us for dinner or just to hear Rupinder speak.

6.30 for 7pm dinner (at own cost)

7.30pm for Rupinder's Presentation

RSVP – by 24/02/20 (for Dinner only) to Kerry Morton 0407 484 745



## ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

We have welcomed our very excited kindergarten students, Logan, Willow, Matilda, Stella and Raphael. We also welcome Connor to Year 3.

Last Wednesday our school swimming carnival took place at Culcairn with the weather perfect for swimming. Kindergarten enjoyed their rest day, Year 1 stayed at school to hold the fort and the rest of the student population joined with St Joseph's at Culcairn for a packed day of racing and fun. It was a day of close competition between the schools with St Joseph's taking the shield this year by 2 points. We were thrilled with a great turnout and enthusiastic participation and sportsmanship which is to be commended. Congratulations to all students for your wonderful efforts.



*Kindergarten students Logan, Willow, Matilda, Stella and Raphael*

On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> we will hold our open school mass and at the conclusion of Mass a formal presentation of badges to our Year 6 leadership team will take place. We will have morning tea at school afterwards.

*Our school leaders are:* School Captain – Neve Scholz; Vice School Captain – Annabelle Bickley

Leaders Faith & Mission – Cooper Bower and John Pyers

Carroll House Sport Captain – Lachie Parker; Carroll House Vice Captain – Alex Power

Joseph House Sport Captain – Hiku Durdin-Paul; Joseph House Vice Captain – Emily Lukins



# Holbrook Stores

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**Next Market Day**  
Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> February 2020  
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Email: [accounts@holbrookstores.com.au](mailto:accounts@holbrookstores.com.au)

## BILLABONG HIGH

**Thrive:** 2020 has already started in a very positive fashion as we work to establish and implement the Thrive initiative. Our school-developed initiative 'Thrive' aims to support holistic development of students by providing structured time for sport, extracurricular, wellbeing and interest-based activities. While keeping within school hours, we have restructured our day to include a 45 minute "Period 6" for Thrive. All students have now chosen preferences for activities during that time. We now continue the challenging task of matching staff capabilities and interests with student interests, and coming up with an engaging and diverse curriculum to offer during this time.

**New Staff for 2020:** We would like to welcome three new teaching staff members to Billabong High School. Mr Ken Elliott has joined us from Murray High School as Maths Head Teacher.

Mr Rob Foskett from Murrumbidgee Regional High School will be teaching in the PE Faculty and Gabby Kennedy was a casual teacher at Billabong High at the end of last year, and will now be in the HSIE staffroom teaching History, Geography and Marine Studies.

**Year 7 Camp** Tues 25 - Thurs 27 February

## Greater Hume Children Services – Holbrook Opening Soon



Greater Hume Children Services Holbrook service will be opening Monday 17 February.

Council has received service approval from the Department of Education and staff recruitment is progressing.

Council's Children Services team have been liaising with families and keeping them up to date on progress and requirements to ensure as smooth a transition to the new service as possible.

**Opening hours will remain as 6.45am to 5.45pm including preschool, long day care and before and after school care.**

We will be hosting a Playgroup at Ten Mile Garden Holbrook on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February from 9.30am to 11.30am. All welcome to come and meet the team.

For information on enrolling with the Holbrook service, please contact Deanne Burr on 0436 812 579 or email mail@ghchildren.com.au.

I think someone should explain to the child that it's OK to make mistakes. That's how we learn. When we compete, we make mistakes.

*Kareem Abdul-Jabbar*

## HOLBROOK SELECTED AS A 2020 NSW HEALTHY TOWN CHALLENGER



### What is the Healthy Town Challenge?

The Healthy Town Challenge is a joint initiative of the NSW Office of Preventive Health and the Heart Foundation NSW. The challenge supports regional and rural communities to facilitate healthy living activities to improve the health of their community members.

Based on community feedback, the four areas of focus for Holbrook include;

1. Youth,
2. Healthy catering for clubs, groups and community events,
3. Improving infrastructure and,
4. Encouraging greater participation and belonging.

The Challenge officially begins on 17 February and runs through to 11 September with many opportunities to participate in events and activities. Keep an eye out for the upcoming launch event to kick off Holbrook's challenge.

Challenge yourself, your family, your club, your community to get on board to make Holbrook the 2020 Healthy Town winner!

## PROBUS

President Cathy welcomed members back for a new year and welcomed a visitor, Bernadine Hall who may become a new member.

Members held a minute's silence for Doris Black who passed away recently. Our sympathy to Colin and family.

Hans Kothe was welcomed as a new member and presented with his badge.

Leonie Hibberson spoke to us about upcoming events for Seniors Week which sound very enjoyable. She also informed us of the availability of the Holbrook Mobile Service Centre for Service NSW in the Library carpark, which will visit Holbrook bimonthly offering accessibility to all their services.

President Cathy mentioned the possibility of a little excursion to our Pottery Museum at a later date.

After morning tea Margaret and Cathryn Cottrell told us of their lovely cruise around the waters of Victoria and South Australia including visits to Phillip Island, Port Lincoln and Adelaide. They spoke of the fabulous range of activities aboard the ship. It sounded really wonderful.

**Next meeting: Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February at the RS Club at 10:00am.**



## Nab DONATION TO BE PUT TO SOUND USE

In recognition of all the hard work that was put in by the local community from the bushfires, NAB has kindly donated \$5,000 from the NAB Local Fund Grant. The funds will be used for the upgrade of the sound system at the Holbrook Sporting Complex. This will benefit the majority of the sporting and community groups who use the grounds.

*Pictured are:*  
 Mil Kairouz, Retail General Manager - Regional Victoria and Tasmania for Consumer Banking, Russell and Lea Parker, Pam Jones Holbrook Branch Manager.  
 The original donation of \$2000 was increased to \$5000



### Have you visited the Holbrook Submarine Museum lately?

- Explore the HMAS Otway control room, look through the periscope and experience life as a submariner.
- Watch the 3D Hologram to learn the story of Commander Holbrook's exploits in the Dardanelles.
- Learn more about our newest submarine, the WW1 AE2 submarine and the fate of her crew.

Open daily, 10am to 4pm.

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New volunteers always welcome

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14TH FEBRUARY 2020

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The Holbrook Pharmacy on 14<sup>th</sup> February is wearing Red for Heart Research Australia.

Come into the store this Friday (14<sup>th</sup>) for free blood pressure testing, free red apples and a colouring-in competition for the kids.

You can talk to us all about Heart Health too.



### Driving on Roads Affected by Bushfire

As we are all well aware the start to 2020 has been heartbreaking due to the bushfires affecting our local communities, coastal NSW and Victoria. Many affected communities have begun the recovery process and are urging people to return and support their communities. While driving in these areas it's important to be mindful of the wildlife that venture to the road side to eat fresh green shoots, the possibility of falling trees and landslides when it rains.

Reduce your speed in fire affected areas and give yourself the opportunity to react safely to hazards.

### Driving After Heavy Rain and Flash Flooding



Don't attempt to drive through areas that have been affected by flash floods as debris may have damaged road infrastructure.

### Bringing services to your community

The Mobile Service Centres offer similar services to the physical sites including:

- Driving Tests **Bookings are required and can be made by calling 13 77 88.**
- Driver licence and photo card applications & renewals
- Mobility Parking Scheme cards
- Driver Knowledge Tests (no booking required)
- Working With Children Check applications
- Applying for BDM certificates
- Cost of Living service to access more than 70 government rebates and savings

**Note:** As the drought continues to impact NSW, Cost of Living specialists on board the Mobile Service Centres can help with drought-specific rebates and support, during a Cost of Living appointment.

#### Plan ahead Prepare your documents

Remember to have all your paperwork and supporting documents with you.

Our Mobile Service Centres don't carry cash. You can pay by: Cheque (personal or bank) EFTPOS, credit or debit card. A merchant fee may apply when paying by credit or debit card.





# Horizon

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## TENNIS

The annual **Trivia Night** is scheduled for Saturday 29 February at the RS Club from 7.30 pm. Goods and Services from local businesses will be going up for auction again on the night and this is a good chance to get a good deal on various items of interest from bales of hay to fire wood to wine to furniture.

Billy Barber Heriot will once again quiz the audience with local and general knowledge, so read the signs around the district. The evening is held in conjunction with the Holbrook Cricket Club and Holbrook Adult Riding Club.

On the tennis scene we had a hot day on Feb 1 and all tennis called off after resuming on January 11. On the ladders as at Feb 1<sup>st</sup> in **Sect 2** the Holbrook Gold team are 2 games clear at the top of the grade, followed by Henty and Gerogery West on 32 pts Bungowannah on 28 as is Holbrook Gold with the locals having less percentage, next best is Howlong on 20 pts.

In **Sect 3A** Holbrook Blue are propping up the ladder but have a percentage of 85% and I don't think they will make finals.

**Sect 3B** Holbrook white are currently in 5<sup>th</sup> spot but 10pts shy of 4<sup>th</sup> placed Jindera Henty and Gerogery West are leading this grade.

**Sect 6B** Holbrook sit on top of the ladder by 4pts from Pleasant Hills with Burrumbuttock some pts behind the leading 2 teams.

The Wednesday evening hit up is still going and anyone can turn up for 1 set or 3, sit down and have a refreshment afterwards and enjoy the company.

For those who haven't paid annual subs yet, please do so – soon.

## MEN'S BOWLS

All **Pennant** bowls for 1<sup>st</sup> Feb were deferred until 23<sup>rd</sup> due to the extreme heat. This week both teams play North Albury, grade 4 at home, grade 6 away. Full report in the next issue.

**Club Pairs** 3<sup>rd</sup> round results: A comfortable win to Gentleman Ray Hamilton & Wolfie Kaletta & a tight win to Gavin Jones & "Bol" Joyce. Either a cunning piece of "reverse psychology" or motivational inspiration occurred in the latter game when the "skip" threatened his "lead" with being dropped due to insufficient practice. The lead turned around and provided "champagne" bowls on the day, tactical masterpiece? Contract negotiations are ongoing.

**A Grade Championship** 3<sup>rd</sup> round results: "Esme" Philpot had a comfortable win in his game. The losing bowler was asked whether his loss was attributed to the previous week's "taxing" marker requirements, he advised he was beaten by a better bowler. Congratulations on excellent sportsmanship. In the other game that man again, "Duck" Montague prevailed. He's bowling very well at present, should be great "matchup" coming up. The A & D open and senior pairs tournament commenced in Henty last week. Holbrook entered 2 teams in the seniors, and 1 in the open. The open team and 1 of the seniors made it into the 2<sup>nd</sup> round, however both were eventually eliminated.

The **B Grade Championship** draw has been released and games are due to commence 9<sup>th</sup> Feb. Results and more details in coming weeks. Who is the bowler considering a career as an arborist (tree lopper) to earn maybe a little extra cash, the problem is he probably would need to go into partnership with "Paramedic ambulance service" just in case of stray branches or accidents on the job!!!

**Social Bowls** as usual Tues/Fri at 1.30pm, and Sundays at 10.00am, again we would love to see new bowlers participating. **Pennant practice** as always around 4.00pm each Thursday. The 1<sup>st</sup> night of the 4 week **Twilight Bowls** event has commenced. Results and updates in following editions.

Enjoy your bowls as always and in those famous words, "that will stop in the camel grass". *Wayno*.

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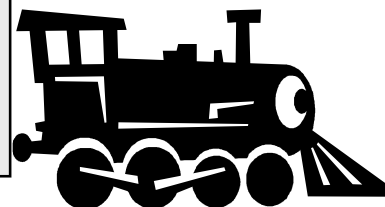
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## COMMUNITY DIARY

### February 2020

- Wed 12 Anglican Church Service Holbrook 10am  
**Twilight Bowls 6.00pm**  
Art Group 5.30pm 0488 062 669
- Thu 13 **Holbrook Community Playgroup @ Ten Mile Creek Gardens 9.30 - 11.30am**  
Lily Lu Creations Knitting Grp 10.30am
- Fri 14 **Friends of the Holbrook Hostel AGM 9.30am @ the Hostel**  
Library Lovers Day
- Sun 16 **Anglican Church Service Holbrook 9.30**
- Mon 17 Holbrook Children's Centre re-opens  
**Healthy Towns Challenge begins**  
Crafty Hands  
**Bridge Club 2.30 @ RS Club 6036 2559**
- Tue 18 Line Dancing 6pm @ RS Club
- Wed 19 **Anglican Church Service Holbrook 10am**  
Twilight Bowls 6.00pm  
**Art Group 5.30pm 0488 062 669**
- Thu 20 Lily Lu Creations Knitting Group 10.30am  
**Storytime with Seniors 11am @ Holbrook Library**  
Seniors Week Entertainment 2.30pm @ Library Complex
- Sun 23 **Anglican Church Service Holbrook 9.30**  
Miniature Railway operating
- Mon 24 **Bridge Club 2.30pm @ RS Club ph: 6036 2559**  
Rotary's Int Peace Celebrations -Dinner & Guest Speaker @ RS Club
- Tue 25 **Probus meeting 10.00am - RS Club**  
Line Dancing 6pm @ RS Club
- Wed 26 **Anglican Church Service Holbrook 10am**  
Twilight Bowls 6.00pm  
**Holbrook Sheep Show meeting 6pm @ RS Club**  
Art Group 5.30pm 0488 062 669
- Thu 27 **Holbrook Landcare's Adaptive Farming Forum @ Library Complex**  
Lily Lu Creations Knitting Group 10.30am  
**Women's Health Clinic 6036 2522**
- Sat 29 Tennis, Cricket & Adult Riding Clubs' Trivia Night @ RS Club

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Thank you

Sincere thanks to everyone for their kind words cards and flowers after the passing of Doris Black. A special thank you to the staff at the Holbrook Hospital Wing for their dedication and kindness during Doris' stay.

It is with much appreciation we held the wake at Doris' much loved Anglican Hall and thank the auxiliary for catering for the afternoon tea.

*Colin Black*

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### ANNUAL TRIVIA NIGHT

7.30 pm start - Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> February  
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Auction of goods and services after trivia  
Good family night out

### FRIENDS OF THE HOLBROOK HOSTEL Annual General Meeting

9.30 am - Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February  
at Holbrook Hostel  
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## Holbrook Chinese Restaurant

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## Holbrook Community Playgroup



Hosted by Greater Hume Children Services

Thursday 13 February 2020

9.30am - 11.30am

10 Mile Creek Garden

Holbrook

All welcome to come and meet our team



### **Free workshops – helping learner drivers become safer drivers**

While many learner drivers take lessons from professional driving instructors, many will also want additional driving practice and some guidance from a parent, relative or friend.

The FREE workshop on **Wednesday 18 March at the Culcairn Council Chambers 5.30pm to 7.30pm** provides information for people supervising learners and offers practical advice on how to help learner drivers become safer drivers, and cover topics such as:

- ◆ How to use the Learner Driver Log Book
- ◆ Planning driving sessions
- ◆ How to deal with difficulties that may arise during driving practice
- ◆ The importance of giving your learner constructive feedback
- ◆ Low risk driving techniques

And access to other useful information and resources

The workshop is conducted by Council's Road Safety Officer Kim Schultz.

Kim has over 20 years' experience as an advanced driving instructor with the Emergency Services and other Government agencies and delivers the program in a fun and engaging format.

Learner drivers are encouraged to attend and light refreshments will be available on the night.

To book your spot contact Kim on 6036 0100 or email [kschultz@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au](mailto:kschultz@greaterhume.nsw.gov.au)



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