

IRONBARK NEWS

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November 2012



Stuart Town RTC

Open Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
10:00am- 4:00pm

Hope to see you there.

If you would like a special luncheon please
contact the RTC and we can arrange it for you.

Next Meeting of RTC

Thursday 8th November 6:00pm

Next meeting of the STAA

**Wednesday 21st
November 6:00pm**

**Please note membership is now
due \$2
You can pay at the Post Office
or at the RTC**

STAA Christmas Party 19th December

***RTC Christmas Luncheon 10th
December
Put it in your diary now!***



Report from STAA Meeting 24th October

The main item of business at the meeting was the Transfer of Title. This is a very important issue for our community as it involves transferring the title of the hall back to Crown.

There are arguments for and against this proposal and committee members are gathering as much information as possible.

A decision will be made about this at the next STAA meeting so please come along.

Planning for "The Man from Ironbark Festival" is progressing well, though we would love to have more volunteers to help with the catering for the morning tea.

A cake stall is going to be held Thursday 14th November at the front of Home and Office, to raise money for the "Piano Fund", once again if you could help it would be appreciated.

Donations of cakes and goodies can be left at the RTC on Wednesday afternoon or alternatively can be dropped directly to the stall.

The AGM will be held in December and nominations will be called for in November.

Some minor landscaping is going to be carried out around the new information signs to finish them off.

Our Village Grant proposal will have to be modified as the new Wellington Council is going to provide entry signs for all of the villages. The proposal for seating at Boehme's Hall will go ahead but if you have any suggestions for other projects, please let us know.

Report from Council Community Report Meeting 30th October

Approximately 20 residents and many Councillors and administrative staff attended the meeting on Tuesday evening.



Rod Burgh, the mayor, introduced himself and stated that he thought that these community meetings were an excellent way of engaging with the community and that the "report card" program was a good way for residents to see how goals were being achieved. He did state that there would be financial constraints. He thanked everyone for coming and supporting the council. Michael Tolhurst reviewed the progress of issues planned for the financial year. The red, yellow and green dots on the flow chart indicate whether planned projects have been completed, started or not yet achieved. He stressed that this was an important means of keeping communication going.

There are plans for a bus stop at Euchareena, hopefully to be ready for the start of the new school year.

Another meeting will be held with interested parties as to the future of the old garage in late November.

Ray Pulbrook explained to the meeting that some flood mitigation work had been done on the contours which will hopefully relieve the problems that have been experienced during very heavy rain periods.

The meeting then moved to an open forum and then those in attendance had an opportunity to study the Report card and seek information from the councillors and staff in attendance.

The Report Card will be on display in the RTC noticeboard and one at the Post Office.

The next Council meeting will be held in February.



CHURCH SERVICES

Catholic Church

Stuart Town Mass each Saturday @ St John the Baptist @ 8.30 am

A reminder that the ANNUAL STUART TOWN CEMETERY MASS will be held at the cemetery on Wednesday, 7th November at 6pm. Fr. Tony extends an invitation and a warm welcome to all the community to join him in remembering your deceased family and friends.

This will be followed by a `get-together` celebrating Fr Tony`s 25th anniversary..... at Ted & Norma Hannelly`s "Glenview"to which all are invited.

Contact no for Fr Tony is 68452061

Stuart Town Mass each Saturday at St John the Baptist Church at 8.30 am

ANNUAL STUART TOWN CEMETERY MASS.....

Claiming the date and inviting all on Wednesday, 7th NOVEMBER at 6pm . This will be followed by a `get-together` celebrating Fr. Tony`s 25th anniversary, held at Ted & Norma`s place, "Glenview."

Contact no for Fr Tony is 68452061

Anglican and Non- denominational

Saturday 3rd- 8.30-1.00pm (approx)

Fete - Wellington Anglican Church, Warne St. Lots of stalls and delicious food.

Sunday 4th 6.00pm Holy Communion

Sunday 21st 10.30am Morning Prayer and Children`s Ministry

Home Communion on request (Phone Clare 68468308

Wellington Services

Fridays - 11am Sundays 8.00am & 9.30am

Tuesday - Friday 8.30am Morning Prayer

Bellhaven - 11.00am 1st Thursday of month

Maranatha - 9.30am 1st, 4th Friday

4.00pm 3rd Friday

From the Bible

...with the Lord, one day is like a thousand years and a thousand years are like one day.

A Thought to Ponder

“The Seed Shop”

Here in a quiet and dusty room they lie, faded as crumbled stone or shifting sand. Forlorn as ashes, shrivelled, scentless, dry – meadows and gardens running through my hand. Dead that shall quicken at the call of spring, sleepers that stir beneath November’s magic kiss. Though birds pass over unremembering, and no bees seeks here, roses that were his; in this brown husk and dale of hawthorn dreams, a cedar in this narrow husk is thrust, that will drink deeply of a century’s streams. These lilies will make summer on my dust. Here in their simple house of death, sealed in their shells, a million roses leap. Here I can blow a garden with my breath and in my hand a forest lies asleep.

Community Bus to Wellington

Will run in November. Ring Lyn Rich to **book** the week before on 68 45 4355

COMMUNITY BUS TO ORANGE

Will run during 2012

Phone 68 453474. Bookings are essential.

Mobile Library will be at the School of Arts Hall on Tuesday, 13th November and Tuesday 11th December between 12.00pm and 1.30pm.

Regional Library- 6801450

BIRTHDAY WISHES

3rd David Sherring

4th Kelly Ross & Noel Stanford

5th Melba Howard, Molly Patterson

7th Cooper White

9th Pam Gough, Josie Mealey, Kevin Frappell

10th Adam Hannelly

11th Joy (Fleming) Douglas

13th Adam Trudgett, Bronwyn Clark

15th Tony Kalanj

16th Steven Patterson, Darrell Flett

17th Adam Orrock

19th Craig Lancaster, Allan Fleming

20th Robert Ryan, Daniel O’Mara, Luke Stanford, Stephanie Morrison

21st Coral Ryan

22nd Kelly Midson, Bill Jones, Tim Trudgett

23rd Keith Pryde, Samantha Ross, Cindy Walker, Pam Oxford

24th Phillip Hurst

26th Lisa Douglas

27th John Howard, Florence Minors

30th Moira Hannelly

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY.

5th Christine & Noel Stanford

7th Norma & Ted Hannelly

22nd Jean & Ron Frappell

School News

We return to school after September holidays with a calendar full of learning and assessment activities to be completed before the end of year.

The P&C will continue to run canteen on Mondays and crunch & sip during the week.

Thank you to those mothers who come to help with food preparation. The children do appreciate a lunch order and fruit break in the morning.

We will continue to travel to Mumbil School for combined sports on Fridays and may even join them, going to swimming lessons later on in the term.

A parenting program will be held at the school beginning 29th October. Sarah Woodham from Orange will be running the program and she has told us that the parents/ carers really enjoy the sessions not just the morning teas. All interested parents (even if your children do not attend this school) are invited to attend, so if you are up for learning a few new strategies to help your children learn please contact the school for times and dates.

A great new competition the ‘National Word Mania Challenge ‘ was launched in October and the students have registered online to become word maniacs and spell as many words as they can in 3 minutes. Good Luck. School photos will be taken on Friday 2nd November and we will attend The Life Education Van on Friday 9th November.

Our prize presentation and concert evening will be held on 13th December at the School of Arts Hall commencing 6pm. All welcome. Hope to see you there.

P&C's fundraiser



You are invited to the P&C's fundraiser for Breast Cancer on Sunday 11th November 2012 at Stuart Town Public School commencing at 2pm. There will be a raffle and afternoon tea is \$5 per head. Please RSVP for catering purposes to 68468243 by Wed 7th November. We look forward to seeing you at this worthwhile event.

Trivia Night

Keep the
8th December clear for
A special fund-raiser to support
one of our community members in
need.

School of Arts Hall

6:30 for 7:00pm

Book a table of 8/10

Great prizes and auction items

Nibbles provided

BYOG

\$10 a head

Come and have a lot of fun

Easy questions guaranteed!

The launch of the Papillon Collection



The friends of the
papillon foundation present

Katie Barton died unexpectedly on the 22nd of November 2009, leaving a vision unfulfilled; to create a collection of art for the Wellington community, to be enjoyed by all in perpetuity. After Katie's death her husband and a group of her friends decided to try and make her dream a reality.

The Papillon collection is the result. All the art works have been donated. A big thankyou to all those who have donated art works and all who have helped realise Katie's dream.

Saturday 24th November 6pm

Macquarie Theatre, 36-42 Swift Street, Wellington

Open invitation with entry by donation. Children welcome.

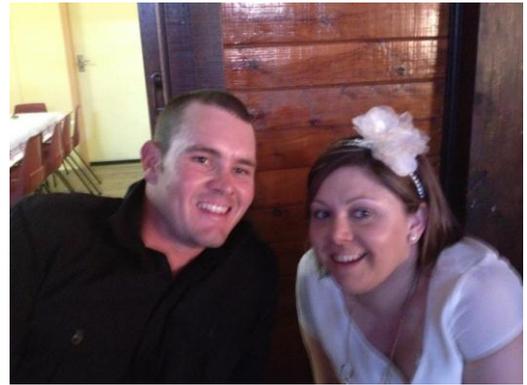
Spring Dance

The Spring Dance was a great success with about 100 people attending. The hall looked great and the table decorations were fantastic. Many who attended dressed up in their best Spring outfits, though some of the fellas were very relaxed in their casual gear.

The band The Legless Pedestrians, played wonderful music that we could all remember and for those of us who missed out on learning how to really dance, it was super music to wriggle to! The auction was amazing! So many generous people were bidding up and up and up, though the items were really valuable. And Kylie and her helpers did a great job collecting them all. Mark Frazer also helped by being an encouraging auctioneer.

I'm sure everybody will be looking forward to the next dance.





NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 42nd Annual General Meeting of First Choice Credit Union Ltd will be held on Friday 2nd November 2012 at Orange Ex-Services Club, Anson Street, Orange, commencing at 6.00 p.m. followed by light refreshments.

BUSINESS OF THE MEETING

- Confirmation of Minutes of 41st Annual General Meeting held 4th November 2011
- Receive and adopt Directors' Report, Statement of Accounts and Auditor's Report
- Resolutions for appointment of Directors
- Directors Remuneration
- Notices of Motion submitted in accordance with the Rules
- General Business

NOMINATIONS FOR POSITIONS OF DIRECTORS

In accordance with Section 13.4 and 13.5 of the Constitution three (3) Directors retire and are eligible for re-election.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Notices of Motion are to be submitted in writing by 5.00 pm Friday 26 October 2011.

The Chairman

First Choice Credit Union Ltd

P O Box 717 ORANGE NSW 2800

By Order of the Board of Directors
P R Dawson, General Manager

Citizen of the Month



Kylie Preston

IRONBARK SPRING DANCE

A HUGE THANKYOU GOES OUT TO ALL PLAYERS / MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS OF THE IRONBARK CRICKET CLUB.

Our Spring Dance/Auction night was a great success approximately 98 people attended the event,

We had all auction items donated by such generous people/ businesses; much appreciation goes out to all whom donated (thankyou so much).

I have received a lot of feedback from community members on such a great night they had,

The music by the Legless Pedestrians was also entertaining.

We have raised \$2,200 to go towards a new cricket pitch and the maintenance for the ground and surrounding area.

Winners of Prizes were:

1. Lucky Door Prize (Sandra Preston)

2. RAFFLE 1st prize (Rodney McConnell)

2nd prize (Rex Muggleton)

3rd prize (George Miller)

Best Dressed

Male: Terry Arnold

Female: Kerry Price

Child: Keenan

100 Clubs: Montana Marsden

Dance Off: Janet

Plus other Random prize winners throughout the night.

I can't express how nice it is see so many people come together to support us in not only events like this but the Friday night raffles at the pub and also coming to watch our cricket matches.

We are hoping that once our ground is done we can hopefully get a few more home games so feel free to come along and enjoy an afternoon of supporting your local cricketers.

I have put a copy of cricket draw on notice boards at shop and pub for the community.

THANKS STUART TOWN FOR YOUR SUPPORT

WELLINGTON DOLL, BEAR AND CRAFT EXPO 2012

10th - 11th November

Where: Wellington Civic Centre

Time: 10am - 4pm (Saturday)
10am - 3pm (Sunday)

Cost: \$5 adults, children under 5 free

Traders & exhibitors
welcome:

Traders: \$20/table

Exhibitors: \$20/table

Advanced payment required on bookings to
secure exhibit. Exhibitors are also advised to
arrange their own insurance for items of value.

For more information or to book a table, contact Pamela
on 02 6845 1930 (BH) or 02 6846 8320 after 7pm.

Disclaimer: The Wellington Doll, Bear & Craft Expo 2012 will take all care but will not be responsible for any loss, damage or theft of exhibits

