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# Poona Post



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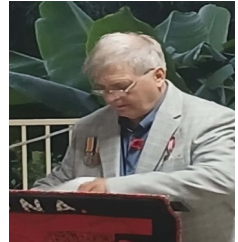
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POONA POST

ANZAC DAY SERVICE, DESPITE THE WEATHER, WAS ONCE AGAIN A LOVELY SERVICE CARRIED OUT BY PETER HEIT WITH MORE THAN 200 PEOPLE ATTENDING.

THANK YOU ALSO TO THE VISITING SPEAKER, MR IAN THOMAS, RETIRED MAJOR WHO PROVIDED A GREAT INFORMATIVE SPEECH.



THE POONA SERVICE HAS ALWAYS HAD A SPECIAL ATMOSPHERE WITH THE GUNFIRE BREAKFAST ENJOYED BY ALL, ALONG WITH THE RUM & MILK IN HONOUR OF OUR VETERANS.

IT IS SO GOOD TO SEE SUCH HUGE SUPPORT CONTINUING FOR OUR EVENTS & FRIDAY NIGHTS WITH MEALS & SOMETIMES ENTERTAINMENT. THE EASTER EVENT WAS FANTASTIC & ANZAC HAS BEEN WONDERFUL.

MORE GOOD TIMES ARE AHEAD WITH 'RUMBLE IN THE JUNGLE' FOR THE 'MOTHERS DAY' DINNER WITH SUZETTE & HER AMAZING TEAM & OF COURSE A FREE GLASS OF WINE FOR ALL OF OUR WONDERFUL MUM'S IN POONA!!!

SEE PAGE 9 FOR MORE DETAILS & 'STILL ROCKIN' WILL BE THERE TO ENTERTAIN US ALL.



ALL OF THESE EVENTS & ACTIVITIES ONLY HAPPEN THANKS TO OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS WHO GIVE TIRELESSLY TO THIS POONA COMMUNITY. WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR MORE HELPING HANDS TO LIGHTEN THE LOAD. TALK TO A COMMITTEE MEMBER TO PUT YOUR NAME FORWARD TO GIVE A LITTLE BACK!!!

WE WILL ALSO BE HAVING A VOLUNTEERS THANK YOU LUNCH ON SATURDAY 6TH JUNE TO SHOW OUR TRUE APPRECIATION.

SEE PAGE 9 FOR ALL THE DETAILS.

NEXT GENERAL MEETING WILL BE: SATURDAY 9TH MAY @ 2PM.

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# WHAT AN EVENT!!!



## The PCPA

Wish to thank the FCRC for the successful Grant that went towards upgrading the tables & chairs in the outdoor area.

The new furniture is much more user suitable & user friendly for the community.  
**THANKS AGAIN FCRC**

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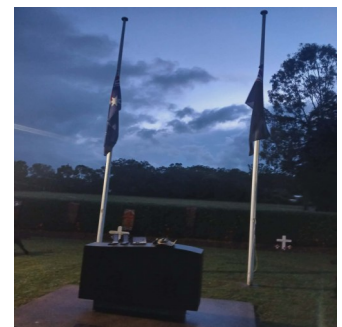
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IT IS SAFE TO SAY THAT THE EASTER FESTIVAL WAS A HUGE SUCCESS FOR EVERYONE, STALL HOLDERS (GREAT SALES), FOOD VANS (SELLING OUT), HALL FOOD (SELLING OUT), CAR & BIKE DISPLAY (FANTASTIC), HELICOPTER (NEVER STOPPED), MUSIC & BAR (FLOWING CONTINUALLY). THE CAFE (HUGELY BUSY). THERE ARE SO MANY PHOTOS SO CHECK THE REST OUT ONLINE!!!



## A FEW PHOTOS FROM OUR ANZAC SERVICE. (THANK YOU CRAIG WHITTAKER)



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## "HOT FLASHES"

Our Sandy Straits Volunteer Rural Fire Brigade held a great display at the PCPA Easter fair. It was inundated by parents and many children. Bushy the Fire mascot was a huge success with all.



A range of resources were available to support the community engagement activities, including a Bush fire Danger Rating presentation. The following items were available from our stall and community education was greatly appreciated by those who dropped in. Many thanks to those kind people who donated to our brigade.

- Bushfire Safety Guide
- Bushfire Warnings Corflute
- Fluoro Stickers featuring bushfire messaging
- Colouring Sheets
- Activity Book
- Message bracelets
- Lighting Fires in Queensland Brochure
- Obligations and Responsibilities of Permit Holders
- Camping safely Brochures
- House fire safety plans
- Smoke detector information
- Family home safety planning
- Burning small stacks at home

Yard cleanup for wild weather  
Many thanks to our sponsor Fraser Coast Real Estate for their kind support. Join our wonderful volunteers, we need your contribution. Become a Sandy Straits RFB member. A big thank you to the PCPA team who did a great job for an outstanding event.

Got a guitar or other musical instruments  
or you just want to sing to live music.

# SATURDAY

# MUSO'S



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listen, byo drinks & nibbles

POONA CENTENARY HALL

## YOUNG AT HEART TUESDAY 12TH MAY:

Please put this date in your calendar -  
our Annual Fundraiser for the Cancer Council.  
Always a fun morning with a great morning tea -  
all for a great cause Close To Our Hearts!



We need a small group of volunteers to help organise this morning tea event. A bit of planning prior to the event and then help setting up etc on the day. Please consider helping. The planning meeting will be Thursday 30th April at 10am at the hall. Put your name below or contact Cathy Rose or Jenny Mason. If you have something to donate for raffles etc a basket will be placed at the hall. Australia's Biggest Morning Tea is one of Cancer Council biggest fundraising events.

One Australian is diagnosed with cancer approximately every five minutes, the length of an average tea break. Join us to raise vital funds towards support services, prevention programs and life-saving cancer research.



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# POONA HALL ACTIVITIES!

## MONDAY:

6.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	1.00PM	<u>UKULELE GROUP:</u>
8.30AM(WINTER)	(PAM:0407 013 675)		(JENNY C: 4129.8462)
8.30AM	<u>TAI CHI 1.00PM</u>	3.00PM	<u>SINGING GROUP</u>
	(AILEEN: 4129 8770)		(SUE: 0428 154 213)

## TUESDAY:

7.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>LADIES ONLY TENNIS</u>	8.30AM	<u>YOGA</u>
8.30AM(WINTER)	(SUE: 0415 557 569)		(DESLEY:4187 1650)
			OR 0400 082 881)
10AM(1ST & 3RD)	<u>ART GROUP</u>	1.00PM	<u>LINE DANCE/BEGINERS</u>
	(PAM: 0407 375 267)		(GILLIAN: 0481 205 497)
3.00PM(SUMMER)	<u>GARDEN GROUP</u>	6.00PM	<u>CARDS</u>
2.00PM(WINTER)	(GREG & TERI-ANN 0427 116 519)		(BEV: 0402 980 415)

## WEDNESDAY:

6.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	1.00PM	<u>INDOOR BOWLS</u>
7.00AM(WINTER)	(PAM: 0407 013 675)		(PETER: 0477 015 324)
9.00AM	<u>LINE DANCING</u>	6.30PM	<u>18+ POOL NIGHT</u>
	(GILLIAN: 0481 205 497)		(MERV: 0407 844 888)

## THURSDAY:

8.30 AM	<u>YOGA:</u>	1.00 PM	<u>MAHJONG:</u>
	(DESLEY: 4187 1650)		SUSAN GREEN: (0418 795 867)
4.00 PM(SUMMER)	<u>MIXED TENNIS:</u>		
3.00 PM(WINTER)	(KEESHA: 0405 929 241)		

## FRIDAY:

6.30 AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	9.00 AM	<u>CRAFT :</u>
7.00 AM(WINTER)	(PAM: 0407 013 675)		BYO project

## THEN IT IS FRIDAY NIGHT FUN TIME!!!

5.00 PM	<u>BAR IS OPEN AND...</u>	6.00 PM	<u>MEALS WILL BEGIN TO BE SERVED</u>
	(HALL: 4129 8800)		

## SATURDAY:

1.00PM	<u>MUSO'S JAM SESSION</u>	<u>STEVE BAXTER: 0407 291 888</u>
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## SUNDAY:

1.00PM TO 4.30PM	<u>CARDS AFTERNOON</u>	<u>BEV LEWIS: 0402 980 415</u>
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## To all avid Gardeners



an open invite to come down to our community gardens on Tuesday afternoons AT 3pm, and see what we are all about.

The Group has Social visits to local gardens, and if you would like the group to visit your garden please contact Greg 0411096424

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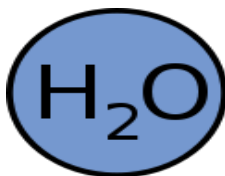
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## FRIDAY 8TH MAY:



**MOTHERS DAY DINNER**  
**WITH FREE GLASS OF WINE**  
**& A GREAT MEAL FROM....**  
**'RUMBLE IN THE JUNGLE'**  
**& 'STILL ROCKIN'**  
**TO ENTERTAIN ALL OUR MUM'S**

## SATURDAY 9TH MAY:



**GENERAL MEETING @**  
**2PM AT THE HALL**  
**EVERYONE IS MOST**  
**WELCOME!**

## TUESDAY 12TH MAY:



**'YOUNG AT HEART'**  
**WILL BE HOLDING THE**  
**"THE BIGGEST MORNING**  
**TEA"**  
**SEE PAGE 4 FOR DETAILS!!!**

## SUNDAY 24TH MAY:



**'SUNDAY CHILL OUT'**  
**ENTERTAINMENT BY....**  
**'THE A TO Z BAND'**

## SATURDAY 6TH JUNE:



**HUGE THANK YOU**  
**TO OUR VOLUNTEERS**  
**LUNCH WITH DRINKIES**  
**& ENTERTAINMENT**

## FRIDAY NIGHTS:

**ARE BACK IN FULL**  
**SWING WITH THE**  
**BAR OPEN AT 5PM**  
**& MEALS SERVED**  
**FROM 6PM.**



# WHAT IS YOUR PROPERTY WORTH???

## \$0 UPFRONT COSTS!! FREE APPRAISALS



\$980,000 - 103 Boronia Drive (ref:692) 1636m<sup>2</sup> Prime location on the waterfront! First time in 39 years this property has been on the market. With THE best sandy beach spot right out the front of this property. 2bedr, 1bathr, 4 car, large sunroom, enclosed verandah



Offers in high \$800,000 (ref:701) 1200m<sup>2</sup> Modern w/ ducted aircon throughout. 3bedr, media room, open plan living that opens out to 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, air doors more controlled. Fully insulated with kitchenette, laundry and bathroom. Solar system. Fully fenced



\$780,000 - 148 Boronia Dr (ref:699) 761m<sup>2</sup> Waterviews, more access to the sandy beach! 3 bedr w/ aircon + built ins, main bedr w/ ensuite. Large lounge room, 2 bay carport, 2 bay shed w/ concrete driveway. Fully fenced.



Offers Over \$640,000 - 26 Westringia Dr (ref:683) 1002m<sup>2</sup> on a concrete base. 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom. Outdoor entertainment area, caravan port, the reser



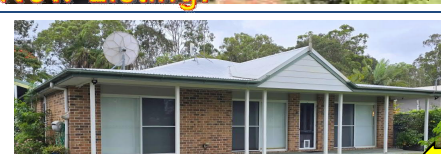
\$785,000 - 29 Cottonwood Crt (ref:700) 1209m<sup>2</sup> Only short walk to the beach! 3bedr, main bedr with ensuite, open plan living, aircon, modern kitchen, internal laundry, outdoor entertainment area, 2 bay carport, approx. 7.5kw Solar system on roof, outdoor shower, wash the car and off before walking inside.



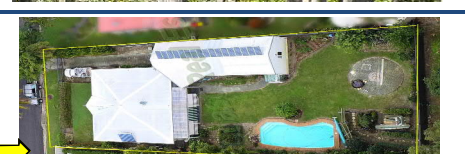
\$730,000 - Osprey Tce (ref:680) 1000m<sup>2</sup>. 3 bedrooms, 2 with good sized built in robes, 1 bathroom, Open plan area w/aircon, 1 car garage plus another carport, Outdoor entertainment area, Solar System, 2 bay shed 6m x 9m, Bore water, Concrete underground water tank, Fully Fenced, Concrete Driveway



\$1.25mil - 35 Outridge Ave (ref:702) 799m<sup>2</sup> Only short walk to the beach! 2bedr w/options for more, 1bathr upstairs + 1 downstairs. Ducted aircon upstairs & aircon unit downstairs, open plan, internal laundry, outdoor balcony, 2 bay garage + 1 bay shed w/toilet. Fully fenced. Waterviews through to K'gari.



\$780,000 Negotiable - 11 Cupania Crt (ref:696) 1000m<sup>2</sup> 2bedr + office/spare small room, main bedr w/ ensuite and WIR. Open plan living. 2 bathrooms. Outdoor entertainment area. 5kw solar and solar hot water. Inground saltwater swimming pool. 2 bay shed plus carport.



\$495,000 - 19 Boronia Dr (ref:016) 1005m<sup>2</sup> Weekender shed, access to the Poona Creek. Still plenty of room to build your next home. Insulated roof, Kitchenette, Toilet and shower, 5kw Air-condition unit, Rainwater tank, Septic System. Fenced 3 sides.



**TRADING HOURS**  
MON - FRI = 9:30 - 3:30PM  
SAT = 9:30 - 2:00PM

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