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*Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
To all in Yarragon and the District*

Getting to know our businesses in Yarragon....

Take a moment @ The Shot House

By Christine Whiley

Craig and Jenni Robins proudly opened the **The Shot House** on 23rd September. A culmination of 10 years hard work and expansion of the already successful Craig's Hut and Southern Additions Coffee businesses, their passion for the business is reflected in the cosy and comfortable atmosphere in the coffee bar.

Craig and Jenni's roast house, located in Trafalgar Sth, was purpose built in 2006 and now supplies 22 cafés and beaneries both locally and afar. **The Shot House** is their first retail outlet, where you'll find, not only a good cup of coffee but an extensive range of coffee beans ready to take home. There are blends and single origin coffees from all over the world, including Australia to choose from. You'll also find, machines, accessories, specialty teas, and gift ideas at the ready.



While enjoying your favorite cuppa why not indulge with a delicious coffee scroll on the side.

Thorpdale Bakery make the scrolls fresh every morning especially for **The Shot House**, using their 80 year old recipe. The only exception is the addition of Craig's own cold drip Australian coffee.



Other special treats include Potato Bread made with their own home grown herbs, Hope Farm fruit buns and banana bread or the deliciously decadent Chocolate Bourbon Cake. All with a personal touch and a little hard to resist.



Drop in and browse while you enjoy a relaxed cuppa.

The Shot House- 2 Village Walk, Yarragon
9:30-4:30 Mon-Fri, 9:30-4 Sat, 10-4 Sun.

THE 
SHOT HOUSE

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**For February 2017
 26th January 12 noon**

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Yarragon Fire Brigade

NEED US? RING 000

Want to join us? Please, come along to our regular meeting/training on Monday evenings at the CFA station in Murray street, 7:30 p.m., or phone Geoff on 0418 318 900

Believe it or not we are heading toward summer. At the time of writing we have had one 35 degree day to remind us how quickly the weather can change. In the meantime, everything that is growing like crazy now, can burn as furiously after a week of hot, dry weather.

Clean up the fuel load on your patch now! **Make sure you register any burn off by ringing 1800668511.** Check the Baw Baw Shire's website for the new local rules about burning off.

Check the CFA website for updates. Be fire aware and keep your patch safe.



On another very important subject: **SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN ON THE FIRE ENGINE on Monday 19 December (2016 of course) between 6 and 8 pm** He will be driven around town and rain Christmas lollies on children. Come out and welcome Santa to Yarragon that night and remember to mail those letters to him in that special mailbox at the post office.



YARRAGON LIONS CLUB

Inc. Reg. No. A0006627A . ABN: 73 893 120 609

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SENIOR CITIZEN'S CHRISTMAS DINNER

Wednesday 14 December, 2016

St Jarlath's Hall, Rollo Street

6.00pm

Come and enjoy a meal provided by the Yarragon Lions, and also enjoy the company of old and new friends.

The Lions "Family Mega Raffle" will also be drawn on this night

Yarragon Lions Report

By Pat McPhie.

We would like to invite our Yarragon and District Senior Citizens to have a Christmas tea with us at St. Jarlaths Hall on 14th December to show you that we appreciate what you all have contributed to our great little town. We look forward to a good chat with you from 6.00 P.M.

During the night we will be pulling out of our big Christmas raffle barrel, tickets for 6 lucky winners. Thanks to the great support we get from our Yarragon businesses we are able to make 3 more winners happy this year.

We also look forward to supporting the grade 6 winners at the Yarragon and Darnum Primary Schools on their farewell night (Yarragon 15th December and Darnum 19th December.)

We sincerely would like to thank everyone who supports our sausage sizzle days. We enjoy doing it 'cos we meet and chat with a lot of happy people. Thanks to our Newsletter ladies, too, who are doing a great job for us all.

Our club would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and hope you may be interested to join our club in the new year.



Yarragon Craft and Produce Market

November 26th 2016

Even though the weather on Saturday was a little chilly, it didn't deter the many customers seeking bargains before Christmas. Buloke Farm, with their grass fed beef, were pleased with their sales and also their return customers. The inside craft stalls had some solid sales as customers ticked off their Christmas shopping list, and Purely Goats Milk were happy with their new location outside the Hall and are looking forward to returning to the twilight

market in December. Yes, our very first twilight market will be held on Friday, December 16th from 4.00pm to 8.00pm with Santa making an appearance



around 6.30pm for the children. Many of the town shops will also be open late including Piccolos, Town and Country Gallery and The 3 Cheeky Monkeys to name a few. A BBQ and other hot food will be available, so bring the family for a fun night out, and some last minute Christmas shopping. We hope to make this an annual event, and would love the townfolk to come along to support us, as we continually work on improving the market into 2017.

**So lock in
the date:
Friday 16th
December - Twilight - 4pm until 8pm.**

See you there!



PROPERTY WANTED

Young professional family moving to the Warragul area and looking for a property to rent / house-sit for the first 12 months.

We are very reliable, hard working people, we love animals and gardens and will look after our new home as if it were our own.

Our ideal property would be:

- **Min 3 bedrooms**
- A house on land outside of town within **15mins drive of Warragul.**
- **Commencing anywhere between Dec 1, 2016 and March 10 2017.**
- Period of at least one year.
- No limit on price for the right property.
- The house could be furnished or unfurnished.
- A farm setting will be fine, but our ideal property would be among native bushland.

Please Contact Tim Wood - 0425 759 981

Remembrance Day 2016

By Pam Morrison

A warm and sunny morning greeted a small assembly at our shrine on Friday November 11th.

Our Yarragon Primary School students attended once again and listened attentively as the "Ode to the Fallen" and "The Last Post" were played. They recited tributes and the choir sang beautifully under the guidance of their music teacher, Mrs. Ruby Jones.

Everyone joined them in singing Advance Australia Fair, and agreed that it was a special presentation. Thank you to the teachers and students for their contribution for 2016.



Yarragon Cricket News

The Yarragon cricket season so far has been great, with successful functions and fantastic fundraising for the new electronic scoreboard. With some wins on the board from most grades, our four senior division teams are travelling along steadily. The juniors this year and our mulo cricketers are improving out of sight, with a lot of potential players to come up through the club.

The events in the near future are our Annual Christmas Party and Bogan Bingo. Our Christmas Party is on the 17th of December, commencing at 7:00pm. There will be a huge inflatable, dinner and sweets to share. Santa will also be making an appearance on a firetruck for the kids! It is \$10 per Adult and \$5 per Child. It will be the final breakup until the New Year arrives, the more the merrier!

On February the 18th 2017 Bogan Bingo is coming to the Yarragon Cricket Rooms. Two Aussie Bogans come in, run the show and make sure everyone has a great night whilst playing bingo. The attire is bogan, with flannelettes and mullets encouraged.

For more information or queries on upcoming events please don't hesitate to contact Jacklyn on 0459955998 or Paula on 0419285862. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

THE FOZIDOGGIES AND CATS!

By Lisa Barden

This months VIP (or should I say VID?) is Watson. Watson visited us for the first time and he was such a precious and happy boy we hope he comes often.

Watson's Dad ordered him a piece of toast and for his entree we provided a schmacko!!!



Farmers Applaud First Step To wards Legislated Ban on Onshore Gas and Fracking.

Farmers from across Victoria breathed sighs of relief today as the Victorian Government presented legislation to the Victorian Parliament, seeking to formally ban fracking and unconventional gas mining in Victoria.

The dangerous and controversial onshore gas mining process will be banned across Victoria once the legislation is passed by the lower and upper houses, expected to happen within the next few months.

"We we're so relieved to finally hear that the legislation is being tabled, it's been a long hard fight for farmers and rural communities from Gippsland and Western Victoria and today spelt the beginning of a new chapter for Victorian agriculture, a bright future that we must always fight to protect" said Julie Boulton, a dairy farmer from Seaspray, Gippsland.

"In the community people from all walks of life put aside their traditional political alliances to work together to protect our environment for future generations.

We hope the Victorian Parliament will do the same, and we call on the Liberal and National parties to support this legislation and show that they too stand with rural communities" said Friends of the Earth Community Campaigner Ursula Alquier.

Farmers and their children – the next generation of food producers – gathered on the steps of Parliament House in a show of support for the Victorian Government, as the Premier announced the Government's intention to table the legislation in parliament today. They brought with them samples of the clean, ethically produced food which they provide for both domestic and export markets.

Ruby Cooke (12) from Byaduk brought her two-week old duckling, Doughnut, Charlotte Rowe (11) came along with her eight-week old Kelpie pup, Bonnie.

Mal Rowe, prime lamb and premium beef farmer from Hamilton, said the produce offered to the Premier and the produce represented the future for agriculture in Victoria – which will now be made all the more secure with the passing of this legislation.

"Once we realised that this was a do-or-die effort, farmers from right across Victoria have been resolute in ensuring that unconventional gas mining does not get a foot-hold in this State.

"Our agricultural land is some of the most productive in Australia", Mr Rowe said, "and we are adamant that nothing will compromise that.

"Clean surface and underground water supplies, fertile and clean soil profiles, beautiful air quality, peacefulness, shade, and an appreciation of the natural environment – these are the critical elements of ethical food production.

"We produce the highest quality food which our customers



Farmers and community members from across the state came to Parliament House to see the legislation tabled.

demand, and we have established trusted markets both in Australia and overseas.

"We are so fortunate that the Victorian Government recognises this, and has committed to ensuring that the future of agriculture in this state is secure.

"Thanks Daniel Andrews, and thanks to all your colleagues who have worked tirelessly to make this happen – we truly appreciate your support.

"We also want to thank our friends at Lock the Gate and Friends of the Earth who provided such phenomenal networking capacity across the state. We never felt as if we were ever on our own – they completely understood where we were coming from – and together, we always knew we would succeed."

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

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Chloe Aldenhoven 0432 328 107



Hamilton Farmer Mal Rowe presents the Premier with produce from across the state to thank him for the onshore gas mining ban which will protect agriculture into the future.

From the Bairnsdale Advertiser and Tambo and Omeo Chronicle: Saturday 16th December 1916.

Whilst boring operations for coal were in progress about a mile from Yarragon, artesian water was struck at the depth of 72 feet. The flow is estimated at about 400,000 gallons an hour.



Yarragon K-6 School

By Annette Sutherland
Acting Principal

Remembrance Day

Last Friday 11th November, Remembrance Day, the whole school community walked to the Yarragon Cenotaph to participate in a service conducted by the school leaders and supported by the school choir. We placed a wreath to commemorate those who lost their lives to support the future generations. Thanks to Mr Riddle for coordinating the music and Mrs Jones and the choir.

All students were extremely respectful throughout the service, a credit, to themselves and the school community



Shopping Spree and Yarragon Spring Clean:

Congratulations to the ELC Committee and the Parent Club for working tirelessly to organise such a fabulous Yarragon community event. The final fundraising total is yet to be finalised. The Buildings, Environment and Grounds committee also raise approximately \$800 at their stall with more plants to sell. Thank you from the staff and students of both the ELC and the primary school.

I'm sure Yarragon would rank highly on the Tidiest town scale!

Staff Retirement:

At the end of this year we have a long standing teacher – Mrs Lynda Konjevic, retiring from Yarragon after 30 year service with the Department of Education (DET) and 25 years of this outstanding career at Yarragon Primary School.

The school community would like to acknowledge Lynda's service to the Yarragon Community.

We would all like to celebrate this milestone with an afternoon tea.

All parents are welcome to come along on Thursday 15th December 2016. Looking forward to seeing you all there!



What's new in the playground? A GaGa Pit!



The rain was steady in the early hours of last Sunday morning! We really did not want to cancel the working bee for a second time! Quick Google of BOM (Bureau of Meteorology) looked like the rain would ease up! Sure enough, the weather was on our side! Emma Conway the coordinator of the day, was adamant we were going to work irrespective of what was thrown at parents on the day! All deliveries arrived; back chip, sand and gravel so there was no stopping the team. The Buildings, Environment and Grounds (BEG) team were on to the project! By the end of the day their vision was to be a reality! With determination of the 6 parents and six or so hours under their belts the Ga Ga Pit was to become a new feature of the Yarragon Primary school playground!

We can now celebrate another new component of the whole school grounds plan. Thanks to the hard work and dedication of the parents on the day.

Thanks to the Parent Club for financing the project. The Ga Ga pit has been a huge success with the students.

At present the senior students – years 4 to 6 have had the first opportunity to utilise the fabulous new active play area this week. At Active communities we clarified the rules among the year 4-6 students before the games began! Didn't take too long for the students to work together to enjoy the challenge of the game.

Thanks to the Parent Club for funding the project and the BEG team of parents for attending the full day working bee to bring the concept to reality!! Champion effort for the kids!

Over the next 4 weeks.

Library on the move:

To make room for the increase in enrolments for 2017, over the next couple of weeks we will be physically moving the library into the open learning area in the main building for 2017.

Once the library has been moved we will then need to clean the room and move the Computers from the current ICT classroom to enable the two year 3/4 home groups to be side by side.

This move will enable us to clean up the classrooms and remove any unwanted items.

This will be a bit of a Spring Clean for the school!

Yarragon Primary School Calendar

December 5th - Foundation to year 2 – Swimming program commences

December 12th - Yarragon Primary School Christmas Concert

December 15th - Year 6 Graduation Evening

December 16th - Final Assembly

Dec20th – Last day of school

Yarragon K-6 School (continued) Grade 6 Graduates of 2016



Yarragon Early Learning Centre

The 4 year old program for 2017 is full with 33 students in three groups. Mrs Lee Sheehan will continue to build the ELC team to the high standard we all know.

Mrs Lauren Williams, who will be leaving on maternity leave, is being replaced by Mrs Ros Felstead in 2017. We wish Lauren all the best with the pending birth of her baby.

We still have places in the 3 year old program on Thursdays.

Yarragon Early Learning Centre



Is your child old enough for 3 year old Kinder in 2017?

Yarragon ELC currently has vacancies for places in our 2017 3 year old kinder program.

If you would like further information please contact Leanne Akers at Baw Baw Shire on 03 5624 2802



The Early Learning Centre recently had a very busy day working with parents and Bunnings Activities Coordinator, Sherie Hall, to create another wonderful corner of the playground.

Ros Felstead tells me that the children have been very creative making 'pebble angels' in the area over the last couple of weeks.

Thank you to all parents for giving up their time to support the ELC to create this special area for the children. We are very grateful for all the time, expertise and plants that Bunnings Warragul has generously donated.

Thank you from all of us.

Yarragon ELC Calendar

November 30th & December 6th Transition to school program
November 30th Christmas Concert

Thank you

I have thoroughly enjoyed my six months placement at Yarragon I will be heading back to Nilma Primary School in 2017. I would like to thank all the parents who have supported the school and Early Learning Centre as volunteers, without your support the Yarragon Learning community would not be able to provide such a variety of programs all for the benefit of the students. This parental support for both the school and the early learning centre is such a positive strength of the Yarragon Community! Congratulations.

Thank you to all the students for showing me what a wonderful and caring group you are. I wish all of you all the best for your future endeavours and hope to touch base with you all again in the new year.

Thank you to all staff members for the continuous dedication and commitment to all the students of the Yarragon Learning Community.

I congratulate and welcome Melissa Rock, Principal of Tobruk Street Primary School, Morwell, who has been appointed to the Yarragon Primary School Principal position. Melissa will start her new role in 2017.

On behalf of the staff at Yarragon Primary and the Early Learning Centre we wish all in the Yarragon Community a happy and safe holiday period and wonderful New Year.

Annette Sutherland

Yarragon's Historical Old Buildings

By Pam Morrison

It was interesting to read the story about the old Yarragon Dairy Factory in the November newsletter. It is looking great after all the hard work that has been poured into it and no doubt will be a wonderful community asset when completed. Well done to the owners, Andy and Bente Jobsz, for their dedication since 2001 towards restoring this icon landmark, which was built in 1936. Yes it is an icon in our town, along with the Commercial Hotel, built in 1936, now beautifully restored by its present owners.

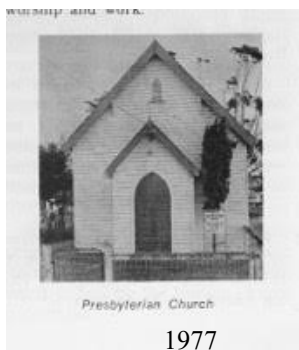
However, I would like to point out that these two old buildings are not the only remaining icons in Yarragon.

If you take a stroll around our town, you will quickly discover the Railway Station, built in 1912, and brought



back to its former glory in 2011.

Across the highway and attractive Waterloo park area, you will find on the Loch St corner, an old building which was formerly the Presbyterian Church, then



situated in Campbell Street, built in 1910. It was relocated to its present site in 1988 by Mr. John Dunne, and transformed into a charming gift shop called "Chantry Fair". Still retaining its old world ambience and church image both inside and out, it is an eye-catching building.



In Campbell Street, our Post Office, built in 1926 still serves Yarragon and



District residents so efficiently and seems to be a popular place to catch up with old friends.



Our legendary Public Hall next door (originally named the Mechanics Institute) was built in 1906 and is a



vibrant and popular venue for many user groups. If its walls could only speak they would present such a fascinating record of Yarragon's social life over the last 110 years.

On the Corner of Rollo and Campbell Streets you will find St. Jarlath's



Catholic Church, which was built in 1899 (our oldest building) and is still a picturesque and unique landmark today.



The War Memorial, in our Main Street, although not a building as such, was erected in 1920 and holds a special place in our hearts.



My childhood memories recall several other old buildings on Main Street, but time does not allow for research into their history.

I hope that you have found this (continued next page)

“voyage of discovery” around Yarragon an interesting glimpse into a bygone era.

P.S. John Dunne was the driving force behind the building of the “Gippsland Food and Wines” in the early 1980’s. His vision of further enhancing Yarragon’s shopping strip included an Olde Worlde gift shop next door. With this in mind he purchased the Old Presbyterian Church, in Campbell Street and relocated it to its present site. However, he found many obstacles in his way, but was

determined to succeed and did so eventually, much to everyone’s delight. These welcome additions to the street encouraged others to follow suit and soon a lovely antiques shop opened, then a motel. The rest, as they

say, is history, as Yarragon evolved from a sleepy village into the busy thriving town it is today.



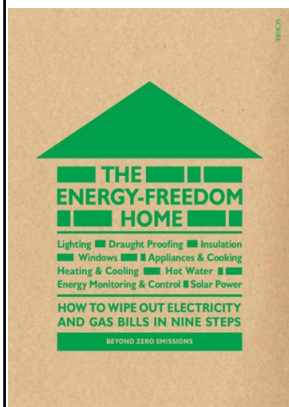
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In new position

Moving the Church in 1988

Energy Freedom Home workshop



Beyond Zero Emissions have outlined 9 practical steps to take to reach energy freedom- that is having an efficient, comfortable home that produces as much electricity as you use and provides security against ever rising energy costs. Participants will learn about each step from our team and be equipped to take simple actions immediately and be able to plan intelligently for ongoing work as time and money allow.

Date: Monday December 5th 2016

Time: 2-4pm

Place: Warragul Community House Normanby St.

Cost: \$20 or \$15 for BBSN members

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Creating a culture for good communication

The value of ‘communication’ is well known, but often it is less well practised. We have all heard that things are much better if we can express how we are feeling, that companies work better when employees feel their contributions are valued, that community groups can resolve differences if they can talk things through. From many years in education, I can testify that outcomes for kids who are experiencing difficulties are much brighter when there is open communication across all parties. In my years of ministry, I have seen so many people distressed because of a careless remark which they have taken to heart and others troubled by a loved one’s lack of open communication. So why do many people find it difficult to say how they feel? Why is it that families or groups split over a disagreement?

I believe we need to create the right climate for considerate conversation. This takes time and deliberate effort. Occasionally someone might need to be taken aside and gently helped to understand the impact of their words or actions. We need to practice the art of respectfully allowing people to hold different opinions. Asking ‘What do you think?’ with genuine interest helps rather than assuming everyone agrees with our opinion. It’s often about appreciating individuality rather than focussing on points of disagreement. It’s yet another way of ‘loving your neighbour’!

Yarragon Bowling Club

By Charlie Hooker

This month has seen the pennant season in full swing, with some rain affected days, and cancellations.

The Tuesday pennant team are in third place on the ladder and looking good for the rest of the season.

The Saturday team have had mixed results, up till 19th November the team were 5th on the ladder there were only 3 points covering the first 5 on the ladder. After a difficult day at Yallourn North on the 26th I think we may slip down the ladder a bit, as we only won, one rink, Ahh Well next week will be better.

The twilight bowls and meal is receiving some nice praise on the standard of the green, and the fine food on offer, thank you Ladies.



Some important days are coming in the next few months they are:
Thursday the 8th of December there is a fours competition with a lady skip.

Thursday 26th open triples, Friday 27th mixed pairs. This is a very busy time for our greenkeepers whose efforts are greatly appreciated.

We would like to take this opportunity to wish all the readers of the newsletter a Happy Christmas and a great New Year.

Over the Australia day period on Wednesday 25th open fours,



The Victorious Midweek team prior to winning against Moe.

GOOD FRIDAY APPEAL FUNDRAISERS SEEK DONATIONS

The Organisers of the Community of Yarragon Good Friday Appeal are seeking donations from generous businesses/individuals towards the annual monster raffle.

Without these generous donations this event will not be able to take place. The monster raffle is held at the Yarragon Hotel the evening of Good Friday as well as an Easter Egg Hunt for the littlies earlier in the afternoon.

Jump on board and support this local event that unites the community and help beat our 2016 total \$15,012.90! All people donating will be thanked and acknowledged on our Facebook page as well as on the night. For more information please contact Dee Wheller [0438333026](tel:0438333026), Bec Cargill [0407327646](tel:0407327646) or Lisa Harvey [0407309609](tel:0407309609) or via our facebook page!

YARRAGON MEN'S SHED



Email: yarragonmensshed@yahoo.com

Yarragon Men's Shed now have a place to work .

The shed is Located at:
Community College Gippsland.
71 Warragul- Korumburra Rd .
Warragul

Our operating hours will be Tuesdays ,
Wednesdays and Thursdays 10am to 4pm

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Baw Baw Shire Council appointed Councillor Joe Gauci as Mayor and Councillor Mikaela Power as Deputy Mayor at a Statutory Council Meeting on Wednesday 9 November 2016.

Council News

To keep our community up to date, Baw Baw Shire Council is now bringing Council News to you online, on air and in print. For information and updates about Baw Baw Shire Council, visit the website or social media channels.

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Office Hours Over The Holiday Period



Please note that Council offices will be closed for the Christmas break from 12.00pm on Friday 23 December, and will reopen at 8.30am on Tuesday 3 January, 2017.

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When - Thursday 19th Jan at 5.30pm

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(Naj Yoga)

REGULAR EVENTS

MONDAYS

Music & More

for Pre-schoolers & parents /carers,
St David's Uniting Church, Campbell St
9:30 - 10:30 am during school terms
\$2 per family includes morning tea
Phone Rev Chris Duxbury 5633 1047

West Gippsland Mobile Library

2:30 - 5:30pm
Yarragon Public Hall carpark,

Yarragon Fire Brigade

8:00 pm
1A Murray Street,
Captain: Ken Kemp
Enquiries to secretary Geoff Conway 0411 833 219



WEDNESDAYS

Gardening Group

9 - 10am
Yarragon Medical Centre
Campbell Street



Yarragon Playgroup

9:30 - 11:30am
Yarragon Public Hall, Campbell St

Yarragon Lions Club

2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7pm
St Jarlath's Catholic Hall, Rollo St
President: Kevin Arnold Ph: 0419 325 923



YDCA

Yarragon & District Community Association
Next meeting Wednesday, 18 January, 7pm
Yarragon Fire Brigade, Murray Street.
All welcome.
Secretary: Jude Conway 0411 833 219

SATURDAYS

Yarragon Craft & Produce Market

Fourth Saturday 9am - 1pm
Yarragon Public Hall, Campbell Street
Enquiries: Gaye Kent 0427 342 430

SUNDAYS

St Mark's Anglican Church, Loch St,

Rev Sue Jacka, ph: 5633 1021
Morning Worship, 8:30am

St David's Uniting Church, Campbell St

Rev Chris Duxbury, ph: 5633 1047
1st, 2nd, 4th Sunday: 9:15am service.
3rd Sunday: 5pm service followed by a shared meal
for those who would like to stay.

St Jarlath's Catholic Church, Rollo St

Father Bernie Krotwaar, ph: 5633 1166
10am Mass on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays

TUESDAYS

Yarragon Craft Group

10am - 2pm
Uniting Church Hall, Campbell St
Bring along your own lunch and work or
come along for a cuppa and a chat

JAFFAS after school program for primary
school children, at St Mark's Anglican
Church, Loch St, 3.30-5.30 pm.
Gold coin donation.

THURSDAYS

Yarragon Bowls Club

Shady Creek Rd
Social game night
1st, 3rd & 5th Thursday
Followed by a meal, orders to be placed by
5:30 pm on the Tuesday prior.
Ring the clubhouse on 56342580 and leave a
message.



MORE THAN ONCE A WEEK

Heart Foundation Yarragon Walkers

Starting at ROTUNDA,
opposite 'All Things Bright & Beautiful'
9:00am, in all weathers
Tuesday:



approx. 45 min town circuit
Thursday: approx. 1 hour
walking track



Enquiries Angela Greenall 5624 3545

Baw Baw Arts Alliance

The Station Gallery, Princes Hwy
m: 0490 173 103
Weekly drop-in sessions
(small cost, plus materials if needed)
Mondays: paint & draw 10:30—3:00
Wednesdays: Clay 10:30—1:00
Thursdays: Mosaics 10:30—12:30
Fridays: Fibres & Fabrics 10:30—3:30

Shopfront & Gallery
Wed to Sun 10:30am - 4pm

Classes with Tutors (fees apply)
Tuesday: Calligraphy 1:00—3:00
Thursday: Mosaics 1:00—3:00

WHAT'S ON IN DECEMBER?

DECEMBER

Fri 5th 2 p.m.: Energy Freedom
Home workshop (Page 9)
Wed 14th 6 p.m.: Senior Citizens
Christmas Dinner (Page 3)
Fri 16th: Twilight Market in
Yarragon. (Page 3)
Sat 17th 7 p.m.: Cricket Club
Christmas party (Page 4)
Mon 19th 6-8 p.m.: Santa Claus
is Coming to Town (Page 2)

JANUARY

Wed 18th 7 p.m.: Yarragon and
District Community Ass. Meeting
Thur. 19th 5.30 p.m.: Free Tai
Chi and Yoga (Page 11)

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