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PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hoping everyone enjoyed the Christmas Festive Season. I love this time of year catching up with family and friends.

I am also very aware for some families this can be a difficult time remembering loved ones lost.

We saw 20 entrants in the Christmas Lights Competition in December. Bruce Saunders once again judged the entries with 9 prizes being awarded. A big shout out to Bruce for once again supporting this Annual Poona Competition by way of a very generous donation.

Our Christmas Lights Display was made extra special by way of a grant from Fraser Coast Regional Council to purchase a fantastic variety of solar lights to display, particularly in Market Alley.

A huge thankyou to the garden group, partners and volunteers for helping to create the Christmas Lights display, and then also to pack it all away.

December saw a great response from the Community attending the Associations planned Christmas Celebration Events.

New Years Eve Celebrations was huge with over 200 people attending to enjoy the celebrations and see in the New Year.

Again the Association is very grateful for the continued support from Fraser Coast Regional Council for supporting these events by way of grants.

The Events Team had a huge year last year bringing many different and varied events to the Hall for all of us to enjoy.

The Committee thank Val McGrath and the ever growing number of volunteers to this team for their continued hard work and I expect this year will be know different as we look forward to see what they have planned.

I have passed on to FCRC the unsatisfactory condition of the public toilets near the boat ramp. I will be following up so that these convenience's are brought up to an acceptable standard of hygiene and cleanliness, particularly needing additional servicing over busy periods.

Cheers Kathy Moore

Next General Meeting will be held Saturday February 11th, at 2pm Afternoon tea and drinks will be provided after this meeting.

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I acknowledge the Butchulla people on whose land I live and work, and pay my respects to Elders past, present and emerging.



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YOUNG AT HEART



TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY

SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING ON PAGE 9

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AND THE WINNER WAS.....



1ST = OWEN BRYAN @ 'PIMELIA CLOSE'

2ND = 'CHOSE NOT TO BE NAMED ON THIS FORUM'

3RD = REBECCA HEATON 'BORONIA DRIVE'

4TH = KAHU & DAVE 'COCKATOO CRESCENT' 5TH = GUS & MAGGIE WILSON 'SWAN TERRACE'

ENCOURAGEMENT AWARDS WENT TO =

DOUG & ANN HEWITT @ 'BORONIA DRIVE'
CRYSTAL & DION @ 'OSPREY TERRACE'
VICKI & CHRISTY EDWARDS @ 'COCKATOO CRESCENT'
CAROLYN CHARMAN @ 'BORONIA DRIVE'

SPECIAL THANKS AGAIN TO BRUCE SAUNDERS FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION TO THIS EVENT.

A VERY, VERY BIG THANKS AGAIN TO LEONIE MEGGITT WHO ORGANISES AND OVERSEES THIS EVENT.

"ONCE AGAIN POONA LIT UP FOR CHRISTMAS"

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

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FISHING REPORT

There has been patches of good weather over the last couple of weeks and our mad keen anglers have taken advantage of every opportunity. They have given us nothing but positive feedback on the fishing front. Let's check out what's been happening in our local waters.

From the arch cliffs all the way up to Rooney's there has been loads of pelagic action with reports of long tail and Mack Tuna and Spotted mackerel are taking small metal slugs on the surface. There are plenty of bait fish schooling in the shallows as well, attracting large golden trevally and queenfish making for some fantastic sight fishing.

Wathumba and Coongul creeks continue to fish well with monster summer whiting and quality flathead on the chew.

Both the southern and northern gutters have been fishing well when the weather conditions have been suitable, with good catches of Nannygai, grassy sweet lip and coral trout.

The inshore reefs such as Sammie's and Moon ledge have been reporting grassy sweet lip, Blackall and estuary cod, while Gatakers bay has been extremely popular with good quality black spot tusk fish off the bommies and ledges. Using fresh crabs has been the preferred bait for the Tuskies, however large banana prawns are also having results.

The Mary River has again been producing the goods with Grunter, blue salmon and monster Threadfin.

Maaroom, Poona and Tuan Creek have produced some cracker mud crabs, we have had customers bring some in to check their weight out and measuring over the 2kg on the scales. With the big tides we will only see an increase in tidal movement and larger catches of crabs being reported, well worth giving your pots a soak.

The mangrove jack are just as aggressive as ever with quality fish been caught at Maaroom, Boonoroo and kauri creeks.

This weeks brag board.





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Russell caught a nice flathead on a recent trip to Fraser Island. Lot of fun <>>><catching these big girls in the surf.



CHRISTMAS GATHERINGS!



WELCOME 2023



WAS A
FANTASTIC
NIGHT WITH
THE DANCE
FLOOR FULL
INSIDE WITH
'NITEHAWK'
FOLLOWED BY
'STILL ROCKIN'
OUTSIDE.

WE ALL MANAGED TO SEE IN THE NEW YEAR

'STILL DANCING'



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7.00 AM (WINTER)

MONDAY:

8.30 AM

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(AILEEN: PHONE: 4129 8770)

1.00 PM

1.00 PM

MODERN DANCE

(VAL: PHONE: 0437 474 954)

7.30 AM (SUMMER) LADIES ONLY TENNIS 9.00 AM (WINTER) (SUE: PHONE: 0415 557 569) 8.30 AM YOGA (DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650) TUESDAY: OR 0400 082 881) 10 AM (1ST & 3RD) ART GROUP (PAM: PHONE: 0407 375 267) 1.00PM LINE DANCING FOR BEGINEERS (GILLIAN: PHONE: 0481 205 497) 3.00 PM (SUMMER) COMMUNITY GARDEN GROUP 2.00 PM (WINTER) (MIKE & SUE: PHONE: 4129 8983) 6.30 PM CARDS NIGHT (MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)

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7.00 AM (WINTER)

WEDNESDAY:

9.00 AM

(GILLIAN: PHONE: 0407 013 675)

LINE DANCING

(GILLIAN: PHONE: 0481 205 497)

18+ POOL NIGHT

(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)

8.30 AM <u>YOGA</u>

(DESLEY: PHONE: 4187 1650 OR 0400 082 881)

THURSDAY: 1.00 PM CARD GAMES AFTERNOON:

(MERV: PHONE: 0407 844 888)

4.00 PM (SUMMER) <u>MIXED TENNIS:</u>

3.00 PM (WINTER) (KEESHA: PHONE: 0405 929 241)

6.30 AM (SUMMER) <u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>
FRIDAY: 7.00 AM (WINTER) (PAM: PHO

(PAM: PHONE: 0407 013 675)

9.00 AM <u>CRAFT</u> BYO project

5.00 PM MEALS & BAR OPEN

(HALL: PHONE: 4129 8800)

Poona

We're Searching for Volunteers

THERE IS A BIG CALL OUT FOR MORE VOLUNTEERS TO PUT THEIR HAND UP AND GIVE A HAND.

READ THE NOTE BELOW ABOUT THE GREAT 'POONA SPIRIT' THAT WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF, SO PUT OUT YOUR

HAND TO GIVE A



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"HOT FLASHES"

Sandy Straits Rural Fire



Brigade Information:

We, Volunteers, will be very busy, over the coming weeks, weather permitting, we will be having many hazard reduction burns along the fire tracks including the new ones opened up by council around the Poona township. This will require all landholders to be very vigilant, be ready, land tidied, and water ready.

Follow us on the Sandy Straits Fire Brigade Facebook Page for more information.

We attended an illegal burn recently and a burn that got out of control. This caused great concern to neighbor's and authorities. Fines from \$700 for burning on Council land and a QFES Court appearance may apply. Always have water, wet cloths, a shovel, a rake, and water at the ready. (Buckets full and a hose at the ready.) Do not set fire if there is any wind at all. If the stack is larger obtain a permit from the Fire Warden.

Safety is our number one priority. Prepare your land now. If you see a fire, NEVER call individuals.

<u>CALL 000 IMMEDIATELY</u>. It is then logged as a call out with Fire Com. It is faster to get a crew there as the brigade has a call out system. Thanks for your understanding.

Have a safe New Year. Best wishes Secretary Marilyn, Sandy Straits Rural Fire Brigade Feb 2023

Sandy Straits Rural Fire Brigade Volunteering to proudly protect their community.

'A NOTE WRITTEN TO DON, @ POONA PALMS, TO PASS ON; AFTER THEIR YOUNG FELLA FOLLOWED A GROUP OF OLDER KIDS OVER TO THE HALL PRECINCT'.

Nico, Jenn & Kids have asked us to send out this message to thank you all for coming together to locate 'Romeo" on New Years Eve. It meant a great deal to us that everyone stopped their festivities to help and we want to express our massive gratitude"

NOW THIS IS THE POONA SPIRIT WE LOVE SO MUCH!!!

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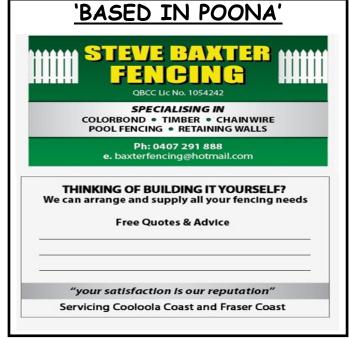


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FRIDAY 10TH FEBRUARY:



VALENTINE'S DINNER
WITH "NITEHAWK"



"HEARTS"

IS THE THEME SO GET DRESSED UP!!!

'PRIZES FOR BEST OUTFIT'

SATURDAY 11TH FEBRUARY:



GENERAL MEETING

© THE HALL, 2PM.

(DON'T FORGET TO BRING ALONG ONLY APPROPRIATE BEHAVIOUR & A POSITIVE ATTITUDE!!!)

TUESDAY 14TH FEBRUARY:



"YOUNG AT HEART"

Meeting at the Hall to chat About plans for the year.

Followed by Morning Tea @ 'Tides Out' with shared Pizzas at \$5 per head. Tea, Coffee & Desserts are also available to be purchased.

THE HALL IS UP & RUNNING FOR 2023!!!



ONCE AGAIN OPEN FROM 5PM.



WITH MEALS SERVED

FROM 6PM, WITH A REMINDER:

(THIS IS A WEEKLY EVENT RUN COMPLETELY BY VOLUNTEERS, SO BE POLITE, BE GRATEFUL & DEFINITELY ENJOY THE SOCIALISING!!!)

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OFFERS OVER \$625,000- Sugar Glider CL (ref:647) 1,200m² 3bedr, 2bathr, main is separate from other bedrooms with ensuite that has 2 separate shower heads and walk in robe. Open plan area, large laundry room. Large shed that has potential to have room upstairs. Toilet and shower in the shed. Underground water tank and septic system





\$780,000 - 22 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





\$550,000 - 27 Osprey Tce (ref:659) 1308m2 Perfect investment opportunity bedr,11 toilets, open in livi ent deck. er enter Jarrah flool ypre ning pro-cycle system, approx. 6m x bay shed, wi/ toilet +shower, plumbing ready for sink, can be made into another guest stay.





\$399,000 - 226 Boronia Dr (ref:660) 756m2 Needs Renovator mindset. Corner block, less than 100m to the beach, 3bedr. main w/ensuite, formal dining, open plan, bathroom separate toilet. Hardwood flooring, workshop, shed, laundry, 3 water tanks, fully fenced



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Rare block opportunity! Less than 100m to the beach Power pole on block ready to connect New

\$210,000 - 29 Livistonia Drive (REF:492) 4100m2 Complete privacy, clear a little bit an ep the privacy Backing to the by Approx. 600m to (0) Great Location Over an acre!

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