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# COMPESSION TO THE SECOND





The News Agency has closed. Thank you to Jinal and Gaurang Patel from the Post Office, some of the functions of the news agency are still available in Yarragon. The



newspapers can still be collected from the Post Office, including those that

you have subscribed to for a given period.

You will be able to collect your train tickets and Myki from the Post Office once their application has been approved possibly later in April.

So what is going to happen to the Newsagent building? The Lions Club is going to make it into an Op Shop for our village!

See more details in the Lions Report on Page 8.

And our Gazebo has been repainted—if you are reading this in black and white, you will need to walk past to see the new colour scheme!

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What You Will Find in this Issue:

#### WANTED

A copy of the book: From the Dawning,1878—1978, Waterloo Yarragon.

Also So Tall the Trees, by John Adams

If you have one that you no longer require please let Jen Lowe, editor of this Newsletter, know 0428 218 111.

Also if you have information on the history behind any other street names I would appreciate you contacting me.

Rainfall for Yarragon 2019 compared with 2018, 2017 & 2016 As recorded in McIntyre Rd

	2019 mls	2018 mils	2017 mils	2016 mils
January	12	54	33	74
February	25	15	84	16
March	37	46	35	64
April		40	64	40
May		141	66	95
June		75	42	106
July		127	93	148
August		106	151	80
September		93	191	76
October		42	74	131
November		143	35	70
December		54	120	66
YTD Total	74	936	988	966

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NEXT DEADLINE: For May 2019 24 April 12 noon

# Crait & Produce

#### By Marcus Hanley

Yarragon Craft and Produce Market – Sat March 23rd

After an extended dry spell in the Gippsland area, there was no problems with being out on the lawn area in town again with it being so dry, so that's what we decided. With the threat of some rain coming on the day, we also had about 10 stalls inside the main Public Hall. We did end up getting some drizzle which made for a slow start to the market, but it picked up eventually around 10.30am.

It was great to have Jindi Zoo petting zoo back and with the free kids

craft stall there as usual, this kept the kids entertained. The petting zoo had to head off early to another event in Melbourne, but we look forward to having them back again next month.

We also had Corkie's Creations back with her delicious home made cupcakes and also design your own cupcake... and we welcomed back Maria from St Fiacres farm out near Neerim South with her home made chilli and sweet chilli sauces, chutney and relishes. Maria and David have also started making their own wines over the past couple of years and have named it Krooked Row Wines consisting of naturally grown cold climate reds including Sangiovese, Grenache, Tempranillo and Shiraz. We hope they have managed to repair their





damaged fences and that they can make it back next month!

With local vegetable growers 3P Produce back again with more produce this time, we are looking to have them expand their range of veggies over the coming markets. Great pumpkins!

Next month the market will be on Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> and we expect many people will use Anzac day on the 25<sup>th</sup> to make it a long weekend by taking the Friday off, so we anticipate the town to be busy with many visitors passing through. Therefore we'll be on the lawn median strip again plus the Public Hall. From May through to August we'll most likely be solely at the Public Hall,

but if we get a beautiful winters dav



forecast... who knows we may take the plunge again for the grass! We are still trialling things to see what is best for the market, the stallholders, the shoppers and the town. See you on Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup>.



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# The Community of Yarragon Good Friday Appeal

# The Community of Yarragon Good Friday Appeal.... Where it all began....

In 2015 we decided it would be great to see Yarragon back on the Donations Board for The Royal Children's Hospital Good Friday Appeal!

Who knew that in 4<sub>+</sub> years we could achieve so much for an amazing cause.

Throughout this time we have heard from different people that have their own story to share as to why the Good Friday Appeal means so much to them. To think in some small way, we are making a difference is pretty special and this is something we would love to continue into the future.

Our small committee has had a few helpers along the way, Rebecca Harvey, Bree Wright and Maddison Wheller! Countless hours of fundraising along with many, many emails / messages have been sent from this crew in the hope to gain support and donations for our fundraising efforts and we thank you.

Fundraising does not just happen leading up to Good Friday, it happens all year round. We are always thinking of new ideas, contacting hundreds of people and businesses of which so many are amazingly generous people. From the hundreds of people we contact, we probably hear back from 20%. On the up side, many business reach out to us which is amazing!

Our major fundraisers throughout the year are our online Auction and Monster Raffle. We have also held a movie night, mini raffles, a BBQs and more.

So far our team and community have raised:

2015 - \$6,232.35

2016 - \$15,012.90

2017 - \$21,884.10

2018 - \$25,050.90

2019 - \$.....

#### THAT'S A WHOPPING TOTAL OF \$68,180.25!!

We want ALL aspects of the Community to come together and keep our little town on the board and be loud and proud!! We thank the businesses and community groups that have held mini fundraisers and donated over the years and would love to see more get on board.

#### Ways in which you can help:

Seek Donations: Gaining donations for our Auctions/ Monster Raffle is always the hardest part. It takes hundreds of emails, call and visits to businesses far and wide.

- If you are able to donate towards our future Auction/Raffle, we would love to hear from you. You may even have a rep / supplier or contact that would be willing to donate. You can only ask. We can provide an Authority to Fundraise Certificate if required or provide a receipt to businesses.
- Run your own fundraiser have your own raffle, bingo night, trivia night, morning tea, BBQ!
- Get your sporting group, club, friends or family together and raise some money!!
- Help sell raffle tickets the more we sell, the more we raise!! Ask us for a book and start selling today!!
- Help Door Knock we are always looking for door knockers on Good Friday. Get your kids involved.

Our 2019 Monster Raffle will be drawn at 7.00pm on Good Friday at the Yarragon Hotel.

Thank you to Chris and Renee Kemp for allowing us

Thank you to Chris and Renee Kemp for allowing us to come year after year to hold this event.

2020 Good Friday Appeal - Without more help, the Community of Yarragon Good Friday Appeal may not continue next year!!

Please contact us today!

https://www.facebook.com/goodfriappeal/

Lisa Harvey - 0407309609 Dee Wheller - 0438333026



# THE HISTORY BEHIND OUR STREET NAMES

#### TRICKEY ROAD

Robert James Trickey was born in 1865 in Durham Lead, Victoria, to parents Joseph Bulcher Trickey and Agnes Douglas. He was one of eleven children. He married Barbara Linklater in Ballarat in 1890. Before moving to Yarragon they lived at Fitzroy, where Robert owned a factory and two shops. He took up 20 acres at Yarragon in 1906, for the sum of twenty pounds, after the original settlers who were granted allotments by the Lands Board did not continue with their blocks. The land ran from Trickey Road to Scanlons Road. They cleared the land with a mattock. The house that still stands on Trickey's Road was on the original farm. Floods were a continual problem until the Government worked with the settlers to dig a channel from the settlement to the Main Drain. This is confirmed by the announcement in the Yarragon, Trafalgar and Moe Settlement News Thurs 8 November 1906: "Shire of Narracan Meeting News: from Messrs Scanlon, Tuttle, Peake and Trickey of Yarragon, offering to do continuation of drain referred to by Ben Waldron for 4/6 per chain, plan attached; West Riding councillors and engineer to inspect and arrange with ratepayers.

They had three children: Barbara Ethel Trickey (Married Benjamin Waldron), Robert Lawrence Trickey, Isabella May Trickey (married Ken Mitchel)

Articles from various Gippsland newspapers outlined the following:

In 1921 Bob Trickey was secretary of the Yarragon Football Club when they defeated Warragul at Trafalgar to win the premiership before a crowd of 2000 people. It was 56 years before they won another premiership.

Both Robert Trickey and Bella Trickey (children of Robert James Trickey) were mentioned in prizes at the Yarragon Show in 1908.

Mrs Trickey won many prizes for cookery at the 1922 Yarragon Show. In fact Trickeys were listed in the results of the shows most years from 1906 onwards.

Lance Corporal R L Trickey was seriously wounded on 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 1917, this being the third occasion he has been wounded. Trickey men were regularly mentioned in football and cricket reports in the 20s and 30s.

Robert Lawrence Trickey was educated at Yarragon Primary School. After service in France in World War 1, he completed an accountancy course in Geelong. He became secretary of the Yarragon Butter Factory and then held this position at the Trafalgar Butter Factory.

Robert Lawrence Trickey took over the farm from his father. He married Winifred Bellmaine. Winifred's parents owned the building that has been the Yarragon Newsagent for many years. It was then a General Store. Robert and Winifred had one child, Walter. Winifred died when Walter was only 5 months old. R.L. Trickey was a councillor with the Narracan Shire Council from 1943 to 1953 and again 1957 and remained a councillor until he died in 1964. In 1950 Robert was president of the Recreation Reserve Committee. Robert (Bob) was involved with the Australian Natives Association and his son Walter was also later president of that Association

Walter (Wally), born in 1925, took over the farm from his father and ran it until 1978. He took over the real estate and Insurance agency as a retirement from the farm project in 1975 and in 1979 moved it to the shop front that has been our newsagent until recently. So much for retirement – he built it

up from opening 3 days a week to opening 6 days a week. They lived in the house behind the agency. Wally married Joan Smith in 1946 and they had three children: Donna, Robert and Susan. They all attended the Yarragon Primary School and Robert and Susan still live in Yarragon. Wally was elected to Council in 1973. His Grandfather, A W Bellmaine was also once a councillor. Joan was president of the CWA Central Gippsland Younger set group in 1950. She was very much involved with many sporting groups involving her children. She was secretary for the 1978 Back to Yarragon committee, a huge event for Yarragon.



Robert Lawrence Trickey with Walter. 1926.

Part of the original 20 acres is still owned by Robert Trickey. Over the time the Trickeys have bought and sold various land lots in the area around Hazeldean and Scanlons Roads. Over the various generations they have certainly made a lasting contribution to the Yarragon Community.

Thank you to Sue Trickey for providing information and photos.



Narracan Shire Councillors: Crs. H. Bayley (North Riding), J. Fletcher, R. L. Trickey, and H. J. Harvey (West Riding).

The farm house on Trickey Road.



# YDCA Report

By Jude Conway, President

#### **Update on BP Service Centre**

JARRAGON & District Community Association Inc.

On and on it goes. If you feel as if we've been talking about this forever, you're almost right - it's over 12 months

JASBE'S TRAFFIC MODELLING of Yarragon Service Centre entries & exits 1,880 VEHICLE MOVEMENTS A DAY (entry and exit counted separately, so 940 vehicles)

IN MORNING AND AFTERNOON **PEAK HOUR:** 

- 168 ENTRY/EXITS FROM WEST LANE
- 20 ENTRY/EXITS FROM EAST LANE (entering service centre from U-turn at Hazeldean Rd and reentering east lane by U-turn at Gordons Rd) WHICH **AVERAGES 1 U-TURN IN** THAT STRETCH EVERY 3 MINUTES.

Several of us attended the hearing in early March. It was an education. The bite marks on my tongue have faded, but the ignorance of some very intelligent people does bother me a bit. They demonstrated a dismissive ignorance of farming, no wish to understand the peri-urban pressures on our town, and no understanding of how interdependent rural communities are; my neighbour's success benefits me, and my neighbour's problems are my problems too. They just don't get it.

And when we talked about Yarragon being the 'Gateway of Gippsland', they pondered the map looking for the actual gate!!!!!!!!!!!

they However, have deep understanding of the world of the law, and a theatrical enjoyment in debating the meaning of words ... so much so that the hearing has had to be extended for 2 more days. you'd like to come and see the process for yourself, mark May 23<sup>rd</sup> JASBE'S JUSTIFICATION OF NEED FOR A SERVICE CENTRE HERE and the holes in their arguments.

There are not many stopping places for B-double drivers where they can:

- easily manoeuvre around the site
- stop for a food & fuel break
- manage their fatigue

#### Here are the holes:

- trucks on the Bairnsdale/ Melbourne route can and do make the distance on one tank of
- lack of fatigue-related accidents suggests that drivers are already managing their fatigue
- drivers prefer to stop their noisy rigs away from built-up areas

and 24<sup>th</sup> in your calendar.

This VCAT campaign is not just about a BP Service Centre in Yarragon. Jasbe Petroleum develops service centres and stations for BP through NSW and Victoria. If VCAT allows them to put fast food shops (sorry - Quick Service Restaurants) on farming land on our highway, they'll be able to put them on farming land on highways everywhere, and so will Shell, and Caltex, and United, etc and etc.

JASBE'S ECONOMIC MODELLING of the consequence on Yarragon businesses (and beyond)

Approx \$4 million out of highway and township businesses.

Yarragon food businesses to lose 30% of their current peak hour income, which translates to an estimated overall 8.4% loss.

#### Jasbe figures are:

- based on average Melbourne café income
- based on incorrect opening

bank account is still active.

The suggestion that Yarragon residents, particularly on the western side, might be inconvenienced by the sound of trucks at all hours off the day and night, was dismissed out of hand. Yarragon residents, we were told by Jasbe's lawyer, live on a highway. What do they expect? Trucks already pass by at all hours. The fact that the sounds of trucks idling, decelerating and accelerating through their gears is much more intrusive than through-traffic, was not even considered.

They love words, these lawyers. They love the game. They get their fees whether they win or lose. Their life will not change. But we are the chess pieces they are manipulating.

Thankyou very much to the many many people - residents, visitors and businesses, who donated to our fundraising for the support of SD 5 days in court. Now we need to cover two more days in front of the tribunal, so the tins are still out, and the

Planning, whose advice was invaluable. You donated enough to cover the cost of our campaign preparation, plus the

or add to the collection tins on counters in

## TO DONATE TO YARRAGON'S DEFENCE:

BSB: 630 000 ACCOUNT: 165 161 795 NAME of ACCOUNT: YDCA **REFERENCE:** your name

local businesses.

#### RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT IN YARRAGON

Thank you to the members of YDCA, BBSN and interested residents, who came to our March meeting, which was also attended by land developer Dale Cook, consultant Chris Constantine, and Naomi Neville, who is council's planning manager. This was an opportunity for us to better understand the land development process, and for council and the developer to hear our hopes and concerns about future residential development.

I suspect not many developers actively seek out conversations with residents during the planning phase. We want to have our cake (live in a rural area with rural views and lifestyle) and eat it too (not cover farming land with houses). Developers are entitled to make a living from their long investments - the Rollo St proposal has been 10 years in the making, and the good ones want to leave a positive legacy. Resolving the tension between those opposing interests will take some negotiating, and I appreciate that Dale and Chris are willing to have the conversation.

#### **NEXT MEETING**

Put 7pm April 16<sup>th</sup> on your calendar. We'll be in the fire station meeting room, or if that's not available, we'll see if the room behind Fozigobble is available again.

Getting to know our businesses in Yarragon....

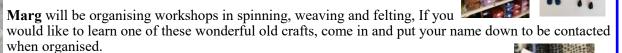
# Take a moment @ Campbell Street Emporium

The newest delight in town is the **Campbell Street Emporium** opposite Food Works in Campbell St.

Owners Margaret Oliver (Pink Fly) and Angela Betheras (Nickelby At Darnum) opened the shop one week prior to Christmas with a collective vision and shared love for handmade items, creating this unique store with work from their own studios and studios of fellow artists. Since then, it has turned into a true **Emporium** where you can find high quality, well made unique gifts, clothing, and other delights.

Marg & Ange invite you to pop in and say hi and see all the fibres, textiles, hand woven alpaca clothing, art, and jewellery from all around Australia. With new products arriving all the time there is always a feast for your eyes. The girls not only have their own work in the shop, they rent space out to other artists meaning the space is constantly changing as everyone

works hard to keep things fresh and exciting.



Ange weaves a beautiful range of clothing from her own alpacas on her farm in Darnum. You can find her work at **The Emporium** & Nickelby at Darnum. (Open Wed-Thurs and Saturdays 10am-5pm)

With Easter and Mother's Day just around the corner Marg and Ange have all your gift giving requirements under control and under one roof.

Drop in and browse, get inspired and go home with something unique every time!

## **Campbell Street Emporium**

1 Campbell Street, Yarragon Open Thursday to Monday 10am-4pm (Sundays 11-4)



# WARRAGUL SHOW NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The Warragul and West Gippsland Agricultural Show Inc. is desperate for assistance and is looking for applications from people from the Warragul or wider community to fill a number of executive positions. The executive has indicated their desire to retire/resign at the upcoming AGM to be held on **15 April 2019**.

President, Secretary and Treasurer have all been doing their respective jobs for a number of years and have not made this decision lightly. All have different reasons and those reasons are definitely not because they're not enjoying the work.

All have indicated a commitment to assist the new executive in any way possible, but all feel it is time for a fresh approach and new ideas.

Unfortunately these positions can't be filled from the existing dedicated, but small committee, as all committee members already have designated jobs.

The positions of Treasurer and Secretary require some degree of computer and IT skills. These skills are not absolutely essential for the position of President.

Our AGM will be open to the public and will be held at the Leeson Badminton pavilion on Monday April 15, starting at 7.30pm. All interested community members welcome.

Should we not get the support from the Community than the 2019 Show may have been the last one. It would be a shame to see another agricultural show close down, especially one that has been held in Warragul for 134 years. Once it is gone it is usually gone forever and this would be a tragedy.

If you think you can assist with our request please attend the meeting on 15 April or if you wish to receive any further details please send us an email, warragulshow@dcsi.net.au

# Yarragon Lions Club

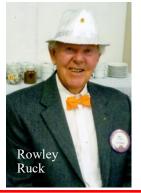
By Pat McPhie We have a photo of the Yarragon Club members who helped us sell our Christmas Raffle tickets.



From Left: President Tony Hayes, Peter Petschel, Brad Roberts, Tony Harvey Hall, Russel Weekly, Jackie van de Burgt, Roy Robins.

At our Lions meeting on February 27, we welcomed 3 people we hope will join our club. We would really like to see Kim and David Butcher and Richard McNeil again.

On that day we learnt that our longest serving Club member, Rowley Ruck, was in hospital. He has worked with us for 49 years. It was very sad to learn that he passed away on 5th march 2019.





At our Lions meeting on 13 March we had a visit from Wendy Tilling (Medical Education Officer, who organizes education for Doctors) and Kerry Sibson (Clinical Education—Medical Unit). The girls brought the lads named "Leo" and

"Baby Leo". Our Club had purchased these "people" for \$8,500 in late 2016. The girls explained how much they have been used and by how many staff.

"It has been one of the best things that has happened for education in a long time". The girls thanked us and we thanked them for spending time with us.

Hope to see you at Lardner Park from 11th to 14th April. We were pleased to hear that some young Drouin Leos may be available for helping us feed you when you're hungry.

We held a barbecue at Yarragon's Market Day on 23 March. The money from that will go to Lisa Harvey, who raises money for the Good Friday 2019 Appeal for Melbourne's Children's Hospital. We hope more people can help Lisa make more money for our town in the effort to help look after sick children.

On the 24/3 our caravan and barbecue was at the Bunyip Show with a good flow of people through. The money we made on that day will be given to people in that area who lost houses, fences, cows etc. due to the fire lasting several days.

We sent a cheque of \$200.00 as a donation to the "Ride for Site" via the zone chairman.

In memory of our Lion member, Jack Kerston, we have sent \$2500.00 for a new TV for Andrews House. We thought that would be an appropriate memorial for Jack.

#### **Our Latest Venture**

them know.

Our Lions Club aims to open an "Op Shop" in Yarragon. We will be taking over the Yarragon Newsagency building, and it will be open on **April 5th from 10.00a.m.** to **1.00 p.m.** to accept donations of clothing and bric-abrac. We will not be selling furniture or electrical items. At this stage it will be open three days a week. We may need more volunteers to help us in the future so if you are interested in helping please visit the shop and let

# BRIGHT TIMES AHEAD AT DOWTON PARK

Dowton Park in Yarragon is set to receive new sports lighting towers for the main oval thanks to a \$45,000 funding boost from the Australian Government through its Community Sports Infrastructure Program.

The announcement was made Friday March 29th by Federal Member for McMillan Russell Broadbent onsite at Dowton Park to the joy of local sporting groups.

In a great example of all three levels Government working together, this Federal funding will go alongside the Victorian State Government contribution \$100,000, with the balance of the project to be funded by Baw Baw Shire Council through its Capital Works Program.

The project is scheduled for delivery mid-2019, just in time to help brighten up the dark winter nights.



#### The House of St. Marks Op Shop (Pre-loved to Re-loved) **Fashion Parade**

The House of St. Marks held its second pre-loved to re- Dolly Parton song 9 to 5. loved fashion parade on 21 March, following a few days of 'will we or won't we have water on tap' (pardon the pun). Lucky ticket and door prizes were drawn, followed by Water problem sorted, fashions back on track.

St Marks Anglican Church was once again transformed into a fashion salon with no equal. Outfits and accessories were capably shown off by five sensibly proportioned models and one a bit on the shortish side, who strutted their stuff - and even danced to music by Neil Diamond. Hot August Night never sounded so good.



Our femme fatale model from 2017 was unavailable, but we were lucky enough to obtain the services of her cousin After weeks of planning, preparation and fitting of models, Esmeralda, who didn't let us down, moving well to the

afternoon tea. The House of St Marks Salon was declared open for sales, with over \$500 being raised on the day.

A big thank you to our Op Shop in Trafalgar for the generous voucher donation and to all involved in this major fundraising event which helps St Marks keep its Jaffas after school program running, Tuesdays 3.30 -5.30 during school term.







## To burn or not to burn, when is the question.

Although the summer has officially ended and we are now a month into autumn, we are NOT yet out of the fire danger period. Gippsland has had a very dry summer and soil moisture levels are still very low, this, combined with the extra fuel loads that comes with the pastures drying off, means that the risk of fire in the landscape is still a big concern. The recent wildfires in Bunyip and Yinnar show conditions are still very dangerous. The bureau of meteorology predicts a drier than average Autumn and without good rainfall the scenario is not likely to change soon.

The fire danger period for the area that includes Baw Baw Shire is still current, so burning off restrictions are still in force. CFA, in conjunction with other fire authorities, regularly monitor the factors that determine when the date will be declared. Not all areas are declared at the same time. A declaration in the central region doesn't necessarily mean the same is true in Gippsland. When an end date is declared, media notifications will be issued via radio and print media as well as via road signage around that district.

#### Don't jump the gun!

Authorities still have a zero tolerance to anyone who breaks the law, whether knowingly or not. Local fire brigades have an obligation to refer burnoffs in the fire danger period to police for their attendance and referral to the courts. Heavy fines do apply and are enforced.

So, wait until you are sure that the end to the fire danger period is declared in your area. When it is finally declared, landholders wishing to carry out burnoffs still have responsibilities. Here are some of the things you should note.

- Residents living in towns are not permitted to burnoff at any time without issued permits.
- Residents in rural zones can burnoff only when there are no fire danger restrictions in force.
- No fires are permitted anywhere during days of TOTAL FIRE BAN.
- Select the area you have chosen for your burnoff pile by taking into account the geography around the fire. Don't burnoff close to trees and long grass, choose the least exposed area to prevailing winds - both current and forecast, ensure that the area is accessible to fire vehicles and that a good water supply is close by.
- Once selected prepare a mineral earth perimeter around the fire and have fire fighting equipment in place.
- Register your burnoff on 1800 668 551. If you are concerned about your planned fire contact your local brigade. Where possible they may be able to attend at least for the initial stages and often use it as a training exercise.
- You must be in attendance at all times. A big fire can burn for a long time, so smaller burns over different days maybe more feasible than a burn that goes on for days. When finished, make sure that the ash is extinguished with water
- Don't be the person who burns down their own property because you didn't take precautions, it can be highly embarrassing !!!!!!! not to mention costly.



- Have you seen the changes happening at West Gippsland Hospital?
- Would you like to be involved with ensuring the hospital's services meet the needs of the community?
- Do you have experience as a patient or carer?
- Do you have time to attend a couple of meetings a month?

# APPLY TODAY TO BE A **CONSUMER REPRESENTATIVE**

Rosemary Joiner, Consumer Engagement and Volunteers Coordinator, on 03 5624 0597 or rosemary.joiner@wghg.com.au



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Warragul 90 Smith Street (Annex Building)

Please note: Council's Warragul Customer Service Centre, Arts Centre Team and Box Office have been temporarily relocated to the Annex Building on Smith Street to make room for the exciting upgrade works that are starting at the West Gippsland Arts Centre



Have Your Say is an opportunity to provide your thoughts, feelings and ideas on a range of Council projects and activities. Your

feedback is highly valued and will ultimately influence Council's decision making on various projects in the Shire

We encourage all residents to visit the **Have** Your Say section on Council's website and take this opportunity to get involved and be part of shaping Baw Baw Shire

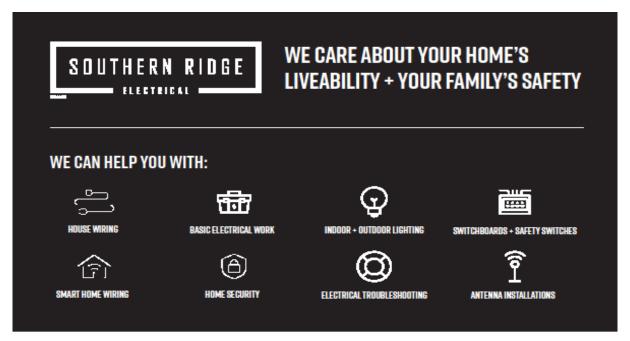
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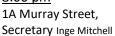
#### MONDAYS

#### West Gippsland Mobile Library

2:30 - 5:30pm

Yarragon Public Hall carpark,

#### Yarragon Fire Brigade 8:00 pm



Email: yarragonfb@gmail.com



#### **TUESDAYS**

#### **Yarragon Craft Group**

9.30am - 12.30pm

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, <u>3.30-5.30 pm</u>. Gold coin donation.

YDCA Yarragon & District Community Association Next meeting April 16, 2019,7.00pm Yarragon Fire Brigade, Murray Street... All welcome. President: Jude Conway 0411 833 219

#### SUNDAYS

SATURDAYS Yarragon Craft & Produce Market

Fourth Saturday 8am - 1pm

Yarragon Public Hall, Campbell Street

Enquiries: Gaye Kent 0427 342 430

St Mark's Anglican Church, Loch St, Rev Sue Jacka, ph: 5633 1021

Morning Worship, 8:30am

Or Waterloo Park

St David's Uniting Church, Campbell

Watch the notice board at the front of the church for details.

St Jarlath's Catholic Church, Rollo St

#### WEDNESDAYS

#### **Gardening Group**

9 - 10am

Yarragon Medical Centre Campbell Street

#### Yarragon Playgroup

9:30 - 11:30am

Yarragon Public Hall, Campbell St Contact Jacinta on 0401 824 195

#### **Yarragon Lions Club**

2nd & 4th Wednesdays 7pm

St Jarlath's Catholic Hall, Rollo St President: Tony Hayes 0428 325 134

#### **THURSDAYS**

#### **Yarragon Bowls Club Shady Creek Rd**

Telephone: 0490 831 283

Social game night only October to

April.

**Baw Baw Arts** 

Station Gallery,

Princes Highway.

m.0490 173 103

Wed-Sun. 10.30 - 4

Alliance

1st, 3rd &5th Thursday, Followed by a meal, orders to be placed by 5:30 pm on the Tuesday VARRAGOA prior.



# WHAT'S ON IN APRIL?

#### **APRIL**

5: Op Shop open for Donations

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7: Daylight Saving Ends

16: YDCA Meeting

19: Good Friday Appeal at

Yarragon Hotel 19-22: Easter

25: Anzac day service

27: Craft and Produce Market

#### MORE THAN ONCE A WEEK

#### **Heart Foundation Yarragon Walkers**

Starting at ROTUNDA, 9:30am. in all weathers Tuesday and Thursday: approx. 45 min town circuit



Angela Greenall 5624 3545









EXHIBITIONS, **GALLERY & SALES** Classes with Tutors – apply at Station Weekly drop-in sessions @ Trafalgar Station

Monday- Painting Group Tuesday – MmaD Group (mixed media) Wednesday- am -Clay group pm -Just drawing



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