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WELL AS USUAL POONA HAS BEEN 'FULL ON' WITH ACTIVITIES & SOME GREAT EVENTS AT THE HALL. EASTER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER & JUST LOOK AT THE RANGE OF THINGS THAT WILL BE HAPPENING AT THE EASTER FESTIVAL!!!

THERE WILL BE FOOD ALL DAY, THE MARKETS STARTING AT 7AM ALONG WITH THE CAR & BIKE SHOW FROM 9AM. ALSO LOTS FOR THE KIDDIES FROM 9AM, FACE PAINTING, COLOURING-IN STALL & MAGNA FISHING GAME FOR THE LITTLES & FREE ZOOPER DOOPERS ALL DAY!!! (YUMMY) I HAVE ALSO HEARD THAT EASTER BUNNY WILL BE HAVING AN EASTER EGG HUNT AT 2PM!!!

TENNIS, BASKETBALL & GOLF FOR ALL AGES & OUR POONA MERCHANDISE WILL BE ON SALE TOO!

COMMUNITY INFORMATION STALLS:

TURTLES IN TROUBLE & FRASER COAST MICRO BATS, SANDY STRAITS RURAL FIRE BRIGADE, SES & COASTGUARD ENTERTAINMENT WITH MARIA WHITTAKER 10AM TO 12.30PM & ONE FOR THE ROAD, 1PM TO 4PM.

THERE WILL BE HELICOPTER SCENIC FLIGHTS FROM GREAT OCEAN HELICOPTERS—COST—\$65 pp, RAFFLES IN THE MORNING WITH THE MAJOR RAFFLE DRAW AT 12PM & THE BAR IS OPEN 11AM TO 6PM. SO LOOK OUT FOR YOUR EASTER PAMPHLET IN YOUR LETTERBOX SOON & ALSO

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AS ALWAYS THERE IS A LOT OF WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT FOR THESE EVENTS TO TAKE PLACE IN POONA! SO COME FORWARD TO SEE WHAT HELP YOU CAN GIVE. IT IS ONLY THROUGH VOLUNTEER HELP THAT THESE EVENTS ARE ABLE TO TAKE PLACE IN POONA.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO
ANY HELP YOU CAN GIVE.
WE ARE ALSO LOOKING
FORWARD TO SEEING
YOU ALL AT THE
EASTER FESTIVAL

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COMING UP AT THE POONA HALL.....

ST PATRICKS
DAY
(SEE PAGE 4)



THEN IT IS
EASTER



(SEE PAGE 9 FOR
DETAILS)

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70TH WEDDING
ANNIVERSARY &
MRS BAXTER ALSO
CELEBRATED HER
90TH BIRTHDAY! ALL
WITH GREAT
ENTERTAINMENT
FROM VANESSA
SANGER.
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ACHIEVED THERE!!!



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Lately we are all battling with the weather gods our advice is to have your tackle ready & boat packed & fuelled ready to hit the water when the window opens. This can be hard with work & family commitments but where there's a will there's a way.

After last week's king tides and some rain thrown in, the waters of the Mary River were running faster than a rat up a drainpipe, but fortunately for us our favourite species don't mind a bit of water turn. Popular spots were more around the banks, channels & structural points such as rock ledges and mangroves. Most found cast netting for fresh or live baits worked a treat on the Threadfin & Blue Salmon, Cod & Barramundi. Further down river towards River Heads trolling lures around the deep holes & ledges has been an option as well.

Sticking to the River's & Creeks along the mainland such as Tuan, Maaroom & Poona Creeks & or the Mary, Susan & Burrum Rivers has really been the pick of the spots for local boaties over the past couple of weeks, & they haven't been disappointed with a wide variety of fish being landed. Good size Summer Whiting, Silver Bream & Flathead are being landed for those who are walking the sand flats at low tide either collecting fresh bait like yabbies or flicking a soft plastic or hard bodied lure. And in the deeper water anglers have been getting Mangrove Jack, Barramundi, Grunter, Black Bream & Threadfin Salmon with live bait being the preferred method.

We are still getting good reports of mud crabs so soaking a pot is a good idea.

Sneaking out early on a good day & heading across the straits towards the island has also been paying off with our protected reefs & ledges producing mixed bags of quality reef fish such as Parrot, Grassy Sweetlip, Mosses Perch & Cod.

Between the mainland & Fraser Island throughout the Great Sandy Straits anglers have been chasing the pelagic fish using with a wide variety of techniques such as trolling, sight casting (which at times can be quite challenging because the schools have been flighty) floating pillies or popping/stick baiting.

With some upcoming good weather forecasts the bigger boats will be eager to set out on an over-nighter to the far reefs with fish ripe for the picking this time of year you could land anything from a late season Snapper to Reds, Cobia, Cod, Nannygai & depending on your location Pearlies & Red Throat.

With all the freshwater runoff, our freshwater species have been a popular target, Flicking soft plastic shads, frogs, cicadas & grubs for bass has been the go around Lenthalls Dam, Tinana creek & Tiaro. Barra are also being taking at Lenthalls on Gold Bombers & similar hard body lures.



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HELP NEEDED



**THE POONA
POST IS
LOOKING FOR
MORE KIDS TO
DO THE POST
DELIVERIES.
THERE ARE 4 X
AREAS.**

**A GREAT
CHANCE TO
EARN SOME
POCKET MONEY.**

**THIS IS A
ONCE A MONTH
JOB, ON THE
ODD OCCASION
THERE CAN BE
EXTRA
DELIVERIES PER
MONTH.**

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“Hot Flashes”

Happy Up Coming Easter to our community

from all the VOLUNTEER members

of the Sandy Straits Rural Fire Brigade.

Our recent AGM was well attended with

many community guest's especially the PCPA. Thank you for attending.

A big shout out to Rachel and Marc at Fraser Coast Real Estate, our long-standing supporters who provide a wonderful Christmas Supper for the Volunteers. Thank you.

After a hot and humid holiday for most of us, it is time to clean up our backyards in case of another extreme weather event. Please make sure you have a tidy yard and that everything is put away. We have already had very strong winds bringing down tree limbs and creating dangerous situations.

A shout out to all the Community members of Poona and Surrounds who gave generously to the Sandy Straits Rural Fire Brigade at the PCPA event.

Thank you to the PCPA and Kathy for organizing the donations. Our Volunteers appreciate and value your support.

Everyone “Enjoy Your Easter” and please stay safe.



St Patrick's Day 2024

**Join in the fun
Friday 15th March
Poona Community
Hall**

**Bar Opens
From 5.00 PM
Meals from 6.00 PM**



**Themed costume
Dress up**

Live Music “Still Rock’n”

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POONA HALL ACTIVITIES!

<u>MONDAY:</u>	6.30 AM (SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>
	7.00 AM (WINTER)	(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)
	8.30 AM	<u>TAI CHI</u>
	1.00 PM	(AILEEN: PHONE: 4129 8770) <u>UKULELE GROUP:</u> (JENNY C: 4129.8462)
<u>TUESDAY:</u>	7.30 AM (SUMMER)	<u>LADIES ONLY TENNIS</u>
	9.00 AM (WINTER)	(SUE: PHONE: 0415 557 569)
	8.30 AM	<u>YOGA</u>
		(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650) OR 0400 082 881)
	10 AM (1ST & 3RD)	<u>ART GROUP</u>
	1.00PM	(PAM: PHONE: 0407 375 267) <u>LINE DANCING FOR BEGINEERS</u>
	3.00 PM (SUMMER)	(GILLIAN: PHONE: 0481 205 497)
	2.00 PM (WINTER)	<u>COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUP</u>
<u>WEDNESDAY:</u>	6.30 AM (SUMMER)	(SUE: PHONE: 0428 154 213)
	7.00 AM (WINTER)	<u>CARDS NIGHT</u>
	9.00 AM	(DI: PHONE: 0428 416 631))
	1.00PM	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>
		(PAM : PHONE: 0407 013 675)
		<u>LINE DANCING</u>
<u>THURSDAY:</u>		(GILLIAN: PHONE: 0481 205 497)
		<u>SINGING GROUP</u>
		(Di PRIOR: PHONE: 0407 665 396)
		(SUE HART: PHONE: 0428 154 213)
	6.30PM	<u>18+ POOL NIGHT</u>
		(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)
<u>FRIDAY:</u>	8.30 AM	<u>YOGA</u>
		(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650 OR 0400 082 881)
	1.00 PM	<u>CARD GAMES AFTERNOON:</u>
		(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)
	4.00 PM (SUMMER)	<u>MIXED TENNIS:</u>
	3.00 PM (WINTER)	(KEESHA: PHONE:0405 929 241)
<u>FRIDAY:</u>	6.30 AM (SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>
	7.00 AM (WINTER)	(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)
	9.00 AM	<u>CRAFT:</u> BYO project
	5.00 PM	<u>MEALS & BAR OPEN</u>



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THE STALL
HOLDERS**

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ON OUR POONA
COMMUNITY
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&

**WITH THE ACTION
FILLED DAY,
HELPERS ARE
NEEDED. SO PUT
YOUR HANDS UP
AS MANY HANDS
CONTRIBUTING IS
HOW THESE
EVENTS TAKE
PLACE IN POONA**

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Events for the Month

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SUNDAY 3RD MARCH:



SUNDAY UNDER THE POONA SKIES: WITH 'THE LOCAL VOCALS' THAT RECENTLY ENTERTAINED AT THE POONA CAFE & ENJOYED TREMENDOUSLY BY ALL!!!

SATURDAY 9TH MARCH:



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ST PATRICKS DAY DINNER AT THE HALL. COME ALONG FOR YOUR IRISH DINNER & MAYBE FIND THAT POT OF GOLD

TO BE SURE, TO BE SURE, TO BE SURE.

SATURDAY 30TH MARCH:



EASTER BUNNY IS BACK! WITH THE GREAT EASTER MARKET FESTIVAL WITH STALLS, CAR SHOW, FACE PAINTING, EASTER EGG HUNT & SO MUCH MORE.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR EASTER PAMPHLET WITH MAPS, TIMETABLES ETC IN YOUR LETTERBOX, COMING OUT SOON!!!

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SHED

under contract
\$365,000 - 1 Cottonwood Cl (ref:002) 1545m² Shed measures 9m x 9m, with 12m high roller door. Insulated ceiling, toilet and Shower Spot for washing machine, 1 spacious room with built in open storage and air-conditioning. 2 x 5000L water tanks. Fully fence, garden, septic tank, septic system



SHED



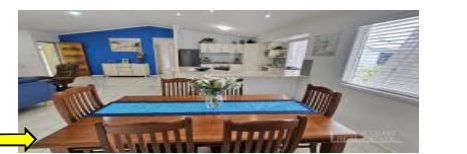
\$780,000 - 33 Snapper Dr NEW MODERN HOME! Immaculate 3bedr all with built ins, 2 bathr, main with ensuite + walk in robe, spacious kitchen w/ large pantry, open plan living, fully tiled, outdoor enclosed patio. Shed 7m x 15m w/ 3m high doors, kitchenette, toilet + shower, room for guest stay. 35,000L water capacity



SHED



SOLD
Offers Around \$559,000 - Grass Tree Court (ref:670) 1000m² backing to the reserve, 3bedr, 2bath, main w/ ensuite, open plan living, fully tiled, outdoor entertainment area adjoining open plan living. 12m powered shed, 2kw solar, 54000L water capacity



\$495,000 - 178 Boronia Drive (ref:668) 764m² 3bedr, 2 w/built in robes, freshly painted interior, short walk to the beach, open plan living, perfect holiday home idea in a great location, new roof. 2 x tanks, 3.5m x 7m shed with 2.7m high roller door. Front enclosed room.



SHED

\$450,000 - 192 Boronia Drive (ref:008) 764m² This weekender shed, foreshore access approx. 100m away. 8m x 8m shed, Floor coverings Insulated ceilings, kitchen, bathroom, One room laundry area, approx. 3000gal, Bore, Fully fenced



SHED



\$550,000 - 142 Cockatoo Crescent (ref:671) 1000m² Close to community hall, café, and beach! 4bedr built ins, 1bathr, 2 car accommodation, open plan area, bathroom separate toilet, outdoor entertainment area, fully fenced, 45000L water capacity, corner block room for a shed, main bedr is larger than others



\$725,000 - 2 Emperor Court (ref:657) 1089m² 4bedr, 2bathr, solar and solar hot water, open plan living, formal lounge room, outdoor entertainment area, 4 bay 9m x 12m shed with 3.2m high doors, 6m x 6m outdoor kitchen and workshop area, 2 x 5000gal water tanks.



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17 Snapper dr - \$260,000 - UNDER CONTR
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18 Pandanus Pl - \$255,000 - SOLD
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MON - FRI = 9:30 - 3:30PM

SAT = 9:30 - 2:00PM

SUN = PRE-ARRANGED APPOINTMENTS

POONA - POONA BAY



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