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## **PCPA COMMITTEE REPORT:**

Welcome to another edition of the Poona Post. The AGM on 14 August saw approximately 60 people attending to elect a new PCPA committee. Committee membership is detailed later in this edition. I said it at the AGM, but a huge thanks to Jon Colclough, John Hand, Andrea Powis and Julie Colclough for their tremendous achievements and contribution to Poona.

So, what about the new committee?? What can you expect? What are we going to do? Well, for the first couple of weeks it's all about the administrative detail, banking and licence changes etc and some broad-brush planning. Some people have asked me if they can expect more of the same. That depends on your previous experiences, I suppose. All that I can say is that all committee members will provide honest and transparent administration of the PCPA – that is our primary role and our first goal. A COMMUNITY SUGGESTION BOX has been set up in the hall, please use it as a COMMUNICATION TOOL so that we can understand how the committee can serve the COMMUNITY best.

Events – Kathy Moore has volunteered to lead the events team comprising Val McGrath, Andrea Powis, Lyn Corser, Pauline Komoll and Crystal Hodgson, who are currently investigating some possible future events. So far, there will be a Tombola on 16 October and a Melbourne Cup function on 2 November, more information will be provided nearer the date. The team has many ideas, but they would appreciate some input from the community. Tell them what you want or what you don't want. Also please tell us whether you are happy with the current format with Friday night at the hall. If not, how can it be improved or what would you like to see? Please speak to Kathy or one of the team or use the suggestion box.

Council Agenda – Information on the Council's Palm Frond Collection Program was delivered to homes last week. Please be advised that this is strictly for Palm trees on Council managed land only and not for dumping of green waste from homes. Council considers dumping of other green waste as illegal dumping and will be treated as an offence, resulting in fines being issued to offenders.

Please use the Boonoroo Waste Facility to dispose of up to one tonne of green-waste free-of-charge. Take a trailer or ute load of clean green waste and on your 8<sup>th</sup> visit you will receive a voucher for 1m3 of mulch free. Additional green waste initiatives for residents are currently being negotiated with Council.

Boat Ramp – Good news for some and bad news for others is that the boat ramp is off the agenda for the time being. This is, and always has been, a State government decision and we know very little else. You will be advised when we get more information on the matter.

That's all for this month, wishing the best to you all.

Harry

## HOT FLASHES SANDY STRAITS RFB



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## YOUNG AT HEART

**2ND TUESDAY**  
**OF EVERY**  
**MONTH**



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**ON THIS**  
**MONTH ON**  
**PAGE 9!!!**

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It is time to make sure your whole family has prepared for a bushfire. We know our risk living at Poona and it is time to refresh your Bush Fire Survival Plan with all members of your family. If you plan to leave early, then you must leave your home well before the bushfire threatens or impacts our road. If you stay, then it is time to check your Bushfire Emergency Kit to see that it is well organised. Check that your property is able to withstand the impact of a bushfire. Do you have well maintained fire fighting resources and equipment and protective clothing? Clean all your gutters and tidy your property. Check with your Plan, Act and Survive pamphlet that we gave out last year or pick up a new one, from the hall, if you do not have one.

If you are cleaning your yard and burning a small stack - Make sure you have water at the ready. An old wet mop is also a great tool. Check the wind and be aware of smoking out the neighbours. Make sure it is a still cool evening. We have already had examples of neighbour's burning small stacks and before they know it, have had it run up a tree causing an uncontrolled fire. Call 000 if there is a fire.

Congratulations to one of our team, Shiedon Bailey, for winning the North Coast Young Volunteer of the Year.

Be prepared and stay safe. Kind regards, Marilyn King, Secretary Sandy Straits Rural Fire Brigade.

**SOME PHOTOS FROM YOUNG AT HEART OUTING**  
**LAST MONTH TO LYCHEE DIVINE.....**  
**A GREAT TIME HAD**  
**BY ALL, LYNN EVEN**  
**MADE UP A BREW!!!**



**KEEP UP TO DATE WITH WHAT'S HAPPENING IN POONA ON OUR**  
**FACEBOOK PAGE — PoonaCommunityNoticeboard**

Errors and Omissions Excepted. Opinions expressed do not reflect those of the editors





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## **FISHING REPORT**

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I reckon nothing beats our Queensland Winters - how gorgeous has the weather been! I think Mother Nature may have one last cold snap in store for us so pull out your winter woollies and hit the water because the fishing is Hot! Hot! Hot! Let's check out this week's report. Let's start off this week's report with the heart of our area – The Mary River. Anglers have been battling with big tides and run coming off the full moon but have reaped the rewards with Threadfin Salmon plus monster black and silver bream. Grunter up to and over 60cm long. Head then out into the Great Sandy Straits via the mouth of the River down through the Turkey Straits, locals have been spoilt for choice with many species readily available to them. Reports this week are flooding in fisho's are catching plenty of Flathead in the shallow waters around drains and drop offs. Some of the popular bait displays working are larger curly or shad tailed soft plastics or you could try shallow to medium diving hard body lures. The Summer Whiting numbers have improved so targeting the mud banks around the mangroves say out of Tuan or Maaroom has been quite lucrative. The Yabbies or worms continue to produce the goods but on such clear wind free days you should try targeting whiting on surface poppers you'll be very surprised on how much fun you can have. Moving across the channel over along the Islands ledges and drop off boaties are still landing Squirey Snapper, Nannygai, Coral Bream also known as Grassy Sweetlip, Blackall and Cod not to mention all the bi catches of pelagic fish such as Spottie and Grey Mackerel, Talior, Golden Trevally and Queenies.

You'll have the best chance on the reef fish bottom bashing with squid or livies where the pelagic species tend to hunt on the surface so a floated ganged pillie or flesh strip would do the trick. The outer reefs over the bottom wide bay bar there's plenty of reports of Pearl Perch, Coral Trout, Red and Spangled Emperor plus many species of Cod.

Lets have a look at our brag board:

Kathy had a great day and was very happy with this Grunter.



Michael is also very impressed with his Grunter effort, his weighed in at 3kg. Well done mate.



Kat with an awesome Flathead.



Not to be out done is Kats mum. Is anyone missing a reel ???





## **ART CLASSES**

**1ST & 3RD  
TUESDAY  
OF THE  
MONTH  
@10 AM**

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# **Girls Night In**



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in



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**Saturday 30th October**



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**Facebook - Jenny Mason**

**Library - Di Price**

**Container Recycling Scheme - Merv Milfull**

**Events - Kathy Moore, Lyn Corser, Andrea Powis and Val  
McGrath**

**Xmas Lights Competition - Leonie Meggitt**

**Markets - Jenny Mason and Ann Davis**

**Hall Cleaning - Mal and Kris Merryfull**

**ANZAC Memorial/Ceremonies - Peter Heit and Marilyn Laffey**

**Welcome Packs - Jenny Mason**



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**POONA HALL: PHONE: 4129 8800**

**MONDAY:**



7.00 AM

**EXERCISE CLASS**

(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)

8.30 AM

**TAI CHI**

(AILEEN: PHONE: 4129 8770)

1.00 PM

**UKULELE GROUP** (JENNY C: 4129.8462)

**TUESDAY:**



8.00 AM (SUMMER)

**LADIES ONLY TENNIS**

(KEESHA: PHONE: 0405 929 241)

9.00 AM (WINTER)

8.30 AM

**YOGA**

(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650)

(PHONE: 0400 082 881)

2.00 PM (SUMMER)

**COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUP**

3.00 PM (WINTER)

(MIKE & SUE: PHONE: 4129 8983)

6.30 PM

**GAMES NIGHT (cards, pool, darts)**

(DI: PHONE: 0428 416 631)

**WEDNESDAY**



7.00 AM

**EXERCISE CLASS**

(PAM : PHONE: 0407 013 675 )

9.00 AM

**LINE DANCING**

(GILLIAN: PHONE: 0481 205 497)

2.00 PM

**'OLD TIME' DANCING**

(VAL: PHONE: 0437 474954)

**THURSDAY**



8.30 AM  
NEW TIME

**YOGA**

(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650)

(PHONE: 0400 082 881)

1.00 PM

**CARD GAMES AFTERNOON:**

(DI: PHONE: 0428 416 631)

4.00 PM (SUMMER)

**MIXED TENNIS:**

3.00 PM (WINTER)

(KEESHA: PHONE: 0405 929 241)

**FRIDAY:**



7.00 AM

**EXERCISE CLASS**

(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)

9.00 AM

**CRAFT** BYO project

(JENNY H: PHONE: 0412 606 876)

5.00 PM

**MEALS & BAR OPEN**





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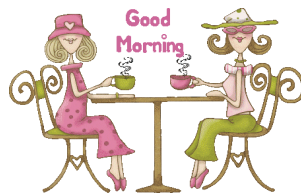
**FATHERS DAY DINNER AT  
THE HALL WITH.....  
"STILL ROCKING"**

**SATURDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER**



**GENERAL MEETING @ THE  
HALL @ 2PM. COME ALONG  
& MEET THE NEWLY  
ELECTED COMMITTEE!!!**

**TUESDAY 14th SEPTEMBER:**



**10 am YOUNG AT HEART  
Senior Constable Marshal Hoggard  
Will be returning for Part 2 of  
"PERSONAL SAFETY & SECURITY"**

**Everyone is welcome, so if you have never  
been before, come along & enjoy a great  
morning tea afterwards for only \$2.**

**(This event is for the Ladies & the Men of Poona!!!)  
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**FRIDAY NIGHT MEALS**



**At the Hall**

**Bar from 5 pm, meals served  
from 6 pm**

**Weekly raffles and Lucky  
Member's Draw**

**ALL WELCOME!**

**For the weekly menu:**

**See the Green Noticeboard on  
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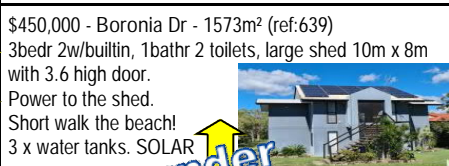




\$439,000 - 58 Boronia Dr 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:642)  
3bedr,2bathr,main with ensuite and WIR, main bathroom  
suited for disabled use, 2 way kitchen, outdoor enclosed  
entertainment, solar hot water, underground water tank.  
2 bay 6m x 6m shed **New Listing!**



\$445,000 - 44 Boronia Drive 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:641)  
3bedr, 2bathr main with ensuite and WIR, aircon  
Open plan kitchen/dining/living w/ aircon  
2 sheds one 6m x 6m with 2.7m roller door height  
Other shed is 10m x 7m  
6.6kw solar  
2 x tanks. Generator ready



**VACANT LAND**  
Boronia ref:208 = 764m<sup>2</sup> VIEWS = \$240,000  
Westringia ref:475 = 1000m<sup>2</sup> = \$140,000 CORNER  
Boronia ref:472 = 1127m<sup>2</sup> = SOLD

Corella ref:468= 1000m<sup>2</sup> = SOLD  
Westringia ref:469 = 1000m<sup>2</sup> = SOLD  
Corella ref:436 = 1000m<sup>2</sup> = SOLD

Contact Agent - Address on request 797m<sup>2</sup> WATER-  
FRONT LARGE HOME  
3 bedr. 2 bathr.  
5 car.



\$499,000 - 15 Westringia Dr 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:637)  
4bedr,2bathr,main with ensuite, 2 separate lounge rooms  
Large kitchen, outdoor entertainment, 2 car garage  
Saltwater pool, solar hot water  
2 x 5000gal tanks  
6m x 9m shed



\$450,000 - Boronia Dr - 1573m<sup>2</sup> (ref:639)  
3bedr 2w/builtin, 1bathr 2 toilets, large shed 10m x 8m  
with 3.6 high door.  
Power to the shed.  
Short walk the beach!  
3 x water tanks. SOLAR



\$350,000 - 7 Teragin Terrace 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:631)  
4bedr, all with built ins + aircon, Main with ensuite  
Main bathroom, separate toilet  
Outdoor entertainment area  
Large 2 bay shed w/ aircon  
1 car garage. Under ground tank



\$470,000 - Address on request 1492m<sup>2</sup>  
Creek front WITH GREAT VIEWS!  
2 bedr. 1 bath.  
3 car  
NO FOR SALE  
SIGNS



\$285,000 - 206 Boronia Drive 764m<sup>2</sup> (ref:382)  
WALK THROUGH FORESHORE TO THE BEACH  
Kitchenette, toilet and shower, 3 separate rooms  
WATER VIEWS  
Fully fenced  
**SOLD**



\$250,000 - 5 Corella St 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:466)  
9m x 10m shed remote sectional doors  
With toilet and shower  
Gravel driveway  
5000gal tank



\$465,000 - Address on Request 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:635)  
3bedr main with ensuite and WIR other have built in  
Immaculately unique design  
2 bay shed all plastered  
Solar panels, Solar hot water  
Fully fenced. 3 x 3000gal tank



\$197,000 - Cockatoo Crescent (ref:429) 1200m<sup>2</sup>  
SHED 9mX6m Kitchenette, bathroom,  
fully fenced around the shed  
short walk to community hall  
5000gal water tank



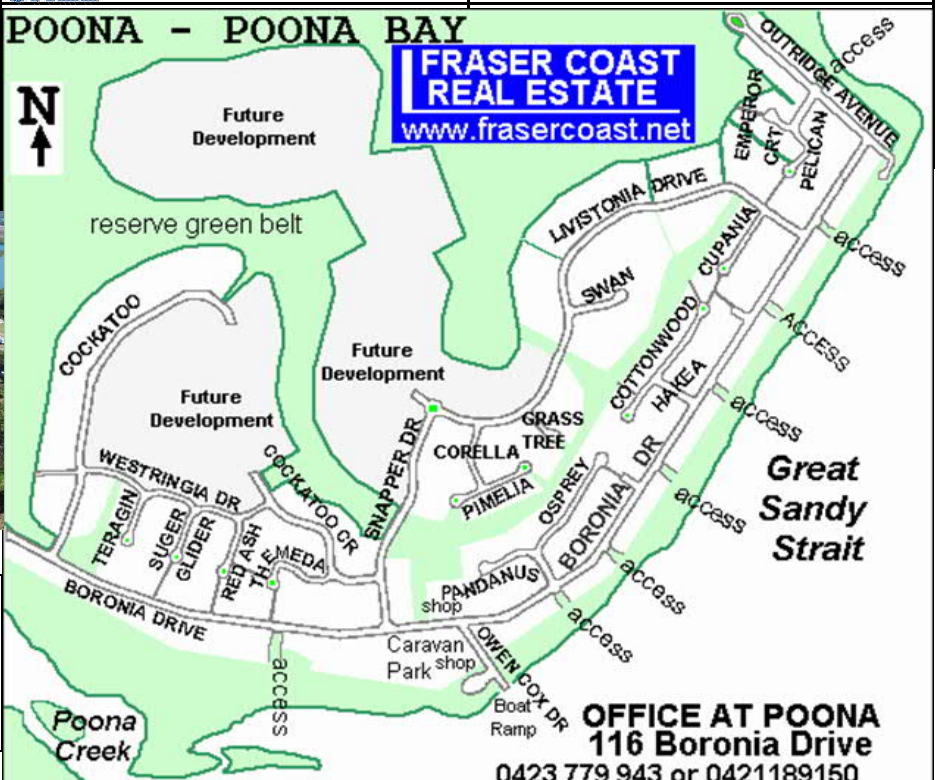
\$195,000 - Teragin Terrace (ref:471) 1000m<sup>2</sup>  
2 bay 6m x 12m with 2.4m door heights  
Perfect weekender option  
Equipped with shed  
a large kitchenette  
aircon and fireplace



\$165,000 - Outridge Ave 1000m<sup>2</sup> (ref:470)  
Property is in a great location!  
Shed measures 9m x 6m  
Rainwater storage tank  
Short walk of around 100m  
to the water!



\$350,000 - Commercial Acre and half (6048m<sup>2</sup>)



## TRADING HOURS

MON - FRI= 9:30 - 3:30PM

SAT = 9:30 - 2:00PM

SUN = PRE-ARRANGED APPOINTMENTS

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