THE JINDERA NEWS

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Local Business: good people doing good things!



Local businesses and the community have bounced back after the shell service station on Urana Street was named as an exposure site back on 15th July.

It seems everyone is doing their bit to speed up the transition toward normalcy. Over 200 people are getting vaccinated each week at the Family Medical Centre or Jindera Pharmacy.

Local Businesses have also responded with measures to protect both their workers and their customers in the current operating environment.

Pat and Marylynn, who run the Jindera Post Office, said "We follow Australia Post requirements. They have been wonderfully supportive". "We maintain a cleaning register documenting everything

we clean, have masks available if people forget to bring their own, and do our best to comply with health orders".

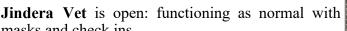


The exact measures in place depends on the enterprise. For ex-

ample, Kellie at Wattos Garden Supplies said, "we try to meet the customers before they have to get out of the car, but we also have normal check in procedures, masks, and sanitizer."

"So yes, we are open and are looking forward to providing people with their landscaping needs as they get back into the garden this Spring. We even have landscaping machinery for hire if they need to do earth works." At Phil's Custom Steel they have

masks, hand sanitiser both in the office and in the trucks when they go out on site.



masks and check ins.

Jindera Butchery remains open: retaining its reputation for quality meat and meals. The pub bottle shop remains open for all your purchases and take away meals are available for both lunch and dinner. The **IGA** asks all customers to be keep Covid safe.



In addition to its impact on public health, COVID-19 has caused a disruption to business. But in our region, they have overcome this hurdle by doing their COVID-19 work health and safety risk assessments. They have measures in place to ensure the safety and wellbeing of their staff and customers.

And remain resilient, open for business, despite the current turbulent operating environment. It is important we support these good people doing good things.



JINDERA



Providing a safety net of kindness, consideration and support to those in need within our local community.

Office is OPEN for assistance during Covid lockdown

1.00pm to 5.00pm Monday to Thursday. Phone for appointment **02 6026 3001** or **0475 594 073**. Messages responded to promptly.

Assistance to those in genuine need

We provide support to people who are experiencing considerable hardship. We are available for anyone struggling with the current lockdown and Covid situation in general. Perhaps this, or another recent event, disaster or accident has significantly affected your ability to manage day-to-day life. In these circumstances, we can provide food to overcome your basic needs, clothing, equipment and other support is also available should there be a genuine need.

Counselling Service



Bryony Cooke—Ph: 0400 654 916—Thursdays between 12 and 5pm Or call in to the Rural Care Link Office—Jindera Community Hub

Rural Care Link Office Ph: 6026 3001

As Bryony is an accredited Mental Health Social Worker this service is free with a Mental Health Plan from your doctor

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Op Shop CLOSED temporarily

Due to Covid-19 restrictions.

To re-open at the direction of NSW Government legislation.

Op Shop News

The Jindera Op shop hopes to have its doors open again after Lockdown ceases in our area. It has been a difficult time for everyone so when the doors open again there will be lots of specials for people to enjoy to help lift the spirits.

Keep a look out for the **WINTER CLEARANCE SALE** which may take place at the Memorial Hall over a Saturday in September. This will be a great opportunity to get some amazing bargains as the shop needs to make way for summer which hopefully is just around the corner.

We would like to thank the community for their understanding regarding "No Donations" during lockdown. As you can imagine, with no staff working during this time, it is very difficult to manage donations. However, once the doors open again, all your donations will be most welcome.

Minimalism - They say that clearing out and sorting out is great for the mind as it opens new ideas and pathways. So, lockdown may be a good time to sort out those cupboards. We all have a surplus of goods stashed away. It is so frustrating when we can't find what we need when we need it. So, why not alleviate some of that anxiety by starting on a Lockdown Project and clear out a cupboard every couple of days. If you have children at home, they may love looking at "what's behind the cupboard door". Often, they find toys or books that they haven't seen for some time and get very excited. So, let's turn "lockdown" into "turnout time" and use this time to clear out for spring and summer. The OP shop will be happy to take good, clean, clothes and goods... but NOT until we are open again. Watch this space!

Carers Support Group



For parents, guardians, family members and other support people who provide on-gong care and assistance to another person regardless of age from anywhere in the Greater Hume area.

Next Meeting Tuesday 14th September 10.00am
Bethlehem Lutheran Church Hall Adams St Jindera

A great chance to meet new people and find support

For information or help with transport contact:

Jenny O'Neill - Coordinator - 0438 263 417 or Vickie Priscina - Facilitator - 0428 406 060



Jindera CWA News

JINDERA CWA MEETING FOR SEPTEMBER HAS BEEN **CANCELLED** DUE TO COVID REGULATIONS.

OCTOBER MEETING WILL BE JINDERA CWA ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, TO BE HELD IN THE SCHOOL OF ARTS HALL ON 6th OCTOBER AT 10A.M. Mrs Lyn Buck (President of Murray Group) will chair the AGM.

Regards,

Bev. Blair President.



LIFE IS A BALANCING ACT!

When facing difficult times like COVID it may be a good time to start looking at ways to start reducing your anxiety.

American writer James Patterson in his 2001 novel, "Suzanne's Diary for Nickolas" wrote:

"Imagine life is a game in which you are juggling five balls. The balls are called work, family, health, friends and integrity. And you are keeping all of them in the air. But one day you finally come to understand that work is a rubber ball. If you drop it, it will bounce back. The other four balls, family, health, friends, and integrity are made of glass. If you drop one of these balls, they will be irrevocably scuffed, nicked, perhaps even shattered. So once you truly understand the lesson of the five balls, you will have the beginnings of balance in your life"

James outlined some ways to strive to balance life. Below are five ideas to ponder:

- 1. Do not undermine your worth by comparing yourself with others;
- 2. Do not set your goals by what other people deem important;
- 3. Do not give up when you still have something to give;
- 4. Do not shut love out of your life by saying it's impossible to find; and
- 5. Do not forget that a person's greatest emotional need is to feel appreciated.

These notes are taken from Colleen Lord OAM, Healthy Lifestyle Health Promotion Services: Workbook on Reducing Anxiety.

Watch for more next edition.

Friends in Action (Caritas) Diary:

<u> 2021</u>

A Group that can offer emotional and spiritual support and opportunity for growth through caring and personal relationships.

8th September HOWLONG Visit - Contact: Annette Brown 0456 370527

Meeting at St Paul's Jindera at 9.30am

M/tea: The Half Acre Coffee Lounge Café, 52 Hawkins St., Howlong

Lunch: The Courthouse Kitchen, Courthouse Hotel, 46 Hawkins St., Howlong.

With adhering to Covid-19 rules and what we can do, with the lock down, happening at the time of this going to print.

Hopefully shall be able to go. Please check your emails for updates. Thank you.

Leader: Jane Barlow 0438 262480 **Assistant Leader:** Roz Phillipson 0417 457122

Secretary: Annette Brown 0456 370257 Treasurer: Bev Blair 60 262431



SUNDAY SERVICE TIMES

Due to Covid 19,
our regular church services have changed.
Please see our website for
service locations and times
burrumbuttock-parish.lutheran.org.au
Contact: Pastor Christian Fandrich 0457 841 123





St. Paul's Jindera Sundays - 5.00 pm

Priest - The Rev'd Emily Payne mobile : 0408 666 119 Parish office: 6040 6457

email: vicarnorthernalbury@gmail.com website: www.anglicannorthernalbury.org. au

⊕ BE COVID SAFE
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Wear A Mask - Wash Hands Social Distance

St. Mary's Catholic Church, Jindera.

Parish Priest – Fr. P. Murphy Assistant Priest – Fr. C. Heffernan

MASS TIMES

9.00am Sundays and 9.20am Fridays during School Terms

Confessions available before Mass.



Support YOUR Local Business

SHOP in JINDERA

Jindera Pool Kiosk

Expressions of interest are invited to run the Jindera Pool Kiosk for the 2021-2022 season.

To apply please contact
Andrew Shaw
Greater Hume Council
1300 653 538

If you would like to speak to someone on the Jindera Pool Committee about what is involved please contact

Miranda on 0419 689 068 or Or Alison on 0427 263 398.



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Jindera Pool Committee Seeking new members

Want to make a difference and be involved in making OUR facility a better place?

Then come along to our first meeting for the 2021-2022 season...

Monday 6th September 7.30pm Jindera Pool meeting room

IF we are still in lockdown – we will go ahead via Zoom – please text Alison on 0427263398 or email alisonviedt@gmail.com with your email address so that we can send you an invite.



Lee Howard - Farewell to a dedicated volunteer and long time Jindera resident.

Over the last weeks we have seen one of our long serving Jindera residents move to a new home in Albury.

Lee Howard has been part of our Jindera community for over 40 years, a resident of Fallon Street and supporter of many of our organisations and institutions.

Lee has a keen interest in history, so it was only natural that she would gravitate to the Jindera Pioneer Museum where she was an eager volunteer, assisting in many capacities as the museum grew and became firmly established in this community. Lee has compiled an historic record of all of the local cemeteries, as far afield as Goombargana, so that family history is more easily traced. Lee has been a member of the museum executive for many years, providing historic guidance and a common-sense country attitude.

For most of the time Lee has resided in Jindera, as well as bringing up her three daughters, Lee has been involved in many organisations, serving in a leading capacity.

The Jindera Cottage Craft Group has seen Lee in the role of President for many years and her involvement for nearly 30 years. Lee joined the local Red Cross in 2003 and served recently as it's president. She was secretary of the Hall Committee and the Hostel Committee.

Recently Lee has been volunteering at the Jindera Op Shop and is known for her ironing, this is becoming a lost art in itself. The museum will also miss this skill that Lee was ever willing to utilise on the many items on display or serviettes and tablecloths from functions.



In the early years of the Jindera News (Jottings), Lee, along with a group of other ladies, would insert the Jottings into the Saturday's Border Mail before it was sold, thus ensuring the majority of locals would see the news specifically relevant to the township.

This community dedication and spirit is something we see less and less of these days and so we will sadly miss Lee being part of Jindera on a regular basis. I know she will try and make it out to events and social activities when she can, and she will stay part of the Jindera Op Shop and Museum volunteers.

We wish her contentment and we hope she feels Recently Lee has been volunteering at the Jindera happy, secure and part of a new community in her new Shop and is known for her ironing, this is becoming location.

Lee has been able to retain the same phone number, so you will still be able to speak to her without looking for new contact details.



CAKE STALL

BUY A TREAT FOR DAD TO CELEBRATE FATHERS DAY

IN FRONT OF IGA
SATURDAY 4th SEPTEMBER
8 am to 12 noon

CAKES ★ SLICES ★ PIES ★ JAMS ★ RELISH ★ EGGS
Strict Covid Rules apply





What an exciting day for the Community Gardeners. We finally had our first meeting during covid rules, and we drew a winner out for the second wood raffle.

Wanted Wanted Wanted

Jam Jars, Sauce bottles, Sunbeam Rice Cooker Please text Eileen on 0400 023 290



Juicing fruit so I can freeze for Jams and cakes. The skins go out in the chook shed to help keep mice away.



We have the Fruit and Pumpkins if you can help to make Jams or Chutney will be much appreciated.



Cooking a large pumpkin in crock pot so I can freeze to make Pumpkin Chutney or Jam for Jindera Community Gardeners next stall. I find it makes it easier if you want to make Jams on a rainy day.



Yes we have a winner! A lovely couple from Burrumbuttock who were ecstatic about their load of wood. Brodie Partington had the winning ticket.



Looking for a Sunbeam 8 cup rice cooker it is great for Jams.

CHEEKY SPEED FREAK!

Daring young local lad achieving great things on the Race Track!

Archie "Mad Dog" McDonald, started riding a Pee Wee 50 with training wheels, around and around his families clothesline in Jindera, when he was only 3 years old. It was an obsession. His father, Scott, was always on the lookout for places that he could take Archie to ride. He needed much more space, as Archie loved to go FAST!

Scott would ride with Archie on private land and trails, etc., but they soon found their way to the local Albury Wodonga Motorcycle Club (AWMCC). At age 4, Archie's first go at dirt track was duly noted, with the club President telling Scott that he had never seen a boy hold the bike on full throttle....the whole track!

Archie was soon racing competitively and regularly placing. His first big win was The Riverina Interclub Golden Wheels under 9 at age 7. Competing with all the best kids at five different tracks, Wagga Wagga, Griffith, Temora (oil track), Albury and Broadford, he won this with ease, and did so for the next 2 years in a row, taking out Riverina Overall Junior Champion. Archie remembers that he was the only one on the podium that "had no coach, sponsor or trainer to thank....just his Dad who was all three!"

Scott is a very proud and superbly supportive Dad. Providing and main-

taining three bikes that could match Archie's talent, not to mention all the safety clothing and equipment required for such an adventurous sport for a rapidly growing young man. Purchas-

ing parts, tyres and fuel, an appropriate vehicle and trailer to house, protect and carry all the gear to events, and the many, many hours and kilometres of travel.

To date there have been 6 Australian Title wins (plus 2 seconds and a third), 11 State Titles and various club championships and invitation wins. Scott has given selflessly for his young prodigy to succeed. He respects his Son's amazing talent and skills and is his biggest fan. He also works hard to keep Archie safe and level headed, at such an impressionable age, and is more recently learning to manage the publicity that comes at this elite level of motor sport.

In 2019 Archie made the transition to road racing, after being invited to enter the Oceania Junior Cup on a Yamaha 150cc. His first year on road, up against 25 of Australia's best young riders, he placed 4th overall.

2020 saw Archie sign with his first team, Motostars, a team formed for young riders to show their talent.

and show he did! In his first Super Sports 300 race at Phillip Island, aged 13, he placed 2nd. A mind blowing achievement. With the onset of Covid, there was only one more race for that year. Archie made the podium again, after a win in a 2 hour enduro at Eastern Creek Raceway in Sydney.



In a nutshell, in just 2 shortened seasons of road racing, Archie is now placed in the top 3 in the Country. He has so impressed Italian team, ProGP Racing, that they signed him in 2021.

Scott is busy negotiating with the ProGP team planning the move to Italy in late January early February, to compete in the Italian Championship, racing throughout Europe. They hope to be sharing a flat with another Aussie boy doing really well over there, Joel Kelso, who will also be a great mentor for Archie. They will be training four days a week (push bike, gym, swim, etc.) riding motocross and road racing and training as well, on weekends. If all goes to plan, Archie will debut in the World Super Bikes the following year.

Scott feels that even at his mature stage of life, the choice between taking up lawn bowls or fishing and going Motor GP racing, is a no brainer for him!

Archie says he is very grateful to have been able to "do what he loves and what his Dad loves for the past 10 years". He said that it has been hard at times, especially recently with covid, he hasn't been able to practice as much, but he's really looking forward to getting overseas where "the racing is really big!"

"I'm hoping to put in a good year of racing over there, hopefully get picked up, so then I can continue to do what I love."

Story: SUE-ELLEN WHITE



WIRES

Wildlife Information and Education Service (and indeed, our precious Native Wildlife) desperately needs new members who are willing to volunteer their services to provide first aid and care to sick and injured native wildlife.

Murray River Branch of WIRES covers from Little Billabong to the north, along the Murray River as far south as Barham then north to Moulamein, Jerilderie, Urana and back to Henty. A very large area with very few to no members in remote towns. This obviously delays getting urgent care to desperate, animals who are scared and quite possibly in intense pain.

Murray River WIRES has 100 trained, active WIRES members, spread around our very large area. Quite a lot of our smaller outlying towns have no members and it is around these remote areas that we have a great variety of native wildlife who often require our assistance.

Jindera has 2 trained and active WIRES members.

Our Native wildlife is unique to Australia enriching our life and is an essential resource for the ecological health of our country.

To join us in WIRES you are required to undergo initial training which comprises of 2 parts. First part being online and must be completed prior to attending a one-day face-to-face workshop. On completion of both parts you will receive your licence to care for our native wild-life.



To undertake this training contact: wires.org .au and go to training www.wires.org.au/training

We have one face to face training day in October and the online component needs to be completed before then.

Advanced training is required for each species, so it is possible to specialise in your favourite animal.

WIRES has many and varied roles including taking phone calls, shooters, carers, transportation of animals and people who can climb trees and attach nest boxes.

> In case of emergency native wildlife care: Murray River Area call: 0427 493 716 Anywhere else in NSW: 1300 094 737

WILDLIFE RESCUE 7 DAYS A WEEK, 365 DAYS A YEAR



WIRES Words

Something to keep you busy in lockdown!



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JINDERA NEWS - CONTACT US ON: jinderanews@ruralcarelink.org.au



Parents with kids at home

Here are six websites that your children can access to complement their learning at home. You may find them to be particularly useful during home learning.

https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/learning-from-home/learning-at-home

has links to "Education Live". This is a half an hour show with interesting or well known Australians such as Dr Karl, Eddie Woo, Turia Pitt, Guy Sebastian, Taronga Zoo and many more. Students can also access past live streams.





https://education.nsw.gov.au/campaigns/mathematics/everyday-maths.



Is the Everyday Maths Hub. This is a great resource for engaging students at home with everyday maths activities such as working with money.



https://www.coolmathgames.com/.

This is a site that got started in 1997 to make math enjoyable for people who thought it couldn't be fun.



https://www.abc.net.au/heywire/about/.

Heywire puts young Australians at the centre of the conversations that shape their communities. The annual Heywire cycle begins with a story-telling competition - open to people aged 16-22, living in regional or rural Australia. Heywire encourages young people to tell stories about their life outside the major cities.

History



https://iview.abc.net.au/category/education.

Is the ABCs website for Curriculum based education programs that children will enjoy. It offers thousands of free, curriculum-linked resources for Primary and Secondary students and teachers in Australia.



https://www.funbrain.com/.



Created for kids in grades Pre-K through to Year 8, Funbrain has been the leader in free educational games for kids since 1997. Funbrain offers hundreds of games, books, comics, and videos that develop skills in math, reading, problem-solving and literacy. It's the perfect educational fun for kids at home.



NSW COVID-19 Business Support for businesses, sole traders and small not-for-profits

Greater Hume Council is aware that the regional lockdown is creating havoc for businesses in the region. To support businesses and workers at this critical time, the <u>NSW Government's 2021 COVID-19 Support Package</u> has been boosted to include additional financial support measures for individuals, sole traders, micro-businesses, small and medium businesses, as well as the accommodation provider and construction industry. There is support available for individuals and businesses who need it.

Support available has been summarised in the table below. Further information can be found at Service NSW website https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/2021-covid-19-support-package or by phoning 137 788 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week).

Grant	About	How Much	Eligibility
COVID-19 Business Grants	A one-off payment to help businesses with cashflow support for the first 3 weeks of lockdown.	\$7,500 to \$15,000 depending on the decline in turnover	A revenue decline of 30% or more, Annual turnover above \$75,000, Payroll up to \$10 million
JobSaver	Fortnightly payments to help maintain employ- ee headcount (as at 13 July) and provide cash- flow support to busi- nesses	Employing busi- nesses: 40% of their weekly NSW payroll, with payments be- tween \$1,500 and \$100,000 per week. Non-employing busi- ness: \$1,000 per week.	 A revenue decline of 30% or more Turnover between \$75,000 and \$250 million
COVID-19 Micro Business Grants	A fortnightly payment for businesses with a turnover between \$30,000 and \$75,000	\$1,500 per fortnight	 A turnover between \$30k and \$75k A revenue decline of 30% or more Businesses that provide the primary income source for a person associated with the business.
Accommodation Providers	Accommodation provider support payments will be available in late September 2021 for eligible tourism accommodation providers that have lost business during the school holiday period. Assistance will be based on the number of cancelled room nights.	\$2000 for up to 10 room nights. \$5000 for 11 or more room nights.	 For room nights lost during the 25 June to 11 July period. Must be able to show evidence of cancellations. Accommodation providers are also encouraged to check their eligibility and apply for other <u>business support</u>, including the COVID-19 business grant, JobSaver, COVID-19 Micro Business Grants and payroll tax reductions.

Payroll tax deferrals, payroll tax reduction, and support summaries for business and including the construction industry can be viewed at https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/2021-covid-19-support-package

COVID-19 and mental health at work Free online training and coaching is available to support you, your team and your business https://www.safework.nsw.gov.au/safety-starts-here/mental-health-at-work-the-basics/mental-health-@-work/what-you-can-do/i-am-a-manager/program-sign-up

The Australian Government is working alongside NSW to provide support to all coronavirus (COVID-19) affected communities. The following links have been provided by Sussan Ley MP Member for Farrer. https://sussanley.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/08/Federal-Assistance-during-lockdown.pdf

COVID-19 help for individuals

https://disasterassistance.service.nsw.gov.au/covid

COVID-19 help for businesses

https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/campaign/covid-19-help-businesses

Vaccination numbers can be found here...

https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/find-the-facts-about-covid-19#map-of-nsw-vaccinations-by-home-postcode



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Although for much of this month the museum's doors have been closed to the public, some work still continues behind the scenes. There is always revamping of exhibits and cleaning of the many thousands of objects that still goes on, in preparation for re-opening, when it can occur.

The Marge Wehner Gallery is having a refurbish during this period of lock-down, with repairs to walls and a new coat of paint. The gallery paintings will be renovated where necessary and a new display will be created along with new descriptors and information. A catalogue will be produced with some history detail and, in time, an electronic version of the information will be available.

We are eager to look into electronic display capabilities for the museum and we will work towards developing this. The Sloane family of Savernake have allowed us to show some wonderful footage of farm activities filmed in the 1930's. This will be on display in the machinery area, providing some fascinating footage of shearing, sheep handling and the building of hay stacks from sheaves or stooks. Many will not have seen anything like this done before and so it is very valuable to be able to have this and show it to our visitors.

Some may have noticed the huge pumping machinery at the museum early in August as the underground tank at the rear of the residence was sta-

bilised. The tank is of the round brick underground construction evident from the early history of the area and was over three meters deep. As the water level fluctuated and the soil around it swelled or contracted with the season, the tanks proximity to the building was causing concerns. The laundry walls were starting to shift with the changes in the tank and so some remedial works were required to stabilise this movement. The rear paths adjacent to the tank will also be replaced as the concrete in these has also cracked and become uneven. This is all part of the on-going and seeming never ending program of maintenance that a site of this age requires.

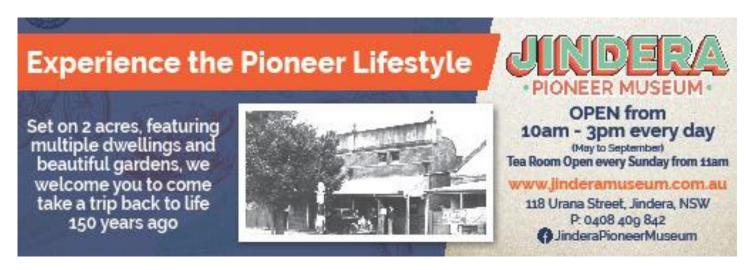
The lack of slope on the museum site has been problematic for the removal of storm water and this has become more evident with the wet seasons we have been experiencing this year. Additional drainage will be installed as we move forward with building projects and eventually the construction of the new administration and shop complex for the site.

We had hopes to hold our first Long Lunch for Fathers Day, but this is not to be. We are hoping that restrictions are easing so we can hold our High Tea on the 24th October. We will look to hold the Long Lunch in November. We hope it won't be too much longer before we can welcome you back to the museum, until then stay safe.

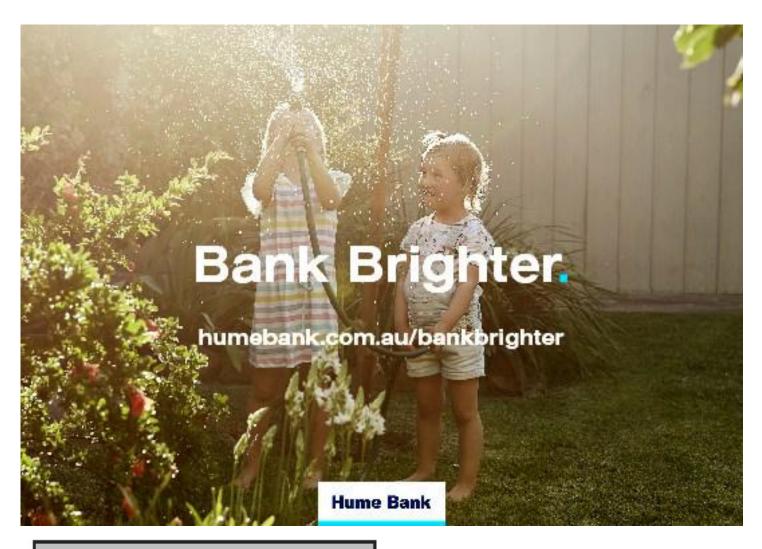
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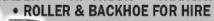








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Jindera Sportsground update from Council

Council is aware that there has been some commentary in the community regarding the performance of the Jindera Sportsground Playing surface, particularly the northern end following the upgrade to surface last summer.

Upgrading the playing surfaces of the four most used grounds; Culcairn, Henty, Holbrook and Jindera over one summer period was very ambitious, however with the funding available through the Drought Communities Fund it was a once in a lifetime opportunity to achieve lasting improvements to these grounds.

Council had to heavily roll the surface remove sprig lines which has no doubt impacted on the efficiency of the drainage system. This combined with significant rain in June and July and a light grass coverage led to an unsatisfactory playing surface, particularly at the northern end.

It has always been the intention to undertake further improvements works after year 1 and to a lesser extent year 2 to ensure the playing surface will stand up to the rigors of winter sport.

I can advise that following the football/netball season additional works are planned to improve the playing surface and drainage.

In relation to Jindera the following works are planned:

- Additional surface inlet pits installed around the perimeter of the ground to assist with the removal of surface water.
- Reshaping swale drains to direct surface water to the additional pits.
- The current open drain from the ground to the main drain south of the ground will be piped to improve drainage.
- The first priority will be to grow the kikuyu by fertilizing and verti-draining. Low areas on the ground will be filled. Verti-draining (aerating) will help alleviate water logging, improve drainage and also de-compact the soil promoting healthy growth of kikuyu.
- Further top dressing of the oval will only be undertaken once the kikuyu is fully established.

Council is confident that over the next two years the playing surface will improve significantly.

Steven Pinnuck,

General Manager - Greater Hume Shire Council



COUNCIL NEWS August 2021

The meeting was recorded and available for viewing on Council's website https://bit.ly/35uKFxX

Business dealt with at the meeting included:

Council resolved to strongly support the establishment of a four bay RFS Brigade station at the Gerogery Recreation

Council resolved to approve a 2 lot subdivision at 60 Wallace Street Holbrook subject to 11 conditions.

With the postponement of the Local Government elections, Cr Heather Wilton will continue in the position of Mayor until the 4 December elections, however an election for the position of Deputy Mayor will be required at the September meeting. Further the following meeting schedule was adopted for the period September 2021 – January 2022:

- Wednesday 15 September 2021
- Wednesday 13 October 2021
- Wednesday 10 November 2021
- Wednesday 1 December 2021
- Week commencing 10 January 2022

Community grants from the Bushfire Community Recovery and Resilience Fund (BCRRF) have been approved to the value of \$26,190.36 have been approved for the Wantagong and Wymah/Bowna RFS Brigades along with Holbrook Meals on Wheels.

Council will contribute \$600 to the Southern Sports Academy for the 2021/2022 year to support three local athletes that are attending the Academy.

The Community Engagement Strategy for the Community Strategic Plan Review was approved. The strategy outlines various ways the community can engage with Council to assist in the review and development of the Community Strategic Plan. Council will be seeking feedback from a variety of stakeholders to understand the key priorities for the shire.

Council approved the relocation of the Holbrook Community Garden from St Patricks School to public land adjacent to the Holbrook Library complex. A management committee will be established to oversee the management and operation of the garden.

Council noted the report on the 2017-2022 Delivery Plan / 2020-2021 Operational Plan. The report highlighted various achievements of Council for the period 1 July 2020 – 30 June 2021.

Greater Hume Council are an active member of the Murray Taskforce for the NSW Growing Regions of Welcome Pilot program. The taskforce will guide the strategic approach to newcomer attraction and retention, community welcome, employment and support service coordination.

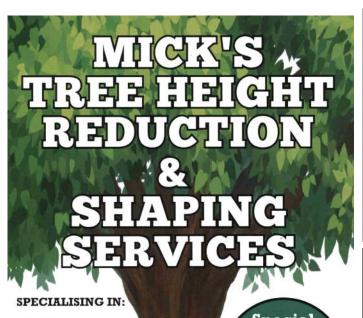
Council has appointed Fulton-Hogan to the Spray Sealing Works for Greater Hume and Lockhart at a cost of \$1,747,867.08 exc. GST.

Meeting agendas and minutes are available for viewing at any time on Council's website.

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Well, COVID has certainly made it a challenging month for not only golf, but life in general.

Fortunately, we are still able to play at Jindera, albeit under the NSW restrictions which means groups of a maximum of two, travel limited to 5km from your home if residing outside of Jindera's LGA (i.e. Albury) and usual mask and social distancing rules.

The VETS are still having a social hit on Wednesday mornings, as many of the players live in Albury, so anyone looking for a hit, you are welcome to attend. Tee-off around 8.30/9.00.

The ladies on Sunday/Thursday are continuing as numbers allow and the men's Sunday competition is also still running under the Covid restrictions.

The **Chook Run** will be restarting from next Friday 3^{rd} September for those who are able to attend, with tee-off from 3.00/3.30.

Sunday Comp. tee time will change to 8.30/9.00am (from 11.30/12.00) starting the 5th September.

A bit of fair weather - and people with time on their hands - has seen a surge in social golfers using the course. It is great to see the general community using the course, however, **please remember to pay your green fees**, for we are a community driven, volunteer run golf course and the costs associated with maintaining the course never seem to go down.

Better still, become a member - fill in a membership form - and email it to admin@jinderagolfclub.com We can help you get a handicap and join in our very social competition days.

Junior Golf

The first Junior Golf clinic kicked off on Sunday the 8th August with around 12 kids. The club is fortunate enough to have a number of "Junior Golf kits" which were used by Cameron to teach the kids the basics of golf (something many of us could use). The kids had a great time, with interest growing in the following week to where we have around 24 kids registered for the clinics. Unfortunately, COVID restrictions has caused us to pause the program for now. All of those registered will be notified by email when we are able to continue.

Annual Tournament

As mentioned previously, the Jindera Golf Club Tournament 2021 was cancelled for the weekend of 24th/25th July due to expected low numbers attributed to the forecast miserable weather and restrictions on Victorian players.

The good news is it will now be held on the weekend of 25th/26th September.

Happy golfing ...

Results:

SUNDAY COMPETITION

1/8/2021 – Monthly Medal,

5th Rnd Club Championships - Stroke – 15 Players

Name	Нсар	Dly Hcap	Strk Score	Net Score	Result
Dave Gray	22.3	23.0	92	69.0	W medal
Brenten Polkinghorne	16.4	17.0	86	69.0	R/U
Daryl Klein	19.3	20.0	91	71.0	В
Frank Shannon	20.8	21.0	93	72.0	В
Ron Smithenbecker	13.4	14.0	89	75.0	В
John Metcalf	10.5	11.0	87	76.0	В
Bob Sheeran	18.1	19.0	96	77.0	B c/b

8/8/2021 – Stableford – 9 Players

Name	GA Hcp	Dly Hcp	Net Score	Results
Craig McMillan	9.5	10.0	37	W \$20
Greg Allen	16.4	17.0	34	R/U
Simon Cossor	15.8	16.0	32	ball
Daryl Klein	19	20.0	30	ball
Ron Smithenbecker	14.1		28	ball

15/8/2021 - Stableford - 9 Players

Name	GA Hcp	Dly Hcp	Net Score	Results
Ron Smithenbecker	14.3	15.0	36	W \$20
Simon Cossor	16.2	17.0	34	R/U \$15
Trevor Freeman	20.8	21.0	33	В
Daryl Klein	19	20.0	32	В

22/8/2021 – Stableford – 12 Players

Name	GA Hcp	Dly Hcp	Net Score	Results
Trevor Freeman	20.7	21.0	39	W \$25
Simon Cossor	16	16.0	35	R/U \$15
Bob Sheerans	19.6	20.0	34	В
Bruce Hill	35.9	37.0	34	В
Aaron Melbourne	25.8	27.0	33	В
Craig McMillan	9.7	10.0	30	В

LADIES COMPETITION - Covid Affected

12/8/2021 – 2 Ball Ambrose

Name	Combn Hcap	Strk Score	Net Score	Results
Rawinia Smithenbecker	17.25	90	72.25	W
Mihi Smith				W

26/8/2021 – 2 Ball Ambrose

Name	Combn Hcap	Strk Score	Net Score	Results
Rawinia Smithenbecker	11	86	75	W
Sandra Kilo				W

Vets -

Wednesday Mornings 8.30/9.00 – 9 Holes – Covid affected 4/8/2021 – 2 Ball Best Ball Ambrose (pairs) – 12 Players

Name	Dly Hcp	Net Score	Groups	Results
Stuart Millar	14		1	W (32.5)
Dave Briggs	24		1	W (32.5)
Trevor Freeman	18		2	Ru (33.5)
Nev Winter	24		2	Ru (33.5)

11/8/2021 – Stableford – 12 Players

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Name	GA Hcap	Dly Hcp	Net Score	Results
Barry Verbunt		30	18	W
Dave Briggs		24	16	RU (cb)
Nev Winter		24	16	Ball
Don Singleton		30	15	Ball

Jindera Country Golf Club now has a new "Facebook" page, so hop on board and follow us, or at www.jinderagolfclub.com.



Happy golfing get a friend or take the family along and enjoy the Jindera Golf Course!



Photo showing Frank Shannon, long time member and one of our – ageing – and committed "grounds committee" at his "second home", undertaking various repairs to the clubhouse including fixing leaking hot water service, blocking mouse entry holes and numerous other tasks that nobody thinks about.

JINDERA ANGLERS CLUBING.

Our last fishing competition was held on the last weekend of July with a lot of anglers chasing that elusive last species fish to qualify for fisherperson of the year.

The weather was horrible however lots of anglers got out and had a crack, the best fish was won by Leif with a nice brown river trout caught at a secret location (a gravel bar at Mungabereena reserve).

Biggest bag of fish went to Jason Boyd with a bag of 15 reddies 4360, Laszlo was very close behind with a bag of redfin 4270 with a biggest redfin of 36.5, other fish measured in were Zol a bag of redfin 1930, Sham redfin 1780 and Wade redfin 2010.

The rest got donuts.

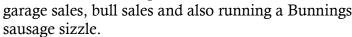
Unfortunately, COVID has closed down all fishing comps and the **clubhouse is closed** till at least the **12**th **September**, all going well we will have another fishing comp at the end of September and all members will be advised by email, Facebook or phone.

We managed to hold our **Annual General Meeting** prior to the Covid shutdown and the energized committee was elected and are raring to go.

Wade Morey was elected President, Barry (BJ) and Jono Kalina are joint vice presidents, Brian Shannon is treasurer and Wayne Polley secretary.

It was reported the club had a very covid disrupted 2020/21 season however the fishing in particular for redfin was as good as anyone could remember.

Financially the club had a sound year between covid interruptions with 2 wood raffles, catering for



The club has also stocked 2 local dams with yellowbelly fingerlings as well as committing to purchasing 5,000 Murray cod fingerlings for release early in 2022 at the 12 mile reserve on the Murray River.

Congratulations to Wade and Sham on their 1 year Anniversary as co hosts on REMFM fish talk program on Thursday nights.

At the time of writing, if you want to have a fish considering covid restrictions you have to stay within 5 kms. of home however I believe you can launch a boat and fish NSW water in your local LGA - meaning you could fish from the reserve near the Holbrook boat club.

Stay safe!

FAREWELL OLD MATE

It is with deep regret that we say goodbye to Fred Wade

an esteemed member of our club,
Fred will be remembered for
his gentle nature, he was always
prepared to give a hand and
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remind us of him for a long time.
Commiserations to Chel and family.



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Farewell old mate RIP

Fred Wade who recently passed away.

Fred is pictured here with fishing buddy Phil.



Caden Boyd receiving his Cod Pro SWAA Junior Fisher of the month Award from Ricko......well done Cado



Still no road access to the river at Talmalmo



A nice Cray caught recently by Sham



Laszlo caught some ripper redfin at the July Comp



Leif caught the best fish in the July Comp with this nice brown trout caught in the river near Mungabareena

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