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PCPA COMMITTEE REPORT

Welcome to the first edition of the Poona Post for 2022.

The PCPA Committee wishes everyone a very happy and prosperous new year.

Hall Renovations

I have been asked why the hall is remaining closed for February. We had hoped that by now we would have some end date in sight for the hall renovations, but as always happens with any renovation, expect the unexpected. Sorry for any inconvenience, but it cannot be helped.

The acoustic treatment went up on 6-7 January as planned. The young tradies who did the job were excellent. I am sure that you will notice a reduction in echoing within the hall. The existing hall has been completed up to the low ceiling line. The extra panelling will be stored in the hall and the new ceiling will be finished after the renovations have been done.

There is a lot of work still to be done. A dust and debris barrier will be installed from the side door, across the hall before any work begins. The brick wall will be demolished and we will need to make way for the kitchen integration. This involves moving the fridges and freezers and storing elsewhere in the hall. The contents of the pantry (foodstuffs, crockery, utensils etc) will need to come out and stored in the hall. The complete pantry, as it sits, needs to be taken out and stored in the hall until it is reinstalled into the new pantry storage area. This work is necessary to make way for new walls being built where the bain-marie and order taking counters currently are. The existing walls in the kitchen will be cut down to be pony or half walls. Consequently, the kitchen will be a construction site and cannot be used.

(DON'T FORGET TO READ PAGE 9 FOR WHAT'S GOING ON WITH THE ACTIVITIES!)

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The new work needs to be painted and floor covering laid. The acoustics guys will also need to return to finish the new ceiling area. The lights need to be converted to LED and cabling for tv antennas, sound bar and projector need to be re-routed. While we have an empty hall, we will be working on building the new bookcase. There will be no room to do anything in the hall until all work is completed. We are planning for the work to be done by the end of February, but that depends on there being no unforeseen issues when the wall comes down.

The general meeting planned for February is postponed to a date to be advised.

Hall Activities

The committee is meeting on Monday 24 Jan to determine when and how we recommence regular activities and events. Details will be advised. The external undercover area and tennis shelter will be available for use for any activities while the renovations occur. Activity Coordinators should contact the Secretary if they wish to use these areas, so the use of the areas can be organised.

Covid Requirements

The hall is classified as club. You must check-in. It is a legal requirement that you must be double vaccinated when entering hall precincts and from 2 January 2022, masks must be always worn inside the hall. Masks must be worn in the undercover area, sitting or standing, unless you can remain 1.5 metres away from others that are not members of your household. Also, on Friday nights and during an event, the hall (inside and out) is a Food Business and operates under Liquor Licencing Regulations. You must wear a mask area unless you are eating or drinking. Every time you leave your seat, masks must be worn.

All committee members and any volunteers who are working must always wear masks except when eating or drinking.

Stay Safe

Harry

YOUNG AT HEART

DUE TO THE HALL
RENOVATIONS
FEBRUARY 8TH
MORNING TEA HAS
UNFORTUNATELY BEEN
CANCELLED.



WE HOPE TO RESUME OUR ACTIVITIES ON TUESDAY 8TH MARCH.

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

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FISHING REPORT

Hi guys, Hope you are all staying high and dry. Here is the report.

Well the might Mary has sure lived up to her name this week. What a sight she is in full flood.

Lets have a look at what was being caught before.

School holidays are still in full swing and we love seeing so many families out on the water and fishing off the beaches teaching their kids all about this wonderful past time we love.

The Mangrove Jack were on fire, so many muggy stormy days which stirs them up to no end.

The mudcrabs also had a great run with some quality full crabs being caught. The Sandcrabs were also about, reports of some huge ones out the front of Burrum.

The sand flats of the Sandy Straits has been very popular with Flathead and Whiting being the target fish. Flicking hard bodied or soft plastic lures has had some great results. If you aren't into lure fishing, try pumping some yabbie's, the kids will love it as much as fishing.

The inshore reefs such as the artificial, Mickey's and Sammie's have been producing quality reef fish including Blueys, Blackall, grassy sweetlip and estuary cod and large golden trevally have been taking soft plastics on the sand flats at Moon Point.

They say a flood on the land is a flood in the sea. Once the waters settle down the fishing will be unreal. The baitfish will be around in huge numbers which in turn bring in the bigger fish and gets them on the bite. It should also encourage the prawns and mud/sand crabs to be about in numbers. All we can say is "Bring it on".

Lets check out some local catches.

Martin with a nice Cod. >



Kealen was pretty happy with his Trout. >>>>



Tyson had a ball fishing at Toogoom, this Scat made for lots of fun. >>>>>>



Tuan Toolara Forest Brumby Update:



THE EVENTS **COMMITTEE:**

ARE VERY BUSY PLANNING FOR THE NEXT FEW **MONTHS OF ENTERTAINMENT** AT THE HALL!

& EASTER IS COMING!!!





POONA EASTER 2 DAY **FESTIVAL**

IS WELL INTO THE PLANNING STAGE. **MORE DETAILS**

ON EVENTS & **EASTER FESTIVAL WILL BE**

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It's been over 12 months since Poona locals Keesha Millar and Melissa D'Or participated in Community Reference Group (CRG) for the Tuan Toolara Feral Horse Public Safety Initiative, facilitated by HQPlantations (Tuan Toolara forest management). We recently attended a briefing on progress and have some info to share with our community. Detailed background information can be located in Poona Post August 2020 issue.

The aim is to balance the need for road safety and horse welfare. HQPlantations has a great rehoming process in place since 2009 (using low stress methods), however there are concerns this process will not manage an increasing horse population, along with concern that the area will not be able to feed/sustain the increasing horse numbers.

Latest population studies estimates there are approx 2700 horses within Tuan Toolara forest, currently occupying 67% of the forest. There are scientific predictions that by 2026, there will be approx. 3600 horses occupying 100% of the forest.

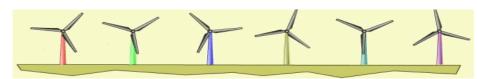
Since 2009, approx 120 horses have been captured along Tin Can Bay and Cooloola Coast roads. Recent improvements to tracking methods have increased capacity to capture more horses (at risk near the roads) - including radio tracking collars meaning 22 horses captured this past year (compared to previous average of less than 10 horses/year). After capture, these horses aim to be rehomed by SEQ Brumby Association and Ozecological. Anyone interested in rehoming horses should register their interest with HQPlantation's (contacts listed below). The rehoming of horses is important and more forever homes are needed. Do you know someone who can helṗ?

Other initiatives occurring include: communication strategies with local councils/ emergency services to raise safety awareness; increased signage on logging and public roads; linking existing fences along the Cooloola Coast Road; annual thermal imaging population counts; ongoing safety discussions with logging staff and contractors; further exploration of potential tertiary research.

If you see a brumby that needs immediate assistance, please contact HQPlantation's Toolara office on 5488 2123 (or 5488 2109 after hours). If the horse is in the vicinity of a road corridor, you can also contact the relevant

An engagement hub is available for interested community members or those interesting in rehoming horses https://hqp.engagementhub.com.au/. Contact can be made by using the contact form on Engagement Hub or emailing community@haplantations.com.au .

Forest Wind, Wind Farm Update:



At this time, no update can be provided on any progress.

Poona community reps Keesha Millar and Andrea Powis last attended meeting early in 2021. We were expecting to attend meetings mid way through 2021 and all communication attempts since (to learn any updates) have not yet received any responses.

We suggest that any feedback or interest should be directed to Forest Wind directly via https://www.forestwind.com.au/.

CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY IS COMING!!!

Poona will be participating in Clean Up Australia Day again this year on: Sunday, March 6th.

Please mark this date on your calendar. Assembly will be at the Hall carpark at 7am. Gloves, rubbish bags etc will be provided, but please wear sunscreen and hats and bring water. We will attempt to clean up the whole of the beach and the entire length of the Poona Road and many hands make light work. Susan Green is coordinating this event again this year so please contact her on 0418 795 867 if you have any questions or would like to put your name down to volunteer.

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	6.30 AM (SUMMER)	EXERCISE CLASS
	7.00 AM (WINTER)	(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)
MONDAY:	8.30 AM	TAI CHI
		(AILEEN: PHONE: 4129 8770)
	1.00 PM	UKULELE GROUP (JENNY C: 4129.8462)
	3.15 PM	MODERN DANCE
		(VAL: PHONE: 0437 474 954)
	8.00 AM (SUMMER)	LADIES ONLY TENNIS
	9.00 AM (WINTER)	(KEESHA: PHONE: 0405 929 241)
	8.30 AM	<u>YOGA</u>
		(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650)
TUESDAY:		(PHONE: 0400 082 881)
	10 AM (1ST & 3RD)	ART GROUP
	,	(PAM: PHONE: 0407 375 267)
	3.00 PM (SUMMER)	COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUP
	2.00 PM (WINTER)	(MIKE & SUE: PHONE: 4129 8983)
	6.30 PM	18+ADULT GAMES NIGHT / BYO
		(cards, pool, darts)
		(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)
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	8.30 AM	YOGA (DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650)
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THURSDAY:	1.00 PM	CARD GAMES AFTERNOON:
		(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)
	4.00 PM (SUMMER)	MIXED TENNIS:
	3.00 PM (WINTER)	(KEESHA: PHONE: 0405 929 241)
	6.30 AM (SUMMER)	EXERCISE CLASS
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WHAT'S ON FOR THE MONTH!!!

DID YOU KNOW ????

THAT DESPITE THE HALL BEING CLOSED, ACTIVITIES ARE STILL GOING ON HERE AND THERE WITH A FEW INVENTIVE CHANGES:



(WELL YOU WILL KNOW AS LONG AS YOU READ YOUR POONA POST!)

TAI CHI ARE MEETING AGAIN ON MONDAY'S, NOW IN MARKET ALLEY AT 8.30AM, EVERYONE IS WELCOME.



YOGA ARE MEETING AT THE WATERFRONT TUE/THUR AT 9AM NEAR THE ROTUNDA AND DESLEY IS ALSO AT BOONOOROO ON MON 10.45AM AND WED NIGHT 5.30PM TO 6.30PM.

<u>EUKULELE GROUP</u> ARE GOING TO GATHER AT VARIOUS HOMES, SEE PAGE FOR JENNY'S NUMBER!

ART GROUP ARE CONSIDERING OUTDOOR GET TOGETHERS SO GET HOLD OF PAM, SEE PAGE 5.

LINE DANCING IS HAPPENING AT THE GRANVILLE COMMUNITY HALL MONDAY NIGHT 6.30PM TO 9.30PM. BEGINEERS ARE BEST SUITED FOR MONDAY NIGHT 6.30PM TO 8PM. ALSO THURSDAY NIGHT AT 6.30PM TO 9.30PM. SEE PAGE 5 FOR CONTACT DETAILS.

MODERN DANCE IS ON A BREATHER AS FLOOR SPACE IS NECESSARY FOR THIS ACTIVITY.

TENNIS IS CONTINUING THE SAME AS IS THE GARDEN GROUP.

SO WHILST IT'S A WEE BIT DISJOINTED, IT IS ALL

BE BACK UNDERWAY AT THE HALL ONCE IT IS OPEN & UNDERWAY AGAIN.



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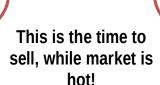
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